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CIVIC TRUST**

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## **NEXT PUBLIC MEETING**

Our meeting on Wednesday 9th November will be a general discussion night, at which the recently re-elected C Riding Councillors, Don Evans, Bill Hodson and Ron Payne, will be present to hear your comments and suggestions and answer your questions on Council matters.

**WEDNESDAY**

**9th NOVEMBER 8pm**

This will be an excellent opportunity to discuss the plans and responsibilities of the Council related to Beecroft and Cheltenham and the role of the Civic Trust.

The meeting will be held at our usual venue, St. John's Hall, Beecroft Road, commencing at 8.00 p.m.

Anyone is welcome at these meetings, Trust member or not.

At the close of the meeting, generally about 10.00 p.m. supper will be served.

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One may only guess as to why the installation of the Copeland Road lights has been repeatedly delayed. Perhaps it was the widening of Copeland Road (now dropped), the Traffic Plan for Beecroft Centre (where is that now?) or the proposal for a new fire station.

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#### PRE-ELECTION MEETING

The Trust Committee apologises to any one who was inconvenienced by the late cancellation of our "Meet the Candidates" meeting.

#### RAILWAY EARTHWORKS

Extensive earthworks on railway land near Cheltenham station were recently stopped largely due to the efforts of a nearby resident, who is to be commended on her alertness and persistence. The matter is being followed up through the Public Transport Commission and our State Member, Mr. Jim Cameron.

#### WALK IN THE PARK

About 140 people attended this activity on Sunday 11th September. The preparatory work of the Park sub-committee made the afternoon most informative as well as being very enjoyable.

#### SOCIAL EVENING

The Committee is exploring the possibility of arranging some kind of social function to allow Trust members to meet informally. We would be most interested in your thoughts, positive or negative, on this matter.

#### HORNSBY COUNCIL CONTACTS

Hornsby Shire Council 476 3333  
or P.O. Box 37, Hornsby, 2077.

Cr. Don Evans, Beecroft -  
84 3318.

Cr. Bill Hodson, Carlingford -  
871 7317.

Cr. Ron Payne, Epping - 869 7410.

Council meets every second Thursday. If you'd like to accompany the Trust's representative to one of these meetings contact Alan Thomas on 869-1359.

#### PENNANT HILLS PARK

The Trust's Pennant Hills Park Sub-committee has had discussion with Council on various topics, including -

- \* The extent and nature of work being done on Fire Trails in the Park area
- \* Water Board activities in the Park
- \* Proposals from the Trust for works programs for consideration for 1978
- \* The appointment of a full time Ranger for the Park, which is being considered in the context of Council's Parks and Recreation Dept program
- \* Discussions with Ku-ring-gai Council.

The Lands Department has also requested that a copy of the Plan of Management be provided for their assessment as a prelude to discussions with Council.

#### MEMBERSHIP

New members are always most welcome to join the Trust. The Annual rates are:-

Family	\$5.00
Individual	\$3.00

Should you wish to join for the remainder of this year these rates would be reduced to \$1.60 and \$1.00 respectively.

Subscriptions should be forwarded to -

The Treasurer,  
P.O. Box 31, Beecroft. 2119  
with your name and address.