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## Speakers list U3A North Coast NSW Region

U3A groups in the North Coast or adjacent areas to the North Coast are invited to contact a guest speaker using their email address. When inviting a speaker please consider offering the speaker the cost of their travel.

Title of presentation and explanation if needed	Duration of presentation	Equipment requested	Presenter name, place of residence, contact detail	Date entered on the list
<b>Caroline Chisholm, the emigrant's friend.</b> A short biography with emphasis on the first two years of her work in New South Wales (1841-3).	1 hour or 1 ½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Lyn Stewart, Gloucester. <a href="mailto:lynstewart@netspace.net.au">lynstewart@netspace.net.au</a>	18-6-2015
<b>The first time white men were tried for killing Australian Aborigines.</b> Based on my book <i>Blood Revenge, murder on the Hawkesbury 1799.</i>	1 hour or 1 ½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Lyn Stewart, Gloucester. <a href="mailto:lynstewart@netspace.net.au">lynstewart@netspace.net.au</a>	18-6-2015
<b>Stress Defence.</b> Stress causes illness and this session shows how to avoid the plague of incoming distress besetting us now. Based on the book "Distress – a Weapon of Mass Destruction"	Two sessions each of an hour and half.	none	Brian Magrath, Dorrigo Plateau. <a href="mailto:thegoodhealthgroup@gmail.com">thegoodhealthgroup@gmail.com</a>	19.06.2015
<b>Shakespeare, Anatomy of a Genius</b>	1 or 2 sessions 1 hour or 1 ½ hours	-	Des Davis, Port Macquarie. <a href="mailto:desfaye81@gmail.com">desfaye81@gmail.com</a>	25-6-2015
<b>Australian Cultural Identity</b>	1 or 2 sessions, 1 hour or 1 ½ hours	-	Des Davis, Port Macquarie. <a href="mailto:desfaye81@gmail.com">desfaye81@gmail.com</a>	25-6-2015
<b>50s to 80s : Australia's Cultural Revolution.</b>	1 or 2 sessions, 1 hour or 1 ½ hours	-	Des Davis, Port Macquarie. <a href="mailto:desfaye81@gmail.com">desfaye81@gmail.com</a>	25-6-2015

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<b>James Meehan - a most excellent surveyor.</b> The Irish political prisoner who served as NSW Deputy Surveyor General and was the colony's principal land surveyor in the early 19 <sup>th</sup> century	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015
<b>Edward Giles Stone - expert in concrete.</b> During the early 20 <sup>th</sup> century Stone pioneered the use of reinforced concrete in Australia,, designing and constructing buildings and vital infrastructure in four States.	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015
<b>Australia - the Biggest Estate on Earth?</b> Bill Gammage contends that prior to European arrival the entire continent had been so successfully managed by Aborigines that it comprised a single estate. But is his contention justified?	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015
<b>D'Arcy Wentworth – from the highway to the high life.</b> The story of one of the early colony's most colourful characters.	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015
<b>The Case of Joseph Sudds – a colonial soap opera.</b> In 1826 Privates Sudds and Thompson of the 57 <sup>th</sup> Regiment brazenly stole 12 yards of calico. Why? And what was Governor Darling's response?	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015
<b>George Caley – botanical collector for Joseph Banks.</b> Caley's contribution to	1 hour or 1½ hours	Data projector, laptop with <i>Powerpoint</i>	Tony Dawson, Port Macquarie <a href="mailto:dragdawson@hotmail.com">dragdawson@hotmail.com</a>	8-9-2015

