



NSW/ACT Trefoil Guild Newsletter

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DEAR MEMBERS,

Thank you everyone for your prayers, cards, emails, phone calls and good wishes during my husband's illness. I think it will be a slow road back, but I am confident. He had a heart attack and stroke and is suffering with infections and clots in the lungs. The medicos all give him every assistance, which will help towards his recovery.

I have not done very much regarding Trefoil, but I have answered emails and questions. At present I cannot accept any invitations as I now have Bill home but with many appointments. I am hoping that in the New Year he will be stronger and able to do for himself.

I do hope that you all enjoyed your November and this current December Newsletter. Thank you to June Job and Judy Tofler for despatching it. The attachment, the Census, I would be very grateful if this could be completed a.s.a.p . With this Newsletter we are attaching the email address forms and the new committee member forms for the coming year 2009. If I could have them as soon as the AGM is held this would help a great deal.

Wendy Smibert, A.T.G.A., has received a request for a Trefoil Guild member to correspond with a member from the U.K. who visited here recently. Her name is Sue

Herapath email sueherapath@yahoo.co.uk Sue is a leader in Ellesmere, Shropshire, and is involved with brownies and rainbows and is a Trefoil Guild member.

What a Beautiful Flame from a Flicker

Sunday 2nd November, Bareena T G celebrated their 40th Birthday. They were thrilled to have at least one representative from each Guild in the Region. Some former members were also in attendance.

Yvonne Kusi-Appah, President, an original foundation member, spent a great deal of time condensing their Guild's history.

The history included some joint activities and items their Guild had achieved. After it was read this brought back many memories to all present.

June Conen S.T.G.A. presented six members their Long Service numerals totalling 275 years. June was thanked for attending under the circumstances.

Afternoon tea was served, the Birthday Cake was cut and a good day of memories and fellowship was had by all.



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Drought Appeal

Another \$2000.00 forwarded making a total of \$9000.00 Bravo

N J C

The Committee met at Guide House 17th November. Marjorie Wood of Bexley T G has agreed to stand in as Secretary on my behalf for 12 months. Thank you Marjorie, I am most grateful.

Memories of Guiding

Many thanks to those members who have submitted photos and stories. We still have time, (22nd February, 2009) if anyone would still like to send their Memoirs. The booklet will include entries from all states, including photos. This booklet will be of interest to everyone.

Sangam Trip

Bea Lawrence was contacted on her availability in September 2009 to organise a Sangam tour on behalf of Trefoil Australia. Bea is committed on another tour at that time. However, she has offered to take a group to Our Cabana next August with the option of joining the tour that she is currently planning.

If the Mexican tour goes ahead the inclusions are Las Vegas, a drive through the Grand Canyon 6 days at Our Cabana, Aztec Pyramids and Basilica of Guadeloupe. The departure date would be 25th August 2009 I need to know expressions of interest by mid January 2009. Sangam will come later but not 2009.

South Australian Adviser

Helen Janz' term will be completed the end of November. All the members of NSW/ACT wish her well and thank her for her contribution to Trefoil Guild during her term. Well done Helen.

Welcome to Ann Lees, the new Adviser we wish her every success and best wishes in her new role.

State Gathering

Reach for the Stars

The second committee meeting was held at Guide House. A discrepancy in closing dates show March 15th in the Application Form and April 10th, 2009 in the Waratah. We have a first in first served policy. Already applications have been coming in, so don't be disappointed, even if you choose to be in attendance for the Saturday and the dinner. Please send your application NOW. Avoid the rush and secure your bed by April 10th.

Heather Hiron (Shoalhaven T G) is the co ordinator for the linen hire at the Gathering. Heather will be found, on the day at the Linen Cupboard at the end of the corridor. So why bother packing the sheets and pillowcases. Hire them from Heather. Save carrying the extra weight.

Sheets	\$2.00 each
Pillowcases	\$1.00 each
Bath Towels	\$1.50 each
Hand Towels	\$1.00 each

The committee would like donations of 'old Guide or Trefoil clothing' for the much loved treasured table, which will be held in the Coffee Lounge. If you have any memorabilia suitable for resale, we would be very grateful to help take it off your hands as this will go towards help funding the National Gathering in Canberra 2010.

When completing your application form for the Gathering please make a note if you require transport. Wendy Davidson will then advise your pick up points.

GONE HOME

Thora Cameron, Griffith T G passed away 17th August, aged 85 years. I realise it was 4 months ago, but I never received the information.

Carole Fox, Mosman T G suddenly passed away November 13, 2008, after a very short illness.

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Yvonne Davenport,
Macquarie-Parramatta T G
Passed away 18th November after a long
illness.

Betty Ridgeway, Berowra T G passed away
November 24, 2008

Our deepest sympathy to the families and
members. They will be sadly missed.



Seasons Greetings to all members and may we
all return in 2009 ready for another busy year.

June Conen
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I would like to take this opportunity in
thanking Mr Daryl Melham MP for the use of
his photocopying, folding equipment and the
paper on which these Newsletters are printed.