

FRIDAY 17 MAY



James Macarthur

PARRAMATTA AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY
EXCLUSIVES & EMANCIPISTS
Foundations of Australian Democracy

Friday 17 May 2019 | 7.30pm – 10.00pm

The foundations of our Australian democracy had a shaky beginning due to the differences between the former military officers and free settlers, known as the Exclusives, and the former convicts, known as the Emancipists.

Come along to question 6 people, Elizabeth & James Macarthur, Elizabeth Macquarie, Samuel Marsden, architect Francis Greenway and Mary the Maid, about their different viewpoints. Then join us for supper and discuss whether the Exclusives or the Emancipists were correct.

VENUE: Hambledon Cottage Coach House
Corner Gregory Place & Hassall St, Parramatta

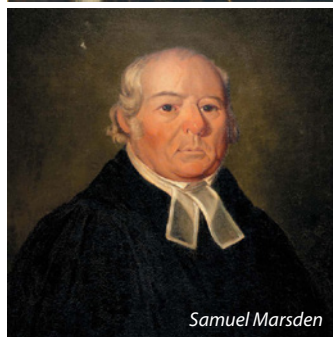
SUPPER: Will be served following enactment

BOOKINGS: Essential. Phone 9686 1873 or 9871 4155 or email parramattahist@tpg.com.au

PAYMENT: \$30.00 per person
(by Direct Deposit BSB 062223, Account 00900240,
or by Cheque to PO Box 1384, Parramatta 2124)



Elizabeth Macarthur



Samuel Marsden



MONDAY 20 MAY



The Sydney Wars by Stephen Gapps

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THE SYDNEY WARS
by Stephen Gapps

Monday 20 May 2019 | 7.30pm

Sydney-based historian and museum curator
Dr Stephen Gapps will discuss his book
THE SYDNEY WARS

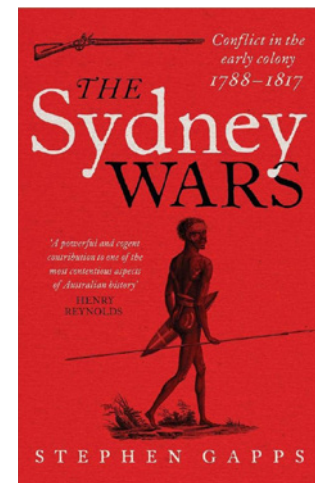
Set in the first years of colonial Sydney, the talk relates the history of military engagements between Europeans and Aboriginal Australians. It gives a detailed account of the warfare that occurred across the Sydney region from the arrival of a British expedition in 1788 to the last recorded conflict in the area in 1817. It shows that white settlers lived in fear, while Indigenous people fought back as their land and resources were taken away. This violent conflict formed part of a long period of colonial strategic efforts to secure the Sydney basin and, in time, the rest of the continent.

Come along and hear this intriguing story.

VENUE: Burnside Gardens Community Centre
3 Blackwood Place, Oatlands

The lecture is free and will be followed by supper.

All enquiries phone Ilma McKee 9874 6607





Convict Lash.
Re-enactment Castle Hill 2004



Firing Brown Bess Musket.
Re-enactment Castle Hill 2004

“Liberty or Death!”

This was the cry when over 200 convicts staged a rebellion in 1804 against colonial authority, the first and only major convict uprising in Australian history. It was dubbed the Second Battle of Vinegar Hill after the first Battle of Vinegar Hill in 1798 in Ireland.

The guides at Hambledon Cottage, Gregory Place, have thought-provoking Australian stories to tell you.

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The Society conducts interactive guided tours with groups by appointment every day and individuals on open days Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 11am to last tour beginning at 3pm.

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with one of
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guides.

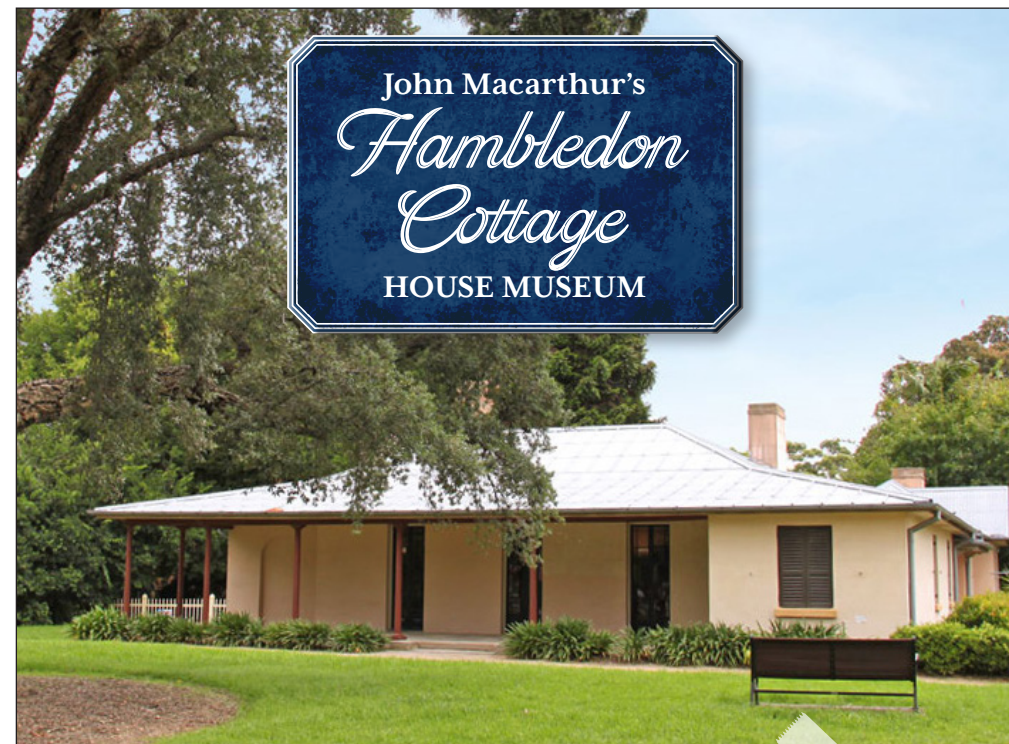


and times of Elizabeth and John Macarthur:

- Turmoil during the convict revolt of 1804.
- Their love story.

The Parramatta & District Historical Society also supplies family stories and historic facts to TV programme:

‘Who Do You Think You Are?’



John Macarthur's *Hambledon Cottage* HOUSE MUSEUM

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