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Hi to all of you in this time of self-isolation. Are you well? I've had no news from anyone so hopefully my family saying is correct and "no news is good news". As the government starts to ease restrictions, I know that I am beginning to look forward to resuming activities like Family History Meetings. Maybe my next newsletter will have a date or two to add to the calendar.

I know you are aware, but just a reminder that:

May's Street Stall Fundraiser is cancelled!

Who Are We?

As Yvonne mentioned in the last newsletter, I am hoping to include a small segment that tells us a little about each other. I think that for people like me who are new to the group, it would be helpful and maybe interesting for old hands as well. It would be great if you could send me a brief piece to include over the coming months. (tanya2fbr@gmail.com)
Just to get us started...

I'm Tanya. In my former life I was a Primary School teacher for many years. Before that, I was a High School teacher. I love to travel and have explored widely both overseas and in Australia. I've been researching my family history for more than 15 years. Since I was working until last year, the bulk of my research experience has been online or from speaking to people. My family tree currently has more than 5000 people and is still growing. All branches go back at least 8 generations and many go beyond 10. My goal is to eventually complete 2 books – one for my side and the other for my husband's family. Wish me luck!



Online Research

Have you tried and bookmarked NSW's new Births, Deaths and Marriages shortcut? <https://familyhistory.bdm.nsw.gov.au/lifelink/familyhistory/search>

Explorer's Tree Magazine

Yes! Rhonda still needs items. rwflowers@optusnet.com.au

Just for Fun

With luck, we'll all get to see each other soon. In the meantime, take care and enjoy your family tree work.

