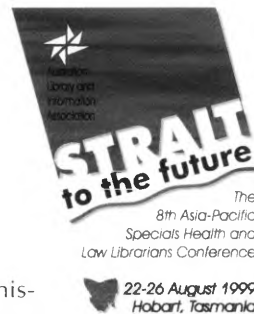


Cultural activities planned...

Strait to the future, Special Health and Law librarians conference, 22-26 August 1999



To complement the exciting conference program, a variety of social events have been planned to tempt delegates to the conference, beginning with a welcome supper and the official opening of the trade exhibition on Sunday 22 August. This evening will feature a wide selection of Tasmanian food and wine and will provide an opportunity to meet colleagues and wander the trade exhibition in a relaxed atmosphere. The welcome function will be held at the conference venue, Wrest Point Convention Centre.

Continuing the Tasmanian flavour on Monday evening delegates will be guests of the Governor, Sir Guy Green at a cocktail party at Government House. Numbers for this event are limited so book early when you receive your registration brochure (in next month's *inCite*). The conference dinner will be held on Wednesday evening at Hobart's City Hall and will be a spectacular. Dinners are also planned for the Health and Law groups to take advantage of the unique venues, food and wine that Tasmania has to offer.

Several pre- and post-conference tours have also been arranged for delegates who wish to take advantage of their visit to Tasmania. These include:

- **A Battery Point ramble:** Visit historical museums, antique shops, Arthur Circus, Kelly's Steps, Salamanca, Knopwoods for pre-lunch drinks. See a demonstration game of Royal Tennis and lunch at the historical courts.
- **Secret Gardens tour:** Visit the House of Herbs for morning tea, Island Fudge factory to sample the fudges, and Ashfield Gardens. Lunch will be hosted by a local identity in a private home.
- **Port Arthur tour:** Day trip. Visit the Salamanca Markets, then travel to Eagle Hawk Neck and the historic convict settlement at Port Arthur.
- **Richmond Village:** A half-day trip to the historical village of Richmond. Visit the Richmond Gaol, see the famous Richmond Bridge and wander around the many excellent craft shops.
- **For the adventurous:** Harley bike rides to Mount Wellington available any day, or take a wilderness flight to the south-west of Tasmania with Par Avion.

See you in Tasmania in August!

Chris Richardson, publicity convenor

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