



# The Historical Society of South Australia

## A Complete List of Programmes 1974-1999

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The following is a complete list of all lectures, field trips, seminars, film and music evenings, dinners, conferences and other functions of the Historical Society of South Australia from 1974 to 1999.

### 1974

- Lectures:** Dr. Eric Richards: 'History from Below'  
Dr. J.M. Tregenza: 'Exploring the Great Depression in South Australia'  
Mr. R. Broomhill: 'The Use of Oral History in Studying the Depression in Adelaide'  
Mr. R.H. Parsons: 'The History of Hindmarsh'

### 1975

- Lectures:** March Mr. I. Harmstorf: 'The Germans in South Australian History'  
May Mrs. J. Chilman: 'The History of the Monarto Area'  
Mr. C. Sibly: 'The Rise and Fall of a Colonial Port --- Port Elliot 1848-1864'  
June Seminar: 'Rescuing History' (Opening address by Gov. Sir Mark Oliphant)  
July Film Night: 'Adelaide in the 1920s' (Mr. Vic Reeves)  
August Mr. M. Davies: 'Some Aspects of Mining in 19<sup>th</sup> Century South Australia'  
Mr. Colin George: Slide-presentation on the history of Burra.  
September Mrs. L. Williams: 'Pastoralists and their Estates in the Mid-North in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century'  
November Mr. D. Manuel: 'South Australian Journalism in the Mid-19<sup>th</sup> Century'
- Field Trips:** April Gawler-Wasleys-Kapunda (Dr. M. Williams)  
October 'Anlaby' (Mr. G. Dutton) and the Barossa Valley (Mr. I. Harmstorf)

### 1976

- Lectures:** February Mr. John Lonie: 'Conservatism in South Australia during the Depression'  
March Dr. Don Hopgood: 'Women and Children First --- Sex and Sexism in S.A. Politics in the 1920s'  
April Mr. Colin Thiele: 'Hans Heysen'  
May Mr. Ian Badger: 'Australian Horse-drawn Vehicles'  
June Mrs. E. M. Borrow: 'Robert Rowland Leake, The Baron of the Frontiers'  
July Mrs. Helen Jones: 'Women's Occupations and Sweated Labour --- S. A. 1890-1906'  
August Film Evening: 'Adelaide in Motion 1916-1966'  
September Mr. Steve Dyer: 'Back to the Land: the Unemployed and Land Settlement in the 1930s'  
October Mrs. Nancy Robinson: 'Reluctant Harbour --- Port Pirie 1845-1925'  
November Mrs. Elizabeth Warburton: 'Old Stradbroke'
- Field Trips:** April Scott's Creek and Echunga (Mr. Royce Wells) and Kanmantoo/Preamimma (Mrs. Joy Chilman)  
July Steam train tour to Kapunda  
October Strathalbyn, Goolwa and Port Elliot (Mr. A. Stimson, Miss K. Williats)  
November Five historic churches in Adelaide and nearby (Dr. Arnold Hunt, Salisbury C.A.E.)

### 1977

- Lectures:** February Miss V. A. Hankel: 'The Rare Books of the State Library of South Australia'  
March Ms. M. Allen: 'The Old and the New in Salisbury in the Second World War'  
April Dr. D. Whitelock: 'Adelaide's History --- A Sense of Difference'  
May Dr. J.M. Tregenza and Mr. P. Payton --- A Cornish Evening  
June Mr. G. Loughlin: 'Paris Nesbit, Q.C.'  
July Dr. D. Jaensch: 'From Factions to Political Parties, South Australia 1890-1912'  
August Dr. P. A. Howell: 'Varieties of Vice-Regal Life in South Australia'  
September Dr. G.C. Scroop: 'An Evening with the Magic Lantern'  
October Mr. W.R. Crocker: 'University Life in Adelaide in the 1920s'  
November Mrs. S. Brugger: 'Australian Troops in Egypt in World War I: An Egyptian View'
- Field Trips:** March Rostrevor Hall and The Acacias (Mr. P. Moore)  
June Barossa Goldfield (Mr. R. Wells)  
September Five Early Catholic Churches of Adelaide (Mr. B. Andrews)  
(n.d.) Walking tour of North Adelaide

### 1978

- Lectures:** February Miss V. A. Hankel: 'Oenotypophily --- South Australian Wine Books and Wine Labels'.  
March Mr. S. MacDonald: 'Across Australia by Car, 1923 --- Captain S. A. White's Lantern Slides'  
April Mr. R. M. Gibbs: 'The Real Poseidon: South Australians and the Golden Mile in the 1890s'  
May Film Evening --- historic films relating to South Australia  
June Dr. J. C. Radcliffe: 'From Horse Trams Onwards --- A Centenary of Adelaide's Public Transport'

July	Seminar: 'The Study and Writing of Local History' (led by Professor Weston Bate)
August	A Scottish Evening -- addresses by Mr. R. A. Layton and Professor Eric Richards
September	Miss A. M. Dolling: 'Patterns of Pioneering --- with particular reference to Marion'
October	Mr. Bill Gammage: 'Australia's Boundaries'
November	Mrs. V. Lillington: 'The Footfall on the Bridge --- Lunacy in South Australia 1836-1856' (with a tour of Glenside Hospital)

<b>Field Trips:</b>	April	Port Pirie
	June	Kensington and Magill
	August	Martindale Hall

### 1979

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Dr. J.A. Daly: 'Play and Display – A Study of the Sporting Behaviour of a Colonial Upper Class'
	March	Mr. D.A. Cumming: 'Our Engineering Heritage in South Australia'
	April	Mr. R. Nicol: 'Grave History --- An Introduction to the Importance of Colonial Cemeteries'
	May	Dr. R. Jennings: 'Some Historically Insoluble Railway Problems in South Australia'
	June	Mr. J.L. Moss: 'Early Days of the Labour Movement in South Australia'
	July	Mr. David Dolan: 'Alfred Sells, 1823-1908 --- An English Artist in South Australia'
	July	Mrs. E. Warburton: 'Mrs. Ellen Debney'
		Ms. S. Marsden: 'Adelaide Miethke'
		Prof. E. Richards: 'The Fall and Rise of the Solomon brothers'
	August	Mr. G. Jenkin: 'The Narrinyeri in Modern Times'
	September	Mrs. E. Millburn: 'The Social Structure of Clare in the Mid-19 <sup>th</sup> Century --- from Conflict to Co-operation'
	October	Mr. G.H. Brooks: 'Early Motoring in South Australia'
	November	Mrs. P. Oborn: 'The Village of Mitcham'
	December	Dr. John Radcliffe: 'Public Transport to Glenelg'
		Mr. R. M. Gibbs: 'J.D. Stone's Glenelg Paintings, and What Really Happened on the First Proclamation Day'
		Mr. B.J. Samuels: 'South Australia's First Sea-side Resorts'

<b>Field Trips:</b>	April	Strathalbyn and Bleasdale Winery (Mrs. Elizabeth Ho)
	June	Largs Bay and Port Adelaide (Mr. Brian Samuels)
	October	St. Peter's College (Mr. Robert Fisher)

### 1980

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Mr. Peter Moore: 'Col. Robert Torrens and the Irish influence on South Australia's origins'
	March	Mr. Ralph Harry: 'Sir Frederick Holder, Premier of South Australia'
	April	Dr. Peter Howell: 'Heroes or scoundrels? A reappraisal of some notable South Australians'
	May	Professor Frank Crowley: 'John Forrest, explorer and statesman'
	June	Mr. Hugh Stretton: 'Urban Adelaide under Labor Government, 1965-79'
	July	Mr. Max Wearing: 'Early Drama in South Australia'
	August	Mr. Donald Langmead: 'Sir George Strickland Kingston and the Adelaide Gaol'
	September	Mr. Vic Reeves: An evening of rare, early films, including a number on S.A. events and places
	October	Seminar at Flinders University: 'Society, the law and the poor in South Australia' (Brian Dickey, Sue Horan, John Cashen, Robert Clyne)
	November	Dr. Carl Bridge: 'R.G. Casey's contribution to Australian foreign policy in the war years'
	December	An evening in the Torrens Valley

<b>Field Trips:</b>	July	S.A. Archives (Mr. John Love and Ms. Colleen McEwan)
	August	Constitutional Museum (Dr. Peter Cahalan)
	October	Brompton Gas Works (Mr. Graham Maloney)
	November	Mines of Magill, Glen Osmond and Callington (Mr. Royce Wells)

### 1981

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Dr. John Tregenza: 'The Visual Dimension of History: Compiling the Historical Pictures Index'
	March	Mr. Guy Tunstall and Mr. Ian Knowles: 'History as Presented through Aboriginal Music from Pre-White Contact to 1981'
	April	Mr. Brian Reader: 'Social and Regimental Dress in the Victorian Era'
	May	Mr. Ian Davey: 'Growing up in Hindmarsh at the Turn of the Century'
	June	Ms. Christobel Mattingley: 'Time and Place: An Author's Ingredients'
	July	Ms. Sue Marsden: 'Oral History: New Dimensions in History'
	August	Dr. Arnold Hunt: 'The Bible Christians in South Australia'
	September	Three Reports: Dr. John Tregenza: 'The Historical Publications Committee'
		Dr. Peter Howell: 'The Jubilee 150 Board'
		Dr. Peter Cahalan: 'The History Trust'
	October	Mr. Garry Le Duff: 'The History of the Institute Movement in S.A., 1836-1890'
	November	Professor Angus Sinclair: 'The City in Australian History: Melbourne and Adelaide compared'
	December	Mrs. Elizabeth Warburton: 'Brothers by Chance' --- with a twilight walk around Burnside

<b>Field Trips:</b>	January	Picnic lunch and tour of Botanic Gardens
	February	Cummins and Paringa Hall (Dr. Peter Howell)
	May	Hallett Cove Conservation Park (Ms. Maud McBriar)
	October	Lobethal and the Golden Hill Mines (Annely Aeuckens, Gordon Young, Royce Wells)

**1982**

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Members Night: Six Society members reported on topics currently being researched.
	March	Mr. Gordon Young: 'A Comparison Between an Early English Settlement and a German Settlement in S.A.'
	April	Dr. Peter Edwards: 'Dr. Walter Henderson -- A Sth. Australian in Charge of an Aust. Foreign Office, 1924-30'.
	May	Mr. Colin Thiele: 'A Country Community in the 1920s'
	June	Mr. Michael Page: 'Muscle and Pluck Forever --- The South Australian Fire Brigade, 1840-1982'
	July	Mr. David Dallwitz: 'From Ragtime to Jazz --- An Evening of Music and History'
	August	Dr. Wray Vamplew: 'Horse Racing in South Australia --- The First 75 Years'
	September	Seminar at Flinders University: 'Religious History in South Australia'
	October	Mr. Donald Johnson: 'Some Notes on South Australian Vernacular Architecture'
	November	An Evening with the Mount Lofty Districts Historical Society
	December	A Tour of the Art Gallery of South Australia

**Field Trips & Events**

February	Belair National Park and Old Government House
April	South Australia's historic Lower North (Maggie Ragless)
July	Hebrew Synagogue Lutheran Publishing House
October	Piano Recital (Joint meeting with the Australian Society for Keyboard Music)
November	Historic churches (Dr. Arnold Hunt)

**1983**

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Mr. W.E. Jeffery: 'Historic Shipwrecks in South Australian waters'
	March	Dr. Carl Bridge: 'History of the State Library of South Australia'
	April	Ms. Margaret Anderson: 'The Proposed Migration Museum of the History Trust of S.A.'
	May	Dr. John Playford: 'Charles Cameron Kingston --- "The Most Quarrelsome Man Alive"'
	June	Music Evening presented by the Centre for Aboriginal Studies of Music
	July	Dr. Norman Etherington: 'The 1887 Jubilee Exhibition' Mr. Kym Bonython: 'The 1986 Jubilee 150 Celebrations'
	August	Mr. R.D. Cheesman: 'Conventional Wisdom and Light's Adelaide'
	September	Dr. Garry Scroop: 'The History of the Phonograph'
	November	Professor David Saunders: 'Heritage -- The Historian, the Architect and Others'
	December	Mr. R.W. Linn: 'The Mentality of South Australian Pastoralists --- Pitfalls and Windfalls' Mr. I. A. Harmstorf: 'The People That Time Forgot --- German Settlement in Australia before 1918'

**Field Trips & Events:**

January	Fort Glanville
March	Fleurieu Peninsula
June	Greek and Russian Orthodox churches
October	Seminar: 'The Visual and Lively Arts in South Australia' (with Flinders University Hist. Dept.)

**1984**

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Mr. Graeme Pretty: 'Australian History at Roonka'
	March	Ms. Anne Geddes: 'The History of Women in South Australia --- A Justification of the Enterprise'
	April	Mr. G.L. Fischer: 'The South Australian Archives and Three Men'
	May	Professor Alex Castles: 'The Place of Law in Australian History'
	June	Members' Night
	July	Professor Eric Richards: 'South Australia's Immigrants 1836-1986'
	August	Mr. Stewart Cockburn: 'Nomenclature of South Australia'
	September	Rev. Dirk van Dissel: 'The Adelaide Gentry 1850-1920'
	October	Mr. Bill Stacy: 'History of Roads and Bridges in South Australia'
	November	Mr. Vic Reeves: 'Early South Australian Films'
	December	Dr. Peter Cahalan: 'The Place of History in South Australia Today'

**Field Trips:**

January	Marble Hill
April	Tour of Adelaide's West End (Mr. Ron Gibbs)
September	Adelaide Court Buildings (Mr. J. Garsden & Ms. Gehan)

**1985**

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	The Hon. Clyde Cameron: 'The Labour Movement in South Australia'
	March	Dr. Bruce Shaw: 'I Just Wanta Tell You'
	April	Dr. Kevin Fewster: 'Chanakkale --- The Turkish View of Gallipoli'
	May	Dr. Tony Stimson: 'The River Trade and Goolwa'
	June	Members' Night: 'My Grandmother Had One of Those'
	July	Mr. Robert Nicol: 'Final Pageant --- The South Australian Way of Death'
	August	Mr. Max Fatchen: 'Childhood Days on the Adelaide Plains'

September Ms. Patricia Sumerling: 'The Darker Side of Motherhood'  
 October Ms. Claudia Quinn-Young: 'Writers on South Australia'  
 November Mr. Noris Ioannou: 'From Folk to Studio Pottery --- 150 Years of Ceramic History in S.A.'

**Field Trips:** February The Acacias, Marrayatville (Mr. Geoff Haimes & Mr. Robert Nicol)  
 April West Terrace Cemetery (Mr. Robert Nicol)  
 June Parliament House (Ms. Barbara Wiese & Mr. John Trainer)  
 August Treasury Building  
 October Adelaide's East End (Mr. Ron Gibbs)

### 1986

**Lectures:** February Mr. Bernard O'Neil: 'Johannes Menge, Father of South Australian Mineralogy'  
 March Mr. Brian Samuels: 'Exploring Port Adelaide'  
 April Mr. R.C. DeGaris: 'Playford to Bannockburn --- Seven Premiers'  
 May Dr. John Jenkin: 'The Bragg Family in Adelaide --- A Brief Pictorial Account'  
 June Mr. John Bannockburn: 'A Personal Account of the Adelaide Parklands'  
 July Dr. Ian Forbes: 'The Treatment of the Sick in South Australia, 1837-1900'  
 August Mr. Ron Danvers: 'Restoring Adelaide's Public Building Interiors'  
 September Ms. Diuwke Jessop: 'The History of Cycling in South Australia'  
 October Mr. Robert Clyne: 'South Australia's Police History'  
 November Dr. Arnold Hunt: 'This Side of Heaven --- The Story of Methodism in South Australia'

**Field Trips:** March Historic precinct of Port Adelaide (Mr. Brian Samuels & Dr. Kevin Fewster)  
 June Parkin House and piano collection (Mr. Robert Nicol & Mr. Karl Schenscher)  
 August Destitute Aylum (Mr. Ron Danvers)  
 November Hill River Station, Clare (Mr. Hamish Angas & Ms. Patricia Sumerling)

### 1987

**Lectures:** February Mrs. Helen Tolcher: 'Rogues and Heroes --- Policing the Cooper 1874-1952'  
 March Mr. Martin Cameron: 'A New Outlook on Burke and Wills and South Australia's John McKinlay'  
 April Members' Night  
 May Mr. John Daly: 'The Adelaide Hunt'  
 June Mr. Nigel Hart & Mr. Bernard Whimpress: 'The Sacred Turf: Anglo-Australian Approaches to Test Cricket at Adelaide'  
 July Mrs. Philippa Fletcher: 'The Working Women's Champion --- Agnes Milne, Factory Inspector'  
 August Dr. Peter Howell: 'Further Varieties of Vice-Regal Life'  
 September Dr. Brian Dickey: 'Holy Trinity --- Church and Congregation 1836-1868'  
 October Dr. David Hilliard: 'Godliness and Good Order --- The Anglican Church in South Australia'  
 November Mr. Robert Martin: 'Life at the Top --- The Mansions of Mount Lofty'

**Field Trips & Events:** April Mitcham Village and the Barr Smith Theatre (Ms. Pam Oborn)  
 May Adelaide Oval  
 July University of Adelaide  
 October Kent Town (Mr. Ron Gibbs)  
 Seminar: South Australia in World War II (Dr. Brian Crozier)  
 November Mount Lofty (Mr. Robert Martin)

### 1988

**Lectures:** February Jim Daly: 'Decisions and Disasters --- The Alienation of Adelaide's Parklands'  
 March Bill Stacy: 'Conserving History --- The Pichi Richi Railway as an Operating Museum'  
 April Susan Marsden: 'South Australia's History: What Lies Ahead?'  
 May Dr. Brian Morley: 'The Botanic Gardens of Adelaide: An Illustrated History'  
 June Philip Jones: 'Anthropologists in the History of South Australia'  
 July Valmai Hankel: 'Treasures of the State Library'  
 August Dr. Leith MacGillivray: 'Paradise Found: The South-East Squattocracy 1840-1870'  
 September Judith Raftery: 'Betting Shops, Soup Kitchens and Well Kept Sundays: Churches and Social Issues in S.A., 1919-1939'  
 October Barbara Wiese: 'The Politics of Heritage'  
 November Pam Oborn and Ken Preiss: 'Torrens Park --- A Social and Architectural History'

**Field Trips & Events:** March Adelaide Hills --- 'In the Steps of Eugene von Gerard' (Dr. John Tregenza)  
 June Kapunda and District  
 August Adelaide Gaol  
 October State History Conference: 'The Politics of Heritage' (with History Trust of S.A.)  
 November 'In the Steps of Eugene von Gerard' Part II (Dr. John Tregenza)

### 1989

**Lectures:** February Vic Reeves: 'The Film History of the Early Days of South Australia'  
 March Dr. J.C. Radcliffe: 'The Electric Shock --- 80 Years of Adelaide's Electric Trams'  
 April Dr. Derek Whitelock: 'Colonel Light's Country Town --- Gawler and District'

May	Dr. F. Jacka: 'Mawson's Antarctic Expeditions'
June	Elizabeth Ho: 'Culture and Preservation: Challenges for the Mortlock Library of South Australia'
July	Members' Night
August	Margaret Allen: 'Matilda Jane Evans --- South Australian Writer'
September	Jim Faull: 'Life on the Edge --- Settling the Far West Coast of South Australia'
October	Ron Gibbs: 'A Colony in Crisis: South Australia 1886-1887'
November	John Porter: 'A Brief History of Surveying in South Australia'

<b>Field Trips:</b>	March	Australian Electric Transport Museum, St. Kilda
	June	Mortlock Library
	August	Hindmarsh (Robert Nicol and Susan Marsden)
	November	Tracing the explorations of Captain Collet Barker in the Adelaide Hills (with RGSSA)

### 1990

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Paul Depasquale: 'Hidden History: Attitudes and Values in South Australian Fiction'
	March	Justin McCarthy: Historical Archaeology and the Queen's Theatre Site'
	April	Don Dunstan: 'The Battle for One Vote One Value in South Australia'
	May	Jo Peoples: 'Miss Patricia Hackett and the Torch Theatre'
	June	Dr. Reg Sprigg: 'The History of Geological Exploration in South Australia, 1890-1950'
	July	Sr. Margaret Press: 'John Henry Norton --- The Bishop of Railways'
	August	Paul Stark: 'Historic House Presentation --- Contrasting Interpretations'
	September	Hamish Angas: 'Rural Heritage'
	October	Patricia Sumerling: 'The Folks that Live on the Hill --- Early North Adelaide'
	November	Sr. Mary Foale: 'The Josephite Story'

<b>Field Trips &amp; Events:</b>	February	Bungaree Station, Clare
	May	Performing Arts Collection
	June	Inaugural HSSA Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Dr. Alex Castles: 'The Early History of Hobart'
	October	Walking tour of North Adelaide State History Conference (with History Trust)

### 1991

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Hans Mincham: 'Experiences and Historical Reflections of a Life-long Naturalist'
	March	Peter Donovan, Susan Marsden & Viv Szekeres: 'Public History in S.A.: Commissioned Histories, Heritage Surveys and Museum Work'
	April	David Mulhallen: 'Australian Folklife'
	May	Greg Drew: 'The Glen Osmond Mines'
	June	Trevor Nottle: 'The Garden Heritage of South Australia'
	July	Dr. Harry Penny: 'Schooling in the 1920s: Some Valuable Changes'
	August	Dr. Peter Morton: 'Designing the City: Building, Planning and Housing Reform, 1878-1928'
	September	Dr. Bill Gammage: 'Researching and Writing Local History: Narrandera Shire'
	October	Dylan Walker: 'Adelaide's Silent Nights --- Silent Picture Houses'
	November	Stewart Cockburn: 'Playford --- Political Enigma'

<b>Field Trips &amp; Events:</b>	May	Burnside Mines
	July	Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Hon. Mr. Justice Zelling: 'The Early History of the Supreme Court of South Australia'
	October	Capri Cinema

### 1992

<b>Lectures:</b>	February	Pauline Payne: 'This Fairy Palace: The Old Palm House at Adelaide Botanic Gardens'
	March	Dr. Harry Penny: 'The Place of History in the Education of Humans'
	April	Susan Marsden: 'Public History in the USA: An Illustrated Lecture'
	May	Dr. Garry Scroop: 'Introducing the Magic Lantern'
	June	Dr. P.W. Allen: 'A Sherlock Holmes Approach to Dr. Watson: An Entertaining Account of Adelaide's Professor Archibald Watson' (with HSIT)
	July	Denise Schumann: 'A Tale of Two Cultures: Excerpts from the State Bank Oral History Project'
	August	Dylan Walker: 'Cinema in South Australia 1896-1929: Complete with Early Silent Films, Newsreels and Music!'
	September	Dr. Peter Howell: 'The Adelaide College of Music and its Founder'
	October	Julie-Ann Ellis: 'Legitimising a Defacto Relationship: The South Australian Travelling Stock Routes'
	November	Dr. Michael Talbot: 'South Australia's Institutes'

<b>Field Trips &amp; Events:</b>	February	Adelaide Botanic Gardens (Pauline Payne)
	May	Conference: 'Sport in South Australia' (with Migration Museum)
	August	North Road C. of E. Cemetery (Dr. Robert Nicol)
	September	Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Stewart Cockburn: 'Looking Back with a Light Heart'
	October	Salisbury District

**1993**

- Lectures:** February Dr. Peter Bell: 'South Australia's Mining Heritage --- the Strange Case of the Worthing Mine'  
 March Prof. G.J. Fraenkel: 'Hugh Cairns, South Australian Rhodes Scholar, and Lawrence of Arabia, Protector of Motor Cyclists'  
 April Alison Dolling: 'A Life with South Australian History'  
 May June Donovan: 'I Fancy Nancy: Dame Nancy Buttfield'  
 June Graham Jenkin: 'The Poet as Historian'  
 July Dr. Desmond O'Connor: 'Viva il Duce: The Influence of Fascism on Italians in South Australia in the 1920s and '30s'  
 August Dr. Susan Magarey: 'Women in South Australia's History'  
 September John Wood: 'Footy Takes to the Air'  
 October Tom Gara: 'From the Ice Age to the Atomic Age: Human Occupation of the Nullarbor'  
 November Lesley Abell: 'Travel in Haste, Resort at Leisure: Off Duty in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century'
- Field Trips:** March East Torrens  
 June In Search of the Boys in Blue (Police Historical Association)  
 September Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Janine Haines: 'The Woman's Place in History'  
 October Adelaide's Public Houses (Patricia Sumerling)

**1994**

- Lectures:** February Bernard Whimpress: 'W.G. Grace in Kadina: Champion Cricketer or Scoundrel'  
 March Valmai Hankel: 'Oenography: Words on Wine in the State Library'  
 April Joan Durdin: 'Some Pioneers in the Nursing Profession in South Australia'  
 May Frank McDonnell: 'The Social Impact of Railways in South Australia'  
 June Members' Night  
 July Dr. Pauline Payne: 'Some Reflections on the Life of our German Women Pioneers'  
 August Kenneth Peake-Jones: 'The Branch Without a Tree: the Royal Geographical Society of Australasia, S.A. Branch, 1885-1994'  
 October Beth Robertson: 'Orphaned in South Australia: Oral Histories about growing up at Goodwood Orphanage and being Barwell Boys'  
 November Dennis Harrison: 'The Romance of the Road'
- Field Trips & Events:** March Springton Heritage Tour  
 June St. Peter's Cathedral  
 September Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Professor Geoffrey Bolton: 'A Sense of Place' (in conjunction with State History Conference)  
 October Urrbrae House

**1995**

- Lectures:** February Paul Depasquale: 'An Italo-Australian View of the Australian Character'  
 March Assoc. Prof. Donald Langmead: 'Accidental Architect: the Life and Times of George Strickland Kingston'  
 April Philip Knight: 'Colonel Light Gardens: Its Early Development'  
 May Patricia Sumerling: 'Walter Watson Hughes and the Moonta and Wallaroo Mines'  
 June Dr. Noris Ioannou: 'The Barossa Folk: German Furniture and Craft Traditions in Australia'  
 July Dr. G. Bishop: 'The Toilers in the Hills: the People, Myths and Hard Work that made East Torrens'  
 August Simon Royal: 'History and the Media'  
 September Kath Crilly: 'Buried Treasure: Opal Mining in South Australia'  
 October Christopher Menz: 'Morris and Co. in Adelaide'  
 November Susan Lawrence: 'Out of Sight, Out of Mind: the Archaeology of South Australia'
- Field Trips & Events:** February Twilight tour of the Adelaide Zoo  
 September Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Justice Catherine Branston: "100 Years of Female Suffrage in South Australia"  
 October Twilight tour of Artlab  
 November Tour of Queen's Theatre site (Justin McCarthy)

**1996**

- Lectures:** February Sally-Anne Nicholson: 'The Emerging Sphere of Private Hospital Nurses'  
 March Dr. Peter Howell: 'Playford, Politics and Parliament'  
 April Yvonne Reynolds: 'Saucy Sarah, Rarely Sober --- Sarah Francisco (1839-1916)'  
 May Rosemary Mitchell: 'The Folk of North Terrace'  
 June Colin Harris: 'Beyond Goyder's Line --- History of the S.A. Pastoral Country'  
 July Enid Robertson: 'Wittunga Garden --- From a Family Point of View'  
 August Hon. John Bannon: 'The Crucial Colony'  
 September Tony Brooks: 'Catherine Helen Spence --- the Forgotten Woman'  
 October Peter Brune: 'Papua, 1942'  
 November Nick Ganzis: 'Greeks in South Australia'

- Field Trips & Events:** April Kapunda and District  
 June Gawler and 'Para Para' (Yvonne Chamberlain)  
 August Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Max Fatchen  
 October Adelaide Oval and the SACA Museum
- 1997**
- Lectures:** February Patricia Sumerling: 'South Australian Pubs'  
 March Peter Heysen: 'Preservation of the Home and Works of the Heysens'  
 April Barry Rowney: 'Furniture or Fittings: Pipe Organs in South Australia'  
 May Christine Finnimore: 'The Art of Selling Land'  
 June Peter Morton: 'Woomera: What was it all about?'  
 July Terry Arnott: '*Clan Ranald* 1900-1909: The Turret Steamer'  
 August Brian Dickey: 'Legacy in South Australia'  
 September Dylan Walker: 'Film Censorship in South Australia'  
 October Peter Donovan & Bernie O'Neil: 'Chalk and Cheese: Sacred Heart College 1897-1997'  
 November Margaret Kleinig: 'She Keeps the Silver in Excellent Order'
- Field Trips:** March Hahndorf and 'The Cedars'  
 May Quiz Night  
 July Adelaide's East End (Patricia Sumerling)  
 August Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Warren Bonython: 'Unravelling the Secrets of Arkaroo and Curdimurka'  
 October Mitcham Village (Maggie Ragless)
- 1998**
- Lectures:** February Dr. Noris Ioannou: 'Barossa Journeys: Delving into the Cultural Landscape'  
 March Brian Andrews: 'Solemn Chancels and Cross Crowned Spires'  
 April Robin Coles: 'History and Art of the Peramangk People of the Mt. Lofty Ranges'  
 May Ann Geddes: 'Classical Adelaide'  
 June Maggie Ragless: 'Adventures of a Local History Officer'  
 July John Chittleborough: 'Toys for Boys: the Dilemmas of the National Motor Museum'  
 August Ron White: 'The Mantle of Safety --- a Celebration of 70 Years of the Royal Flying Doctor Service'  
 September Patricia Sumerling: 'Armchair Pub Crawl: A History of Pubs in South Australia'  
 October Peter Moore: 'Colonel Robert Torrens'  
 November Dr. Pauline Payne: 'Thebarton, Old and New'
- Field Trips & Events:** March Rock Art of the Peramangk People (Robin Coles)  
 July Walk around Colonel Light Gardens (Christine Garnaut)  
 August Annual Dinner --- Speaker: Bob Lewis: 'Two Ancestors: James and John Lewis'  
 October Pubs of Kensington and Norwood (Patricia Sumerling)  
 November Glenelg (Dr. Simon Cameron)
- 1999**
- Lectures:** February Dr. John Tregenza, Assoc. Prof. Peter Howell, Brian Samuels and Ron Gibbs: 'Celebrating 25 Years of History in the Community'  
 March Richard Phillips: 'A Celebration of Silver in South Australia'  
 April Dr. Robert Nicol: 'That Old Heathen: the Extraordinary Life and Travels of Wilton Hack'  
 May Michelle Cunningham: 'My Dad in a Borneo Prisoner-of-War Camp at Sandakan and Kuching'  
 June Dr. John Daly: 'Femina Ludens: Women in South Australian Sport'  
 July Anne Herraman: 'Irish Girls Defend their Honour and their Rights!'  
 August Dr. Judith Raftery: 'Saving S.A.'s Babies --- the Mothers and Babies Health Association'  
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 November Dr. Leith MacGillivray: 'The Worthy Sisterhood --- the founding mothers of 1836'
- Field Trips & Events:** March Poltalloch Station, Lake Alexandrina  
 April Darroch House  
 June Silent Witnesses --- the statues of Adelaide (Dr. Simon Cameron)  
 July Quiz Night  
 Sunnybrae Farm, Regency Park  
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 October Lenswood, Balhannah and Wicks Museum and car collection (Dr. Geoffrey Bishop)

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