

Australian - Irish Heritage Association



NOTICE BOARD OF ACTIVITIES FOR JULY & AUGUST 2022

THE FOURTH TUESDAY BOOK CLUB

Meets fourth Tuesday of the month, with exception of December. At 7.30pm

July 26	'The Promise' by Damon Galgut, presented by Mary Purcell
Aug 27	'The Murder Rule' by Dervla McTiernan
Venue	Irish Club Committee Room, 61 Townshend Road, Subiaco
Admission	Free. All welcome. Light refreshments provided. Tea and coffee from the Bar \$2
Contact	Convener Mary Purcell, m.purcell@telstra.com

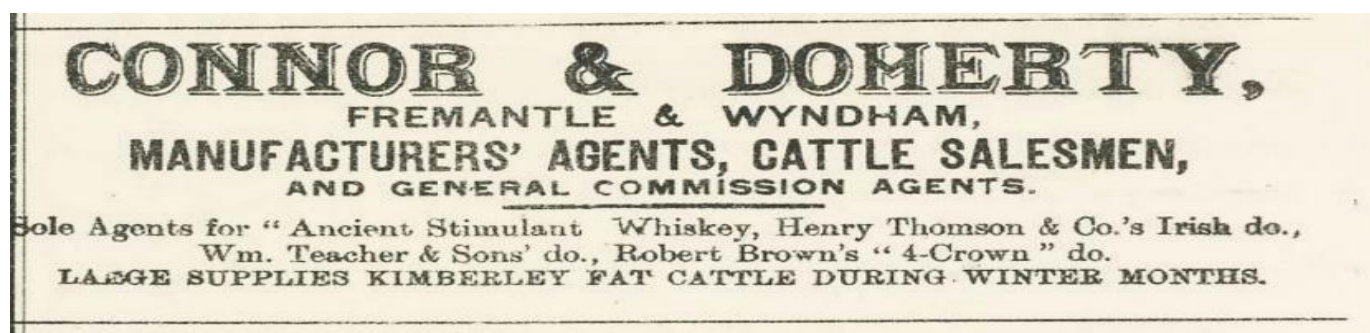
Mary Durack Memorial Lecture

Launched in 1995 the annual Mary Durack Memorial Lecture honours the pioneering work in Australia on many fronts by the Durack family and our founding member and first patron Dame Mary Durack AC DBE Australian author and historian, (1913 - 1994).

This year's lecture will be delivered by Patsy Millet, writer, journalist and archivist, daughter of Dame Mary Durack. The Subject is '*The Irish Partners – Connor and Doherty*'. The story of the two men who became the partners in the firm of CD&D – cattle agents and more to the Kimberley.

Patsy Millet recently published "Inseparable Elements. Dame Mary Durack: A Daughter's Perspective", Fremantle Press, 2021. It traces the second part of Mary's life from her marriage to Horrie Miller in late 1938 to her death in 1994 and is described by the author as 'much a montage of the main players in her life as a biography of Mary Durack Miller'. A review is included on flyer, available on request

Venue	Irish Club Theatre
Date	Sunday 14 August at 3pm.
Bookings	\$20/\$15 members. https://www.trybooking.com/CAQFT or pay at the door
Includes	Irish afternoon tea, moderated Q&A segment open to the audience



Coming Up

Planning session Saturday 9 July, 12 noon to 4pm will address current AIHA calendar of activities with plans for Illustrated Talk on Irish Famine Orphan Girls, afternoon on John O'Donoghue (Irish poet, author, philosopher), Parlour Concert, and 30th Anniversary of AIHA events for 2023.

We have guests attending from Rockingham Catalpa Project who plan a filmed re-enactment of the Catalpa escape and an Irish Festival around Easter Monday 2023.

We thank the Irish Embassy in Canberra for support of the successful Bloomsday Centenary Celebration of James Joyce's "Ulysses", and we thank members who have made general donations to the association.

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AIHA Supports

Radio Fremantle 107.9fm, **Celtic Rambles**, Saturdays 8 to 10 am. Host Frank Murphy, producer Gerry Grogan. Irish radio at its best – interviews, news items, music and opinions with latest AIHA activities. Listen on archives on, <https://radiofremantle.com.au/shows/celtic-rambles>

Claddagh Association founded in 1997 is a voluntary, non-profit organisation with Gift Recipient Status.. <https://claddagh.org.au/> Membership \$10.

Irish Scene free bi-monthly magazine is the go-to source of all activities in WA's Australian Irish community. Check out AIHA regular page. Available from Irish Club and Irish hospitality venues

Irish Club, 61 Townshend Road, Subiaco. Open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. Weekly quiz Wednesday 7pm. **Special members General Meeting** Sunday 10 July, 4pm to review financial situation and future of the club. <https://www.facebook.com/irishclubofwa/>

Irish Theatre Players – July One Act season: The Plan by Sean Byrne, directed by Stan O'Neill; The Dumb Waiter by Harold Pinter, directed by Tadhg Lawrence; Dilate by Yvette Wall, directed by Dale James. July 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 at 7.30pm. Matinee Sunday July 17 at 2pm. www.trybooking.com/cagar

Royal WA Historical Society – Stirling House 49 Broadway Nedlands. Tel 9386 3841, admin@histwest.org.au
Community Talk: Portholes and Parties – Travel in the Golden Age of Ocean Liners, buy Wendy Lugg, Tuesday 26 July, 10 am. \$10

Auxiliary Morning Tea Fundraiser: History and Subjectivity: An Early Depiction of Hardy's Inlet, Augusta, by Thomas Turner – Artist, Architect and Surveyor. Presented by Richard Read, Wed 10 August, 10am. \$25 non-members

Rose of Tralee – congratulations to Olivia Duffy from Oldcastle, Co Meath who will represent WA at this year's international festival in Tralee, Co Kerry between 19 and 23 August. Perth compere was Stephen Dawson, MLC

AIHA Website

Check our website <https://irishheritage.com.au/news-blog/> for a selection of exclusive interviews conducted by committee member Gill Kenny and other articles of note. You can view this year's Easter Monday Annual Catalpa Commemoration which was professionally videod. Check out our Irish Heritage Trail under About/Heritage Trail. It is split into North and South of the Swan river. You can identify the location of 18 sites on the maps and by clicking the arrows on the bottom left of the maps you can read a summary of the relevance and importance of each site.

The JOURNAL

Members of AIHA receive 4 editions of the Journal each year. The current June edition features artwork of Perth based Irish artist Laura Gilmore in a new series of 'Artists Unleashed'. The edition features articles on history, literature, social and tourist interests, and poetry. We have now compiled an index of over 2,000 articles from 30 years of Association Journals by article title, author, subject and editor. This data has a search feature and will be made available on our website shortly.

Contributors can email editor Julie Breathnach-Banwait on journal@irishheritage.com.au Non-members can purchase copies at \$10

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL was Due 1 January, 2022

Family membership \$65

Distant (200 kms from Perth) \$45

Concession (Centrelink and unwaged students with ID) \$55

Membership fee includes tax deductible donation of \$20

PAY ONLINE – you can register your details and pay via <https://irishheritage.com.au/membership/registration/>
Members enjoy discounted rates to dinners and functions, exclusive events, quarterly Journal, voting rights, and opportunities to participate in activities which promote an awareness of Australia's Irish Heritage.

90-page Journal publication is issued free to members quarterly and available for purchase at \$10.

AIHA Committee

President – Heather Deighan **Treasurer/ Membership** – Patricia Bratton **Secretary** – Tony Bray

Committee – Peter Conole, Gayle Lannon, Diana MacTiernan, Gill Kenny

Supported by a tier of volunteers. Please talk to us if you are interested in being involved in some way!

Committee meets on third Tuesday each month

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