

**Launch of the Braine books and Celebration of the Digitisation
of the Bega District News – 1923 through 1954**

The Program

Sunday 3 November 2024 at 12 noon

at the Bega Pioneers' Museum

Timeslot estimate	Speaker	Program Item
12 noon	Kaye Jauncey	Welcome and formality - Acknowledgement of Country.
12.05 noon	Shirley Sproats	Getting to here and an introduction to the program and to speakers.
12.20pm	Yvette Parker, Bega Library	Celebrating the private donorship for digitisation of the Bega District News newspapers 1923 – 1954 on Trove.
12.30pm	Dr Michael Holland, MP	Launch of: The Braine Book – William Henry Braine (1839-1918) and Days of Long Ago compilation of Halby Braine's writings and digitisation of the Bega District News 1923 – 1954
12:50pm	Cecil Scaysbrook, great grandson of William Henry Braine	A few words
	Invitation to anyone wishing to say a few words.	
Conclusion of launch	Shirley Sproats	In closing, cost and availability of the books with 100% of sale proceeds going to the BPM
	Refreshments and good conversations	