



ORDER OF AUSTRALIA ASSOCIATION

SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATION UPDATE

A.G.M Brisbane – Saturday April 22, 2017

Final preparations are now being completed for this A.G.M at the Pullman Hotel, Brisbane. The audited financial report will be available shortly including the Foundations annual reports. Brian O’Keefe continues to undertake outstanding efforts with his senior Board members within the Foundation

Senator The Hon. James McGrath MP – Assistant Minister to the Prime Minister.

You will be aware that the Senator is part of the Council for the Order of Australia. At a recent meeting in Sydney, the Senator noted the progress to member applications for the Award in the Order of Australia and he broadly discussed the programmes across the States and Territories.

Hon. Shane Stone AC -National Conference

We are pleased to see the concluded arrangements for Hon Shane Stone AC to present at this Conference. He is passionate about supporting the increase of membership and will discuss same following the A.G.M. Many will remember his outstanding contributions at the National Conference held in Darwin.

“The Order” Your National Magazine

We are grateful to see the range of positive feedback to “The Order” as well as constructive changes for future editions.

As Editor-Colleen Wardell is keen to receive ongoing articles especially for rural, regional, and outback areas where our members reside. She is keen to see notations regarding the successful contributions of Secretaries and Treasurers in all States and Territories.

Best regards


W.R. Galvin OAM
National Chairman

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