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Hi everyone

We have good news from the Gambling Benefit Fund as we received a grant for new fiche storage cabinets. The fiche storage will take less room, providing more space for other research and education activities. This is part of the ongoing refurbishment at Fisher Street.

The next two months are very busy at GSQ. We have **Open Day** on Saturday **22 February** from 10am to 4pm. The next day, Sunday 23 February we have our first beginners' course this year with experienced family historians Janice Wellard and Elaine Cooper. Please tell your friends about these events if they are interested in family history. Members are also welcome. On Saturday **15 February**, Judy Lofthouse is presenting *Exploring the Genealogist.co.uk*. GSQ has upgraded our library membership to the Diamond level so there are more records available for members to search.

The first **General Meeting** for 2014 will occur on Saturday **1 March**. This is an opportunity for members to discuss matters concerning them with the Management Committee. After the formal meeting, there will be a **Brickwall session** for members but we ask that you send in your problem by 21 February so we can circulate them to a few experienced researchers. Those in attendance will also be able to offer their suggestions. We did a similar session at the Volunteers' Thank You Afternoon Tea and have refined the process. I hope you all come along to raise any issues, give compliments and share your brickwalls.

On Tuesday **4 March** we have organised a **special session at the Queensland State Archives for GSQ members**. This will include a presentation on using the archives and also a tour. Research time will be available so this is a great opportunity to visit whether it is your first visit or you have been previously. Further details are available later in the eNews - I hope you can attend.

Happy researching

Marg Doherty, President

presidentgsq@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 22 February • 10.00am - 4.00pm

OPEN DAY

Free tours of the Library and Resource Centre every half-hour

Enjoy a cuppa and chat to our knowledgeable volunteers

Discover something new about your family

Displays by GSQ Interest Groups



From Your Management Committee

If you are feeling bored or just keen to work at your computer, we can give you something to keep you busy!!!

First, we thank all our volunteers for the hours they have given so generously over the last twelve months. We welcome any members who would like to volunteer to assist with any of the Society projects or subcommittees. These projects and subcommittees, which include indexing church birth, death and marriage records and many more, are important to the Society.

One of our projects is World War I. The primary aim is to list the location, description, a photograph and names listed on honour boards, school and church memorials, as well as other small memorials scattered throughout Queensland. Do you know of such items and are you willing to gather the information for this project?

In the first instance contact Lynette Caldwell (Project Co-ordinator WWI) at GSQ. Although you may not know of any of these memorials we still require volunteers for other in-house positions.

These subcommittees and working groups that you may be interested in have varied work schedules and offer an opportunity to become

involved in your Society. If you would like to become a new volunteer contact me at gsq1@optusnet.com.au for more information.

Margaret Coleman

Vice President/ Volunteer Co-ordinator
Genealogical Society of Queensland Inc.

Monday Morning Natters

Welcome to 2014 and an interesting year of Monday Morning Natters.

The first meeting is on Monday 3 February, at 10:00am and the topic for discussion is "TROVE – What's on this site and how to use this resource effectively".

If you haven't attended before, come along and enjoy an informal gathering with morning tea, discussing topics of interest to those present. Maybe you want to know about how to get more into your family history - we may be able to help.

Date Claimer for Monday 3 March 2014 – "New Technologies at GSQ".

Look forward to seeing you.



Branch News

Redlands

Redland Genealogical Society's next meeting will be at The Donald Simpson Centre at 12.15pm on Wednesday 12 Feb 2014.

Guest speaker is Marianne Ross. Her topic is on Redland City Cemeteries.

Visitors are welcome \$2.00 entry applies. Society members are on duty in Cleveland Library on Tues & Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm also Saturday 12.30pm-3.30pm.

Further information available from Helen Viewers 3206 3760.

Southern Suburbs

Southern Suburbs Branch's February meeting will be held on Monday 17, followed by our guest speaker Eric Kopittke who will be speaking on 'German research in days of the Internet'. The meeting commences at 7.30pm at the Upper Mt. Gravatt Scout Den, down Carson Lane which runs between the Upper Mt. Gravatt State School and the Progress Hall, Logan Road, Upper Mt. Gravatt. For further information please email southernsuburbs@optusnet.com.au or contact Noele Alexander on 3208 2518. Visitors are always very welcome.

North Brisbane

The North Brisbane Branch of GSQ holds its meetings on the first Friday morning of each month (except January) at the Brisbane North Area Scouting Centre at 23 Sicklefield St Alderley. Doors open at 8.45 am.

North Brisbane Members are able to borrow from our extensive library of books, magazines, fiche and CDs for a small fee.

The next meeting of the Branch will be on Friday the 7 February at 9.00 am. The Guest Speaker will be Dr Jennifer Harrison. Visitors are welcome.

Bayside

The first meeting for 2014 for the Bayside Branch will be held in the library at the Leisure Centre, Tingal Road Wynnum on Friday 14 February at 9.30 am.

Beaudesert

Meetings are held at our rooms 15A William Street, Beaudesert, on 4th Wednesday of each month, commencing at 10.00am.

The library is open each Wednesday from 10.00am to 2.00pm.

No meeting in December.



The Inside History Magazine is available for purchase at GSQ!



Net Nibbles

1. From Chris Paton at BritishGENES (Genealogy News and Events) [http:// britishgenes.blogspot.com](http://britishgenes.blogspot.com)

Those of you interested in learning more about Scottish research might like to try this.

Scottish Research Online course starts Feb 27th

My next Scottish Research Online course starts Feb 27. The course, taught through Pharos Teaching and Tutoring Ltd www.pharostutors.com is five weeks long, costs £45.99 and is taught entirely online.

Check <http://britishgenes.blogspot.com.au/2014/01/scottish-research-online-course-starts.html> for more info.

Canada's Hansard record now online

The Historical Debates of the Parliament of Canada database is now up and running at <http://parl.canadiana.ca/?usrlang=en>, as produced by the Library of Parliament and Canadiana.org. The database bilingually carries Canadian parliamentary debates from 1867 to the mid-1990s, from both the Senate and the House of Commons.

First tranche of Irish Military Service Pension records online

The Military Archives website has now made available the **Military Service Pensions Collection** at www.militaryarchives.ie/collections/online-collections/military-service-pensions-collection, which when complete will contain 300,000 files relating to 60,000 individuals who fought during the Easter Rising and the War of Independence from 1916-1923. This first release, comprised of 9600 files, primarily, though not exclusively, concerns the Easter Rising of 1916 itself, as well as others involved in the independence movement and Civil War. In addition are files for those who served with the Connaught Rangers in the mutiny in Solon and Jalandhar, India on 28 June 1920, and a small number of payments to folk who stored weapons for organisations involved in the struggle, though were not members of those groups themselves.

Irish Volunteers newspaper An t-Óglách online from 1918-1933

This Friday the Military Archives website (www.militaryarchives.ie) from the Republic of Ireland will add pension records for those who served in the Old IRA. A quick check on the site has, however, also revealed something else I did not know was already available online - free to access digitised issues of **An t-Óglách**, a newspaper designed to provide guidance and to develop the Volunteer movement.

The coverage runs from January 1918 (when the UK was still at war) to February 1933. If your ancestors were in the Old IRA or part of the Irish Volunteer movement, they are well worth a look - as indeed they are for anyone with Irish connections from that period.

For a background to the publication, and to access the editions themselves, visit

<http://www.militaryarchives.ie/collections/online-collections/an-toglach-magazine>.

Stirling District Asylum records

A great blog post from the University of Stirling's archive team on conservation and cataloguing efforts to bring to life the stories of Stirling District Asylum from 1869-1918 can be found at <http://archives.wordpress.stir.ac.uk/2013/06/27/continuity-of-care-4/>. There are some 50 register volumes in total being worked on.

Plymouth and West Devon parish registers on Ancestry

Ancestry (www.ancestry.co.uk) has launched a new parish registers collection online - England, Select Plymouth and West Devon, Parish Registers, 1538-1912.

New Zealand directories 1866-1954

If your ancestors emigrated to New Zealand, Ancestry's newly uploaded **New Zealand, City & Area Directories, 1866-1954** collection may help. It can be accessed directly at <http://search.ancestry.co.uk/search/db.aspx?dbid=1845>

More Co. Down and Belfast records added to RootsIreland

Some 16000 Anglican records for County Down and 8000 Roman Catholic records for Belfast, transcribed by former PRONI director Dr Brian Trainor, have been added to RootsIreland (www.rootsireland.ie) - the collections are as follows:

- Killinchy Church of Ireland Baptisms 1820-77
- Blaris Church of Ireland Baptisms 1661-1720
- Magheralin Church of Ireland Baptisms 1783-1870
- Bangor Church of Ireland Baptisms 1803-43
- Ballywalter Church of Ireland Baptisms 1845-75
- Ardkeen Church of Ireland Baptisms 1746-1871
- St Patrick's Belfast Roman Catholic Baptisms 1924-1931
- St Joseph's Belfast Roman Catholic Baptisms 1900-1921
- St Joseph's Belfast Roman Catholic Marriages 1921-1933



Net Nibbles Continued

1. From Chris Paton at BritishGENES (Genealogy News and Events) <http://britishgenes.blogspot.com> continued

Ireland's Memorial Records database

Ireland's Memorial Records is a new free to access web based database located at <http://imr.inflandersfields.be>, produced by the In Flanders Fields Museum in Ypres (<http://www.inflandersfields.be/en>) in collaboration with Eneclann in Ireland (www.eneclann.ie) and Google Europe.

2. From Eastman's Online Genealogy Newsletter

The following articles are from Eastman's Online Genealogy Newsletter and is copyright by Richard W. Eastman. It is re-published here with the permission of the author. Information about the newsletter is available at <http://www.eogn.com>.

Do you have data stored on floppy disks? Then please read this article.

http://blog.eogn.com/eastmans_online_genealogy/2014/01/what-to-do-with-floppy-disks.html

World War I Prisoner of War Cards Available Online

A collection of records of Jewish prisoners of war (henceforth PoWs) in Siberia from 1920 has been indexed and is now available online.

You can read more about this database on the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee website at <http://archives.jdc.org/from-the-archives/world-war-i-prisoner-of-war.html>

More New York City Vital Records Going Online

More than 10 million New York City birth, death and marriage records spanning nearly a century -- from 1866 to 1948 -- go online in a partnership between Ancestry.com and the New York City Department of Records/Municipal Archives. Best of all, the City's records will be available free of charge on Ancestry.com, an unusual offering.

The New York City records, available for free, can be accessed at Ancestry.com/NewYork, where users can browse through not only the 10 million-plus birth, death and marriage records, but gain entry to the vast collection of the city's Municipal Archives.

3. www.FamilySearch.org

<https://familysearch.org/blog/en/>

FamilySearch adds more than 2.7 Million Indexed Records and Images to Collections from Brazil, Colombia, England, Portugal, and the United States.

FamilySearch adds more than 145 Million Indexed Records and Images to Collections from BillionGraves, England, Russia, and the United States.

FamilySearch adds more than 4.1 Million Indexed Records and Images to Collections from Belgium, Canada, Portugal, and the United States.

4. Jill Ball Google+ <http://geniaus.blogspot.com.au/>

Claim a Convict

website being revamped. The URL for the site that will be launched on Australia Day is <http://claimaconvict.hawkesbury.net.au>

5. www.Rootsireland.ie

Ulster Historical Foundation

We are pleased to announce that we have just added over 16,000 Church of Ireland baptismal records to our online database for County Down.

The records were transcribed by Dr Brian Trainor, former Director of the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland. The following Churches have been added:

Killinchy - Church of Ireland - baptisms, 1820-77 Page No 418

Blaris - Church of Ireland - baptisms - 1661-1720 Page No 7709

Magheralin - Church of Ireland - baptisms - 1783-1870 Page No 6628

Bangor - Church of Ireland - baptisms - 1803-43 Page No 1050

Ballywalter - Church of Ireland - baptisms - 1845-75 Page No 125

Ardkeen - Church of Ireland - baptisms - 1746-1871 Page No 541

More Church of Ireland records will be added soon for the parishes of Antrim, Carrickfergus, Comber, Donaghadee, Down, Drumballyrone and Kilmore.

We would also like to remind you that we have also recently added Ireland's Memorial Records to our Members' Databases. This is a hugely important and indeed poignant resource listing the almost 50,000 Irishmen who gave their lives during the Great War 1914-18.

6. From Genie1

<http://www.genie1.com.au/blog/32-researching-italian-family-in-australia>



Net Nibbles Continued

7. From Wikitree blog <http://www.wikitree.com/blog/>

The Hungary exchange <http://www.hungaryexchange.com/>

8. Alona Tester's blog <http://www.lonetester.com/>

Free Cornish website list

<http://www.lonetester.com/2013/08/my-favourite-cornish-genealogy-websites-and-theyre-free/>

Events

Bookings are essential for all GSQ education sessions and courses.

You can book online at <http://www.gsq.org.au/index.php/events> Alternatively send a cheque to GSQ at PO Box 8423, Woolloongabba, Q 4102 or call in at Fisher Street. Email gsq1@optusnet.com.au or phone 3891 5085 for further information.

Saturday 15 February • 9.30am - 11.45am

Exploring www.thegenealogist.co.uk - Judy Lofthouse

TheGenealogist boasts the largest collection of military records so come to see what they have. Judy will also show other records the Genealogist has that will assist your family history. .

Cost: \$10 for GSQ members and \$15 for non-members **Venue:** GSQ, 38 Fisher St, East Brisbane **Bookings are essential.**

Sunday 23 February • 9.00am - 4.00pm

Introduction to Family History - Janice Wellard

GSQ's flagship course—Introduction to Family History—is a full day course that provides participants with the foundations for undertaking their own research into their family history. Topics to be covered include:

- Introduction to Genealogy/Family History/GSQ
- Civil Registration (births, marriages and deaths)
- Census records
- Parish Registers
- Immigration
- Help and guidance

The presenter will focus on research in Australia, England, Ireland, and Scotland but is able to provide guidance on research in other regions. The cost includes notes and morning and afternoon teas. Participants need to bring their own lunch and a notebook and pencil if required.

Janice Wellard's passion is for family history research. She has over 30 years' experience using records from Australia, England, Scotland, Ireland, Canada and the United States to discover family history, and enjoys sharing family history with others.

Cost: \$50 for GSQ members and \$60 for non-members **Venue:** GSQ, 38 Fisher St, East Brisbane **Bookings are essential.**

Tuesday 4 March • 10.00am - 4.00pm

GSQ visit to the State Archives

GSQ has organised a visit to the Queensland State Archives (QSA) for members on Tuesday 4 March. The visit will include a presentation about the Archives, a tour of the facilities and time for research. This is a great opportunity if you have not been to the Archives previously. If you have been previously, come along and undertake your research with pleasant company.

Members should arrive at the QSA at 435 Compton Road, Runcorn by 10am. If you require transport, we are arranging car-pooling from GSQ at East Brisbane at the cost of a gold coin. You must be at 38 Fisher Street by 9.15am. There is also an opportunity to attend the LDS library nearby if members are interested.

We need to advise the QSA of numbers, so please email gsq1@opusnet.com.au or phone 3891 5085 to let us know that you are attending and your transport arrangements. Also let us know if you want to visit the LDS.

You need to bring your lunch as there are no shops available. There is a microwave and a fridge available for researchers and tea and coffee. We hope to see you on the 4 March.



Events continued

Saturday 15 March • 9.30am - 11.45am

Finding grandma: Tracing the female line - Marg Doherty, President, GSQ

Finding details on your female ancestors can be difficult. In this session, women's roles in society in earlier generations will be discussed as will tips on how to discover information on the women in your family.

Cost: \$10 for GSQ members and \$15 for non-members **Venue:** GSQ, 38 Fisher St, East Brisbane **Bookings are essential.**

Monday 17 March • 10.00am - 12.00noon

Friendly societies and family historians - Helen Smith

Friendly societies played a pivotal role in the support of people in the development of Australia. They were insurance agents, education facilities, social groups and more. There are a variety of records that were kept by these organisations which are a treasure trove when found.

Cost: \$10 for GSQ members and \$15 for non-members **Venue:** GSQ, 38 Fisher St, East Brisbane **Bookings are essential.**

General Meeting

Saturday 1 March • 10.00am

GSQ is continuing with three General meetings during the year. This provides members with an opportunity to raise issues of concern (or provide positive feedback.) The first General Meeting for the year is on Saturday 1 March commencing at 10am.

After the meeting we will hold a problem solving (Brickwall) session for members. Go to the Members' only section of the GSQ website and fill in the Brickwall form with your problem. Scan the completed document and send it to gsq1@optusnet.com.au by Friday 21 February.

Experienced family historians will also attend the Problem Solving/Brickwall session and we hope the meeting attendees will also get involved and provide feedback. This is a members' only session and the aim is to provide members with further ideas to assist their research.

World War 1 Project

The Society's Queensland wide WW1 Project is progressing but we could use some more help from members as 2015 is fast approaching.

If each member could canvas their local area - community halls, churches, schools, masonic lodges, council chambers, historical museums and businesses for World War 1 Honour Boards /Rolls of Honour/Memorial Plaques and let us know their whereabouts, it would be helpful.

We are only interested in the Honour Boards located inside buildings or attached to those buildings and/or their gates.

Local memorials situated in or attached to public parks and the like, are being excluded from this project.

To ensure that we do not duplicate what has already been done, please contact me at lyn.ww1@gmail.com

Ideally a digital photograph and the transcription of the names on the Board would be most helpful. An electronic file is available for use.

Also If anyone is interested in identifying and researching the names already gathered please contact me .

I look forward to hearing from you, **Lyn Caldwell, Co-ordinator GSQ WW1 Project**



GSQ in your local BCC library

If you missed any of these at GSQ they are now being presented at your local library. Please make bookings on 3403 8888

Kenmore: Exploring ancestry.com, Thursday 6 Feb 2014, 10am -12noon

Fairfield: Finding Scottish Ancestors, Tuesday 11 Feb 2014, 10:30am - 12:30pm

Bracken Ridge: Introduction to Family History, Wednesday 12, 1:30-3:30pm

Carina: Exploring Ancestry.com, Monday 10 Feb 2014, 1 - 3pm

Stones Corner: Exploring Ancestry.com, Thursday 20 Feb 2014, 11am-1pm

Carindale: Finding Grandma-Tracing the Female Line, 10am-11:30am

Indooroopilly: You've collected all the information about your family history but don't know how to write it down, Saturday 22 Feb 2014, 10:30am-12:30pm

Brisbane Square: Australia and WW1, Sunday 23 Feb 2014, 10:30am - 12:30pm

Everton Park: Exploring Irish ancestors, Tuesday 25 Feb 2014, 1:30 - 3:30pm

Mt Ommaney: Finding Scottish Ancestors, Tuesday 25 Feb 2014, 10am - 12pm

Zillmere: Exploring FindMyPast UK, Ireland & Australia, Wed 26 Feb 2014, 10am - 12pm

Chermside: You've collected all the information about your family history but don't know how to write it down, Wednesday 26 Feb 2014, 1 - 3pm

Ashgrove: Exploring Irish Ancestry, Tuesday 4 March 2014, 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Mt Gravatt: Researching the UK, Wednesday 5 March, 11am-12:30pm

Bracken Ridge: You've collected all the information about your family history but don't know how to write it down, Wednesday 5 March, 1 - 3pm

Garden City: Australia & WW1, Friday 7 March 2014, 10:30am - 12:30pm

Carina: Enhancing your family tree with Google, Tuesday 11 March 2014, 10am - 12pm

Corinda: Australia & WW1, Wednesday 12 March, 1 - 3pm

Sunnybank Hills: Australia & WW1, Saturday 15 March, 10am - 12pm

Indooroopilly: Exploring Ancestry.com, Thursday 20 March 2014, 10:30am-12:30pm

Bulimba: Introduction to Family History, Saturday 22 March 2014, 10am - 12pm

Nundah: Australia & WW1, Saturday 22 March 2014, 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Brisbane Square: Nursing as a Respectable Profession, Sunday 23 March 2014, 10:30am-12noon

Fairfield: Exploring Irish Ancestry, Tuesday 25 March 2014, 10:30am - 12:30pm

Stones Corner: Enhancing Your Family Tree with Google, Friday 28 March 2014, 1 - 3pm

Chermside: Finding Grandma-Tracing the Female Line, Saturday 29 March 2014, 1 - 3pm

Holland Park: Australia & WW1, Saturday 29 March 2014, 10:30am - 12:30pm

Queensland State Archives

For What's on at the Archives check

<http://www.archives.qld.gov.au/Whatson/Pages/Seminars.aspx>

Using microfilm and indexes workshop 25 February 2014

8.30 am - 9.30 am at the Queensland State Archives, Public Search Room.

New microfilm equipment and Public Search Room computers have been installed by Queensland State Archives to provide enhanced functionality for researchers.

Learn to use the Archives' new microfilm equipment, including scanning and saving records to USB from microfilm. The session will also teach you how to use our new Public Search Room computers which will provide access to the catalogue, the Archives' website, the Internet and our indexes.

You will be required to bring your own USB device.

Entry is free. Bookings essential due to limited places for a maximum of eight attendees.

To book, please call 07 3131 7777 or email info@archives.qld.gov.au

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Interest Groups

English Irish Group

The first English/Irish group meeting will include several short presentations. Knowledgeable Irish researcher, Bobbie Edes will present on Irish Townlands using examples. Also there will be a presentation on Leicestershire, England with the another on County Down in Ireland. Everyone is welcome to attend with the doors opening at 10am and the meeting commencing at 10.30am.

Scandinavian Group

The next meeting of the Scandinavian Interest Group will be held on Sunday 16 March 2014 at 12:30pm. Guest speaker will be Odd Steinar Dybvad-Raneng, talking about Scandinavian emigration to USA from a Norwegian perspective.

Writing Your Family History Group

The first English/Irish group for 2014 will include several short presentations. Knowledgeable Irish researcher, Bobbie Edes will present on Irish Townlands using examples. Also there will be a presentation on Leicestershire, England with the another on County Down in Ireland. Everyone is welcome to attend with the doors opening at 10am and the meeting commencing at 10.30am.

Convict Connections Group

Happy 2014 and welcome to another year of meetings for those interested in Colonial and/or Convict History. First meeting is Sunday February 9, 2014 and includes the AGM. The doors are open 9:30am - 3:00pm. Plenty of time for help and research. A short meeting is held at 11:00am with Val's presentation this month on- 'The Female Factories'
Bring your lunch and enjoy the company or seek help from fellow researchers. Love to see you all there.

German Interest Group

The German Interest Group will meet on Sunday 30 March from 10am to 2.30pm.

First World War/Military Interest Group

NEW

With the commemoration of the commencement of the First World War in 2014 and the resultant interest in our ancestors' experience at war or on the home front, GSQ is commencing the First World War/Military interest group. All members are welcome and a discussion will occur at the first meeting on the 23 March to determine the final format for the group. GSQ members Russell Fraser, Les McFadzen and Geoff Doherty will assist with the group so come along to the meeting with your military interests.

Scottish Interest Group

Our next meeting will be at 10.00 am on Sunday 2 March, everyone welcome.

Family Tree Maker Users' Group

Next meeting will be Sunday March 9 from 10:30am to 12pm Come along and learn more about how to use Family Tree Maker.

Legacy Family Tree Users' Group

Next meeting will be Sunday March 9.

Legacy 8 is well and truly out and it has some lovely new features to make data entry easier. Drop in to take a look. Learn how it will search Family Search for the person you have highlighted in your tree.

This Group will meet from 1pm to 2:30pm

Don't forget to watch the webinars that Legacy provides. Checkout <http://www.legacyfamilytree.com/webinars.asp#archives>

There is now a Legacy Virtual Users Community within Google Plus. If you need to know more about Google Plus please come to the next group meeting.

If you are having any family tree program problems before then please email GSQ and we will try to answer your questions.

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Sunday 2 • 10.00am to 2.30pm	English/Irish Group
Monday 3 • 10.00am to 12.00md	Monday Morning Natters. GSQ - Gold Coin Donation
Friday 7 • 9.00am to 11.00am	North Brisbane Branch Meeting
Saturday 8 • 12md to 4.00pm	GSQ Open
Sunday 9 • 9am for 10am to 3.00pm	Convict Connections
Wednesday 12 • 12.15pm to 3.00pm	Redlands Branch Meeting
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Wednesday 26 • 10.00am to 2.00pm	Beaudesert Branch Meeting
Wednesday 26 • 6.00pm to 9.00pm	GSQ Wednesday Night Opening

MARCH Dates to Remember

Saturday 1 • 10.00am	General Meeting
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