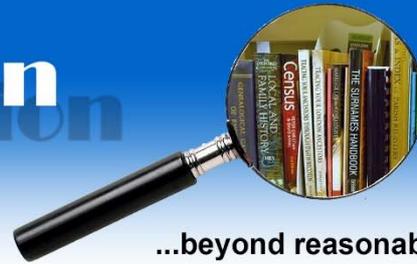


With Conviction



...beyond reasonable doubt

NSW & ACT Association of Family History Societies Annual Conference 2021
Saturday, 11th September 2021



We'd like to introduce "Con" Koala. He is from the early 1821 Colony of Port Macquarie where he was a convict.

Con was assigned to the PM road building iron gang. He worked from daylight to dark, shackled, with his feet covered only by stockings.

He asks that you please excuse his grubby and dishevelled appearance. He was not issued with a change of trousers, and with a bandaged hand and wrist, personal hygiene was too difficult.



Con was created by Jill Williams and he is one of 79 individually designed sculptures on the *Hello Koalas Sculpture Trail* in Port Macquarie. He sits in the grounds of the Historic Courthouse, Port Macquarie.

June 2021 Conference Update

Dark mornings, dark nights, cooler weather – yes, Winter is here. But it's an excuse to sit in a nice warm room and organise some family history, review your research, or better still, write your ancestors' stories. Perfect!

**** Early Bird Registration closing date has been extended ****

Just \$10 for individuals

The website booking office is open and ready
<https://www.trybooking.com/BPPBF>

Registration includes access to a FREE virtual Goody Bag with really useful contents to download; and the talks are available to view for 48 hours after the Conference, in case you miss a session.

Tickets in the Fantastic Conference Raffle are also available online at any time on <https://www.trybooking.com/BPPBF>

Where are you going to view the Family History Conference broadcast?

- ❖ Perhaps in your own home?
- ❖ Maybe with a small group of friends?
- ❖ Possibly with a larger group in your own Society Rooms?

We are incredibly pleased that Cape Banks, Central Coast, Liverpool, Newcastle with Maitland & Beyond, and Tea Gardens Hawks Nest have already signed up to host their own mini event to view the Conference to add a social and fun touch to the day. 😊

Our Society too is having a real time, catered event and it's proving a popular choice for our members. Is your own Society planning to do the same? Special group pricing is listed on the booking site.

Have a look at our conference website as we are receiving lots more enquiries for exhibitors at our Virtual Fair

conference2021.wixsite.com/pmdfhs

See you in less than three months!

Jennifer Mullin Conference Convenor

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