

The Order of Australia Association, South Australia Branch Patron: Her Excellency the Honourable Frances Adamson AC, Governor of South Australia

SA BRANCH NEWSLETTER, October 2023

Our Student Citizenship Awards Assessment and Selection Panel has met, and has selected the Top 10 nominees plus a further 29 students who will receive a certificate and medallion, 20 of whom have been rated as 'Highly Commended'. The certificates have been printed and have been presented to Her Excellency for signature.

This month we are having our final fellowship luncheon for the year, with guest speaker Mr David Linn OAM, talking on children, literacy and Lesotho.

The Yorke Peninsula Regional Group is holding its meeting this month, and the Fleurieu Group will hold its meeting at the beginning of November.

All of our members are invited to attend our New Recipients' Reception at Payneham Library in Felixstow on Monday 9 October, to welcome a large number of recipients from the 2023 King's Birthday Honours List. Associate Professor Tony Phillips AM has kindly agreed to be our Guest Speaker.

I remind you that we will hold our annual Christmas Morning Tea at the Goodwood Community Centre on Friday 1 December. There is no cost, and we will hear an interesting talk by Mrs Anne Bachmann OAM JP on the topic, "Making our courts and prisons kinder". Anne was appointed Special Advisor to the Adelaide Women's Prison in 2013, but had previously served as a volunteer mentor since 1987.

Reply Forms are attached for these events, and also this month's Adelaide Sailing Club visit.

An Order of Australia Association brochure has been developed by the Branch and has been included in the information folder received by all new recipients, with the approval of Her Excellency.

Tony Metcalf OAM SA Branch Chair

REMINDER



ADELAIDE SAILING CLUB

ADELAIDE SAILING CLUB TOUR Saturday 21 October 2023

We have arranged a guided tour and historical presentation, including a talk on the history of the Adelaide Sailing Club, Glenelg Sailing Club and Holdfast Bay Yacht Club.

Pre-payment is required: the cost is \$15 per person, which includes a welcome drink and nibbles. The tour will be followed by lunch in the restaurant 'Oceanique' (at your expense) with great views.

A Reply Form is attached, and is available online.

You may wish to adopt a theme of red, white and blue for the event. Medals are not required.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday 9 October: New Recipients' Reception

Saturday 21 October: Guided talk & history presentation, Adelaide Sailing Club, West Beach

Sunday 22 October: Yorke Peninsula Regional Group luncheon meeting in Ardrossan

Thursday 26 October: Honours recipients' fellowship luncheon, with speaker Mr David Linn OAM

Friday 3 November: Fleurieu Regional Group luncheon meeting

Friday 1 December: SA Branch Christmas Morning Tea at Goodwood Community Centre



MALAYA & BORNEO VETERANS DAY SERVICE South Australia, Friday 11 August 2023

For the 2023 Malaya & Borneo Veterans Day service of commemoration in Adelaide, Her Excellency the Honourable Frances Adamson AC, Governor of South Australia and Mr Rod Bunten were guests of honour and placed the first tribute. They were pleased to meet again with veterans, spouses, widows and family members.

Her Excellency is Branch Patron of the SA & NT Branch of the National Malaya & Borneo Veterans Association Australia Inc, who conducted this service in the West Torrens War Memorial Gardens.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Spencer OAM RFD (ret'd) placed a tribute on behalf of the National Servicemen's Association in honour of the fallen. Other Order of Australia recipients in attendance were Group-Captain Robert Black AM RFD (ret'd), Lieutenant-Colonel Bill Denny AM BM (ret'd) and Mrs Jenny Macintosh OAM.



SA Branch member Jenny Macintosh OAM placed a tribute in memory of her late husband, Wing-Commander Bob Macintosh AFC OAM.



Major Paul Rosenzweig OAM (ret'd), President of the SA/NT Branch of the National Malaya & Borneo Veterans Association Australia Inc, hosted the ceremony.



Members of the SA/NT Branch NMBVAA party following the ceremony in the Sarawak Heroes Memorial Park in Kuching with a contingent from the 1st Battalion, The Royal Gurkha Rifles and British Forces Brunei.

MALAYA & BORNEO VETERANS DAY SERVICE Sarawak, Monday 28 August 2023

The SA & NT Branch of the National Malaya & Borneo Veterans Association Australia Inc conducted a special Malaya & Borneo Veterans Day service of commemoration in Kuching, Sarawak in Malaysia to mark the 57th anniversary of the signing of the Malaysia-Indonesia Peace Agreement which brought Confrontation ('Konfrontasi') to an end. A short promotional video may be seen here (use CTL + Click to follow the link):

'Never Forgotten - Malaya & Borneo veterans day | cinematic emotional'

Order of Australia recipients in attendance were SA & NT Branch President Major Paul Rosenzweig OAM (ret'd) who ran the ceremony; Lieutenant-Colonel John Spencer OAM RFD (ret'd); Rod Lees OAM (Military Division; former Warrant Officer Class 2); Datuk Dr Philip Ting AM PGBK (Honorary Australian Consul to Sarawak); and Dato Lim Kian Hock OAM PSBS (former Heritage Adviser, Sarawak Tourism Federation).



Paul Rosenzweig OAM JP and John Spencer OAM RFD featured in several media reports following a Press Conference in Kuching on Thursday 24 August.



Lieutenant-Colonel John Spencer OAM RFD (ret'd) paid his respects at the SA & NT Branch NMBVAA plaque in the Sarawak Heroes Memorial Park.



Her Excellency the Governor honours the fallen at the Penang (Western Road) Cemetery.

MALAYA & BORNEO VETERANS DAY Penang, Wednesday 30 August 2023

In August, Her Excellency the Governor conducted an official visit to Malaysia to promote South Australian educational, trade, and energy opportunities. The Government House Facebook page reported that Her Excellency met with Malaysian ministers and officials, engaged with business, met with representatives from Taylor's College which has been delivering the South Australian curriculum in Malaysia since 1982, and delivered a speech at the Energy Transition Conference 2023, highlighting South Australia's progress as a world leader in energy transition.

The visit also celebrated the 50th anniversary of the Sister City relationship between Adelaide and George Town, the capital city of Penang. In a notable connection, Captain Francis Light established George Town in 1786, naming it after the King and laying it out in a grid pattern near the port. Five decades later, Light's son Colonel William Light similarly founded the city of Adelaide on a grid layout.

Penang has a very special connection to Malaya-Borneo veterans – many Australians were based in Penang after the 28th Commonwealth Independent Infantry Brigade Group was formed in Malaya on 16 September 1955 until the brigade relocated to Malacca in the early 1960s. There are 50 Australian fallen from the Malayan wars who remain buried overseas -6 of them are buried in the Penang (Western Road) Cemetery.

On Wednesday 30 August, the Governor visited the Penang (Western Road) Cemetery and laid a wreath in honour of Malaya and Borneo Veterans Day.



INVESTITURES September 2023

The Chairman and SA Branch Committee members have recently attended six investiture ceremonies for people who have been recognised through the Australian Honours System in the 2023 King's Birthday Honours List.

The Governor's social media pages noted: "The ceremonies, which include each recipient's citation being read as they step forward to be recognised by Her Excellency, are a celebration of the contribution, achievement, and service of outstanding South Australians".

Kathryn House AM attended Government House on Thursday 14 September. She noted:

"On that day, citizens were honoured for their service in a diverse range of areas including occupational (hand) therapy, primary education, animal welfare, plant genomics, Girl Guiding, diabetes research, head and neck surgery, football and the community, to name a few! It was inspiring to hear of all their amazing achievements".

The SA Branch has developed an Order of Australia Association information brochure, and with the approval of Her Excellency this brochure was included in the information folder received by all new recipients.



Kathryn House AM at Government House with new recipients Libby O'Donovan OAM, critically acclaimed jazz and cabaret performer and award-winning musical director, and William Sergeant OAM.

Libby received her OAM for service to jazz and cabaret music, and William for service to the LGBTIQ+ community of South Australia.



GOVERNMENT HOUSE Lunch on the Lawns || Guided Tours

With the onset of Spring, Her Excellency and Mr Rod Bunten are inviting the public to come to Government House gardens.

Bring a picnic lunch, spread out a rug or unfold a camping chair, and enjoy the surroundings while listening to a community orchestra.

These free events will be held on the first Friday of the month from 12 noon to 2 pm:

Friday 6 October

Friday 3 November

Friday 1 December

On the same dates, free tours will be hosted by the Friends of the Botanic Gardens – running from 10.45 to 11.45 am: *registrations are required* for these guided tours, by phoning 8203 9800.

These initiatives are part of Her Excellency and Mr Bunten's aim to make Government House a place where all South Australians feel welcome and are able to visit.

FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM 2023



Attendees on Thursday 31 August (left to right): Peter Routley AM (MC), Dr Carolyn Palmer AM, Gillian Rogers OAM (Hospitality), Dr Aileen Connon AM, Shirley Dunn, Peter Dunn OAM, Helen Leake AM, John Bishop AO, Jenny Macintosh OAM, John Phillips OAM (Branch Secretary), Mark Bourchier OAM (Guest Speaker), Professor Jennifer McKay AM, Helen Smith, David Seaton OAM, Flavia De Pasquale OAM (Coordinator). Not pictured: Chris Marron, Group-Captain Robert Black AM RFD.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON MEETING Thursday 31 August 2023

Our speaker for the August luncheon meeting was Mr Mark Bourchier OAM, Director of Philanthropy at Pulteney Grammar School, and an Executive Member of the Pulteney Foundation. Mark received the Medal of the Order of Australia in the 2020 Australia Day Honours List, *"For service to the community of South Australia"*.

His topic was: "The Centenary of Legacy ANZAC Commemorative Tour, April 2023". Mark has had a substantial involvement with the Legacy Club of South Australia and Broken Hill since 2008, and is currently serving on the National Board of Legacy Australia and is chair of the National Marketing Group.



FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM 2023

Members of the Order of Australia and other honours recipients, partners and friends are invited to share in the fostering of fellowship, in an informal setting.

The next honours recipients fellowship luncheon will be held on **Thursday 26 October** at the Naval, Military and Air Force Club at 111 Hutt Street in Adelaide.

The speaker will be Mr David Linn OAM, Chairman of the Board of Books for Lesotho Inc. His topic will be: *"Books for Lesotho – a Nation Building Project"*.

Guests should arrive at 12 noon. Lunch commences at 12.30 pm, the guest speaker begins at 1.15, and the event will conclude by 2 pm. A dress code applies at the NMAF Club: smart day wear for ladies, and long trousers and jacket for men. To RSVP please contact:

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Pamela Rajkowski OAM 0400 810 196 || <u>pamraj@bigpond.com</u>



Mr David Linn OAM Collecting books for Lesotho from Immanuel College.

DAVID LINN OAM

Our guest speaker for the upcoming October Fellowship Luncheon Meeting will be Mr David Linn OAM, Chairman of the Board of Books for Lesotho Inc, on the topic, "Books for Lesotho – a Nation Building Project".

David served on the Board of the Australian Refugee Association for 26 years, including 13 years as President.

For his commitment he was announced as Senior Volunteer in the Governor's Multicultural Awards in 2014, and he received the Medal of the Order of Australia in the 2017 Australia Day Honours List, *"For service to the community through refugee support organisations"*.

David and his wife Liz started Books for Lesotho Inc ('B4L') as a private initiative in 2007.

They worked to establish libraries in primary and secondary schools in Lesotho with the support of many local individuals and service groups.

The organisation was incorporated in 2016.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON MEETING Thursday 29 February 2024

The Guest Speaker for our first honours recipients fellowship luncheon for 2024 will be Associate Professor Elaine Murphy AM.

Professor Murphy was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia in the 1996 Australia Day Honours List, *"For service to Health, Physical Education and Recreation"*.

Elaine is a Life Member of the Order of Australia Association, and for 16 years was a Director of the Order of Australia Foundation as Co-ordinator of Awardees and Mentors.

The title of her talk is: "Right Place, Right Time".





NEW RECIPIENTS' RECEPTION Monday 9 October 2023

Recipients from the 2023 King's Birthday Honours List will be welcomed at a reception at Payneham Library in Felixstow (refer Reply Form attached). Our Guest Speaker will be Associate Professor Tony Phillips AM.

Tony came to Adelaide in 1982 as a member of a team developing the world's first disposable contact lens, and became Principal Optometrist in the Medical Contact Lens Unit at Flinders Medical Centre. He was an Optometrist in the Infant and Baby Contact Lens Unit at the Adelaide Women and Children's Hospital from 1994.

He has moved between academia, hospital work and private practice, and is author of more than 50 scientific papers. He is a Churchill Fellow (1992), spent 18 years on the SA Churchill Fellows Committee, and was made a Life Member of the Churchill Fellows Association of Australia in 2010.

He has also served as State and National President of the Cornea and Contact Lens Society of Australia, and is an Inaugural Fellow and Honorary Life Member.

Professor Phillips was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia in the General Division in the 2021 Queen's Birthday Honours List, *"For significant service to optometry, and to professional optical societies"*.



Associate Professor Tony Phillips AM with his wife Sue and sons at Government House.

Regional Group News

The **Riverland and Mallee Regional Group** held their Spring luncheon meeting at the Loxton Club (Starlight Room) in Loxton on Friday 29 September 2023.

The River Murray traverses the area that is defined for our Riverland and Mallee (and adjoining Murraylands) Regional Group. Now that this significant event – the massive River Murray flood – has all but passed, discussions have suggested that there are probably a significant number of photos, videos and experiences that members could share – from the Riverland to the Lakes. Further thought and investigations about this will be considered at the next gathering.

The next meeting of the **Yorke Peninsula Regional Group** is scheduled for Sunday 22 October 2023, at the Ardrossan Hotel/Motel (the 'Top Pub') at 36 First Street in Ardrossan.

The **Fleurieu Regional Group** will hold its next self-funded luncheon meeting on Friday 3 November.

Regional Groups Coordinator Ken Coventry OAM JP has provided an update about an opportunity to establish a regional group for the **Eyre Peninsula** region. The formation of a Regional Group has initially focussed around Port Lincoln, and a luncheon will be held on 17 November at the Grand Tasman Hotel.

The **South East Regional Group** meets in Mount Gambier biannually, and at an alternative regional location in the alternate years. The next gathering is planned for Friday 23 February 2024.



NEW MEMBERS

The Chairman, Branch Committee members and members of the SA Branch welcome the following new members of the Order of Australia Association, SA Branch (as at the time of the September Branch Committee meeting):

Professor Ruth Marshall AO

Dr Neville Highett AM

Craig Fosdike OAM

UPCOMING BRANCH EVENTS

We look forward to receiving members, partners and guests at our upcoming events. If you have joined the Order of Australia Association and wish to purchase a name badge, you can find an Order Form on our website:

https://theorderofaustralia.asn.au/sa/about-us/

ADELAIDE SAILING CLUB TOUR Saturday 21 October 2023

We are having a guided tour and historical presentation at Adelaide Sailing Club on Saturday 21 October 2023 (refer Reply Form attached and available online).

It is interesting to note that in January 2024 the Adelaide Sailing Club will host three international sailing championships, supported by SA Tourism Commission. It will be the final Olympic qualifying event for Paris 2024 for the Men's ILCA 7 class. This will be the biggest sailing event ever held in SA, and will bring national and international competitors to Adelaide. One famous competitor will be Matt Wearn OAM who won the 2017 Australian championship, then won a medal in sailing in the Summer Olympics, and the Olympic Gold medal in Tokyo in 2021. Matt will compete in Adelaide in 2024 in both the Australian and World Championships.

CHRISTMAS MORNING TEA Friday 1 December 2023



We will hold our annual Branch Christmas Morning Tea at the Goodwood Community Centre, from 9.30 am arrival for a 10 am start; concludes at 12 noon. There is no cost for members and guests, and there will be an entertainment interlude by Dr Rob Wight OAM.

Our Guest Speaker will be Mrs Anne Bachmann OAM JP, speaking on the topic, "Making our courts and prisons kinder". Anne was appointed Special Advisor to the Adelaide Women's Prison in 2013, but had been serving as a volunteer mentor since 1987.



CELEBRATION OF AUSTRALIA DAY' LUNCHEON SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 20 January 2024

Join us for our annual luncheon at the Arkaba Hotel, 150 Glen Osmond Road, Fullarton. The cost is \$75 each for financial Order of Australia Association members and their partner, or \$80 for non-members, partners and guests, for a 3-course meal; cash bar. Full-size medals should be worn. Association merchandise will be available to purchase. Our Guest Speaker will be Dr Tony Cocchiaro AM MBBS FRACGP on the topic, "Australia Day, should we change the date?".

SA BRANCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 2 March 2024

Join us for our Annual General Meeting at the Arkaba Hotel, commencing with Morning Tea at 10 am, with a Guest Speaker at 10.30 and AGM starting at 11 am, concluding by 12 noon. Followed by lunch at own expense.

STUDENT CITIZENSHIP AWARDS 2023

The Student Citizenship Awards program is conducted annually as the flagship program of the SA Branch.

Following the meeting of the Assessment and Selection Panel on 8 August, the Top 10 students have been identified to receive a 'With Distinction' award and will be presented to our Branch Patron, Her Excellency the Governor at Government House in November.

A further 29 students will receive a certificate and medallion -20 of which are rated as 'Highly Commended'.

A total of 30 schools were represented this year, with a total of 39 nominations.

A school Certificate of Appreciation, acknowledging those schools who have participated for the first time, will be awarded to IQRA College, Parafield Gardens High Schools, Playford College and Pembroke College.

The Student Citizenship Awards Convenor, Noel Hender OAM BEM, wishes to thank all who have contributed to and supported the SCA program this year – including the Assessment and Selection Panel members John McKellar AM, Peter Routley AM, Elaine Bussenschutt OAM, Judith Leeson OAM and John Phillips OAM, and also Paul Rosenzweig OAM for the production of the brochure, website promotion and certificate development and printing.

Special thanks also to Mr Keith 'Chook' Fowler OAM, whose generous donation has enabled the SA Branch to include a special medallion for all Award recipients.

Those nominees selected to be in the Top 10 ('With Distinction') will receive their medallion from Her Excellency mounted on an engraved wooden plaque. At the award ceremony at Government House, Her Excellency will announce the 2023 Student Citizen of the Year. The other successful nominees will each receive their certificate and cased medallion from a Branch member at a presentation, usually in front of parents and peers at their respective school or college.

Noel is currently identifying Branch members who are willing and available to present a certificate and medallion at a school assembly or end of year ceremony during Term 4.

Would you be interested in conducting such an award presentation on behalf of the Order of Australia Association SA Branch?

Perhaps there is a recipient at a school with which you have a particular affinity? Please advise Noel if you would like to present a certificate at a school assembly:

 $\underline{sca.sabranch@theorderofaustralia.asn.au}$



For more information refer to:

https://theorderofaustralia.asn.au/sa/school-awards/



For more information visit our website: <u>https://www.theorderofaustralia.asn.au/sa/about-us/</u>

Do you have email?

If you have an email address that we can use to send you this newsletter, could you please advise the SA Branch Member Secretary:

Mr Greg Gordon OAM JP oaasambrsec@theorderofaustralia.asn.au

The Order

Contributions may be submitted by any financial member of the Association. Items may be sent to the Editor by post (as per details given in *The Order*), or by email: nateditor@theorderofaustralia.asn.au

Newsletter contributions

Contributions for this newsletter may be submitted to the SA Branch Editor:

Major Paul Rosenzweig OAM JP (ret'd) PO Box 5, SMITHFIELD SA 5114 **or** <u>chairsa@theorderofaustralia.asn.au</u>



IN MEMORIAM

The Chairman, Branch Committee members and members of the SA Branch offer our condolences on the passing of the following South Australia Branch member (as at the time of the September Branch Committee meeting):

Shirley O'Reilly OAM

REGIONAL GROUP CONTACTS

Regional Groups Coordinator: Ken Coventry OAM JP

Fleurieu Regional Group Meets on the first Friday in May and November. Regional Contact: John Hutchinson OAM 0427 525 670 || johnhutc@bigpond.com

South East Regional Group

Meets in Mount Gambier biannually, and at an alternative regional location in the alternate years. Regional Contact: Mr Eric Roughana AM 0408 817 260 || roseric1@bigpond.com

Riverland and Mallee Regional Group Meets twice a year, generally in March/April and September/October. Regional Contact: Mr Tim Grieger OAM JP 0409 099 122 || <u>tgrieger@riverland.net.au</u>

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NEW RECIPIENTS' RECEPTION

REPLY FORM – SA BRANCH NEW RECIPIENTS' RECEPTION, Monday 9 October 2023 - at Payneham Library, 2 Turner Street, Felixstow (off OG Road), at 5.30 for 6 pm, finishing before 8 pm, for recipients from the 2023 King's Birthday Honours List.

All members of the Association are welcome. The cost is \$35 each for Order of Australia Association members and their partner, and \$15 for children under 18. There is no cost for new recipients from the 2023 King's Birthday Honours List, and \$35 for their partner and guests.



Full-size medals should be worn. Association merchandise will be available for purchase.

Our Guest Speaker will be Associate Professor Tony Phillips AM: "Personal experiences over time as an Optometrist".

Please register to attend and make payment not later than Thursday 5 October 2023

Register online using Humanitix (preferred) – just click on the link below, or copy it into your browser: https://events.humanitix.com/oaa-sa-branch-new-recipients-function

- 一 Alternately, pay online via EFT, using the code "NRR + your surname" Account Name – 'Order of Australia Association' // BSB 105-900 // Account no 147028640 (Bank SA) Scan and send this form to the Assistant Treasurer Mr John Ziesing OAM: yjziesing@internode.on.net
- If necessary, forward this Reply Form and payment to: SA Branch Events Sub-committee, PO Box 1065, CLEARVIEW SA 5085 Make your cheque or money order payable to "SA Branch, Order of Australia Association"

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Payment enclosed:	for people (no c	cost for new recipients)			

We hope you can join us for this significant event!

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ADELAIDE SAILING CLUB TOUR

REPLY FORM – SA BRANCH ADELAIDE SAILING CLUB GUIDED TOUR AND HISTORICAL PRESENTATION, Saturday 21 October 2023 – at the Adelaide Sailing Club at 9 Barcoo Road, West Beach starting at 10.30 am. \$15 per person.

Adelaide Sailing Club

We have arranged a guided tour and historical presentation – starting at 10.30 with a welcome drink and nibbles, and a talk on the history of the Adelaide Sailing Club, Glenelg Sailing Club and Holdfast Bay Yacht Club, and then from 11.30 am a guided tour and historical presentation. Followed by lunch in the restaurant 'Oceanique' at your own expense. Medals are not required.

Please forward this reply form and payment, to be received not later than Wednesday 18 October 2023

Register online and pay using Humanitix (preferred) using this link: https://events.humanitix.com/adelaide-sailing-club-tour

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We hope you can join us for this interesting visit!

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CHRISTMAS MORNING TEA

REPLY FORM – SA BRANCH CHRISTMAS MORNING TEA, Friday 1 December 2023 – at the Goodwood Community Centre, 32/34 Rosa Street in Goodwood, 9.30 am arrival for a 10 am start; concludes at 12 noon.

There is no cost for members and guests.

Full-size medals may be worn. Various raffle prizes will be on offer, and Association merchandise will be available for purchase.

There will be an entertainment interlude by Dr Rob Wight OAM. Our Guest Speaker will be Mrs Anne Bachmann OAM JP, on the topic, "Making our courts and prisons kinder". Anne's biography may be found in the August newsletter.

Please register to attend not later than Friday 24 November 2023



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We hope you can join us for this important celebration!

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