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Hello Oral History Queensland members, here is your first e-Bulletin for 2016. If you have information to share we would love to receive it. You can send information for the e-Bulletin to me at mulligan53@iinet.net.au and use OHQ E-Bulletin in the subject line. If you have an event coming up, let me know as soon as you can to ensure it gets in the e-Bulletin on time. The editor reserves the right not to publish if any information is judged to be inappropriate. Please visit our web site: www.ohq.org.au and "Like" our Facebook page. Also check our Blog which is updated weekly with stories related to oral history. Feel free to add a comment. Any feedback is very welcome.

Suzanne Mulligan

1. Tasmania Newsletter

For your information and interest you may see the Tasmania newsletter Real to Reel, December 2015 here. Please note, this newsletter will be removed from our website on 14 January 2016.

2. Oral History Australia 2016 Journal

Those of you who have received their 2015 Journal will note there is a call for papers on the last page of the Journal. Submission of peer-reviewed articles must be made by 28 February 2016. Other articles, project reports and book reviews must be submitted by 1 April. For full details click here.

3. Brisbane's Living Heritage Network E-Bulletin

OHQ is a member of BLHN. See their latest e-Bulletin here.

4. North Stradbroke Island Historical Museum

North Stradbroke Island Historical Museum is a member of OHQ. Here is a story which appeared in the State Library's Queensland Memory E-News (published with permission):

North Stradbroke Island Historical Museum uncovers the full story



Stradbroke 100: Remembering North Stradbroke Islanders overseas and at home began as a research project to learn more about the names listed on the Dunwich Hall World War One Honour Board which was donated to the community in 1917 by Thomas Welsby. There were 13 names listed but the community was aware not everyone's name was included. Through engagement with the Island's families, the sharing of oral stories, and broader research, it was revealed that at least 22 men with a connection to Stradbroke Island enlisted during the First World War, 14 of them Aboriginal.

The project was recognised for its outstanding community engagement at the recent <u>Gallery and Museum Achievement Awards</u> (GAMAA) and contributes to the understanding of North Stradbroke Island and its past. Discover the information and sources on the Museum's website.

Lisa Jackson, North Stradbroke Island Historical Museum

Image: North Stradbroke Island Historical Museum receives recognition for outstanding community engagement. L–R: Lisa Jackson, Elisabeth Gondwe, Aunty Evelyn Parkin and Geoff Moore attend the GAMAA award ceremony. Photograph by LeAnne Vincent.

5. Heritage Leaders Workshop

Creating a legacy

12 - 13 May 2016

State Library of Queensland is pleased to announce the second **Heritage Leaders Workshop on 12 and 13 May 2016** in conjunction with the 2016 Q *ANZAC 100 On the Homefront* Symposium on 10 and 11 May.

Mark the dates in your calendar and plan now to join your fellow Queensland heritage workers for the free two-day program of workshops that will explore capabilities, practical tips and skills and provide an opportunity to connect with fellow heritage professionals from the sector.

Museums & Galleries Queensland is proud to work with State Library of Queensland to provide individual bursaries of up to \$1,500 per applicant to enable regional heritage leaders to attend the workshops in Brisbane.

The **Heritage Leaders Workshop: Creating a legacy** will feature a dynamic keynote speaker and an intensive workshop program covering topics including:

- curating your First World War digital collections
- sharing your material and collections
- storytelling
- engaging your community with First World War material.

Applications close 5pm Friday 26 February 2016.

The Bursary Application Package will be available.

For more information contact M&G QLD on phone 1800 680 433 (freecall within Queensland) or 07 3215 0820, email information@magsq.com.au

Visit <u>Q ANZAC 100 events</u> online for updates on the upcoming program or <u>subscribe to the</u> Queensland Memory e-newsletter.

6. Call for Papers – From Boom to Bust

2016 Australian Historical Association Conference, *From Boom to Bust* - Call for Papers AHA 2016: *From Boom to Bust* is convened by the Collaborative Research Centre in Australian History (CRCAH) at Federation University Australia, Ballarat and will take place Tuesday 5 July to Friday 8 July 2016.

For more information visit <a href="http://federation.edu.au/research/research-areas/research-ar

Proposals are due by Wednesday 3 February 2016.

7. Churchill Fellowship

Opens: 28 February 2016. **Closes:** 15 May 2016

Purpose: To enable Australian citizens to travel overseas to conduct research in their chosen field that is not readily available in Australia. A benefit to Australia must be evident

and recipients willing to share their research findings on their return.

More information: https://www.churchilltrust.com.au/application-process/how-to-apply/

8. Winter School in Broome

Enjoy a unique Broome experience at the Goolarri Media Enterprises (GME) oral history winter school. Oral History Australia National Training Convenor and OHAA WA remote committee member Elaine Rabbitt has developed the oral history training package, drawn from the wealth of oral history teaching materials that are available in Australia and overseas. Read more details here.

9. Studs Terkel's Interviews

Terkel's interviews spanning 45 years are to be made accessible in a new project. Read more and listen to a Terkel interview <u>here</u>.

10. Interview with Transcriptionist

Transcriptionists are the unsung heroes of the oral history world, helping to make sure the incredible audio information stored in archives across the globe is accessible to the largest audience possible. To learn more about the work they do, this week we bring you an interview with freelance transcriptionist Teresa Bergen. Read article here.

We each need to make peace with our own memories. We have all done things that make us flinch. ~Surya Das