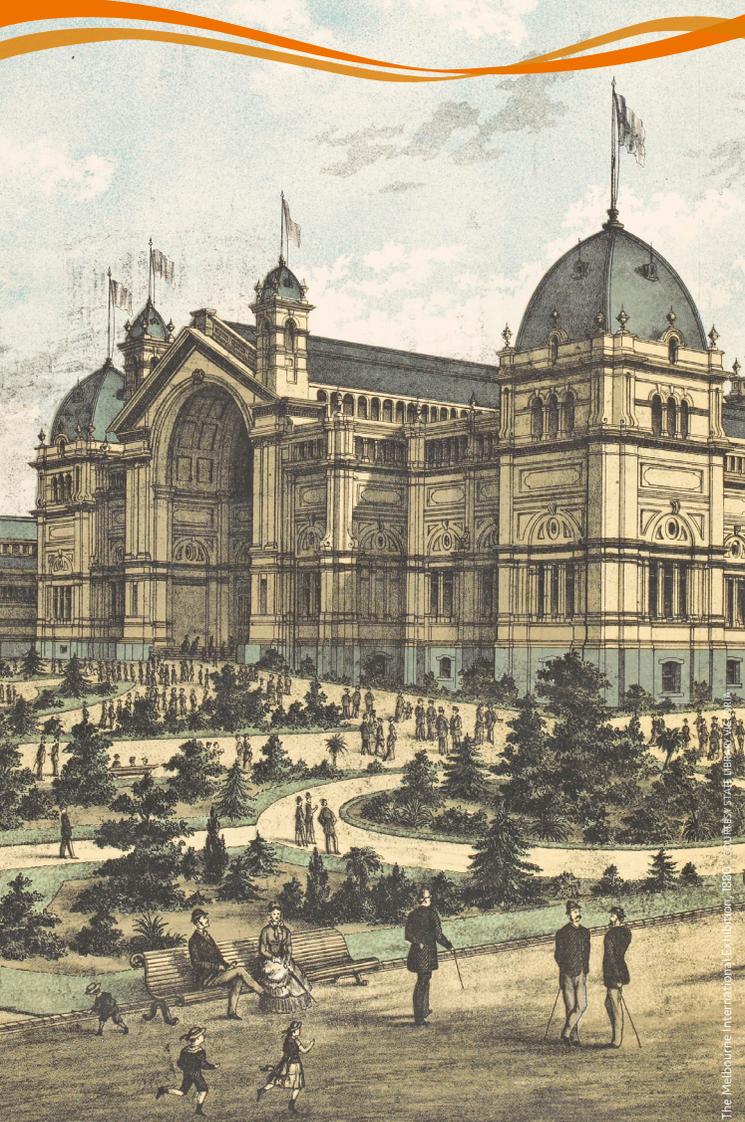




Marvellous Melbourne

THE CHALLENGE OF CHANGE



The Australian Garden History Society's 38th Annual National Conference Friday 27 to Sunday 29 October 2017 Melbourne, Victoria

The Society's conference will provide a forum to examine the effects of pressures on public and private gardens and cultural landscapes, with special reference to Melbourne. The extraordinary growth of Melbourne in the 1880s and the legacy of gold provided the wealth to create mansions and gardens and engendered the civic pride that inspired the development of the city's grand parks and avenues. The conference will explore the social and economic pressures, which have in the past and will continue to affect these early foundations and look at the challenges for conservation, urban planning and garden design in adapting to change.

The conference will be held at the State Library of Victoria, centrally located and within easy reach of a range of accommodation and public transport. A day of lectures on Friday will be followed by 2 days of garden visits, ranging from the grand to the small and experimental. Monday's optional day tour will explore the Dandenong Ranges.

Urban historian Professor Graeme Davison AO will open the conference by revealing the boomtime city of Melbourne and the changes to city and suburbia. Further speakers will look at responses to the pressure of population, climate change and decreasing space for gardens and present some exciting and innovative solutions both implemented and proposed. These include Mary Chapman, Project Manager, Parks and Waterways, City of Melbourne; John Rayner, Director of Urban Horticulture, University of Melbourne; Dr Peter Sergal, Director of Hamilton Gardens, NZ; MMBW map enthusiast Malcolm Faul and garden owner the Hon. Justice Julie Dodds-Streeton, QC.

Conference Lectures and AGM

Friday 27 October

Registration: 8.00 am State Library of Victoria,
State Library Theatrette, 179 La Trobe Street, Melbourne

Conference Dinner

Saturday 28 October

Dinner 7.00pm
The Terrace, Royal Botanic Gardens, Melbourne

Garden Visits

Saturday 28 October & Sunday 29 October

8.30 am Coaches depart from the Arts Centre,
100 St Kilda Road, Melbourne

Both public and private gardens from the inner city to the eastern suburbs have been selected to enhance the conference theme. Visits will include historic gardens in Camberwell and Hawthorn, hidden gems in Toorak and a contemporary garden in Alphington. A number of the gardens to be visited are rarely open to the public.

Optional Day

Monday 30 October

8.30 am Coaches depart from the Arts Centre,
100 St Kilda Road, Melbourne

The optional day tours private gardens in Kilsyth, Olinda,
Sherbrooke and Sassafras in the Dandenong Ranges.

Tours

Pre-Conference Tour

Monday 23 October – Wednesday 25 October

The 3-day/2 night pre-conference tour. Organised by the Victorian Branch and based in Camperdown, explores the expansion of particular pastoral estates on the volcanic plains of the Western District from 1847. The tour will be led by conservation landscape architect and long-time AGHS member, Pamela Jellie and is limited to 50 people.

Post-Conference Tour

Tuesday 31 October – Monday 13 November

14-day/13 night Post Conference New Zealand South Island tour. Lynne Walker invites you to join her on a personal tour of her home island exploring a wide range of extraordinary gardens from coastal to high country, castle to courtyard and enjoying great cuisine and wines along the way. Tour begins in Christchurch and is limited to 45 people.

Details can be found on the AGHS website
www.gardenhistorysociety.org.au

27, 28 and 29 October 2017

Registration form

Full Conference Registration

Friday-Sunday

27, 28 & 29 October 2017

\$590 x = \$ _____

Includes Lectures, Garden visits, Conference dinner, lunches, morning and afternoon teas.

Conference Dinner – Additional Guest

(Limited numbers)

\$120 x = \$ _____

Monday Optional Day Tour 30 October*

Includes lunch, morning and afternoon tea

\$150 x = \$ _____

Pre-conference Tour with Pamela Jellie*

Monday 23 October – Wednesday 25 October 2017

Departing Melbourne, includes 2 night's accommodation, all meals and garden entries

Twin or double share (per person) \$750 x = \$ _____

Name of share person _____

Single \$850 x = \$ _____

New Zealand South Island Tour with Lynne Walker*

Tuesday 31 October – Monday 13 November 2017

Land content only

Twin or double share (per person) \$6750 x = \$ _____

Name of share person _____

Single \$8180 x = \$ _____

AGHS Annual membership

(For new member applications only)

Individual \$72 x = \$ _____

Household \$98 x = \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

* Priority given to full conference bookings.
TOUR ONLY bookings accepted after Friday 30 June.
You must be a current AGHS member to join a tour.

Title _____ First Name _____

Surname _____

Preferred name for name badge _____

Dietary Requirements:

No requirements Vegetarian Gluten free

Postal Address _____

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Phone No. _____

Email Address _____

Name of partner/other included in this registration form:

Title _____ First Name _____

Surname _____

Preferred name for name badge _____

Dietary Requirements:

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Email Address _____

Cancellation Refund Policy

- Prior to 26 August 80% refund
- Between 27 August to 26 September 40% refund
- After 27 September No Refund

Privacy I do not wish my details to be included on the participants list for conference delegates.

DISCLAIMER: Travel insurance is the sole responsibility of the delegate. The AGHS holds no responsibility for the cancellations of accommodation or flight bookings.

- Delegates are reminded that they must travel on the official buses for garden visits. Individual vehicles are not permitted.
- The AGHS asks that any delegates with disabilities or impairments to notify the office ASAP so that you can be accommodated.
- Please note that some gardens featured in the garden visits and tours do feature uneven ground and semi steep terrain.

Payment options

Bookings open on Thursday 1 June 2017

Please note: This document will be a 'Tax Invoice' when you make a payment. Please keep a copy for your records.

Tax Invoice: ABN 97 291 212 843

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Please book directly through Try Booking

<https://www.trybooking.com/NTNT>

OR return completed form to AGHS, Gate Lodge, 100 Birdwood Avenue, Melbourne 3004 with payment by one of the following options:

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AGHS-BSB 012 040 Account No. 2177 29708

Use as reference: Name (initial & surname) CONF17

Completed: _____ Receipt No: _____

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Expiry Date /

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Cheque / Money Order

Payable to 'Australian Garden History Society'

All delegates must be AGHS members.

Many options for accommodation are available in or close to Melbourne CBD. All accommodation bookings are the responsibility of individual delegates. Accommodation for tours are as indicated.

Delegates wishing to book return flights are advised to make bookings after 8.00pm on Sunday 29 or Monday 30 October.

For further information phone AGHS office
03 9650 5043 or 1800 678 446