



Dysert O'Dea Clan (Aust)

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The beginnings of the now Australian sub-Group of the **Dysert O'Dea Clan Association** arose in 2005 as a result of the crowning of our own Sue Poole from Williamstown in little 'ole' South Australia as the first woman and Australian to be elected Chieftain of the Dysert O'Dea Clan Association which is centred in Ennis Ireland.

The main aim for the formation of the Australian sub-group was to:

- bring as many Australian O'Dea descendants together as possible to enable them to meet their fellow descendants under a central group;
- enable accurate recording of family trees;
- foster the exchange of information both in the O'Dea genealogy and the three year reunion back in the home land and
- establish an ongoing Australian central location and body to manage the research of the O'Dea clan for the benefit of future descendants of your family members (both current and future).

The sub-group is known as the **Dysert O'Dea Clan (Australia)** and has a constitution in place in place which is sub-servient to the main Association in Ireland. Copies can be obtained on request.

To be a member of the Dysert O'Dea Clan Association requires you to be a member of the Dysert O'Dea Clan Association and live in Australia. This simple act automatically qualifies you for full membership without any additional cost.

All other O'Dea descendants living in Australia who have not joined the Dysert O'Dea Clan Association in Ireland will be classed as Associate members but have no voting rights in the running of the Australian Association day to day business.

Associate members will be able to access and lodge genealogical information but may be charged a fee to access the information.

Mr David Poole is the current Dysert O'Dea Clan genealogical archivist of the O'Dea clan family tree information. Please feel free to contact him and request information via the above post box or by email on pooled@ozemail.com.au.

There is no current fee to join the **Dysert O'Dea Clan Association (Australia)**. Just email Your details to the Secretary : maureencarey@tpg.com.au