

Welcome to our June 2015 Conference Newsletter

Ahoy, mateys! The message we are hollering from atop the crow's nest here in Port Macquarie is



Early Bird Discount ends soon Register by midnight on Friday 3rd July 2015 and save \$20.

Thank You if you have already registered to attend the Conference. Your early booking helps us to be more organised - to work out what final numbers to expect, how many lanyards, satchels, meals, snacks, tables, chairs, helpers and so on will be needed.

And you have received a discount as a reward for booking early. Please spread the word!



A baker's dozen reasons why you should attend the NSW&ACT AFHS Conference in Port Macquarie

1. A family history conference is obviously a fascinating event!
2. It's in Port Macquarie which, according to the CSIRO, has the best climate in Australia
3. There's a Free Family History Fair followed by the two-day conference - so you're not travelling all the way to Port Macquarie for just a few hours of talks
4. There's a wide variety of topics planned - something for everyone whether you are just beginning or well advanced AND there's three Master Classes - Palaeography, PROV, Family History and DNA
5. As much as you might like to stay holed up at home with your research, sometimes the best thing you can do is to get out there and get together with like-minded folks to solve some of the most puzzling conundrums
6. For your non-genealogy partners, there's oodles of things for them to do while you're busy at the conference
7. Port Macquarie is rich in history and has stunning natural attractions
8. We operate on PMT (Port Macquarie Time) here - where you slow down, relax & be happy
9. You can register your research interests and maximise your chance of making a connection with someone
10. There will be many exhibitors which will give you the opportunity to view the latest products and services geared to family history
11. You get to meet other crazy family historians in person - not just names on emails (or in newsletters)
12. The price is very reasonable
13. Even better - the EARLY BIRD PRICE saves you \$20.... but you need to book by 3rd July!

Please click on the Conference link on our website for much more information. We are really looking forward to saying "Welcome Aboard".

*Jennifer Mullin (Conference Convener)
On behalf of the 2015 Conference Committee*

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