



HISTORY ON THE TOMAREE PENINSULA

The guest speaker at the next meeting of Tomaree Ratepayers and Residents Association will be Jan Corr, Secretary of Port Stephens Historical Society, who will speak on the work of the Historical Society and on History in Tomaree.

TRRA's Submission on Council's Tourism Strategy has highlighted the potential to present our nationally significant history in a Tomaree interpretive centre, of interest to both residents and visitors. Unlike other tourist attractions this would be unaffected by seasonal conditions. The Association has proposed that such a Centre feature indigenous history, exploration of the area, early settlement and industries, marine and natural ecology, and World War 2 history.

Looking to the future of Nelson Bay Town Centre, it has been suggested that aspects of our history be incorporated into the architectural theme of the area in future developments.

The meeting will also provide an update on major local issues including the Nelson Bay 2030 (CBD) Strategy, the Tourism Strategy, the Futures Project, the Fly Point New Years Eve rave party, Graffiti control and plans for the Foreshore.

The meeting will be held at 7.30 p.m. on Monday 10 August at Nelson Bay Bowling Club. All welcome.

Further information:

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