## Adopt-a-pioneer Researcher's Guidelines



Thank you for volunteering to research a Pioneer to the Fleurieu Peninsula for our Pioneer Register.

The purpose of this research is to lay a foundation for people who are conducting their own family history research. It is intended that your research should provide the basic information on a **Family Group Sheet**. If you wish to have a **template** please contact Kath Fisher who will email this to you. Do not be overly concerned if you find that some information cannot be found. Just do what you can. However, if you find yourself interested in your Pioneer please feel free to continue your research as far as you would like. You can submit whatever you like as additional supporting information such as photos and copies of documents and newspaper articles. Please acknowledge the source details of these.

Your research will be filed in the **Register** and basic information in the **index card**. However, it will also be added to the online Pioneer Register database which is regularly updated.

## Sources:

- Online sites such as:
  - <ancestry.com.au> <familysearch.org> <findmypast.com.au> <trove.nla.gov.au>
- FPFHG Resource Room will be open every 1st and 3rd Wednesday in the month from 1.00pm to 3.30pm. There will be someone to help you get started. The RR is also open from 12.00 noon on general meeting Saturdays for one and a half hours where you can use the resources for your own research and meet other people doing research.
- SAGHS [Genealogy SA] have a large research library which is at 201 Unley Road, Unley. The library's phone number is 82724222 and it is open from 10.00 am to 9.00 pm on Tuesdays and 10.00 am to 4.30pm on Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday and 1.00pm to 4.30pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays only.
- The State Library and other local libraries have comprehensive collections of sources. Check their online sites for opening times and sources available.
- Note that for quality control all sources must be acknowledged on your Family Group Sheet.

Please feel free to contact either of us or Sharon Green if you need any help.

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