



THE BRITAIN-AUSTRALIA SOCIETY

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<http://www.britozwest.org.uk/events.asp>

ADMIRAL PHILLIP BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday 25th September. Bathampton & Bath

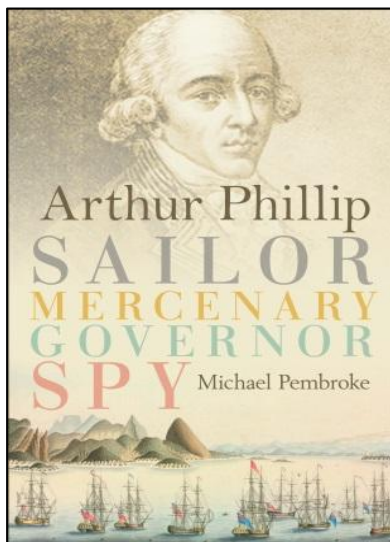
The High Commission will be represented by Ken Pascoe, Consul-General for Australia

Keynote Speaker, The Hon. Justice Michael Pembroke

He will speak at the church and after lunch will have a discussion with Sir Roger Carrick to help launch his new book on Admiral Phillip.

Details and booking: <http://www.britozwest.org.uk/events.asp>

PLEASE BOOK VERY SOON OR REGISTER YOUR INTEREST at rwpavitt@aol.com



Published 2nd September £20.00. e-book £10.00

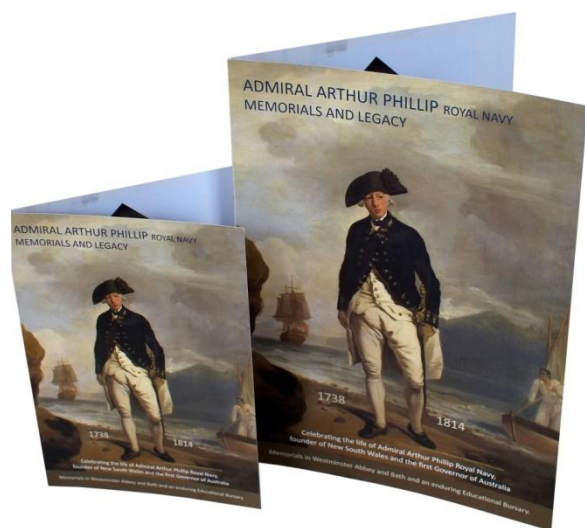
in *Arthur Phillip: Sailor, Mercenary, Governor, Spy* Michael Pembroke, published author, one-time leading commercial silk, and now judge, brings to life his subject's fascinating character amidst the culture, values, fashions and features of Georgian Society. Writing with historical fidelity. Michael unveils extraordinary events that transported Arthur Phillip from inauspicious beginnings as an 'orphan of the sea' to captain's servant and eventually Admiral of the Blue, traversing the globe in the employ of the British, and for a time Portuguese, and founding the colony that he predicted would be the most valuable acquisition to Great Britain.

THE ADMIRAL PHILLIP MEMORIALS APPEAL

Since the West Country Branch mailed members with the request to donate to this important project we have raised almost £40,000. We have been fortunate to receive 3 donations of £10,000 and many others ranging from £2,500 to £10.00 – ALL are most welcome.

The project has been underwritten, and that the Bath memorial will shortly be commissioned.

Hotels in London and Bath are now listed on www.ecttravel.co.uk – There is also the programme of events in July 2014 on this site.



If further travel advice is needed European Connoisseurs Travel, Bath will be happy to give individual help.

FUTURE EVENTS

THE BRITAIN-AUSTRALIA SOCIETY
WEST COUNTRY BRANCH
WITH [THE COOK SOCIETY](#)

“A CELEBRATION FOR
AUSTRALIA”

THE ADMIRAL ARTHUR
PHILLIP RN LEGACY

Sunday 2nd February 2014
Hartham Park, Corsham,
Wiltshire

We look forward also to welcoming
members of the Cook Society to
Hartham Park,

once the home of Sir George Jackson
friend and patron of Capt. James Cook

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Port_Jackson

By invitation of Mr Jeffrey Thomas
Reception, Lunch and The Memorials

Charity Auction

Auctioneer: Mr Richard Thorogood ACIV
Members £35.00

Non Members £40.00 including wine

www.britozwest.org.uk/celebration-auction-2014.pdf



HARTHAM PARK, CORSHAM

THE AUCTION

The Charity Auction will be held after lunch in aid of the Britain-Australia Education Trust and the Admiral Phillip Memorials appeal. PLEASE look in your attics and see if you have any item that would sell and contribute to this appeal. Suggestions please to Richard Pavitt, with a picture if possible so our auctioneer can assess a value and practicability for entry into this event.

BRANCH EVENT 2014

Sunday 27th April. Branch AGM, ANZAC
Lunch at Warminster Garrison and
service at Sutton Veny Church



THE DAVID HARBER & NIGEL FENWICK TRIBUTE
SCULPTURE for The Assembly Rooms, Bath

Richard Pavitt Branch Chairman 8/8/13
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SOCIETY EVENTS 2014 for

THE ADMIRAL PHILLIP MEMORIALS

Tuesday 8th July, London. Welcome
Reception at the Australian High
Commission, 6:00 – 8:00pm

Westminster Abbey – Dedication of
the Memorial Stone – Date TBA: *by
invitation only*

Friday 11th July. Welcome Reception at
the Bath Guildhall attended by the
Mayor of Bath. 6:00 – 8:00pm

Saturday 12th July. The Memorial
Unveiling ceremony at the Assembly
Rooms Bath, Afternoon TBA

Saturday 12th July. The Admiral Phillip
dinner, the Assembly Rooms, Bath
Reception 7:00pm, Dinner 8:00pm

Sunday 13th July. Optional visit to
Lyndhurst with overnight stay

Registration and later formal bookings for these
events MUST be made through:

<http://www.ecttravel.com/index.php/partnerships/britain-australia-society/admiral-arthur-phillip-rn-commemoration>

