# Running order for the "Ripper" weekend Saturday October 30th 2004

## 10am Registration -

Name tags, tea coffee available / browsing the information on display

#### 11am Official welcome

Quick rundown of who is here, what's on and how to contribute.

Then opportunity to meet and mingle, gather and swap information and photocopy stuff and add to /correct information that is provided about family groupings etc.

12 noon

Option of participating in special sessions run by individuals who are undertaking genealogical and family histotical research. Building a picture of the family today

**1pm** Lunch - bring something to have together

2pm to 4pm Option of listening to individuals who have undertaken Ripper family –

genealogical research or just plain catching up.

**6.30pm** Dinner - Good food drawing on Cornish traditional ingredients / recipes

etc. RIPPER CATERING!

Have opportunity during the evening to share stories and "Ripper" yarns songs - lots of scrumpy!

## Sunday October 31st 2004

A range of activities have been planned for participants to choose from.

**9.30pm** Church service at one of the Stratford churches

Self drive or accompanied tours of the area, BBQ / picnic lunch options, socializing with local Rippers and other tourism options

5pm

"Vocal Nosh" - Large group community singing program run by local teacher / musician / singer-Jenny Candy Theme for the Vocal Nosh this time will be - songs drawn from the singing tradition of Cornwall, (similar to that of Wales) and mining - format for the evening is that we are taught simple and stunning / easy to learn songs, taught by ear, no need to know how to read music, sung in multiple parts and harmonies. That we learn a few songs then break for yummy but simple fare of soup and breads (drawn from the traditions of Cornwall) have time to mingle and talk then go back to sing for a further 30 minutes of singing.

### Monday 1st November and Tuesday 2nd November

Overnight bus tour organized to significant sites of Australian Ripper family history in and around Bendigo and Ballarat, the Victorian goldfields and Melbourne. (Dependent on numbers)