



ALBURY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

INCORPORATED

WIRADJURI COUNTRY

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MISSION STATEMENT & SOCIETY OBJECTIVES

Albury & District Historical Society acknowledges the Wiradjuri people as the traditional custodians of this land and this river. We pay our respects to the Elders past, present and future for they hold the memories, culture, tradition and hopes of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people that contribute to our community.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Albury & District Historical Society values and conserves information and stories about Albury and district and shares that information and those stories to provide meaning for today and a vision for tomorrow.

DIVERSITY STATEMENT

Stories are better when the storytellers represent the vast experiences of the people who tell them. We are committed to doing that while being inclusive of all groups within our community.

OBJECTIVES

1. To contribute to Australian history by promoting the study of aspects of Albury and district, especially with regard to the history of:
 - (a) Wiradjuri and other First Nations People
 - (b) European Settlement
 - (c) Family History
 - (d) Immigration and Refugee Settlement
 - (e) Culture and way of life of the area
 - (f) Economic, social and political developments
 - (g) Sporting and Community Clubs and Associations.
2. To promote the compilation of accurate historical records including current events.
3. To foster the interchange of information among members of our Society and the general public, via digital media, lectures, readings, discussions, and exhibitions of historical interest and value.

4. To use our Society's influence to help secure the conservation of places and objects of historic value and interest.
5. To use our Society's influence with the appropriate authorities to encourage the conservation and storage of local historical objects and artifacts.
6. To affiliate and co-operate with other societies and institutions having objects similar to those of our Society.
7. To publish and distribute journals, periodicals, books and undertake other forms of publication. In particular, to publish a periodical known as "The Bulletin" and a Society website.
8. To foster and develop historical expertise in the community to support history and heritage projects.
9. To encourage members, affiliates and the community to think critically and creatively about history so as to provide a foundation for future generations.