



MAILING 339 - JUNE 2024

ANZAPA

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Overseas members should probably aim to upload by midnight Thursday their time.

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*Badendes Mädchen (The
Bathing Girl) by Carl Spitzweg
(1808-1885)*

WHEN I SEEM TO BE GRUMPY...

There was a lot of reaction to my comments in the last OBO that I felt there were too many "genzines" bumping up the page count of ANZAPA. The strength of those reactions made me realise that many people were taking me as being considerably more grumpy than I really was. That's my fault for not choosing my words more carefully, I guess.

Anyway, just for the record, at no stage was I suggesting that I would **ban** members running non-ANZAPA material through ANZAPA. I was just asking people to consider whether that was the best way to distribute such material, and as a courtesy to ask my permission first.

And the next time I have a bit of a rant, take it with a grain of salt or two. Sometimes I'm just blowing off a bit of steam, which is an OBE's privilege.

SOMEWHAT SMALLER MAILING THIS TIME, BUT...

We're still over 500 pages this time, but by the standards of last mailing that's a small total. Unfortunately, that reduction is at least partly because of the news following.

BAD NEWS DEPARTMENT

Jeanne Mealy let me know a couple of weeks ago that Lucy Schmeidler has broken her arm and would have to drop out of ANZAPA. I've passed on our sympathies and wishes for a speedy recovery, but said that I'll keep Lucy on our membership list until she's certain she can't return.

Gary Mason let me know that he won't be contributing this time because of some medical issues, which I'm sure he'll tell us about next time.

On the personal front, my wife Sue has been very ill and spent some time in hospital last month. More information about that in my contribution, which is minimal this time. Hopefully we'll both be in a better position next mailing and I can contribute more. Otherwise the OBE might have to throw out David Grigg for not achieving minac!

POSSIBLE MEET-UP

LynC writes:

Jocko, Gen, Estelle and I are going over to Adelaide for Nullus Axieta in July. We are free for lunch [on Monday 15th July] between checking out of the hotel at 10:00 am and boarding a flight back home at 5:40 pm. So a few hours up our sleeve...

Ideally a local should do the organising, but I'm happy to coordinate.

Note: LynC's original message had an earlier departure time, the above has been corrected with the actual time she advised subsequently.

Membership of ANZAPA as at 8 June 2024

1	Derrick Ashby	6pp Dec-2024
2	Claire Brialey & Mark Plummer	6pp Dec-2024
3	Garry P. Dalrymple	6pp Dec-2024
4	Leigh Edmonds	6pp Dec-2024
5	John & Diane Fox	6pp Dec-2024
6	Bruce Gillespie	6pp Dec-2024
7	David Grigg	5pp Oct-2024!
8	Jack R. Herman	6pp Dec-2024
9	Kim Huett	6pp Dec-2024
10	Christina Lake	6pp Dec-2024
11	Eric Lindsay & Jean Weber	6pp Dec-2024
12	LynC	6pp Dec-2024
13	Gary Mason	6pp Oct-2024!
14	Perry Middlemiss	6pp Dec-2024
15	Murray Moore	6pp Dec-2024
16	Terry Morris	

17	Mark Nelson	6pp Dec-2024
18	John Newman	6pp Dec-2024
19	Roman Orszanski	
20	Marc & Cath Ortlieb	6pp Dec-2024
21	Ann Poore	6pp Dec-2024
22	Margaret & Bob Riep	1pp Oct-2024!
23	Nigel Rowe	6pp Dec-2024
24	Lucy Schmeidler	6pp Oct-2024!
25	Alison Scott	2pp Oct-2024!
26	Gerald Smith	6pp Dec-2024
27	Alan Stewart	1pp Oct-2024!
28	R-Laurraine Tutihasi	6pp Dec-2024
29	Sally Yeoland	6pp Dec-2024

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

No expenditure this time around. Some interest coming in.

Balance from April mailing		\$431.21
Interest:	+\$3.69	\$434.90
Balance carried forward:		\$434.90

ANZAPA CONSTITUTION

The Australian and New Zealand Amateur Publishing Association ("ANZAPA" or "the APA") is an organisation which was established in 1968 by Australian comics and science fiction fans. It publishes a bi-monthly compilation ("a mailing") of amateur magazines or fanzines.

It consists of up to thirty persons or couples, who pay an appropriate fee and contribute to the next available mailing. If there are no vacancies, applicants are placed on a waiting list and invited to join when there is a vacancy.

The APA is run by an Official Bloody Editor ("the OBE") elected from amongst the members when there is a vacancy. The OBE will ensure the collection of zines by the tenth day of each even-numbered month, and their distribution to all members as soon thereafter as is practical, including an Official Organ, which includes a list of the contents, a membership roster, and a financial statement, and annually this constitution. The zines shall be in a medium determined by the OBE, who shall also ensure the maintenance of an archive of all distributions, collect annual fees (due with each August mailing and sufficient to meet the APA's projected annual costs), and maintain the APA's finances. The OBE may appoint an Emergency Editor to perform any of the OBE's duties, and other such assistants as may be required.

To retain membership, a member must contribute a minimum of six A4 pages (or close equivalent) of self-written material every six months. The material should be original and be primarily intended for publication in ANZAPA. What counts as acceptable material for the purposes of minac is at the OBE's discretion.

A President shall be elected annually by means of a popularity poll ("the Anzapoll"), distributed with the August mailing. The President's duties shall be to organise the following poll and 'encourager les autres'.

This Constitution can be amended only by a positive vote of at least 75% of the ballots received by the OBE after the following

procedure: proposals in writing, endorsed by three members, must be sent to the OBE, who will publish them in the following Official Organ; in the second mailing after the proposal's receipt, the OBE shall distribute a ballot, with a specified closing date.

Special Rules may be adopted from time to time, at the OBE's discretion, unless a majority of members oppose the proposed rule within twenty eight days of its distribution.

OBE Executive Orders

(really just OBE requests/preferences)

1. Contributions with coloured backgrounds on text pages give the OBE a headache and in future won't be accepted.
2. If you are going to number your contributions in a non-standard way, such as by omitting page numbers altogether, or starting from a number other than 1, or using Roman numerals or the Mayan Calendar, please advise me of the actual number of total pages each time when you submit so I don't have to count them myself or do arithmetic or consult the Mayan gods.