



## Sydney Conference 10-12 September 2021

### Program

#### DAY 1 Friday 10 September

7:30 Registration Crystal Ballroom, Luna Park

8:20 Delegates to be seated

8:30 Welcome To Country – Yvonne Weldon

Convenor's Welcome – Christine Hay

AGHS Patron's Address – Tim Entwisle

#### SESSION 1: Chair – James Quoye

9:00 Keynote Speech: The Pleasures and Politics of Gardening in the Colony of New South Wales – Grace Karskens

9:40 Aboriginal Sydney – A Long History of Adaptation and Continuity – Michael Ingrey + Paul Irish

#### **10:20 Morning Tea**

10:50 Camden Park: William Macarthur's Garden Then and Now – Edwina + John Macarthur-Stanham

11:30 The People's Park: Centennial Park to 1901 – Paul Ashton

12:10 Wendy Whiteley and the Secret Garden – Wendy Whiteley + Janet Hawley

**12:55 Lunch** – (boxed) Optional walk to Wendy Whiteley's Secret Garden or video

#### SESSION 2: Chair - Bronwyn Blake

2:20 Sydney's 'Cosmopolitan Conservationists' – Why Their Vision Remains – Janine Kitson

3:00 'One of Nature's Choicest Masterpieces': the Changing Representation of Sydney Harbour in Art 1788-1988 – Dr Ian Hoskins

3:40 Housekeeping

#### **Afternoon Tea**

4:00 Walk to buses

4:10 Wheels roll for Waverton (Carradah Park and Balls Head Reserve)

5:45 Sunset drinks at the Coal Loader Platform

7:15 Buses every 15 mins return to Luna Park via Milsons Point + Nth Sydney stations

## **DAY 2 Saturday 11 September**

8:20 Delegates to be seated

### SESSION 3: Chair – Steve Halliday

8:40 AGHS 2022 Tasmania Conference Presentation

9:00 60s and 70s Modernist Gardens – Colleen Morris

9:40 Many Voices of the National Oral History Collection – Roslyn Burge

### **10:20 Morning Tea**

10:50 Futurists for Garden History – Bronwyn Blake + Stuart Read

11:20 Summation – Chris Betteridge

11:30 Housekeeping and walk to Milson Point wharf to board private ferry

### **12:00 Cruise departs for Eastern Suburbs** (Lunch on board)

Disembark ferry at Rose Bay wharf

Buses wheels roll for Vaucluse House or walk to Rose Bay Cottage

**Afternoon Tea** at Vaucluse House

5:30 Drop off Hyde Park (City)

5:40 Arrive back at Luna Park

7:00 Canapes and drinks (Kirribilli Club)

7:30 Seating for Conference Dinner and MC welcome – Speaker Peter Watts  
(Kirribilli Club Ballroom)

## **DAY 3 Sunday 12 September — Western Suburbs Garden day**

8:00 Boarding at Luna Park

8:15 Wheels roll for Haberfield, Parramatta and Horsley Park

6:00 Arrive Kingsford Smith Airport – times for actual drop off at terminals vary -  
allow delays for traffic

6:30 Arrive back at Luna Park

### **Optional Day — Monday 13 September**

8:00 Boarding at Luna Park

8:15 Wheels roll for Mt Annan, Cobbitty and Camden

6:00 First bus to arrive Kingsford Smith Airport – actual drop off at terminals  
dependant on numbers

6:30 Arrive back at Luna Park and/or Hyde Park

**(Details subject to change)**