

Seniors Festival at the Historical Society Wednesday 6th April

Moruya and District Historical Society Invites all Seniors to -

**NSW
SENIORS
FESTIVAL**

Telling Old Stories with New Technology

9.30am to 1pm



Session Details

Ancestry in Moruya Library

Your co-ordinator for both sessions is Janene Love who will take you to Moruya Library from the Historical Society. For those unfamiliar with the area the Museum adjoins the Council land so it is a short walk to the Library. We will have a number of volunteers in the library to assist you get started with Ancestry. If you have a device you would like to bring along wi-fi is available in the Library and you will be able to use it to log into the Library's Ancestry.

Oral History

These sessions will be held in the Meeting Room which is at the rear of the Museum building. Brian Harris will be your session leader. Oral history interviews are grounded in reflection of the past and personal experiences so even if it is your own family members you wish to interview for your genealogy research it is important to know how to conduct a successful interview and gain the information you are seeking. Brian will be giving you ideas on how to prepare and organise for an interview to achieve the best results as well as what not to do.

Trove and more

Wendy Simes will lead these sessions and will be introducing you to Trove, the National Library of Australia wonderful search facility. We will focus on how to gain the most from the Newspapers which have been digitised in Trove as well as a quick look at other Newspaper search engines such as PapersPast in New Zealand. To use Trove you do not need a National Library card but with a card you can access many interesting e-resources from your home computer and we will also take a look at these and how to become a member.



BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL AS NUMBERS WILL BE STRICTLY LIMITED



APPLICATION FORM

Name..... Phone.....

Address.....

Email.....

Please select a different Group for each session.

Time	Events	Selection ✓
9.30 – 10.00	Welcome and Morning Tea	
	Session1	
10.00 – 11.15	Group 1 Ancestry in Moruya Library	
10.00 – 11.15	Group 2 Oral History in the Meeting Room	
10.00 – 11.15	Group 3 Trove and Newspaper searching in Gene room	
	Session 2	
11.30 – 12.45	Group 4 Ancestry in Moruya Library	
11.30 – 12.45	Group 5 Oral History in the Meeting room	
11.30 – 12.45	Group 6 Trove and Newspaper searching in Gene room	
	Tour of the Museum if group finishes early	

Gold coin donation appreciated

Drop your application in personally to the Gene room at 85 Campbell Street Moruya on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 10am and 2pm. Phone bookings on 4474 3224 during these hours. Email your application to secretary@mdhs.org.au or post to Seniors Event MDHS PO Box 259 Moruya.