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Hello Oral History Queensland members. Here is your first e-Bulletin for 2023. I hope you've all been well and enjoying 2023 so far. We're having our first General Meeting on 18 February, immediately followed by an interesting presentation. More about that below.

If you have any information to share in our e-Bulletin, particularly the project you're working on, please email 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 in time. The editor reserves the right not to publish if any information that is judged to be inappropriate. Please visit our website: www.ohq.org.au and “**Like**” our **Facebook page**. We try to put some interesting information related to oral history on our Facebook page as well as on our Blog, including posts related to COVID-19. Feel free to add a comment. All feedback is very welcome.

Suzanne Mulligan

1. Research Reveals: 2021 Queensland Memory Fellow

Join the 2021 [Queensland Memory fellows](#) as they reveal their research finding, explore collections significant to their research, and meet the fellows along with other history and research enthusiasts. Find out more [here](#).

2. State Library of Queensland Collecting Oral Histories

State Library of Queensland is interested in receiving deposits of oral history collections that contain social history content from throughout Queensland. Assessment of potential donations is made by the Collection Building team at State Library and includes:

- Unique content that adds to the documentary record of Queensland History
- Sound quality
- Copyright / Access / Cultural Rights permissions provided by interviewees and interviewers
- Paragraph about the project, the interviews, dates and subject areas covered

If you are interested in possible deposit, please send an email to:

Catherine.Cottle@slq.qld.gov.au

3. Queensland Family History Society Has Moved

The Society has moved to new premises in Chermside. The QFHS Family History Research Centre opened in mid-January 2023 and they look forward to seeing you there.

Watch this website and Snippets for dates and hours of operation.

The new location:

[Family History Research Centre](#)

46 Delaware Street

Chermside

Please note: Chermside or Geebung? Mapping applications, such as Google Maps, and some SatNavs may show the suburb as Geebung. [Please read the suburb details here.](#)

The QFHS Library and Resource Centre, 58 Bellevue Avenue, Gaythorne is now closed.

The new premises is wheelchair accessible with a wheelchair toilet.

4. OHA Journal – Looking for section editors

Are you interested in contributing to our journal as an editor? The Editors and Chair of the Editorial Board of *Studies in Oral History*, the journal of Oral History Australia, are inviting expressions of interest for the positions of Reviews Editor and Reports Editor. If you are interested in either of these roles, please send an email to journal@oralhistoryaustralia.org.au by **14 February 2023** including:

a short biography (300 word limit), and
a paragraph explaining your interest in and suitability for the role(s).

Find out more [here](#).

5. Expressions of Interest – The Bloomsbury Oral History Handbook

Al Thomson has asked for this [Call for Expressions of Interest](#) to be circulated. This is a call for anyone interested in authoring a chapter for a book that he is co-editing.

The closing date is **15 February 2023**.

6. Oral History Network Ireland Annual Lecture 2022

Tomás Mac Conmara, 'Always in the Human Consciousness: Exploring the Memory of Ireland's Revolutionary Period'. Recorded at the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland on 1 December 2022.

Tomás Mac Conmara has been recording memories of the Irish revolutionary period across Ireland since he was a teenager. His work has focused on the human experience of the War of Independence and Civil War and how this was carried in the memory of some of Ireland's oldest citizens. This lecture will explore that memory and its meaning for us, a century on from the end of the Civil War, with unique audio samples from those who experienced the period and who deeply felt its legacy. Find this lecture, as well as lectures from previous years [here](#).

7. Oral History Queensland General Meeting

Our next General Meeting will be held at 10.00 am, Saturday 18 February 2023 at the Tiered Theatre, Brisbane Square Library, 266 George Street, Brisbane. The meeting will be followed at 11.00 am by a presentation from OHQ Member Pat Ryan and her colleague Pauline Peel "Where Do You Think You Are?" Find more information [here](#).

8. Oral History Basics Workshop

Oral History Queensland is conducting a Brisbane based workshop for people interested in commencing an oral history project. The workshop will be held on 25th March 2023 commencing at 9.30 am. Led by OHQ President Elisabeth Gondwe, the workshop will introduce participants to project planning, ethics and permissions, techniques used in interviewing, recording, file management and transcription. If you are interested in developing an oral history project or wish to record your family or community stories, this workshop is a great way to start. We particularly encourage new members to attend. Find more information [here](#).

9. The 10 Most Popular John Oxley Blogs 2022

With the end of 2022, we are taking a look back at our social media platforms to see what were the most popular posts from the year and explore the collections and stories associated. Here are the top [10 most viewed](#) John Oxley Library blogs posted in 2022.

Troy Keith, Collection Engagement

"I often say, 'You mightn't know your great-grandmother's story, but make sure your great-granddaughter knows yours!'" – Alana Johnson.