

# MEMBERS' NEWSLETTER

## RAILWAY LUNCHEON CLUB

### VISITS INGLEBURN INFRASTRUCTURE DEPOT

On Wednesday 16 June, 33 members made their way south for the Luncheon Club visit to the Ingleburn Infrastructure Depot, or to give its correct name, The Inner South Infrastructure Facilities. After the obligatory sign-in procedures were completed we were met by Dennis Darley, the District Maintenance Manager, who explained the workings of the depot and its role in station presentation.

Dennis is responsible for station maintenance for 36 stations, from Merrylands to Casula, Carramar to Berala and Birrong to Marrickville. The work done by his people ranges from repairs to seats, signage, indicator boards and general building maintenance. A major part of their work is repairs following vandalism.

Ingleburn now has only three permanent staff and most of the work is done by contract labour.

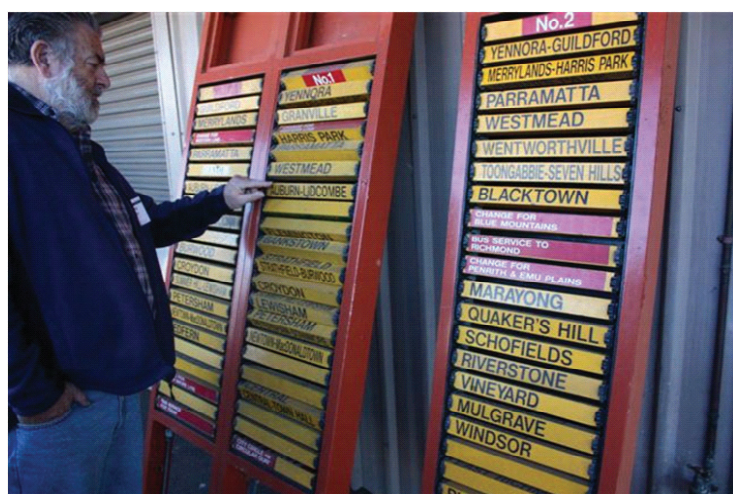
It turned out to be a most informative day and gave the members an insight into a little known aspect of railway maintenance.

Our thanks to Dennis and his staff for their time and answers to our many questions. A nice gesture was the presentation to us of a photo of the M1 Set with Ingleburn on the destination indicator and a welcome message to our group (see image attached). The group lunched at the nearby Ingleburn Bowling Club.

The next outing for the Luncheon Club is to Hamilton on 21 July. Travel is to be by the 8.15am Newcastle Service from Central. Travel in the second front car of the train.

In August we are going to Cronulla, and on 13/14 September it's our two-day trip to Lithgow - please get your bookings in if you haven't already done so, as this tour is limited to 40 people.

*Gary Hughes*



Member Jim Dietsch inspects an indicator board to be repaired at the Infrastructure Facilities depot at Ingleburn. Image: Ed Tonks.

### CHANGED BOOKSHOP OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9am to 5.30pm  
Saturday: 9am to 4pm

## NEW MEMBERS

465	Peter SAGE	Narwee (Rejoining)
3068	Warren MILLER	Denistone (Rejoining)
4310	Georgia ADAMS	Drummoyne (Rejoining)
4360	Stephen MILLER	Penrith NSW
4361	Frank JOHNSON	Peakhurst (Rejoining)
4859	David GOOD	Miranda NSW
4860	Harvey DART	Nowra NSW
4861	Rodney THOMPSON	Gateshead NSW
4862	James SKINNER	Armidale NSW
4863	Stephen PRESTON	Wallsend NSW
4864	Peter WOODHEAD	Eagleby Qld
4865	Stuart KEAN	Berowra Heights NSW
4866	Doug FRASER	Concord West NSW
4867	Kevin WORNE	Mt.Kuring-gai NSW
4868	Wolf HILDER	Carlton NSW
4869	Mark OXFORD	Crawford River
4870	Alec PIGGOTT	Corrimal NSW
4871	Gary BOYLETT	Seven Hills NSW
4872	Daniel PALMER	Alexandria NSW
4873	Bob BARRY	Thornton NSW
4874	Steven SUN	Winston Hills NSW
4875	Ian BOWMAN	Corrimal NSW
4876	Huon BAILY	Werris Creek NSW
4877	William ROBERTSON	Castlecrag NSW
4878	David BOLEWSKI	Cardiff South NSW
4879	Geoffrey KUBANK	Merewether NSW
4880	Stuart DEWAR	Dapto NSW
4881	Stephen A GALL	Violet Town Vic
4882	Colin PURSEHOUSE	Homebush NSW
4883	Peter MASKILL	Cambridge Park NSW
4884	Colin CLARKE	Emu Plains NSW
4885	Jeremy W Wainwright	O'Connor ACT
4886	Terry STURGEON	Malabar NSW
4887	Geoffrey QUAYLE	Glebe NSW
4310	Georgia ADAMS	Drummoyne NSW
4888	Max PERT	Invermay Park Vic
4889	Howard QUINLAN	O'Connor ACT
4890	Raymond J DON	Warabrook NSW
4891	John MITCHELL	Tunbridge Tas
4892	Thomas STANSFIELD	Hurstville NSW
4893	Dave INNIS	Kings Park
4894	Peter COLVER	Port Macquarie NSW
4895	David MORGAN	Rhodes NSW
4896	Peter BRUCE	Coburg Vic
4897	Evan ROCHE	Waitara NSW
4898	David SMITH	Hawker ACT
4899	Keith HOWARD	Bolton Point NSW
4900	Stuart WHEADON	Port Macquarie NSW
4901	David CORDERY	Frenchs Forest NSW
4902	Edward MARKS	Yanco NSW
4903	Norman DUNCOMBE	Umina Beach NSW
4904	Michael PARKER	Castle Hill NSW
4905	Robert STEWART	Glenbrook NSW
4906	Graeme W HOLYER	Burpengary Qld
4907	Michael J PARKER	Newstead Qld
4908	Brian HUTCHISON	Kurri Kurri NSW
4909	Janet McGAW	Mosman NSW