NOTICE OF
62ND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting for 1988 will be held in the
The Tavern Cinema, 5th Floor, Adelaide University, Union Building

THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER 1988

AT 7.45 PM

(The AGM will precede the address by Professor Ronald Berndt).

1. Apologies:
2. Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting:
   Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting, held in the
   Conservation Centre, 120 Wakefield Street Adelaide on Monday
   23rd November 1987 having been circulated will be taken as read and
   confirmed.
3. Annual Reports:
   Annual reports from the President, Secretary and Treasurer, having
   been circulated in this journal, will be taken as read and a motion
   called for their acceptance.
4. Election of Officers:
   The election of Office bearers for 1989, to be carried out in accordance
   with the Rules and By-Laws of the Society.
5. Speaker:
   Professor Ronald Berndt will address the Society.

R. Allison
Hon. Secretary
120 Wakefield Street
ADELAIDE SA 5000
Minutes of the 61st Annual General Meeting, held in the Conservation Centre 120 Wakefield Street Adelaide on Monday 23rd November 1987 at 8.00 pm.

Apologies: Peter Sutton

Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting, held in the Conservation Centre, 120 Wakefield Street Adelaide on Monday 24th November 1986 having been circulated were taken as read and confirmed.

Annual Reports. Annual reports from the President, Secretary and Treasurer, having been circulated were accepted.

Election of officers for 1988. The following members were elected to Office for 1988:

- President Steven Hemming
- Vice President Philip Clarke
- Secretary Rob Allison
- Treasurer Ron Hewitt
- Librarian Margaret Nobbs

Councillors: Tom Gara
Barbara Wahlstrom
Peter Davis
Christopher Nobbs
Philip Jones.

Speaker: Mr Steven Hemming gave the presidential address and the film "Ngurndjeri" was shown.

Supper was served after the meeting.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Steven Hemming 16th November 1987

This year has been very successful in terms of attendances at the general meetings and the talks presented during the year have certainly attracted these large numbers. Their have been a variety of talks, several examining aspects of the Aboriginal culture of the Lower Murray area. Chris Anderson's discussion of Western Desert art drew the largest audience. Dot paintings in this tradition have become very popular in European art circles during the past few years.

Early in the year, a call was made for people to contribute reminiscences relating to Aborigines. As a result, several interesting items appeared in the Journal and I hope that further stories are submitted next year. Thanks are due to Margaret Nobbs for her efforts in getting the Journal out each month.

The excursion to the Lower Murray area proved to be very interesting, although it is regrettable that it was poorly attended. Those who did attend made up for the lack of numbers by the quality of their interest. It was good for the Society to work with one of the local Aboriginal communities, in this instance the Ngarrindjeri. These people form the largest Aboriginal community in southern South Australia. I would also like to thank the following Ngarrindjeri people: George Trevorro, Tom Trevorro, Rodney Rigney, Henry Rankine, Jean Rankine, Glenda Rigney, Ellen Trevorro and Shirley Trevorro for the time and effort they put into making the trip a success.

In 1988 the Museum will be working with the Ngarrindjeri community, on a project designed to record the social history of their cultural and historic sites. This project will probably require the assistance of volunteers and I hope the Society can become involved in some way. I would like to thank the rest of the Anthropological Society's council for their efforts during the year and I must say that the year has been an enjoyable one.

On behalf of the Council I have pleasure in presenting this report to the 61st Annual General Meeting.

I am pleased to report that this year was a very successful year of activity; with an increase of interest and membership and with a very high standard of speakers being maintained throughout the year.

The following members were elected and during the year 6 Council meetings were held.

President: Steven Hemming
Vice-President: Lawrie Day
Secretary: Rob. Allison
Treasurer: Ron Hewitt
Librarian: Margaret Nobbs

Councillors: Philip Clarke
           Peter Davis
           Tom Gara
           Philip Jones
           Chris Nobbs
           Peter Sutton
           Barbara Wahlstrom

During the year monthly meetings were held and supper was served at the close of the meetings. The following addresses were given:

23rd March: Dr Elizabeth Williams gave an address entitled "Archaeological Experiences - Coopers Creek", elucidating the successes and future of archaeological work in this area.

27th April: Mr Robin Coles, Mount Barker T.A.F.E. addressed the Society on the subject "Aboriginal Sites in the Mt Lofty Ranges! This address was well illustrated with slides.

23rd May: Mr Chris Anderson, Curator at the S.A.Museum addressed the Society on the subject "Contemporary Western Desert Paintings." This address was well illustrated with slides.

22nd June: Messrs Steve Hamming and Philip Clarke, Anthropology Division of the S.A.Museum addressed the Society on the Subject "Aboriginal Culture in Southern Australia: Recent Research". Again the slides were of a high standard.

27th July: Mr Robert Foster, Aboriginal Historian, addressed the Society on the subject "Tibetan History since the Chinese Invasion". A visitor to this meeting was Lama Lhundrup.

24th August: Dr Peter Sutton, Division of Anthropology, S.A. Museum spoke to the Society on the subject of "Preparations for the Totemic Landscapes Exhibition", to be held in New York late next year.

28th September: Dr Peter Leubbers, Archaeologist, addressed the meeting on the subject "Cultural Diversity in the Lower Murray and Coorong - An Archaeologist's Point of View". This was well illustrated with charts and slides.

21st October: Mr Richard Baker addressed the meeting on the subject "Contact History: Borroloola, Northern Territory, Macassan to Dr Who." This address was very well illustrated with slides, charts, slides and tapes.

The following members have nominated for office in 1988:

Christopher Nobbs
Steven Hemming
Tom Gara
Rob Allison
Ron Hewitt
Margaret Nobbs

Peter Sutton
Philip Clarke
Philip Jones
Peter Davis
Barbara Wahlstrom

In accordance with the Society's Rules and By-Laws nominations for these positions closed on November 3rd 1987.

Rob Allison
Hon. Secretary
120 Wakefield Street
ADELAIDE SA 5000

1. GENERAL ACCOUNT - Excluding Kolloch's Account and Grants.

   INCOME
   Subscriptions paid 1987          820.00
   Full Membership                  20.00
   Full Membership Arrears          90.00
   Full Membership Advance          60.00
   Associate Membership            120.00
   Associate Membership Arrears     22.50
   Life Membership                  74.00
   Moana/Historic Booklet Sales     369.00
   Bank Interest                    54.00
                                     1,187.50

   EXPENDITURE
   Journal Postage                  259.55
   Registration                     40.00
   Printing                         15.49
   Stationery                       87.75
                                     540.79
   Conserv. Council Affil. Fee      30.00
   Carbon Dating - Moana Samples    500.00
   Gov. Charges - Tax & F.I.D.      4.22
   Admin. Costs - Subs. Reminder Printing 6.66
   Subs. Reminder Postage          13.93
   Comm. Notices Postage           11.88
   Misc. Stationery                5.60
                                     35.27
   Supper Costs                     32.03
   Miscellaneous - Rejected Subs. Cheque 1,153.95
                                     453.75

   PROFIT FOR YEAR ENDING 30/10/87

2. KOLLOCH'S RECEIPT ACCOUNT - Excluding Grants

   INCOME
   Bank Interest                    258.29

   EXPENDITURE
   Fin. Inst. Duty                  10.10

   PROFIT FOR YEAR ENDING 30/10/87

3. CONSERVATION COUNCIL GRANT

   BALANCE AT 1/11/86

   INCOME
   ---nil---

   EXPENDITURE
   Carbon Dating - Moana Samples   500.00

   BALANCE FOR YEAR ENDING 30/10/87

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**Statement of Receipts & Payments**
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PRESIDENTIAL REPORT FOR 1988

This year has seen a variety of interesting talks along with the viewing of Margaret and Chris Nobbs’ film on the rock art of the Olary Province. This film proved to be very popular and deservedly drew a large audience. In general, attendance at the monthly meetings this year were very good. It is hoped that the planned address to the Society by Professor Ronald Berndt will be a crowd puller and a successful end to the year’s activities.

We did not have an excursion this year, however, the tour of the South Australian Museum’s Aboriginal ethnographic collection attracted over twenty people. The tour ran smoothly and people seemed very interested in the Museum’s holdings.

Over a year ago the Council applied for funds from the Conservation Council of S.A., to assist with the development of an exhibition in the Noarlunga Nunga Centre. We were able to spend the $500 that was received, during this year’s NAIDOC week, on the provision of visuals relating to the Tjilbruke trail. A further application for funds to the Conservation Council was made this year. If successful, it is planned to produce a booklet on the Aboriginal use of the environment in the south-east of South Australia.

Finally, I would like to thank the Council members for their efforts this year and the Society’s members for their support during the 1988.

Steve Hemming
President
Secretary's Report for the year ending 17th November 1988.

On behalf of the Council of the Anthropological Society of South Australia I have pleasure in presenting this report to the 62nd Annual General Meeting.

I am pleased to report that, due to the interest and efforts of the Council and members it has been a successful year of activity with a high standard of speakers and films presentation.

The following members were elected to the Council and during the year 7 Council meetings were held:

President: Steven Hemming  
Vice-President: Tom Gara  
Secretary: Rob. Allison  
Treasurer: Ron Hewitt  
Librarian: Margaret Nobbs  

Councillors: Philip Clarke  
Barbara Wahlstrom  
Chris Nobbs  
Peter Davis  
Philip Jones

During the year monthly meetings were held and the following addresses were given, and films were shown:

28th March: Ms Dean Fergie, Research Assistant, S.A. Museum spoke on the subject "On the Face of It: the Cultural Gender of contemporary Australia".

26th April: Ms Doreen Kartinyeri spoke on the subject "Aboriginal History of South Australia".

23rd May: Mrs Jacqueline Gillen spoke on the subject "The Impact of Tourism on the Innamincka Area".

27th June: Mr Tom Gara spoke on the subject "Aboriginal Sites on the Nullabor Plain".

25th July: Mr Philip Jones, Curator of Ethnography S.A. Museum spoke on "The History of Anthropology in the S.A. Museum".

22nd August: Dr Julie Markus, Anthropological Department, University of Adelaide spoke on the subject "Olive Pink, Anthropologist".

26th Sept.: A film evening was held when the film "Widmakara: Rock Art of the Olary Region" was shown. This film was produced by members of the Society, Chris Nobbs, John Forrest and M. Nobbs.

24th Oct.: Mr Peter Tregilgas, Director of the Aboriginal Cultural Centre Tandanya, spoke about the plans for Tandanya.

The following members have been nominated for office in 1989:-

President: Steven Hemming  
Vice-President: Tom Gara  
Secretary: Rob Allison  
Treasurer: Philip Clarke  
Librarian: Margaret Nobbs  

Councillors: Peter Davis  
Barbara Wahlstrom  

The Council accepted with regret Ron Hewitt's resignation as Treasurer. Ron has served on the Council for 15 years and for 6 years he has served as Treasurer. Council wishes him well in his retirement.

In accordance with the Society's Rules and By-Laws, nominations for these positions closed on November 1st, 1988.

R. Allison  
Hon. Secretary  
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