

The

Friendly

Times

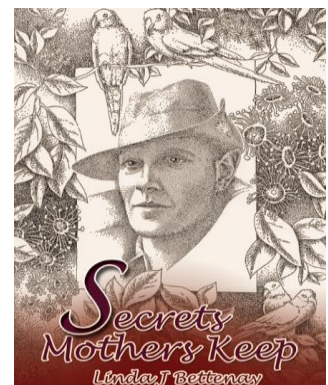
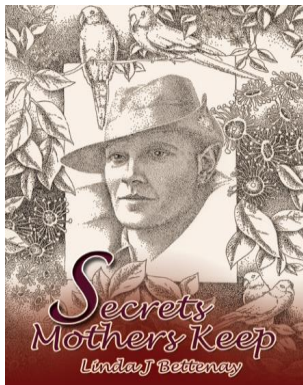
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Serpentine Jarrahdale
Library Friends Inc.

July Author Visit Introducing **Linda Moore**

Talking About Secrets Mothers Keep



Since 2008, Linda Moore has owned and edited the Roleystone Courier. She has honed her passion for storytelling in her debut novel “Secrets Mother’s Keep”, published under her birth name Linda J. Bettenay.

In early 2012, Linda’s husband Mike found that instead of his grandfather dying as a war hero, as he had always been told, something a lot more sinister and mysterious had happened to him. Linda’s book is a fictionalised account of the terrible circumstances that gripped the family after the event.

Come along and hear Linda talk about her book and her experience as an author

Date: Thursday 24th July

Time: 6pm

Place: Serpentine Jarrahdale Community Resource Centre

Cost: \$5 each for non-members, members free

RSVP for catering purposes: Jan Skillington on 0432 873 327 or

Mundijong Public Library on 9526 1133

Calling all Members, families and friends

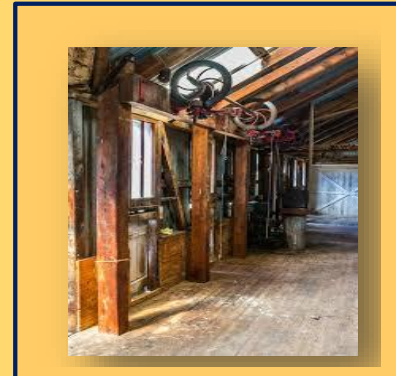
Member's June Outing

When: Saturday 28th June

Where: Trevor Keating's Museum
7 Medulla Road Jarrahdale
(1st left on Medulla Road)

Meet 11.30am at Trevor's
BYO Lunch at 12.30

Attractions: Trevor's extensive collection of Old Time memorabilia
Poetry recitations



Come along and enjoy a fun day out!

Presidents Report

June 2014

Hi everyone!

Welcome to the winter edition of The Friendly Times.

The Friends have continued to provide successful events, such as the talk by Anna Jacobs, during the first half of the year and our membership continues to grow. We hope you are all enjoying attending.

The Committee elected in October 2013 determined the Friends group should become more involved in Library organised events, as well as delivering events for member participation. With this in mind we recently provided catering for the author talk by Barbara Gurney, organised by the Library staff, a very successful event. We also nominated our Library in the Library and Information Association's Favourite Library competition. Many thanks to all those who voted and I'm sure it will be no surprise to hear that Mundijong Library won the WA section! They deserve it! Don't forget to give them your congratulations next time you visit the Library.

The Friends next event for members, a visit to Trevor Keating's Shearing Museum, is to be held on Saturday 28 June – so watch out for the details!

Regards to all,

Jan Skillington

President

Serpentine Jarrahdale Library Friends Inc



**Book Sale
Dates
2014**

Friday - 7 February
Friday - 7 March
Friday - 4 April
Friday - 2 May
Friday - 6 June
Friday - 4 July
Friday - 1 August
Friday - 5 September
Friday - 3 October
Friday - 7 November
Friday - 5 December



**Secondhand
Book Sales!**

Items available will include non-fiction books, novels, children's books, DVDs and magazines

AF 9.30am - 12 noon
Mundijong Public Library

This service provided by

Serpentine Jarrahdale
Library Friends Inc.

**Coming Book Sale dates: June 6th,
July 4th and August 1st**

SJ Community Fair



The SJ Community Fair is being held
on Saturday August 16th 2014

We are looking for volunteers for our
successful book stall

If you like to be on the roster for the
stall please contact Jan on:

0432 873 327

SJ Remembers

A Mundijong Public Library Oral History Project

The SJ Library Friends group is co-ordinating this project for the Library and, to date, five interviews have been completed, with others planned for the next few months. The Library also has a collection of interviews recorded some time ago on cassette tape which are currently being digitized.

Transcribing the interviews to text is the next task – a quite time consuming, but interesting, one – taking several hours.

We have a small dedicated team of transcribers who are toiling away at their computers, transcribing interviews already prepared, but we would be thrilled if there are other members who would be interested in taking part in the project as transcribers. Training will be given and the necessary software provided.

For further information please contact:

Jan Skillington on 0432 873 327 or jmskillington@westnet.com.au

or Lizelle Smith (Librarian) on 9526 1152 or lsmith@sjshire.wa.gov.au

From the Library Manager's Desk.....

By now you are probably aware that we won the WA's Favourite Library as part of a national campaign by the Australian Library and Information Association. Thank you to Jan Skillington who nominated us with the following words.

'The Library Manager and her staff meet the challenge of a too small library building for such a fast growing community by creating a warm, welcoming atmosphere and providing many fascinating and stimulating services and events for the appreciative community'

Thank you for voting for us and a very **big thank you** for being part of the library community as the SJ Library Friends and you as individual members. It is excellent that you give us such support and so professionally run your own series of events and meetings. The financial support and friendship is appreciated. I congratulate you on helping the library staff achieve this recognition.

Regards

Lisa

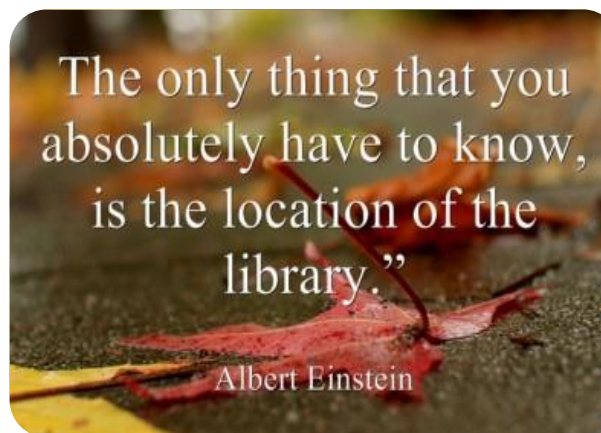
**Australia's
Favourite
Library**

Adopt A Shelf

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to adopt a shelf/bay at the library. Although many people have adopted a shelf/bay there are still lots of opportunities to grab your own special shelf/bay and make your mark on it.

If you would like to adopt a shelf/bay please contact the friends committee and we shall advise you of how you can help your local library.

Contact Tamara Vicini via email:
tamara.vicini@me.com



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