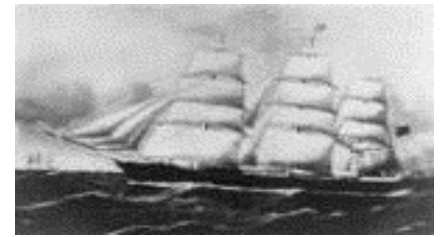




Descendants of
 Cubbin family
 Morris family
 Cox family
 Schrader family and
 Turner family
 attended a meeting
 at the end of
 February 2011.

Front left to right
 Glenys, Jenny,
 Shirley
 Back left to right
 Neil, Ann, Jennifer,
 Wendy, Ern.



Not the Netherby but very similar. No known photos of the Netherby exist!

**Descendant Listing
 Contacts**

Hello once again. We had a lovely meeting in February. There were a few new faces this time and I certainly welcome their attendance.

Every week there is an advance or more questions raised about Netherby 2016. Plus I also get to add new families to the contact list. We are now up to 36 different families. I think I only had about 14 when I first started, so it has doubled. More publicity is what we need!

I am working on creating a list of passengers who stayed in Melbourne, those who continued to Brisbane and perhaps those who returned to the UK.

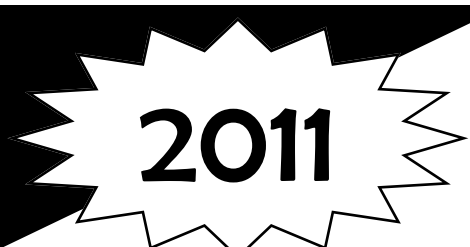
Also I have been in touch with the Benn's on King Island who have confirmed for me that there definitely is some remnants of the Netherby at the wreck site. I became curious when I read somewhere that someone had been able to touch the ribs of the wreck! I think I would like to do this myself!

The National Maritime Museum have applauded our action to celebrate Netherby 2016 and have provided information about government grants.

Sue, from King Island Historical Society has also given me some insight into the ship's bell and it's recent journey to King Island. I hope we might hear some more about the bell and how it took over a year to negotiate it's return and future.

B e t w e e n t h e
 netherby.homestead website
 and my own collection, we
 are in contact with descen-
 ants of the following
 Netherby passengers.

- Adams
- Aplin
- Austin
- Bartling
- Berry
- Bulpit
- Cox
- Cubbin (my family)
- Darlington
- Denning
- Evans
- Goldsworthy
- Grimes
- Groom
- Hanna
- Hickmott (L/house Keeper)
- Hogan
- Lingard
- MacFarlane
- Martin
- Massingham
- Moffatt (Moffutt)
- Morris
- Murphy
- Nally
- Parsons
- Pinnuck (Pinnick)
- Rerden (Reiden Renden)
- Schrader
- Seymour
- Skerman
- Turner
- Watkins
- Webster (Ship's Surgeon)
- Wigley (Wiggley Whigley)



**Netherby Meeting
 Dates**

All descendants/interested persons are wel-

● **Sunday, July 10.**
11am—2pm

Australian Education
Union building.
112 Trenerry Crescent, Ab-
bottsford. 3067

Melway Reference: Map 15 F 11

All descendants/interested persons are welcome to attend.
These meetings are initially without an agenda.

This is a social occasion with a view to sharing and generating ideas for Netherby 2016 and all things Netherby!

Confirmation of attendance is required please.

Tea/Coffee, sandwiches and biscuits will be provided. If you have any dietary requirements—please byo. I am not aware of any kitchen facilities onsite eg ovens or fridge, so it needs to be simple. No smoking or alcohol. We will be bound by the terms and conditions as set by the AEU or J. Cassidy



Williams

If anyone has any thoughts or ideas on how to further promote our need to contact descendants please let me know.

We still need to contact about 160 families. I realize this is a big ask but if we don't try we will never get there.

Don't be afraid to put the word out there!!

Alternatively, let me know and I will investigate. Thank you!



Great Big Ticks

The following items have been given the go-ahead for the Netherby 2016 Celebration.

- ◆ The Ship's bell will be at the King Island Museum
- ◆ Support from the Historical Society, King Island
- ◆ www.kingisland.org.au publishing a link to our newsletter

It may be a small list but it will grow.!

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I have noticed some action on the [netherby.homestead](http://netherby.homestead.com) web page. There are some new people leaving messages and existing members stopping by as well.

If you have not visited Karina's web pages, it is well worth a look. Membership is free.
www.netherby.homestead.com

My husband Ernst is working away at building a website for Netherby 2016. It is a work in progress and is not intended to run in competition with Karina's site. I feel the more there is online the better. All publicity is welcome. Our web address is www.netherby2016.com.au However, it is a blank canvas at the time of writing this.

In short...

Welcome to descendants of the Goldsworthy and Austin families. Both have been in touch and have an interest in the Netherby 2016 Celebration as well as general Netherby information.

Big Thank You

to Jennifer and John. John arranged the rooms in which our group met in February. We will have access again in July for our next meeting. Thank you so much John. I sincerely express my gratitude.

Big Thank You

To Will Johnston, who was unable to attend the meeting but was still working away getting me some extra names to add to our listings.

Don't forget the Cape Wickham Lighthouse 150th Anniversary. King Island November 4 -6, 2011.

Events Tasmania have emailed some information re. grants and marketing ideas/plans. I will wade through the information and make some calendar notes.

Model Shipbuilders. I took a punt and contacted a local club. They will table my interest at their next meeting. I did ask if they would be interested in running some sort of competition in 2016. It need not be recreations of the Netherby.

Take care everyone.
Best wishes
Ann and Ernst



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