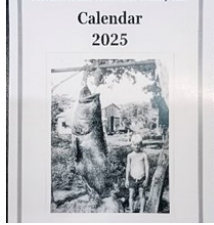


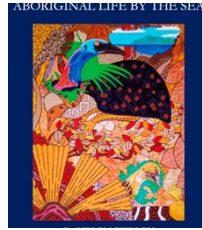
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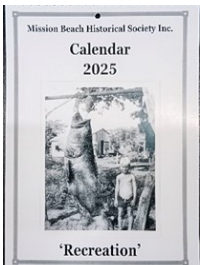


Congratulations and grateful thanks to the incoming MBHS committee, elected on 7/11/2024, at the AGM.

Returning members: Valerie Boll (President), Deidre Holmes (Vice-president), Ken Gray (Secretary), Clive Smith (Treasurer), Committee members: Penelope Goward, Margaret Remilton, Diane Bull, Rotha Jago and Lina Bauer and Leonard Andy (Djiru cultural advisor), Meryl Harding (Visual Artist).

Heartfelt thanks to all for their time, commitment, contributions and dedication.

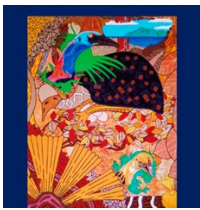
## Launch of the MBHS 2025 calendar



Celebrating World Cassowary Day at the September Mission Beach monster market was a perfect opportunity to launch the **MBHS 2025 limited edition calendar**.

Each month has a compelling historic image chosen from the 'Recreation' exhibition, which took place at the Mission Beach Library last May-June and relevant dates for our district. Copies are available at C4, 55 Porters Promenade, 10am to 2pm, Monday to Friday, \$12 each.

## Djiru people – a new history on MBHS website



Local historian, Helen Pedley has written two important histories in collaboration with Leonard Andy, Djiru Traditional Owner, for Mission Beach: "Djiru People" and "According to Banfield" have been published on **mbhs.com.au** and are available in abridged versions.

## MBHS at the 1st Far North QLD Heritage Expo



On the 7th of September 2024, the Mission Beach Historical Society joined various museums and history groups at the Herberton Mining Museum, which hosted its first Far North Heritage Expo.

A fantastic variety of activities, tours, speakers and exhibition stands were on offer celebrating a big day of history.

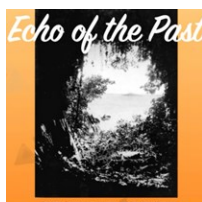
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### Cassowary Coast Historical Societies combined meeting



Every three months the historical societies of Innisfail, El Arish, Mission Beach, and Cardwell meet up to exchange ideas, let each other know what projects they are working on, network, and socialise.

MBHS hosted the meeting, which was held on the 25/09/2024, at Bingil Bay and was well attended with representatives from 3 societies and a staff from CCRC.

The informative networking event took place at Ninney Rise and lunch at the Mission Beach Tavern.

### Streets in Mission Beach



Interested to learn more about the streets in Mission Beach?

**Volume 2 & 4 of the Street and Place Names** history have been published on the MBHS website and cover the villages of Mission Beach, South Mission Beach, and Carmoo.

Queensland Globe Maps show the areas involved.

### Echo of the Past Exhibition—back in Mission Beach



If you missed the Mission Beach Historical Society inaugural exhibition 'Echo of the Past – Historical photographs from Mission Beach, 1890s – 1950s', the photographic part of the show (framed photos and slide show) is back at the Mission Beach library, 2018 Tully Mission Beach Rd, until the 19/12/2024, 10am to 5pm, Monday; 9am to 5pm Tuesday to Friday; and 9am to 12pm, Saturday.

With thanks to FRRR -Tim Fairfax Family Foundation and Cassowary Coast Libraries and Museum.

## About Us—Mission Beach Historical Society Inc

The **Mission Beach Historical Society Inc** is a friendly group of amateur historians. We are putting together stories of our local people, industries and events. We also collect photographs, family histories and newspaper articles.

Interested? Like to volunteer some time? Become a member?

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