

March Flickr Report 2009



Australia's richest online pictorial resource

This month's Outstanding Contributor award winner is Don Shearman

'Don's historic and restored images cover many areas of Australia and include digitised photos prior to World War I. Check out [Don's images](#) on Ourtown and People, Places and Events.'

Participate in an active online community producing, debating, exhibiting and distributing Australian image culture.

<http://www.pictureaustralia.org/contribute/individual.html>

'[Picture Australia: People, Places and Events](#)' group seeks images of social, political, contemporary and or historical events of national significance.

There are 14 images from the Victorian Bushfires in Picture Australia.

<http://www.pictureaustralia.org/search/victoria+bushfire+flickr+2009>

There are 14 images from the Sydney Gay & Lesbian Mardi Gras

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/8773698@N03/3343171917/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/8773698@N03/3337471506/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/8773698@N03/3343289271/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/8773698@N03/3341209944/>

Historical image highlights

http://www.flickr.com/photos/luna_park_melbourne/3366782178/in/pool-pictureaustralia_ppe

http://www.flickr.com/photos/luna_park_melbourne/3366782068/in/pool-pictureaustralia_ppe

http://www.flickr.com/photos/uon/3270569099/in/pool-pictureaustralia_ppe

http://www.flickr.com/photos/donshearman/3437245771/in/pool-pictureaustralia_ppe

No. of images in 'People, Places and Events': 44.843

Difference since last report: 1,816

'[Picture Australia: Ourtown](#)' group seeks your perspective on Australia's rural and urban spaces and work places. Assist us to keep the national collection

current by taking contemporary location shots of historical images already in Picture Australia.

Image highlights

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/20002999@N05/3380616104/sizes/o/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

http://www.flickr.com/photos/earth_kid/3440620757/sizes/o/in/pool-57852979@N00/

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/alch3my/3412769749/sizes/o/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/greeneffect/3409144810/sizes/l/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/20002999@N05/3379861819/sizes/o/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

Historic

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/donshearman/3438045300/sizes/l/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/donshearman/3438049280/sizes/l/in/pool-57852979@N00/>

No. of images in 'Ourtown': 4,089

Difference since last report: 292

'[Re-Picture Australia](#)' group provides public-domain images for you to 'mash-up' into new artworks by sampling these historical images and incorporating your own illustrations and photographs to create new montages and meanings.

Congratulations to Picture Australia Flickr photographer, Rossco for winning the [Pooling Ideas](#) competition.

Rossco contributes to the [Re-Picture Australia](#) Flickr group. This group seeks images that are mashed up (manipulated) from archival photographs in Picture Australia.

The image that won Ross the prize, '[The Argyle Stairs 1930 to 2008](#)' uses an [original image](#) from the Historic Houses Trust of NSW as creative inspiration.

For [more details](#) on Ross's prize.

Check out Rossco's images on [Picture Australia](#).

Image highlights

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/rustie/2510318574/sizes/o/in/pool-621153@N22/>

No. of images in 're-Picture Australia': 65

Difference since last report: 0

Group monitoring:

Emails to 11 participants to improve tagging and description:

Tagging

Full and accurate tagging will bring your images to the top of Picture Australia's search. Adding tags which include subject, event, location, geographical feature, date and photographer all assist people searching for particular images.

Example record:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/adelaide_archivist/2702830979

Images out of the scope of the group: 23

Please see group key messages about the image content sort for each group.

Duplicates: 31

Note: to avoid duplicates

Please load images to 'Picture Australia: People, Places and Events' or 'Ourtown' but not both groups.

Send us your feedback

<http://www.pictureaustralia.org/contact/index.html>

Thankyou for your contributions