

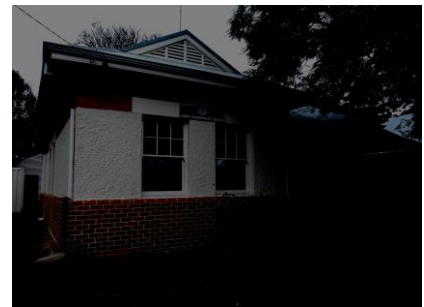
Swan Guildford Historical Society (Inc.)

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**Making History
Matter**

General Meeting

Mechanics Institute, Meadow Street, GUILDFORD

Monday 14th May 2018, 7 00 pm for 7 30 pm.

All welcome

Guest Speaker Dr. Bill Leadbetter

Bill Leadbetter is a distinguished historian, teacher and writer. Currently a Cathedral Scholar of St George's Cathedral and Adjunct Associate Professor in History at Notre Dame University. During the thirty years of his teaching career, Dr Leadbetter taught history at secondary and Tertiary levels, he was also a Senior Lecturer, in the School of Education at Edith Cowan University. He has worked as a speechwriter and senior policy adviser for WA Government. Bill is also the Treasurer of St George's Cathedral.



Presenting Rev Dr Luis Giustiniani

The Revd Louis Giustiniani was appointed a missionary to the Swan River Colony upon his arrival in July 1836.

The Reverend started a church at Woodbridge in Guildford and established the Middle Swan native mission.

How to get your man

Our Speaker last month, Lois Haime, gave our members and friends an insight through letters written by Henry De Burgh into life in the 1840's . Henry was handsome, desirable, a lawyer - a good catch. Ladies were swooning at his feet.

I thought it might be a ploy we single ladies, bereft of a good man, might try, your thoughts ladies? See Swan Guildford Historical Society Facebook page.

Vale Benjamin Barker

Benjamin (Ben) Barker, life member of the Swan Guildford Historical Society, recently passed. Ben was in his ninety sixth year. Ben's love, passion and pride for his town was second to none. 175th celebrations of the settlement of the Swan River Colony saw Ben and his wife Mercia, chosen as representatives of the town, a special honour which they appreciated, a highlight never forgotten.

RIP

Tourism Corner

Did you know that Guildford is one of the BEST attractions in the WEST? A National Trust listed town, rich with local history, now has an opportunity to be STATE HERITAGE LISTED, thanks to an over whelming response from the Guildford community.

Volunteer: *SGHS is currently in need an administrator, tour guides, media and marketing manager for more information please contact Celia M:0417713090.*

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