



CHINESE AUSTRALIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC

*For everyone interested in the history and heritage
of the Chinese in Australia*

Welcome to the CAHS Events Programme
Saturday, 18 AUGUST 2012 at 2pm
Sydney Mechanics School of Arts
280 Pitt Street, Sydney
(Bathurst Street end)

Sze Yup Temple in Glebe – Past, Present and Future

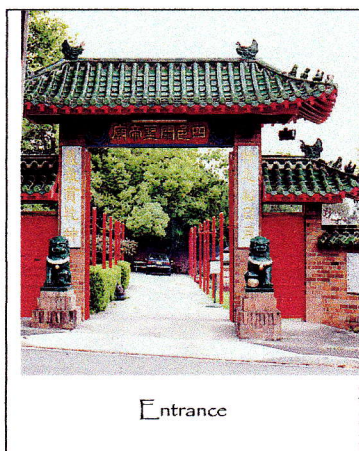
Helen Fong

Built in 1889, when only 12 Chinese lived in Glebe. When Chinese settlers in Sydney decided to build a temple dedicated to the Chinese folk hero and god, Kwan Ti (a warrior and patriot in the era of the Three Kingdoms 220 - 265 AD), they prayed for a sign showing where the temple should be built. This led them to a market garden in Francis Street (now Edward Street) in Glebe. They purchased it for 125 pounds. The temple was funded by the Sze Yup (Four Districts) immigrants, from a county in the Province of Guangdong, China. It was placed on the State Heritage Register on 2 April, 1999. Come and hear Helen Fong, whose father, grandfather and great grandfather were trustees of the temple, reveal the secrets of the temple.

Entry: \$5 includes afternoon tea

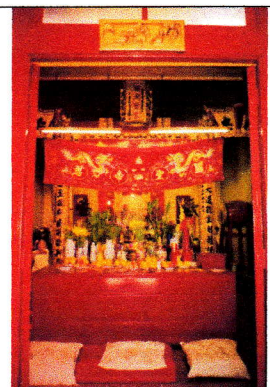
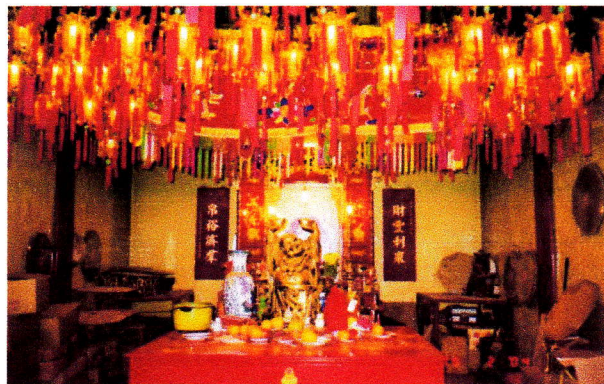
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Entrance

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