



*Dear Members,*

Susannah Fullerton OAM, finished our 2019 Lecture Program with a delightfully presented and informative lecture on Samuel Pepys. She enjoyed meeting so many members and guests as she circulated freely after the lecture. Susannah would like to return to Mornington Peninsula!

Susannah Fullerton is pictured with Peter McGinley, Chairman ADFAS MP



**2020:** The program of nine lectures and two Interest Mornings is set for 2020 with two special events with Beleura being planned. Season 2020 gets away to a great start with Paul Atterbury on 21 February plus his Interest Morning at Beleura on 22 February. Come wearing striped jackets to add to the festivities if you wish!

If you renew and pay for your membership by 30 November you will go into the draw for a Christmas hamper worth approximately \$100. Bookings for the two Interest Mornings will be taken separately from your membership renewal and you will have received an email about this. New members joining and paying by 30 November will also go into the draw.

**REFLECTIONS on the YEAR PASSED:** It is always dangerous to identify highlights as one can easily overlook something or be subjective, but here goes:

- The quality of the three local lecturers, ranging from Mark Burry telling his story of completing Gaudi's Basilica, to the excellent Garry Martin in June and finishing with Susannah Fullerton.
- The special event with Beleura featuring Bob Sedergreen to a full house audience which was repeated by popular demand.
- The gatherings after the lectures for a good chat. All this occurred despite some foul weather that seemed to strike mainly on Friday evenings.

**MEMBERS LUNCH:** The inaugural lunch on 20 November was most successful and attendees enjoyed the interesting and amusing talk by Mornington Councillor, Antonelli Celi. Thank you to those who attended and made this possible. The lunch will be arranged again for November next year given the success this year.

Thank you to all of our members who supported ADFAS MP throughout the year. Your constant attendance and encouragement to others to join has enabled our Society to flourish.

**BEST WISHES FOR THE SEASON:** Your Committee extends its best wishes to all members of our Society and your families for the Season and throughout the New Year. We look forward to seeing you and your guests in 2020.

*Peter McGinley*

*Chairman*

**2020 INTEREST MORNINGS**  
**Bookings: Vicky Davison 0407 810 877**

**SATURDAY 22 FEBRUARY**  
**10.00am – 12.30pm**

**PAUL ATTERBURY**

*The Golden Age of Travel*



**SATURDAY 8 AUGUST**  
**10.00am – 12.30pm**

**LUCREZIA WALKER**

*Russian Revolutionary Art  
and Amazons of the Avant Garde:  
Russian Women Artists of the  
Revolution*



