



# *In Touch*

## *Echuca Historical Society Inc. Newsletter*

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### **Border Flywheelers Club**



An enjoyable morning was had by members and friends who attended the Flywheelers Club in Barham.

### **Our Mediterranean Settlers**



The Mediterranean

Settlers Exhibition was a great success with those who attended treated to an afternoon of food and entertainment. The exhibition was opened by Mayor Adrian Weston.

The Exhibition features the stories of families from the Mediterranean countries who settled in Echuca



### **"We Fought the Good Fight"**

Echuca Historical Society continues to document each year of World War 1. This year's Exhibition held from March until May featured letters from 1917 which were sent home by soldiers from France, Belgium, Palestine and happier times spent on leave in England.

### **Bus Stop Warren Street**

The service runs from the Old Post Office on the hour starting at 9am, out to Cunningham Downs arriving at 9.15 and returning to the old Post Office at 9.30.

Cost for 2 hour ticket: Concession \$1.40  
Adult \$2.40

### **New Exhibition**

Our next Exhibition to be held is "The Wedding Dress through the Years".

We will be bringing our wedding gowns out from storage and presenting a small exhibition within the museum.

Margaret Hart is coordinating this exhibition so if you are interested please contact her on 54826235. We anticipate the exhibition to run from 8<sup>th</sup> of September till 29<sup>th</sup> of October.

Recently Mesh Thomson & Dot Hammond attended a training and information workshop run by Australian Maritime Museum. The workshop showed how to plan and create a travelling exhibition. It was a very interesting day and with luck Echuca will be represented with a panel in their new travelling exhibition titled "Submerged" available in 2018.

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