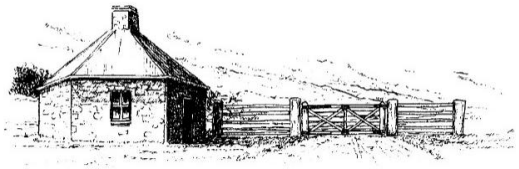

BURNSIDE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Programme for Meetings, Outings & Events 2026

MEETINGS

All meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of the month at 7.30pm in the Hall of the Burnside Community Centre, corner of Portrush and Greenhill Roads, Tusmore. Enter the car park from Fisher Street.

Friends and visitors are most welcome to attend meetings. A $2 donation is much appreciated.

Date	Topic and Speaker
15 June	Topic: The strange death of Robert Buchanan. A cold case from 1839. Speaker: Robyn Heitman
20 July	Topic: Kangaroo Island before colonisation Speaker: Dr Rick Hosking
17 August	Topic: Moving History: The Waite Gatehouse relocation. Speaker: Daniel Raschella
21 September	Topic: Oases in the Desert: the mound springs of inland Australia Speaker: Colin Harris
19 October	Topic: Charles Hope Harris: Surveyor, Astronomer and Toponymist Speaker: Roger Harris
16 November	Quiz Night **End-of-Year Celebration Supper**

The Waite Gatehouse – AUGUST meeting

JULY Meeting

NOVEMBER Meeting

OUTINGS

Wednesday 8 July	Guided tour of Parliament House followed by lunch at The Guardsman
Thursday 17 September	Guided tour of Urrbrae House, visit to the Waite Gatehouse, lunch at the Adelaide University Waite refectory, and self-guided garden walk.