

# TIME LINE OF EVENTS, Alan Bottomley

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9/05/45

Date	Fit	DESCRIPTION	Age	Sort
24/07/43		<b>Josephine Marie Paton</b> (aged 19) <b>marries Sefton Bottomley</b> at All Saints Church, South Hobart. Mary Gray was bridesmaid.		weddir
2/01/44		<b>Ralph Sefton Bottomley</b> born at <b>St Stephens Hospital, Davy St, Hobart at 5:15pm. Weighed 6lbs 7 ozs</b>	-1.3	Birth
9/05/45		<b>Alan Stuart Bottomley</b> born at 6am at <b>Calvary hospital, Hobart. VE Day; End of World War II</b>	0.0	Birth
24/09/45		"Lauriston" (421 acres) transferred from Len Bottomley to Sefton Bottomley. "Sacriston" sold to Mr Johnstone?	0.4	Lauris
1/10/45		Family moves from "Sacriston" to "Lauriston". Sefton had been working on the house and shed prior to the move.	0.4	Lauris
16/12/45		Alan Christened at St Peter's Church, Barnes Bay. Lucy Correy was Godmother and Dar the Godfather.	0.6	event
24/12/45		Ralph (aged just under 2) gets kicked in the side of his face by a horse. 7 stiches required.	0.6	event
28/02/46		Ross Denne discharged from military service following the end of World War II. He had enlisted on 25/8/1941 aged 26.	0.8	event
30/04/47		<b>Geoffrey Anderson Bottomley</b> born at <b>Calvary Hospital at 6pm. Weighed 7 lbs 3 oz.</b>	2.0	Birth
10/01/48		Ralph (aged 4) <b>accidentally sets the dutch barn on fire</b> and it burns down!	2.7	Lauris
1/04/48		Sefton buys an old lorry from Lune River for <b>£20</b> . Thought to have been transported to Bruny on the ferry "Nebraska"	2.9	vehicl
20/09/48		Sefton gets the old lorry going and takes it on its first trip (round to see Gran (Kate Bottomley)).	3.4	vehicl
1/04/49		Mum has an operation for a tubular pregnancy.	3.9	medic
4/10/49		Max Young buys an <b>Allis Chalmers WD tractor</b> for Sefton, to be paid off when possible.	4.4	vehicl
15/02/50		Ralph starts school at Barnes Bay State School.	4.8	Schoo
9/05/50		<b>Sefton is operated on at the Royal Hobart Hospital and found to have a growth, probably cancer, on his liver.</b>	5.0	medic
28/07/50		Sefton's illness is confirmed as cancer of the liver.	5.2	medic
18/11/50		<b>Sefton Bottomley dies aged 35</b> at the Royal Hobart Hospital from liver cancer, (born 28 December 1914).	5.5	death
21/11/50		Sefton's funeral at Barnes Bay (Alan was staying with Grandma Paton at 10 Star Street (?)).	5.5	event
15/02/51		<b>Alan Starts primary school at Barnes Bay State School.</b> Teacher is Miss Eyres and then <b>Mr Blyth</b> from 1 May	5.8	Schoo
1/03/51		<b>Electricity connected to "Lauriston"</b> (and presumably the whole of Bruny Island at around the same time).	5.8	Lauris
3/01/52		<b>Josephine marries Ross Harley Denne</b> in a Registry Office in Hobart. Ross was aged 38 and Jo was 29.	6.7	weddir
3/02/52		<b>Grade 2</b> at school. Teacher is <b>Mr Blyth</b> .	6.7	Schoo
15/02/53		<b>Grade 3</b> at Barnes Bay school. Teacher is <b>Mr Blyth</b> .	7.8	Schoo
13/01/54		Len Bottomley (aged 69) leaves Bruny Island and goes to live in Liffey. (Date is from an entry in Ross' diary). Returns 1966	8.7	new a
10/02/54		<b>Geoff falls out of the big pine tree</b> and is taken to hospital.	8.8	medic
15/02/54		<b>Grade 4</b> at Barnes Bay school. Teacher is <b>Miss Dorothy Allen</b> .	8.8	Schoo
11/03/54		Ralph is hit on the side of his head by a cricket ball and is taken to hospital.	8.8	medic
13/12/54		Bruny Island vehicular ferry starts with the " <b>Melba</b> ", Barnes Bay to Kettering.	9.6	event
15/02/55		<b>Grade 5</b> at Barnes Bay school. Teacher is <b>Miss Janice Chambers</b> .	9.8	Schoo
15/02/56		<b>Grade 6</b> at Barnes Bay school. Teacher was <b>Mr Barrett</b> (2 terms?) and then <b>Vince Nolan</b> (who taught until the school clod	10	Schoo
20/01/57		Uncle Rob shows us how to develop black and white films. (Diary entry).	11	event
29/01/57		Start last year of primary school. Teacher is <b>Vince Nolan</b> and he wants me to repeat Grade 6.	11	Schoo
3/02/57		<b>Daisy Paton (Grandma) dies aged 69</b> at Kirriemuir .	11	death
19/12/57		<b>Alan's last day at Barnes Bay school.</b> (Did 2 years in Grade 6). (Came top of the school in the examinations)	12	Schoo
1/01/58		New Year's Day picnic with the Youngs under the big oak tree at Rose Banks.	12	event
11/02/58		<b>Alan starts at Hobart Technical High School and boards at Springvale Hostel.</b> Position in class (E4): <b>2nd in each term</b>	12	Schoo
19/02/59		<b>Uncle Rob</b> becomes Rector of the Anglican church in Queenstown. (Transfers to Wynyard 30/11/1967).	13	new a
1/12/59		Alan completes 2nd year of High School. Tops his class (D4) in each term.	14	Schoo
17/11/60		<b>Edwin Davy Bottomley (Uncle Ed) dies</b> in Liffey <b>aged 73</b> Most of his estate was left to Ralph, Alan and Geoffrey in trust	15	death
1/12/60		Alan completes 3rd year of High School. Comes top of his class (C2) in each term. Plays violin in school orchestra.	15	Schoo
11/02/61		Alan is elected to the <b>Board of Prefects</b> . Completes Schools Board. Position in class: Term 1: 4th, Term 2: 5th.	15	Schoo
9/12/61		<b>Embark on a bushwalk to Port Davey with the school Cadets.</b> ! Plaque on Arthur Plains observed 9/1/90.	16	bushw
15/02/62		<b>Alan enrolled for Matriculation at Hobart High School, Leticia St Hobart.</b> Class:A6	16	Schoo
1/03/63		<b>Alan starts a Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Tasmania</b>	17	Schoo
1/03/63		Flatted with Terry Eastman at 2 Grosvenor St, Sandy Bay. Landlady was Mrs Challis.	17	Schoo
1/03/63		Subjects: <b>Physics IA, Geology I, Pure Maths I, Applied Maths I.</b>	17	Schoo
6/01/64		<b>Holiday job with Mines Department, headquartered in Warratah.</b> Job finished 13 March 1964.	18	emplo
11/03/64		Subjects this year: <b>Physics IA, Geology I, Pure Maths I, Zoology I.</b> Flatted again at 2 Grosvenor St, Sandy Bay.	18	Schoo
29/11/64		Tidal zone study of marine life for NSFA on <b>Maria Island</b> (with Sue Bugg). Back to Hobart 2 December.	19	emplo
7/12/64		<b>Started Holiday job with the Mines Department in Waratah region.</b> With David Jennings, David Groves, Glen etc.	19	emplo
5/01/65		<b>Continue Summer Holiday job with the Mines Department</b> in Waratah region. With Brian Eaves etc. Finished 5 Feb	19	emplo
16/02/65		Alan buys his first car; an <b>FJ Holden</b> , surf green. 74,000 miles on the clock. <b>£170</b>	19	vehicl
1/03/65		<b>Physics II, Pure Maths II, Geology II.</b> Master at Springvale Hostel. Then boarding with the Webbs at 39 Lord St.	19	Schoo
10/12/65		<b>Wedding of Ralph Bottomley and Perri Evans.</b> Alan did viva exam for Physics II (Passed).	20	weddir
4/01/66		<b>Holiday job with the Mines Department</b> in Cradle Mtn, Deloraine, and Fingal regions. Job finished 4Mar'66.	20	emplo
15/02/66		<b>Physics III, Geophysics III</b> . Living with the Webbs in 39 Lord St, Sandy Bay. Learnt to play the piano - a little!	20	Schoo
9/06/66		<b>Paul Andrew Bottomley</b> born to Ralph and Perri.	21	Birth
10/06/66		<b>First date with Yvonne</b> (saw the James Bond film "Thunderball")	21	weddir



17/10/66	<b>Proposed to Yvonne</b> and she said YES ! Went to Don Camillo to celebrate! Rang Mum. Yvonne rang her Mum.	21	weddir
26/11/66	<b>Went to Maria Island with Yvonne</b> (and other Geology students including Paul McKibbin, Mick Sheenan etc).	21	Trip
3/01/67	Got a holiday job with <b>Bechtel Pacific</b> working at <b>Savage River iron ore mine</b> . Job finished 1 March '67.	21	emplo
7/02/67	<b>Black Tuesday bushfires in Southern Tasmania, 62 fatalities, 1200 homes destroyed.</b>	21	event
13/02/67	<b>Engaged to Yvonne!</b> Alan purchased the ring from Strugnell and Scott, Jewelers in Burnie for \$134.	21	weddir
20/02/67	<b>Education I, Education IA, Education IIB, Education IIIB.</b>	21	Schoo
24/07/67	<b>ALAN MOVED INTO FLAT No. 3, 1 LINCOLN ST., SANDY BAY</b>	22	new a
19/08/67	<b>WEDDING DAY for Alan and Yvonne</b> at Saint Anne's Church, Montello, Burnie	22	weddir
20/08/67	Alan and Yvonne's <b>honey moon</b> is a caravan trip down the east coast of Tasmania.	22	weddir
30/11/67	<b>Uncle Rob</b> becomes Rector of St Stephens Anglican church in Wynyard (He transfers to All Saints, Hobart on 2/3/73).	22	new a
6/02/68	Yvonne began teaching at Rose Bay High School.	22	emplo
15/02/68	Alan doing <b>Geophysics IV (Honours)</b> . Gains a Second Class Upper Division result.	22	Schoo
10/04/68	<b>Alan Bottomley</b> graduates with a <b>Bachelor of Science</b> degree from the University of Tasmania.	22	Gradu
10/04/68	<b>Yvonne Bottomley</b> graduates with a <b>Bachelor of Arts</b> degree from the University of Tasmania	22	Gradu
5/07/68	Voyage on the "USS Eltanin" oceanographic research vessel. Went into the Southern Ocean for 3 days.	23	overse
5/10/68	Alan is awarded <b>Life Membership</b> of the Tas Uni Badminton Club after joining in 1963. He was President in '68 '69 and '70		badmi
1/11/68	Alan submits his honours thesis: " <b>A Spinner Magnetometer</b> " (A reading thesis was submitted in August 1968)	23	Schoo
11/01/69	<b>Michelle Bottomley</b> born to Ralph and Perri	23	Birth
13/01/69	<b>Alan starts his FIRST JOB: Research Officer (Instrumentation)</b> Chemistry Dept, University of Tasmania)	23	emplo
15/02/69	<b>Alan enrolls for Electrical Engineering IIIB, Pulse and Digital Systems III.</b>	23	Schoo
1/03/69	<b>MOVED INTO 69 QUEEN ST, SANDY BAY</b> (Our first house). Mum lent us money for the deposit, Cost \$9,500	23	new a
2/04/69	<b>Alan Bottomley</b> graduates with an <b>Honours degree, BSc(Hons)</b> , from the University of Tasmania.	23	Gradu
4/06/69	→ <b>First visit to King Island</b> Scheelite mine (with Dr Peter Smith).	24	Sorter
30/12/69	Purchased an <b>FB Holden sedan</b> (in Burnie) for \$490. Ken Lucas re-sprayed it for me.	24	vehick
16/01/70	<b>Wedding of Henk Kremer and Sue Viney.</b> Ken Pearson was Best Man. Reception at Hathaway House, N Hobart.	24	weddir
25/02/70	→ <b>Second visit to King Island.</b> Looked around mine with Stuart Pullar, Peter Kutt, Ray White, Don Whent, etc.	24	Sorter
1/03/70	Yvonne gives birth to a still-born baby. It had anencephaly which affects about 1 in 1,000 births.	24	Birth
12/05/70	<b>Visit from Mr Thompson and Mr Dwyer</b> from CSR Research Laboratories in Sydney. They are to take over development.		Sorter
19/10/70	→ <b>MOVED TO SYDNEY</b> to work on secondment to CSR Research Labs. Worked with Richard Thompson, Eberhard Wulff and Fran		new a
25/10/70	Alan purchased a pink <b>EK Holden</b> (1961 model) (in Sydney) for \$200.	25	vehick
5/11/70	→ <b>Returned to Hobart, via King Island, (3rd visit)</b> to do Elec Eng IIIA exam.	25	Sorter
10/11/70	Passed <b>Control Engineering</b> exam (part of Elec Eng IIIA).	25	Schoo
28/11/70	→ <b>Yvonne flew to Sydney to rejoin with Alan.</b> Stayed 3 nights with Agnes and then moved into a unit in Chatswood.	25	Sorter
1/12/70	Alan and Yvonne moved into a home unit: 20/614 Pacific Hwy, Chatswood. Lived here until return to Hobart in August.	25	new a
2/01/71	→ <b>Wedding of Geoff Bottomley and Carol Thomas</b> at Scots Church. Alan flew back from Sydney to be Best Man.	25	weddir
24/03/71	<b>Sarah Anne Abood</b> born at Crown Street Hospital, Sydney	25	Birth
7/04/71	<b>Wedding of Sue Maginnity to Bob Bidwell.</b> Reception at Agnes' place, 25 Edward Street, Willoughby.	25	weddir
18/04/71	Mum arrived in Sydney to visit us and Agnes and see the new baby (Sarah). Jo returned to Tas on 3rd May.	25	event
20/04/71	<b>Miriam Kate Bottomley (nee Still) dies, aged 89.</b> (Her headstone says she was born in 1882)	25	death
8/05/71	Returned to Hobart for 3 weeks to work on projects in Chemistry Dept. Attended <b>Cess's wedding</b> in Burnie on 15/5/71.		Sorter
22/08/71	Our family departed Sydney to return to live at 69 Queen Street, Sandy Bay.	26	new a
12/11/71	→ <b>Fourth trip to King Island</b> to help with the commissioning of the scheelite ore sorting machine.	26	Sorter
19/11/71	Returned to Hobart with Eberhard Wulff and Frank Dwyer. Took them to Bruny Island etc.	26	Sorter
30/12/71	<b>Wedding of Jim Court and Ruth Cuthbert.</b> Reception was at Carol's, New Town. (Alan was the MC).	26	weddir
8/01/72	<b>Wedding of Judy Fox and Mike Wood</b> at St John Fisher College, Uni of Tas.	26	weddir
21/01/72	→ <b>Fifth (and last) visit to King Island</b> associated with the commissioning of the scheelite ore sorting machine.	26	Sorter
10/02/72	<b>Bought an EH Holden wagon from Motors Pty Ltd.</b>	26	Vehick
25/03/72	<b>Bushwalk to Lake Pedder with Henk and Sue Kremer.</b> (Last chance to see the lake before it is flooded).	26	bushw
9/04/72	<b>William Christian Wales Paton (Grandpa) dies, aged 81.</b>	26	death
13/11/72	<b>Lucas Alan Bottomley</b> born at Calvary Hospital, Hobart. Weighed 7 lb 9oz.	27	Birth
17/11/72	<b>Richard Ross Bottomley</b> born at Calvary Hospital, Hobart. Weighed 6lb 12oz.	27	Birth
1/12/72	Alan admitted to membership of the Institute of Radio & Electronics Engineers ( <b>IREE</b> ).	27	emplo
1/01/73	Alan is re-appointed as <b>Professional Officer</b> in the Dept of Chemistry, Uni of Tas. Working under Dr Smith.	27	emplo
1/03/73	<b>Geoff Bottomley</b> graduates with a <b>Batchelor of Agricultural Science</b> from the University of Tasmania.	27	Gradu
2/03/73	<b>Uncle Rob</b> becomes Rector of All Saints Church, Hobart. (He retires in April 1991)	27	new a
20/04/73	Trip to Burnie in the EH Holden via the Lakes Highway.	27	Trip
7/02/74	Purchased <b>Sheraton lathe</b> for my workshop at 69 Queen Street - \$750 second hand.	28	equipi
11/03/74	Started work, with Tony Grainger, on a special radio control project for Ralph's trucks.	28	emplo
13/04/74	<b>Gordon River and Sarah Island trip</b> with Henk and Sue Kremer, Easter time 1974.	28	Trip
20/05/74	Intersarsity badminton in Adelaide. Alan was captain of the University of Tasmania team.	29	badmi
20/06/74	<b>Bill Denne dies at Great Bay aged 51.</b> He took his own life. (Athol Charles Denne, born 9/4/1923).	29	death
27/09/74	<b>Leonard Anderson Bottomley (Dar) dies aged 88</b> at St Johns, New Town.	29	death
21/10/74	<b>Conceived the idea of magnetic clamping for a sheet metal bending machine.</b>	29	invent
5/01/75	<b>Tasman Bridge disaster.</b> 12 people killed. It takes nearly 3 years to reconstruct the bridge.	29	event

14/01/75	<b>Marion Lucy Bottomley born</b> at Calvary hospital, 6lb 7oz. A daughter for Geoff and Carol.	29	Birth
12/02/75	Alan lodges a <b>Provisional Patent Specification</b> on the <b>MAGNABEND concept</b> .	29	invent
3/08/75	Attended 1st <b>Inventors Association of Australia</b> meeting and began a close association with <b>Geoff Fenton</b>	30	invent
27/10/75	→ <b>Final of "The Inventors" program</b> (Filmed 24.10.75)	30	invent
15/12/75	→ <b>First trip to Perth. Had initial discussions with Nova Machinery</b> for manufacture of Magnabend.	30	invent
30/03/76	→ <b>Second trip to Perth . Help Nova Machinery</b> get underway with manufacture of 1m Magnabend.	30	invent
5/12/76	Alan and Yvonne visit Port Arthur and Saltwater River on the Tasman Peninsular.	31	Trip
1/02/77	Sarah starts school at Mt Carmel College. Alan often dinks her there on his bicycle on his way to work at the Uni.	31	Schoo
15/02/77	<b>Helen and Anne born</b> at Queen Alexandra Hospital, Hobart.	31	Birth
20/04/77	<b>Vein injection by Dr John Large, right leg, followed by compression bandages for 6 weeks.</b>	31	medic
10/12/77	<b>MOVED TO "PINESIDE", LOWER SNUG.</b> Property purchased from Frank Jackson for \$54,000(?)	32	new a
14/02/78	Sarah starts grade2 and Lucas starts Prep at Snug Primary School.	32	Schoo
8/07/79	→ <b>Alan visits Nova Machinery</b> in Perth. Helps make improvements to 1m Magnabend. Returns to Hobart 21/7/79	34	invent
14/12/79	Alan purchases 1971 Torana LC from Danny Newlands.	34	vehicle
1/05/80	Family trip on the <b>Ida Bay Railway</b> , Lune River to Deep Hole. Played cricket on the beach at Deep Hole.	34	trip
11/06/80	<b>Lucy Madeline Correy (nee Denne) dies aged 54</b> of cancer .	35	death
25/06/80	<b>Australian "Magnabend" patent granted</b>	35	invent
2/09/80	→ Alan and Yvonne's holiday to the <b>North Island of New Zealand</b> . (Purchased Pentax ME SUPER camera).	35	Trip
6/02/81	<b>Family trip to Maria Island.</b> (Michelle also with us). Returned 9 Feb 1981	35	bushw
16/08/81	→ Alan and Yvonne visit Judy and Michael Wood in Perth. Alan visits <b>Nova Machinery</b> . Returned to Hobart 26th	36	invent
26/10/81	→ Winning of the <b>Australian Steel Award</b> . Attended presentation ceremony in Canberra.	36	invent
26/11/81	<b>Wedding</b> of Tony Grainger to Fran Baker, St Aloysius Catholic Church, Kingston. Alan was Best Man.	36	weddir
27/03/82	<b>Uncle Rob graduates with a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Tasmania</b>	36	Gradu
30/03/82	<b>Incorporation of Magnetic Engineering Pty Ltd</b>	36	invent
15/04/82	→ Trip to the <b>Hanover Trade Fair</b> , Germany with Geoff Fenton and Tony Grainger. We exhibit the 1250A Magnabend.	36	invent
9/09/82	Building of our new house commenced. Builder is Wally Miller. We move in just 5 months later.!	37	house
29/01/83	<b>MOVED TO "HEATH HILL", LOWER SNUG.</b> House warming party 26 March 1983.	37	new a
19/05/83	→ Trip to <b>USA</b> with Geoff Fenton to establish manufacture-under-licence Agreement. We chose Roper Whitney.	38	invent
4/08/83	→ Magnetic Engineering attends the AIEE Exhibition in Melbourne. Leo Dros from Jorg was there.	38	invent
28/09/83	→ <b>Trip to USA</b> to attend launching of the Magnabend at the FABTECH SHOW in Chicago.Australia wins Americas Cup.	38	invent
10/10/83	<b>Alan resigns as Professional Officer</b> with the Chemistry Department, effective 14/1/84.	38	emplo
11/11/83	→ Trip to Holland. <b>Signed manufacture-under-license Agreement</b> with Jorg Machinefabriek, Amersfoort.	38	invent
6/12/83	<b>Farewell dinner</b> for Alan from the Chemistry Department. (Hobart Pacific Hotel).	38	event
14/01/84	<b>Alan starts as full time employee of Magnetic Engineering (after resigning from Chemistry Dept, Uni of Tas)</b>	38	emplo
1/05/84	Purchase Ford XD Wagon (from Launceston) Not sure of the exact date of purchase.	38	vehicle
1/06/84	<b>Family holiday to Coles Bay.</b> Stayed at Coles Bay Holiday Villas. Climbed Mt Amos etc.	39	Trip
25/06/84	→ <b>Second trip to Holland</b> (sort out manufacturing problems for Jorg Machinefabriek). Visited Thalmann also.	39	invent
16/07/84	Magnetic Engineering employed first tradesman ( <b>John Tonks</b> ).	39	emplo
20/10/84	Alan has <b>1st vein operation</b> on his legs - Royal Hobart Hospital - Dr Murdock(?)	39	medic
18/01/85	<b>Caving trip to Mole Creek</b> with the Tomalins. Camped 2 nights. Visited various limestone caves.	39	bushw
28/01/85	<b>Family walk to the Pipeline Track.</b> Didn't actually make it to Wellington Falls!	39	bushw
28/03/85	Sold EH wagon for \$390 (?)	39	vehicle
12/05/85	<b>Alan's 40th Birthday</b> party at Heath Hill, Snug.	40	Birthd
13/06/85	Installed Stanko milling machine in workshop at Lower Snug.	40	equip
22/07/85	<b>Barbara Young (nee Bottomley) dies aged 74.</b>	40	death
6/01/86	<b>First major bushwalk - Lake Ada to Lake St Clair</b> - 6 days.(Bill Tomalin, John Annells, Terry Reid, Jeannette, me)	40	bushw
26/01/86	<b>Bushwalking trip to Mt La Perouse</b> with Bill Tomalin, Richard Romazko, Yvonne, Geoff Fenton, Edna, and Al.	40	bushw
31/03/86	<b>Car trip to Liffey</b> with our family. The XD Falcon wagon broke down at Cambell Town and we got a bus back to Hobart!	40	Trip
25/07/86	<b>Major snow fall at Snug!</b> The heaviest for 40 years?	41	event
6/08/86	→ Visit Nova Machinery in WA. Introduce 650E and 1250A Magnabend machines. Stayed with the Woods,	41	invent
4/09/86	→ Appearance on " <b>Flying Start</b> " program ( <b>Filmed 4/8/86, screened 4/9/86</b> ).	41	invent
1/01/87	<b>Bushwalking Trip to Lake Sapho</b> with all our family plus the Tomalins.	41	bushw
7/03/87	<b>Yvonne's 40th Birthday</b> party at the Huon Manor.	41	Birthd
13/03/87	<b>Bushwalk to Mt Anne</b> with Fentons and Gills plus Susanna van Essen. Camped on the Anne Shelf.	41	bushw
5/04/87	<b>Bushwalk to the Hartz Mountains</b> with our family plus Steven, Tamsin and Peter Rich and Richard Bottomley.	41	bushw
7/06/87	<b>Bushwalk to Adamsons Peak</b> with Bill Tomalin and Geoff Fenton. Camped near the hut.	42	bushw
6/12/87	<b>Sarah's trip to Italy</b> for 3 months on exchange.	42	ex.stu
7/12/87	Yvonne and Alan participated in the <b>First Australian Masters Games in Hobart</b>	42	Maste
30/12/87	<b>Walls of Jerusalem bushwalk</b> with the Tomalin and Bottomley families. Camped at Zion Gate on New Year's Eve.	42	bushw
30/12/87		42	
6/01/88	<b>West Coast Bushwalk</b> with Fentons, Gills, Carmel Zapner, Hilliary Edwards, Mick Illowski and Helen Gee.	42	bushw
30/01/88	<b>Kayak Plateau Trip</b> with Bill Tomalin, Geoff Fenton and Greg Gill. <b>Lake Augusta to Lake St Clair</b>	42	bushw
5/03/88	<b>Walking Trip to Cathedral Rock</b> with Lucas and Richard.	42	bushw
6/04/88	Employed 2nd and 3rd tradesmen ( <b>Domenic and Richard Wooley</b> )	42	emplo



9/04/88	Visit the <b>Gordon River Power Station</b> with our family plus Mum (Donated by the HEC in recognition of a painting gift).	42	bushw
4/05/88	Admitted to Royal Hobart Hospital for <b>2nd vein operation</b> - performed by Dr Murdock	42	medic
15/05/88	→ Trip to New Zealand to exhibit at the <b>EMEX Trade Fair</b> .	43	invent
22/06/88	<b>Todd Erler</b> (AFS student from USA) arrives to stay with us for 3 months.	43	ex.stuc
17/07/88	<b>Bushwalk to Lake Skinner</b> with our family plus Todd Erler, Richard Bottomley and Stephen Rich.	43	bushw
10/09/88	Sarah (aged 17) moves out of home and into a flat with Leonie Gregson in Sandy Bay	43	new a
28/12/88	<b>Frenchmans Cap Walking Trip</b> with Yvonne, Lucas, Stephen Rich and Darrell Hope.	43	bushw
14/01/89	Sarah moved to Sydney to further her career with AMP and to start a part-time degree.	43	new a
22/01/89	<b>South Coast Walking Trip</b> with Stephen and Peter Rich, Darrell Hope, Lucas, and Richard. (14 days!)	43	bushw
26/01/89	<b>Bushwalk from Port Davey to Western Arthurs and Scotts Peak</b> with Darrell Hope. (Continuation from above walk)	43	bushw
15/02/89	Anne and Helen start school at Mt Carmel College	43	Schoo
18/02/89	<b>Walking Trip the The Hippo</b> with Lucas, Richard and Bill Tomalin.	43	bushw
6/03/89	<b>Tarn Shelf walk</b> with Bill, Sam, Rob, Yvonne, Helen and Anne. (Alan went for a swim in one of the tarns.	43	bushw
26/03/89	<b>Easter walk to Theresa Lagoon</b> with Bottomleys and Tomalins (The troll stories!)	43	bushw
15/04/89	Veteran's badminton trip to Tarraleah and Wayatinah.	43	Vetera
6/05/89	<b>Day walk to Lake Skinner</b> with Darrell Hope to see the deciduous beech (Nothafagus gunnii).	43	bushw
10/06/89	<b>Day walk to Adamsons Peak</b> with Lucas Richard and Stephen Rich.	44	bushw
20/06/89	Sent largest yet export shipment of Magnabend machines (JH Vickery, England)	44	invent
28/06/89	Alan is prescribed <b>contact lenses</b> (-1 dioptre), but changes to ordinary glasses soon afterwards.	44	medic
1/07/89	Veterans badminton weekend at Geeveston (Port Huon). Had <b>Irish Xmas</b> dinner in the Kermandie Hotel.	44	Vetera
16/07/89	Played in the <b>Tasmanian Masters Games</b> in Launceston. Our team won a Silver Medal.	44	Maste
24/10/89	Yvonne buys her first car! - a <b>1984 Ford Laser GL</b> (BS8425), yellow. \$7,700 Waynes CarSales	44	vehicle
25/10/89	Alan has a vasectomy and <b>3rd vein operation</b> on legs, (St Helen's Hospital, Dr Large).	44	medic
8/12/89	<b>Mt Anne Circuit Trip</b> with Lucas and Richard Bottomley.	44	bushw
29/12/89	<b>Mt Field West Walk</b> with Lucas and Stephen. Tomalins and Yvonne and twins did a Tarn Shelf walk.	44	bushw
30/12/89	<b>Diamond Wedding Anniversary</b> for Ken and Lorna Lucas. Celebration at Trevor Street Ulverston (Brian and Sylvia's)	44	weddir
8/01/90	<b>Bushwalk to the Western Arthurs</b> with Bill, Richard, Lucas, Alan(x2) +Christine. <b>Bill was bitten by a snake!</b>	44	bushw
22/01/90	Magnetic Engineering employed first apprentice ( <b>Martin Blaschke</b> ).	44	emplo
29/01/90	<b>Bushwalk to Federation Peak</b> with Darrell Hope, Lucas, Stephen Rich, and Anna Hasan.	44	bushw
3/03/90	<b>Bushwalk to Lake Rhona</b> with Darrell, Yvonne, Lucas, Anne and Helen.	44	bushw
27/05/90	<b>Bushwalk to Cape Hauy</b> with Yvonne, Anne, Helen and Darrell Hope. Visited "Tesselated Pavement" on way home.	45	bushw
9/06/90	<b>Bushwalk to Mt La Perouse</b> with Darrell Hope. Camped at Reservoir Lakes.	45	bushw
1/07/90	Veterans badminton (and golf) weekend at Geeveston. Stayed at the Kermandie hotel.	45	Vetera
21/07/90	First Hobart Veterans Carnival. Warren Walker and Alan were the major organisers.	45	Vetera
5/09/90	→ Family holiday to Sydney. Travelled via the "Abel Tasman" and the train. Stayed with Carole and Brian Abood.	45	Trip
13/10/90	<b>Snow trip to Mt Anne and Mt Eliza</b> with Lucas and Bill and an Elizabeth College group. Met Craig Saunders.	45	bushw
10/11/90	Veterans badminton trip to Queenstown. Called in to Lake St Clair on the way back.	45	Vetera
21/12/90	<b>Walk to Cape Pillar</b> with Darrell Hope. Camped at Perditiion Ponds.	45	bushw
21/12/90	<b>Christmas</b> with Brian and Sylvia and extended family at Gawler.	45	xmas
30/12/90	<b>Bushwalk to Walls of Jerusalem</b> with Darrell Hope, Stephen Webb and Warren Walker. NYE at Pool of Bethesda.	45	bushw
16/01/91	<b>Bushwalk to Ouse Lake (Southern Ranges)</b> with Darrell and Stephen. (Originally intended to be to Precipitous Bluff).	45	bushw
26/01/91	<b>Bushwalk to Silver Lake</b> with the Tomalins.	45	bushw
2/02/91	<b>Wedding of Shaun Fish and Michelle Bottomley</b> at All Saints church and afterwards at the Uni Refectory.	45	weddir
1/03/91	<b>Bushwalking/Fishing trip to Western Lakes</b> with Stephen, Warren, Bob Grundy, Adrian French	45	bushw
1/03/91	Lucas began study at the University of Tasmania. (First 2 years of a Bachelor of Mining Engineering)	45	Schoo
30/03/91	<b>Easter camping trip</b> to Bridport and Waterhouse Reserve with the Tomalins. Camped on Ransons Beach. Visited Tomal	45	bushw
4/05/91	<b>Played in the Tasmanian Masters Games</b> in Hobart. Won a gold medal in the 40-45 year age group.	45	Maste
18/05/91	<b>Wedding of Paul Bottomley and Katrina Webb</b> at All Saints Church, South Hobart. Reception: Black Buffalo.	46	weddir
20/05/91	<b>"Bookkeeper display in Walches stationery shop, Hobart.</b>	46	invent
9/07/91	<b>Yoshiro Ishikawa</b> (ELICOS student) arrives for a 3 month stay with us.	46	ex.stuc
4/08/91	<b>Day walk to Adamsons Peak</b> with Darrell Hope and Stephen Webb.	46	bushw
7/09/91	<b>Chris Abood very sick</b> with a <b>pneumococcal infection</b> . Lack of a spleen resulted in this being very serious.	46	medic
21/09/91	Veterans badminton weekend at Geeveston. Helen sang "Under the Boardwalk" with Dean McKibben	46	Vetera
24/10/91	<b>Kayaking adventure</b> on the Forth, Mersey, Leven, and South Esk rivers with Bill Tomalin and students.	46	bushw
26/12/91	<b>Bushwalk to Walls of Jerusalem, Lake Adelaide, Lake Ball etc</b> with Yvonne and the Tomalins. ( <i>Enchanted forrest</i> ).	46	bushw
12/01/92	<b>Frankland Range bushwalk</b> with Darrell Hope. This walk was a disaster as far as the weather was concerned!	46	bushw
24/01/92	First holiday to Great Bay with our badminton friends plus Anne and Helen and Nyree Sward (?)	46	Great
21/02/92	<b>Rev William Robin Paton (Uncle Rob) dies aged 62</b> at Kirriemuir, Bruny Island. Funeral at St Peters Barnes Bay.	46	death
28/02/92	Second Great Bay holiday. This one had a skit put on by Nyree Sward, Sally Bell, Anne, Helen, Mip Cowie.	46	Great
11/07/92	<b>Mt Anne bushwalk</b> with Stephen Webb and Darrell Hope. We camped in the snow on Pandanni Shelf, north of Mt Anne.	47	bushw
1/08/92	Veterans badminton weekend at Port Huon, and dinner at the Kermandie Hotel.	47	Vetera
19/08/92	→ Alan and Yvonne went on a <b>holiday to Fiji</b> to celebrate their <b>25th Wedding Anniversary</b> .	47	Trip
3/10/92	After playing in the Burnie Veterans carnival we drove to Stephen's shack, "Yabba Dabba Doo", Arthurs Lake.	47	event
14/10/92	<b>Lorna Lucas dies aged 84</b> in Umina Park, Burnie. Funeral at Star of the Sea Catholic church, Burnie.	47	death

14/11/92	<b>Stephen Webb's 40th Birthday</b> at "Heath Hill". This was a great event and included a stripper (Rosie).	47	Birthd
18/11/92	Shipment of 12 special Magnabend machines (Model 1650S) to <b>Scott Technology</b> in New Zealand.	47	invent
4/12/92	<b>Bushwalk to South Cape Rivulet</b> with Lucas, Darrell Hope and Stephen Webb (who skulled a bottle of plonk! ).	47	bushw
1/01/93	<b>Walk to Fishers Point (Cockle Creek)</b> with Yvonne, Lucas, Perri and Ralph, Geoff and Carol, Richard and Marion.	47	bushw
9/01/93	<b>Wedding of Sarah Bottomley and Christopher Abood</b> married in Saint Mary's Cathedral, Hobart.	47	weddir
16/01/93	<b>MAGNETIC ENGINEERING moved to 32 BROWNS RD, KINGSTON</b>	47	new a
30/01/93	<b>Trip to Maria Island</b> with Anne and Helen plus Darrell and Barbara and Stephen Webb.	47	bushw
30/01/93	Lucas (aged 21) moved to Sydney to complete the last 2 years of his Mining Engineering degree.	47	new a
5/02/93	Third holiday to Great Bay. Included the Cowies, the Grundy's and Stephen.	47	Great
14/02/93	<b>Walk to The Thumbs</b> , near Orford, with Yvonne, Helen, Todd Erler, and Alex Ross.	47	bushw
2/03/93	<b>Jimmy Cairns</b> employed (second apprentice) at Magnetic Engineering	47	emplo
9/04/93	<b>Bushwalk to Precipitous Bluff</b> with Stephen Webb. (We completed the "PB Circuit" in 4 1/2 days).	47	bushw
22/04/93	→ <b>Trip to Christchurch, NZ</b> to see production line utilising Magnabends at Scott Technology Ltd.	47	invent
30/05/93	→ <b>Trip to Melbourne</b> to participate in the <b>AIEE EXHIBITION</b> .	48	invent
31/08/93	→ Family trip to Sydney to visit Sarah, Lucas and the Aboods.	48	Trip
1/10/93	<b>Yvonne appointed</b> as the <b>Ceremonies &amp; Information Officer</b> at the University of Tas.	48	emplo
21/11/93	<b>Agnes Maginnity dies in Sydney aged 83.</b> (Born 17 May 1910). She had had dementia for several years prior.	48	death
3/12/93	<b>Bushwalk to Mt Bobs (from Farmhouse Creek)</b> with Lucas, Richard, Darrell Hope and Alex Ross.	48	bushw
4/01/94	Geoff & Carol Bottomley split up.	48	event
28/01/94	Fourth holiday to Great Bay. On this trip: Ann Fitzpatrick, Liz Hay, Helen, Emma Field, Hania Watt, Nyree, SallyBell	48	Great
3/03/94	Fifth Great Bay visit. There was lots of fishing in Variety Bay and many crayfish caught and cooked! Steve got painted!	48	Great
16/04/94	Played in the <b>Tasmanian Masters Games</b> in the Burnie Sports Centre. Won a silver medal.	48	Master
28/05/94	→ <b>Trip to Sydney</b> to participate in the <b>AIEE EXHIBITION</b> . Jimmy Cairns helped staff our stand at the Exhibition Centre.	49	invent
27/07/94	We buy our first decent home computer - an <b>Intel 486 SX33 with 4MB of RAM and 120MB hard drive</b> .	49	compi
1/08/94	<b>Yasumitsu Yoshida</b> , Japanese exchange student stayed with us until 23 September while studying English at Uni.	49	ex.stu
18/08/94	<b>Maria Van Niekerk</b> employed as a part time secretary at Magnetic Engineering.	49	emplo
26/09/94	→ Played in <b>Third World Masters' Games</b> (Brisbane). (Alan: <u>1 gold, 1bronze</u> . Yvonne: <u>1 bronze medal</u> )	49	Master
7/10/94	Following completion of the World Masters Games we visited Sea World on the Gold Coast.	49	trip
8/10/94	→ Visit Stradbroke Island on the ferry. The next day Yvonne and I flew to Sydney and spent 4 days with Sarah and Chris.	49	trip
28/12/94	<b>Bushwalk to Fedderation Peak</b> with Lucas, Esther Staal, Graham Watt, Jeremy Rackham.This was my second one.	49	bushw
22/01/95	Lucas flies to WA to start work with Western Mining Corp in Kambalda.	49	new a
4/02/95	<b>Kazuyo</b> , Japanese exchange student whom we hosted for just one weekend. We took her to Mt Nelson and Bruny Is.	49	ex.stu
10/02/95	Sixth visit to Great Bay. Fishing in Great Bay. Walk to Mars Beach.Bob Grundy, Rodger and Julie Moore, 4 teenagers.	49	Great
15/02/95	<b>Anne and Helen's 18th Birthday party</b> - attended by about 40 of their friends.	49	Birthd
27/02/95	Anne and Helen start University (Anne doing Arts and Helen doing Indonesian).	49	Schoo
3/03/95	<b>Sarah Abood graduates with a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Sydney</b> .	49	Gradu
3/03/95	→ <b>Yvonne flies to Sydney</b> to attend Sarah's Graduation ceremony.	49	Trip
16/03/95	Geoff Bottomley resigns from Greenville Enterprises and goes to Queensland.	49	new a
13/04/95	<b>Bushwalk to the Western Arthurs</b> with Warren Walker, Stephen Webb, and Adrian Cowie.	49	bushw
28/04/95	<b>Michelle Crawford</b> employed as an Office Trainee at Magnetic Engineering,	49	emplo
6/05/95	→ <b>Alan flies to Sydney</b> to attend Lucas's Graduation at Uni of NSW ( <b>Bachelor of Mining Engineering</b> )	49	Trip
9/05/95	<b>Lucas Bottomley graduates with a Bachelor of Mining Engineering, (Honours Class2, Div2) from Uni of NSW..</b>	49	Gradu
13/05/95	<b>Alan's 50th Birthday Party</b> at Heath Hill (Veteran's on Saturday, family on Sunday)	50	Birthd
27/07/95	Purchase of <b>Holden Commodore VR Executive</b> (42,800 km). Registration No. DK 0568	50	vehicle
3/08/95	<b>Jonathan Anthony Abood born</b> to Sarah & Chris at Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney.	50	Birth
17/08/95	→ Yvonne flies to Sydney to visit Sarah and Chris and baby Jonathan. (Stayed 5 days)	50	Trip
5/10/95	→ Played in the <b>5th Australian Masters Games</b> (Melb). (Alan: <u>2 gold, 2 silver</u> . Yvonne: <u>1 gold,1 silver, 1 bronze</u> ).	50	Master
31/10/95	Ralph and Perri depart on a World Trip after selling their business - TASPROTECT.	50	Trip
12/12/95	Yvonne purchases near-new <b>Hyundai Excel Sprint</b> (DI-9110, \$13,600, 17,700 Km)	50	vehicle
28/12/95	<b>Walking trip to Mt Anne</b> with Yvonne, Adrian and Lilly Foong.	50	bushw
19/01/96	<b>Walking trip to Mt Field</b> with Stephen Webb and Darrell Hope. Visited Twilight Tarn and Petersen Memorial Hut.	50	bushw
25/01/96	→ Yvonne and Alan fly to Sydney to spend a week with Sarah, Chris and attend Jonathan's baptism at Lane Cove church.	50	Trip
17/02/96	<b>Masami Yoshijima</b> begins 6-week stay with us.	50	ex.stu
29/02/96	<b>Ty Harvey Cairns</b> begins his Apprenticeship with Magnetic Engineering.	50	emplo
2/03/96	Seventh visit to Great Bay. Fishing in Variety Bay. Group included Masami Yoshijima, and Helen and Mark Cosentino.	50	Great
6/03/96	Ford Laser (BS8425 282,000km) sold to Helen for \$2,000.	50	vehicle
20/03/96	Yvonne promoted to <b>Acting Faculty Executive Officer</b> in Humanities & Social Sciences.	50	emplo
20/04/96	Played in the <b>Tasmanian Masters Games</b> in Launceston. Our team won a Silver Medal.	50	Master
28/04/96	<b>Port Arthur Massacre</b> . Martin Bryant shoots 35 people dead at Port Arthur !	50	event
14/05/96	→ Alan flies to Sydney for the <b>Hare &amp; Forbes May Sale</b> . Stayed with Sarah and Chris.	51	invent
31/07/96	→ Yvonne and Anne fly to Sydney for <b>Jonathan Abood's 1st Birthday</b> .	51	Birthd
1/08/96	Helen starts her first full-time job - Sussan's fashion shop.	51	emplo
2/10/96	→ Alan & Yvonne <b>fly to Western Australia</b> to visit Lucas, Anne & Doug Hepworth and Judy & Mike Wood.	51	Trip
18/12/96	Buy new home computer: <b>Pentium150, 16MB RAM, 1,2GB hard drive, 10 x CD ROM drive, 33bps Modem</b>	51	compi

15/02/97	<a href="#">Yoko Tanabe</a> (from The Asia University) arrives for a 6-week stay with us.	51	ex.stuc
1/03/97	Eighth visit to Great Bay. Group included Mark and Helen, Yoko Tanabe, the Moores, the Cowies, Steve and Daphne.	51	Great
8/03/97	<b>Yvonne's 50th Birthday</b> (Party, with Belly Dancer, at Heath Hill)	51	Birthda
27/03/97	<b>Kenneth James Lucas dies aged 86</b> at Umina Park, Burnie. Funeral at Parklands Chapel 1/4/97	51	death
13/05/97	→ Alan flies to <b>Ballina</b> to stay a week with brother Geoff. Ralph and Perri visit also. Met Cheri Newman.	52	Geoff
20/05/97	→ Alan flies to Sydney for the <b>Hare &amp; Forbes May Sale</b> . Stayed with Sarah and Chris.	52	invent
7/06/97	Seventh Hobart Veterans Badminton Carnival	52	Vetera
14/07/97	Yvonne officially appointed as <b>Faculty Executive Officer</b> in the School of Humanities & Social Sciences.	52	emplo
10/08/97	→ <b>Holiday to Bali</b> (with Stephen and Daphne) to celebrate our <b>30th Wedding Anniversary</b> .	52	Trip
13/09/97	→ Yvonne to Sydney for Education conference and to stay with Sarah & Chris.	52	Trip
23/10/97	→ Played in the <b>6th Australian Masters Games (in Canberra)</b> . Warren, John, Adrian, Alan, June, Liz, Audrey and Yvonne.	52	Maste
10/01/98	Helen (aged 21) leaves home and moves into 7 / 7 Montgomery Crt, Sandy Bay with Marco Cosentino.	52	new ar
28/02/98	Ninth visit to Great Bay. Steve and Daphne, Adrian Cowie, Warren, Anne and Helen. (Some also went on 6 Feb).	52	Great
15/03/98	<b>Anne and Helen's 21st Birthday</b> party. Lucas and Anita visit from WA to attend.	52	Birthda
16/03/98	<b>Eri Kawano</b> , Japanese exchange student stayed with us from 16/3/98 to 31/3/98	52	ex.stuc
10/04/98	<b>Bushwalk to Lake Rhona</b> with Darrell Hope, Stephen Webb and Adrian Cowie.	52	bushw
9/05/98	<b>Anne Bottomley graduates from the University of Tasmania with a Bachelor of Arts degree.</b>	52	Gradu
13/05/98	→ Alan flies to Sydney for the <b>Hare &amp; Forbes May Sale</b> . Stayed with Sarah and Chris.	53	invent
18/05/98	→ Alan flies to <b>Ballina</b> to stay with brother Geoff. Also went to Brisbane for a Trade Fair. Saw Ralph & Perri.	53	Geoff
1/07/98	→ Alan and Yvonne take a <b>Business/ Holiday trip to Malaysia</b> (Kota Kinabalu and Melacca)	53	Trip
5/01/99	<b>Bushwalk to The Labyrinth</b> with the Cowies (Adrian, Anita, and Linda)	53	bushw
16/01/99	<b>Weekend at Arthurs Lake</b> with Stephen and Daphne. Staying at the shack, "YabbaDabbaDoo"	53	bushw
16/02/99	<b>Kuniko Ikeda</b> arrives for a 6 week stay with us.	53	ex.stuc
27/02/99	Tenth visit to Great Bay. Group included Kuniko Ikeda, Anne Fitz, Liz Hay, Steve and Daphne. Fun on a ski biscuit.	53	Great
28/02/99	Helen breaks up with Marco and moves back home.	53	event
31/03/99	Alan diagnosed with <b>Coeliac Disease/Dermatitis Herpetiformis</b> . Begins gluten-free diet and the drug Dapsone.	53	medic
1/04/99	<b>Easter holiday trip to Great Musselroe Bay</b> with Liz and Barry and Steve and Daphne. Fishing. Walk to Mt William.	53	bushw
2/04/99	→ Yvonne flies to Sydney to stay with Sarah, Chris and Jonathan. Alan goes to Musselroe Bay with Stephen, etc	53	Trip
12/05/99	→ Alan flies to Sydney for the <b>Hare &amp; Forbes May Sale</b> and subsequently to <b>Coolangatta</b> to stay with Geoff.	54	Geoff
26/06/99	Helen (aged 22) leaves home again and moves into a flat in Macquarie Street.	54	new ar
30/06/99	Magnabend <u>June sales top \$100,000</u> and the <u>year's sales top \$500,000.</u> (Both new records!)	54	invent
6/08/99	Anne flies to Paris, for a 2½ month trip ! (Returned 21/10/99).	54	Trip
26/08/99	→ <b>"Around Australia Trip"</b> by Yvonne and Alan. Visited Sarah, Geoff B, Geoff Lucas, Lucas B, Woods etc.	54	Trip
30/08/99	Helen flies to Paris for a holiday with Anne in France/ Italy/ Greece and returns home 27/9/99.	54	Trip
2/09/99	Set off from Sydney in a Hertz hire car. (This car was later handed back to Hertz in Brisbane on 6/9/99)	54	Trip
3/09/99	Visit Geoff and Paula at Alstonville (on our way around Australia). Ralph and Perri, Richard and Max Young also there.	54	Geoff
6/09/99	→ Fly from Brisbane to Darwin. Stay with Geoff Lucas in Coconut Grove.	54	Trip
8/09/99	Drive to Katherine (in Geoff Lucas's Subaru Outback). Katherine Gorge trip. Stayed at motel in Katherine?	54	Trip
9/09/99	Visit Litchfield National Park. Heat ruined some of the film so photos lost.	54	Trip
10/09/99	→ Fly from Darwin to Broome. Meet up with Lucas and Anita and spend the weekend in Broome staying at the caravan park	54	Trip
12/09/99	Drive from Broome to Karratha with Lucas and Anita in Lucas' Land Rover Discovery. Drive took about 10 hours.	54	Trip
16/09/99	Visit underground mine at Radio Hill. Went underground. Saw 2 km long train.	54	Trip
20/09/99	→ Fly from Karratha to Perth and meet up with Judy and Mike Wood. Swan River cruise to Freemantle and return.	54	Trip
23/09/99	→ Alan and Yvonne arrive in Adelaide to participate in the <b>7th Australian Masters Games</b> .	54	Maste
4/10/99	Start a 2-day drive from Adelaide to Melbourne via the coast in an Avis van. Stayed at Portland on the way.	54	Trip
20/10/99	<b>Michelle Crawford</b> resigns from Magnetic Engineering. <b>Michelle Hennessey</b> employed a few weeks later.	54	emplo
13/11/99	<b>Wedding of Stephen Webb and Daphne Dann</b> at Stonefield. Alan is Best Man.	54	weddir
8/12/99	Alan has a <b>nervous breakdown</b> leading to a period of depression (and eventual resignation from Magnetic Engineering)	54	medic
11/12/99	Anne (aged 22) flies to Sydney to find a job and to live with Sarah, Chris and Jonathan.	54	new ar
23/12/99	→ Alan & Yvonne <b>fly to Sydney</b> to join <b>all</b> of our family for Christmas at 5 Hillcrest Ave. (Stayed for 1 week).	54	xmas
25/12/99	Huge Christmas day at 5 Hillcrest Ave attended by the extended Abood family (about 100).	54	xmas
18/01/00	Yvonne promoted to HEO level 7 in her position as Faculty Executive Officer.	54	emplo
9/02/00	Eleventh visit to Great Bay. Fishing in Variety Bay with Stephen and Barry Hay. Helped Ralph erect frame for a shed.	54	Great
16/02/00	Anne goes to Sydney to take up a new job with Win Television.	54	new ar
17/02/00	<b>Lake Ada to Lake St Clair Bushwalk:</b> Alan goes on 5-day walk with Bill Tomalin and Abigail Gilbert.	54	bushw
8/03/00	Geoff Bottomley arrives to spend a week with us (and others) in Tasmania.	54	Trip
10/03/00	Alan has <b>2 teeth crowned</b> by Dr Grenness at a cost of \$1,400.	54	medic
17/03/00	Helen drives her Magna car (via the Devil Cat) to Melb to take up a new job with the Sussan store in Chadstone	54	new ar
18/03/00	Badminton weekend at St Helens with the Veterans group.	54	Vetera
3/04/00	<b>Alan resigns both as Manager and as a Director of Magnetic Engineering (with effect from 20/2/00.)</b>	54	emplo
15/04/00	Lucas and Anita arrive from Karratha to spend nearly 2 weeks with us & to attend Jeremy Rackham's <b>Wedding</b> .	54	weddir
16/04/00	Alan starts dismantling the old barn at Lauriston. (Takes about 8 days but spread over 3 weeks.)	54	Lauris
22/04/00	Sarah, Jonathan and Carole arrive to spend Easter with us.	54	Trip
24/05/00	Alan is able to stop taking both <b>Serzone</b> (for depression) and <b>Dapsone</b> (for Dermatitis Herpetiformis).	55	medic



2/06/00	<b>Oscar put down</b> due to the rapid development of a cancer in his neck.	55	death
9/06/00	Alan has <b>4th vein operation</b> on his legs. (Removal of saphenous vein on left leg and other smaller ones) Dr Lee	55	medic
26/06/00	Our cork tiles sanded and re-varnished (Used "Caboto's Clear Floor")	55	house
1/07/00	<b>GST (at 10%) introduced to the Australian taxation system.</b>	55	event
23/08/00	Alan has an <b>intestinal biopsy</b> to check for response to gluten-free diet. Result implies a good recovery.	55	medic
12/09/00	Trip to Sydney in the Commodore, for the <b>OLYMPIC GAMES</b> and to visit Helen, Anne, Sarah & Chris, Kay & Don Munro,	55	Trip
29/09/00	Drove from Sydney to Melbourne. Stayed with Helen. Helped Helen move to new flat. Got <b>Spirit of Tasmania</b> home.	55	Trip
11/10/00	Alan organises for the installation of a PA system in the badminton hall. (Installed by Palmers Sound Systems).	55	badmi
27/10/00	Alan starts working for Stephen Webb in <b>Webb Bros Paving</b> .	55	emplo
31/10/00	New computer: <b>AMD Duron 650, 64MB RAM, 15GB hard drive, 17" Monitor, CD WRITER, 56bps Modem.</b>	55	comp
13/11/00	Alan has <b>MRI scan</b> on neck. (Shows disc bulging and osteophyte protrusion causing moderate stenosis.)	55	medic
21/12/00	→ Trip to <b>Karratha</b> to visit Lucas and Anita for Christmas. Sarah, Chris and Jonathan joined us there.	55	xmas
30/12/00	<b>Wedding of Carolyn Thomas to Stephen Robinson.</b> (Uniting Church, North Hobart).	55	weddir
26/01/01	<b>Bushwalk to Little Hugel</b> with Tomalins plus John & Greta Sandel.	55	bushw
13/02/01	Two week holiday at Great Bay. Caught over <b>50 cray fish</b> in Variety Bay! Garry Wickham, Jackson and Caitlin, ...	55	Great
2/03/01	Brian Mostert invests \$60,000 in Magnetic Engineering to become the major shareholder and the Manager.	55	invent
3/03/01	Lucas and Anita arrive for a 1 week stay with us.	55	Trip
2/06/01	<b>Wedding of Warren Walker to Sue Thompson</b> at Meadow Bank Estate, Cambridge.	56	weddir
19/06/01	→ Yvonne flies to Melbourne to help Helen prepare for her overseas departure and to say farewell.	56	new a
21/06/01	<b>Helen flies to Dubai, UAE, to begin training as a Flight Attendant with Emirates Air.</b>	56	new a
7/07/01	→ Yvonne flies to Sydney for 1-week to look after Jonathan while Sarah and Chris have a holiday.	56	Trip
28/07/01	→ Alan flies to Coollangatta to help Geoff for 2 weeks following his scare in hospital. Stayed with Sarah also.	56	Geoff
8/09/01	Sold Helen's <b>Mitsubishi Magna TS</b> car for \$8,500. Used proceeds to pay out her CBA loan and credit card.	56	vehicle
11/09/01	<b>Terror attack on the Twin Towers in New York ("9/11").</b> Almost 3,000 people killed!	56	event
7/10/01	→ Alan & Yvonne fly to Karratha to for a holiday with Lucas and Anita and to <b>celebrate their ENGAGEMENT!</b>	56	Trip
29/11/01	→ Alan and Yvonne fly to Sydney for an <b>"early Christmas"</b> with Helen, Anne, Lucas, Sarah and Chis.	56	xmas
25/12/01	Christmas dinner at Brian and Sylvia's (Crystal Downs Drive), and then to Eden Home, Great Bay for Xmas tea.	56	xmas
29/12/01	<b>Judy and Mike Wood celebrate their 30th Wedding Anniversary</b> at Heath Hill.	56	weddir
10/01/02	Geoff Bottomley arrives for a 1-week stay in Tasmania	56	Trip
26/01/02	<b>Bushwalk to Lake Hermione</b> with Geoff and Janet Fenton.	56	bushw
23/04/02	Lucas starts a new job as Senior Mining Engineer with <b>Darlot Gold mine</b> after resigning from Australian Nickel Mines on	56	emplo
23/04/02	Alan has <b>5th vein operation</b> - high ligation in left groin plus stab avulsions. Done by Dr Cottier.	56	medic
29/04/02	Alan is interviewed for a job as <b>Electronic Engineer</b> in Anarctica, but doesn't get the job.	56	emplo
24/05/02	→ Yvonne flies to SanAntonio, USA, for a big education conference. (Returns 3 June).	57	overse
7/06/02	Winter weekend at Great Bay with Stephen and Daphne.	57	Great
27/06/02	Alan becomes the proud owner of his <b>first DIGITAL CAMERA</b> - Canon Ixus V2, 2 Megapixel ultra compact.	57	equip
13/08/02	Tiles laid in the entry area and the front of the lounge room. \$1,436 for tiles plus \$710 for laying.	57	house
18/09/02	Ross Denne has a <b>stroke</b> during an angiogram in the Hobart Private hospital.	57	medic
4/10/02	→ Alan & Yvonne participate in the <b>5th WORLD MASTERS GAMES</b> in Melbourne ( 5 ~ 13 Oct 2002)	57	Master
13/10/02	→ Alan travels to Sydney and spends 2 nights with Anne at her new flat in 4 McDonald St, Potts Point.	57	Trip
15/10/02	→ Alan flies to Ballina to spend 1 1/2 weeks with Geoff and to meet his new girl friend - Rick Duguid.	57	Geoff
1/11/02	Stood-down workers establish a <b>picket line at Magnetic Engineering</b> . Work resumed on 13th November.	57	invent
4/11/02	Geoff Bottomley arrives to visit Mum and Ross. He stayed a couple of nights with us.	57	Trip
7/11/02	New Carpet laid throughout the house. (FloorWorld - \$4,000).	57	house
20/12/02	Anne arrives to spend Christmas with us. Sarah, Chris and Jonathan arrived 2 days later.	57	xmas
1/02/03	Trip to Great Bay. Stephen and Daphne brought along Caitlin and Jackson plus their friends Lucy Galloway and James.	57	Great
8/02/03	Alan installs 8 Badminton scoring units in the STBA hall at South Hobart. (\$165 each).	57	badmi
8/03/03	<b>Bushwalk to Mt Field</b> with Kerry and Bill Tomalin. Photo of "antler" tree.	57	bushw
31/03/03	New Computer: <b>AMD Athlon 1.8GHz, 256MB DDR RAM, 40GB HDD, 19" Monitor, CD Burner, 16 x DVD ROM.</b>	57	comp
15/04/03	→ Alan and Yvonne fly to <b>DUBAI</b> for a 12 day holiday with Helen. (Included a trip to Hatta and a Desert Safari)	57	overse
27/04/03	<b>Wedding of Robert Tomalin and Agnieska Marek</b> at St Mary's Cathedral and afterwards at Moorilla Estate.	57	weddir
5/05/03	<b>Tashika born to Claude and Marion Steinmetz.</b>	57	Birth
1/07/03	Last day working for Stephen Webb. Paved area in South Hobart	58	emplo
2/07/03	<b>Alan starts a new job:</b> Project Manager at Moonraker Australia, Tasmania Technopark.(AT230 antennas).	58	emplo
5/07/03	→ Yvonne flies to Sydney for 8 days.	58	Trip
5/07/03	<b>Wedding of Paul Bottomley and Philippa Read</b> at HomeHill Winery, Ranelagh.	58	weddir
29/07/03	Alan has <b>6th vein operation</b> - stab avulsions behind left knee. Operation by Sam Murdock, St Johns Hospital.	58	medic
26/09/03	→ Yvonne flies to Adelaide to attend a conference.	58	Trip
8/12/03	Last day of manufacturing by <b>Magnetic Engineering Pty Ltd.</b> Future manufacturing by <b>Machine Makers Australia</b> in Me	58	invent
19/12/03	→ Alan and Yvonne fly to Perth for Lucas and Anita's wedding plus a 10 day holiday with them.	58	weddir
21/12/03	<b>Wedding of Lucas Bottomley and Anita Tichelaar</b> at St Bartholomews Chapel, East Perth and afterwards at "Lamonts"	58	weddir
25/12/03	<b>Christmas</b> at 39 Waugh Street, North Perth.	58	xmas
24/01/04	<b>Bushwalk to Schnell's Ridge</b> with Steve Webb, Warren Walker and Adrian Cowie.	58	bushw
27/02/04	Despatch first production batch of 20 AT230 antennas from Moonraker Australia Pty Ltd.	58	event

21/03/04	Geoff Bottomley and his new partner, Debbie, arrive for a 10-day stay in Tasmania.	58	Trip
3/04/04	Lucas and Anita Bottomley arrive for a 10-day stay with us.	58	Trip
16/04/04	<b>New Mower</b> delivered - Rover LawnKing, 18HP, hydraulic drive etc, <b>\$5,800</b>	58	equi
17/05/04	Alan is appointed as <b>Technical Consultant</b> at Moonraker and starts subcontract manufacturing for them.	59	emplo
31/05/04	→ <b>Yvonne to Sydney</b> and then Brisbane for a Conference. (Returned on 6/06/2004).	59	emplo
24/06/04	→ <b>New LATHE</b> ordered in Melbourne (AL 540, geared-head, 3-phase etc., <b>\$5,244</b> with tooling). Delivered 1/07/04	59	equi
28/06/04	<b>New BED</b> delivered. (Burlington Vic Walnut with latex mattress, later replaced with a thicker one), <b>\$4,773</b> )	59	equi
28/07/04	Helen arrived for a 6-day stay with us.	59	Trip
19/09/04	→ <b>Visit to DUBAI</b> to see Helen and her boyfriend, Bashar Qallab.	59	overse
26/09/04	→ <b>Visit to PARIS</b> (with Helen). Returned to Dubai on 29/09/04. Flew back to Hobart on 3/10/2004.	59	overse
8/10/04	Anne arrives for a 3-day stay with us and to attend a friend's wedding celebration.	59	Trip
7/12/04	Jo goes into hospital for an <b>ankle operation</b> . Alan goes to Lauriston to look after Ross for a few days.	59	medic
23/12/04	→ Trip to Sydney for a Christmas family gathering. Returned on 3/01/05.	59	xmas
31/12/04	<b>Libra dies</b> (by disappearing while we were away). She was approximately 20 years old!	59	death
21/02/05	<b>Bushwalk to the Western Arthurs</b> with Warren Walker, Stephen Webb, Adrian Cowie and Linda and Andrew McKendrick	59	bushw
8/05/05	<b>Alan's 60th Birthday</b> celebration at "Heath Hill"	59	Birthd
29/06/05	Yvonne gets a brand new car! A <b>Mazda 3 Neo</b> , FE8051. Purchased from DJ Motors for \$26,000.	60	vehicle
20/07/05	→ <b>Wedding of Geoff Lucas and Catherine Sargent</b> in Brisbane. (Alan got a bus to Alstonville the next day).	60	weddir
21/07/05	Alan gets a bus from Brisbane to Alstonville. Stayed with Geoff and Debbie in Wollonbar. Visit Nimbin.	60	Geoff
24/07/05	→ Alan flies to Sydney and goes to an AFL match with Anne and Lucas, and then got a late flight back to Hobart.	60	trip
28/09/05	→ Yvonne attends <b>ATEM Conference</b> in Perth, WA. Visits Lucas and Anita and returns to Hobart on 2 October.	60	Trip
16/10/05	<b>Bushwalk to Duckhole Lake</b> . (Part of the "Great Australian Bushwalk").	60	bushw
6/11/05	→ <b>Lachlan Alexander Bottomley</b> born in Perth, WA. (Yvonne went to Perth for a week from 26 November)	60	Birth
23/12/05	Bashar Qaleb (Helen's boyfriend) visits Sydney.	60	Trip
24/12/05	Aboods arrive for Christmas at Heath Hill	60	xmas
5/02/06	<b>Caving trip to Florentine Valley</b> with Gavin and a visiting engineer from Cloud Cap Technology, USA	60	bushw
12/03/06	<b>Walk to East Cloudy Head</b> with Yvonne. (Stayed at Ralph's cabin with Stephen and Daphne).	60	bushw
23/03/06	→ Trip to Sydney for Sarah's 35th birthday. (Returned to Hobart 26 March).	60	Trip
16/10/06	<b>New 5,000 gallon Global Poly tank</b> at Heath Hill. \$2,295.	61	equi
11/11/06	→ Trip to 39 Waugh St, Perth; Lachlan's first birthday. Did various jobs for Lucas and Anita.	61	Trip
22/12/06	→ Trip to 5 Hillcrest Ave, Sydney for Christmas. Professional family photos taken by Hillary Beaucare.	61	xmas
26/12/06	Jo has a fall (while gathering sticks) and <b>fractures her left hip</b> . She was given an artificial hip in a op at St Johns.	61	medic
5/02/07	<b>CURRAWONG ENGINEERING</b> move into their new factory at 1/84 Browns Road Kingston. Tom West 20/2	61	event
11/02/07	Black Tuesday 40th Anniversary ceremony at Snug	61	event
7/03/07	<b>Yvonne's 60th Birthday</b> at the Beach Restaurant, Blackman's Bay.	61	Birthd
10/03/07	<b>Trip to Stanley, Smithton, Dismal Swamp, Marrawah etc</b> with Stephen and Daphne.	61	bushw
25/03/07	<b>Kayak trip to Bruny Island</b> with Tom West.	61	bushw
8/04/07	Lachlan's Christening at St Marys Church, Snug.	61	event
17/04/07	→ <b>Trip to Dubai</b> to see Helen and Bashar who are now living at The Springs. Met up with Henk and Sue in Dubai.!	61	overse
22/04/07	→ <b>Fly to Aman, Jordan</b> . Met our driver Kahlil, and Helen's friend Tegreed. Stayed at Crowne Plaza hotel in Jordan.	61	overse
23/04/07	<b>Drive to Jerash</b> and explore the Roman ruins. Drive to Mt Nebo. Drive to Wadi Musa (Petra).	61	overse
24/04/07	Yvonne crook. Alan climbed a local mountain.	61	overse
25/04/07	<b>Visit Petra</b> with our guide, Ali. Petra was built by the Nabateans and was taken over by the Romans in AD106.	61	overse
26/04/07	<b>Visit the Jordan River and the Dead Sea</b> with Abu and Um Bashar (Qallab). Fly back to Dubai.	61	overse
28/04/07	Tour of Dubai with Helen and Baz. Watched the Cricket World Cup, Australia v Sri Lanka.	61	overse
30/04/07	→ <b>Early flight to Rome</b> , then train to Roma Termini. Explore around central Rome	61	overse
1/05/07	Bus and walking tour of Rome,	61	overse
2/05/07	<b>Bus trip to Naples and Pompei</b> . Back to Rome.	61	overse
4/05/07	→ <b>Visit the Vatican</b> . Fly back to Dubai. Exploring Dubai. Tipanyaki at Benihana (6th).	61	overse
10/05/07	Visit Dewa Power Station and De-salination plant. Inspect developments in "The Palm".	61	overse
11/05/07	→ <b>Fly back to Australia</b> . Arrive Hobart 10:20am on 12th May 2007.	62	overse
3/06/07	→ <b>Fly to Port Davey</b> with Yvonne and Tom West (an engineer from USA).	62	bushw
17/11/07	Skeptics National Convention in Hobart. Main organiser was Fred Thornett.	62	event
23/11/07	<b>Warren Walker dies aged 66</b> in St Johns Hospital of Peritoneal Mesothelioma. Funeral 27th Nov at Millingtons.	62	death
16/12/07	<b>Walk to Cape Hauy</b> with Gavin Brett, Tom West and Adrian Cowie.	62	bushw
22/12/07	→ <b>Fly to Perth for Christmas with family</b> . Visit Hillary's Boat Harbour, Sandalford and Houghton wines etc.	62	xmas
12/01/08	Major bushfires burn around "Heath Hill"!	62	event
25/01/08	<b>Allegra Mary Bottomley</b> born in Brisbane.	62	Birth
19/03/08	<b>Max Young dies aged 97</b> . Funeral was at Barnes Bay on 28/03/08.	62	death
22/03/08	<b>Walk to Shipstern Bluff</b> with Yvonne and Margaret Hicks.	62	bushw
2/04/08	Alan buys a <b>2002 Commodore Acclaim VX2</b> , EN9484. Embrook Cars \$12,000, 113,490km.	62	vehicle
25/05/08	<b>Caving trips to Growling Swallow and Mystery Creek Cave</b> with Tyler Miller and Tom West from the USA.	63	bushw
10/12/08	<b>Farewell function for Yvonne</b> at the Uni Staff Club. This marks the end of her formal employment at the Uni.	63	emplo
18/12/08	Lucas arrives at "Heath Hill" with Lachlan and Allegra. Anita arrives 21 Dec and they all stay until 9 January.	63	xmas



27/12/08	<b>Bushwalk to Mt Field West</b> with Gavin, Lucas and Rob van Polanen	63	bushw
25/01/09	<b>Bushwalk to Ah Cheese Lake, Lake Silver etc</b> with Yvonne	63	bushw
9/03/09	<b>Bushwalk to Hartz Mountain</b> with Yvonne.	63	bushw
8/04/09	→ <b>Fly to Perth to spend Easter with Lucas and family. (We return early due to death of Ross Denne).</b>	63	Trip
10/04/09	<b>Ross Harley Denne dies, aged 94</b> at St Johns Hospital. Funeral at Barnes Bay on 16/4/09	63	death
2/06/09	Jo in hospital with a <b>dislocated hip</b> . Afterwards Jo stayed at Heath Hill to prepare for a replacement hip operation.	64	medic
21/06/09	Visit the Grote Reber Museum and the Telescope at Mt Pleasant (off Richmond Rd.)	64	Trip
3/10/09	Colorbond fence erected around our vegetable garden. Installed by Greg Gill and Graham Dixon.	64	event
10/10/09	→ <b>Alan and Yvonne participate in the 7th World Masters Games in Sydney. Win a gold medal in the +60 X Doubles!</b>	64	Maste
29/10/09	Anne's friends from Sydney arrive for a 1 week stay with us.	64	Trip
13/12/09	<b>Visit Mystery Creek Cave</b> with Currawong employees (and their children)	64	bushw
15/12/09	Lucas and family arrive. Party at Heath Hill attended by Terry Eastman and Hughey McGuinness.	64	xmas
15/01/10	<b>Cross-plateau bushwalk</b> with Yvonne, Bill Tomalin, John Sandel and Alan. Walk was aborted at Silver Lake.	64	bushw
7/03/10	<b>Walk to Cresent Bay, Mt Brown, Remarkable Cave etc</b> with Yvonne (for her birthday).	64	bushw
25/03/10	Geoff takes Mum on a trip to the South Island of New Zealand.	64	overse
3/04/10	<b>Bushwalk to Hunters Lakes</b> with Yvonne, Bill and Kerry Tomalin. Walk aborted when Bill tore a calf muscle.	64	bushw
9/04/10	<b>Sarah Abood graduates with an MBA from Macquarie University. Yvonne and Alan and Josephine attend.</b>	64	Gradu
3/05/10	Alan buys new laptop computer: <b>Sony Vaio, 13" screen, 6GB ram, 256GB SSHD.</b>	64	comp
18/05/10	<b>Visit from Helen and Bashar Qallab.</b> Visited Mt Wellington, Lauriston, and Lance Hanson's Opal display.	65	Trip
4/06/10	→ <b>Fly to Brisbane to spend a week with Lucas and family. Alan got a bus to Alstonville, spend a few days with Geoff</b>	65	Geoff
6/07/10	Road around our house prepared for sealing.	65	house
17/07/10	<b>Our old blackwood kitchen at "Heath Hill" pulled out and sold to a couple from Eaglehawk Neck(?)</b>	65	house
25/08/10	Solar photovoltaic system installed at Heath Hill. Connected to the grid on 9/9/10 (1.4 KW, 6 panels)	65	house
5/09/10	<b>David Leonard Percival dies aged 74</b> at Alonah, Bruny Is. Funeral on 9 September at Barnes Bay Church.	65	death
12/09/10	<b>Open House Day</b> at Heath Hill for Sustainable House Day.	65	house
25/09/10	<b>Yvonne's new kitchen completed (including varnishing of the new cork tiles).</b>	65	house
28/09/10	<b>Yvonne in Calvary for a laparoscopic tendon repair in her left shoulder. (Two tedons reattached).</b>	65	medic
11/11/10	<b>Brian Abood dies</b> in Sydney, <b>aged 72</b> . Funeral at St Paul the Apostle, Winston Hills on 20 /11/ 2010.	65	death
27/11/10	Garage sale at Heath Hill to dispose of various things mostly to do with the old kitchen.	65	house
1/12/10	Publish a personal website: <b>www.aaybee.com.au</b>	65	event
18/12/10	<b>Brian Francis Lucas dies aged 80</b> . Funeral was 23Dec. Sarah, Anne and Lucas, flew down from Sydney,Brisbane.	65	death
23/12/10	→ <b>Fly (with Mum) to Sydney for Xmas. 29/12/10: Drive to Aboods shack on the South Coast.</b>	65	xmas
1/01/11	Went with Chris to Aboods Transport. Chris is cleaning up many years of accumulated mess.	65	Trip
3/01/11	→ <b>Fly from Sydney to Ballina with Mum and Yvonne.</b>	65	Geoff
6/01/11	<b>Geoff drove us to Nimbin for a look around.</b>	65	Geoff
8/01/11	Put Mum on a plane to Hobart. Drive to Brisbane with Geoff. Watch tennis with Geoff at Pat Rafter arena.	65	Geoff
12/01/11	→ <b>Brisbane FLOODS! Help Lucas set up his workshop. Return to Hobart 18 January 2011.</b>	65	event
13/02/11	<b>Bruny Island Adventure Cruise</b> with Yvonne and Jim Newton (from USA).	65	bushw
18/02/11	Visit from Helen. She returned to Jordan on 22 Feb.2011.	65	Trip
4/03/11	Install new roof on the verandah at Lauriston. Job finished 26 March 2011.	65	Lauris
31/03/11	Apply to receive the <b>Age Pension.</b>	65	event
5/04/11	Build new picket fence beside the driveway at Lauriston. Finished job 2 May (over 4 weekends).	65	Lauris
25/04/11	<b>Walk with Yvonne, Bill and Kerry</b> on the East Coast, south of Rheban (off end of Earlham Road).	65	bushw
27/04/11	Alan elected <b>Assistant Secretary</b> and <b>WEBMASTER</b> for the Southern Tas Badminton Assn.	65	badmi
1/05/11	Alan competed in the <b>Labillardiere Trail Run</b> , 17 kilometers, 2hours 40mins. Came last !	65	bushw
7/07/11	New carpet in the lounge room and office. Pure wool "Riverdale". \$1,156.00	66	house
22/07/11	→ <b>Fly to Sydney to welcome Helen back from Jordan. Hunter Valley wine tour. Bottomleys plus Chris &amp; Jono.</b>	66	Trip
2/08/11	Remove old picket fence around the Lauriston house. New (metal picket) fence completed 18 Aug 2011	66	Lauris
6/11/11	→ <b>Fly to Coolangatta to visit Ralph and Perri at Kirra Beach. Ralph was recuperating from a knee operation.</b>	66	medic
9/11/11	Get the train from Varsity Lakes to Brisbane. Stay with Lucas and Anita until 21 Nov. Also visit Pacific Plastics.	66	Trip
10/12/11	<b>New mower:</b> Toro SS4200 ZERO-TURN mower for \$4,900 (Rob Lockley, Stihl Shop, Kingston)	66	equip
18/12/11	Lucas, Lachlan and Allegra arrive (with Patch) to spend Christmas with us. (Anita arrives 23 December).	66	xmas
22/12/11	<b>Bushwalk to Shipstern Bluff</b> with Lucas.	66	bushw
25/12/11	<b>Christmas Day at Heath Hill</b> with family including Geoff, Lorraine, Carolyn, Marion, plus Anna, Louise, Carmen,	66	xmas
28/12/11	Party with Terry Eastman and Hughey McGuinness at Roy and Ann Paterson's place Mt Nelson Rd.	66	event
2/01/12	<b>Bushwalk from source of Northwest Bay River</b> on Mt Wellington with Gavin, Lucas and Alan Jackson.	66	bushw
24/01/12	→ <b>Yvonne flies to Indonesia to further her language studies. Returns 2 March(?)</b>	66	overse
27/01/12	<b>Carol Anne Abood dies aged 73</b> in Sydney.	66	death
2/02/12	→ <b>Fly to Sydney to attend the funeral of Carole Abood. (Yvonne was in Lombok, Indonesia).</b>	66	event
31/03/12	V8 Super Cars Race meeting at Symonds Plains.	66	event
18/06/12	Start work on the Yancoal Project. Idea is to develop a coal slurry into a fuel for train engines!	67	emplo
14/07/12	→ <b>Fly to Sydney for Chris Abood's 50th Birthday.</b> Stay with Helen in Rozelle. Salsa Dancing.	67	Birthd
20/07/12	→ <b>Fly to Ballina. Collect Geoff from John Flynn hospital after his right hip replacement. Mum arrived 22/7/12</b>	67	Geoff
11/08/12	<b>Yvonne Bottomley graduates with a Diploma in Languages</b> at Uni of Tas, (Anne, Helen and Mum attended the ceremo	67	Gradu

27/09/12	Alan elected to the position of <b>TREASURER</b> of Southern Tas Badminton Assn.	67	emplo
2/11/12	→ Fly to Brisbane. <b>Lachlan's 7th Birthday</b> on 6 November.	67	Birthd
7/11/12	<b>Visit the Glasshouse Mountains.</b> Climb Mt Tibrogargan with Lucas. <b>Lachlan's 7th birthday.</b> Set up workshop.	67	bushw
27/11/12	Judy and Mike Wood visited us at Heath Hill.	67	Trip
15/12/12	→ Trip to Sydney. Stayed with Anne in her new unit, 6/24 Barnsbury Grove, Dulwich Hill. Salsa Concert.	67	Trip
22/12/12	→ Fly to Brisbane for Christmas with Lucas and Anita. <b>Trip to Morton Island</b> Back to Hobart 2/1/13	67	xmas
2/01/13	→ Brisbane to Hobart with Lachlan and Allegra	67	Trip
7/01/13	<b>Walk to Peverata Falls</b> with Jonathan Abood.	67	bushw
14/01/13	<b>Walk from Peverata Falls to Perrins Ridge</b> with Lucas. (Yvonne picked us up in the car).	67	bushw
7/02/13	Install bird netting over our vegetable garden.	67	event
23/02/13	<b>Wedding of Elizabeth Kremer and Joshua Power</b> at the Museum of Old and New Art.	67	weddir
2/04/13	<b>Walk to the Southern Ranges</b> with Justin and Kelly Ramanauskas.	67	bushw
9/05/13	<b>Thomas Alan Abood</b> born in Sydney (on Alan's birthday!). Unfortunately he has inherited <b>spherocytosis</b> .	67	Birth
27/05/13	→ Fly to Sydney to see the new baby (Thomas). Stayed at Top Ryde c Sarah and Chris. Return to Hobart 3/6/13	68	Trip
24/08/13	<b>Snow Camp at Shaddow Lake</b> with Bill Tomalin.	68	bushw
11/10/13	→ Trip to Sydney. Stay with Sarah and Chris at Top Ryde. Inspect progress on their new house at 5 Hillcrest Ave.	68	Trip
15/12/13	Lucas, Anita, Lachlan and Allegra arrived from Brisbane for Christmas at Heath Hill and Lauriston.	68	xmas
21/12/13	Lucas and Anita go to Coles Bay (Saffire Lodge) to celebrate their 10th Wedding anniversary.	68	Trip
21/12/13	Anne, Helen and Rob arrive for Christmas and are accommodated in a <b>caravan</b> in the backyard.	68	xmas
22/12/13	Sarah, Chris, Jonathon and Thomas arrive for Christmas at Heath Hill and Lauriston.	68	xmas
25/12/13	Big family Christmas Day at "Lauriston". Big group photo. Cricket on the beach.	68	xmas
30/12/13	<b>Wireless NBN installed at Heath Hill</b> ; 12 Mbps initially, later extended to 25Mbps.	68	house
9/01/14	<b>Take Lachlan and Allegra on the Ida Bay railway</b> and then on a walk to Southport Lagoon.	68	bushw
16/01/14	→ Fly to Brisbane with Lachlan and Allegra. Help Lucas sand the decks etc. Returned to Hobart on 26/1/14	68	Trip
18/02/14	Finish working on Yancoal project. Try to sell much of the equipment that was used for testing.	68	emplo
5/04/14	<b>Bushwalk to Mountains of Jupiter</b> etc with Bill Tomalin and John Sandel. (Bill was rescued by helicopter)	68	bushw
9/05/14	→ Go to Sydney for <b>Thomas Abood's 1st birthday</b> and christening. Help Chris set up a workshop. Visit Rob Travia.	68	Birthd
20/06/14	Lucas and family at Heath Hill for a few days. Attended "Dark Mofo" on the shortest day.	69	Trip
19/08/14	→ Fly to Alstonville and spend a week with Geoff, Mum and Suzanne Skira. Flew back from <b>Brisbane</b> airport.	69	Geoff
5/09/14	Rob and Anne arrived. <b>Rip ensuite bathroom out.</b> New bathroom constructed. Essentially finished by 19 Sept.	69	house
16/09/14	<b>Special presentation to Jo Denne</b> at the Weather Bureau for 30 years voluntary service.!	69	event
6/10/14	<b>"Old Codgers" trip to North East of Tasmania</b> with Bill Tomalin and Thad Sasser.	69	bushw
6/12/14	Alan purchased a <b>Surface Pro 3 Laptop/Tablet computer, Core i5 CPU, 8GB ram, 256GB Solid State drive.</b>	69	compi
19/12/14	→ Fly to Sydney for family Christmas. Cunjurong Point on 27th Dec. Return to Hobart 31st Dec with Grandchildren.	69	xmas
11/01/15	<b>Trip to Mystery Creek Cave</b> with Bill Tomalin, John Sandel plus 4 children (including Lachlan and Allegra).	69	bushw
21/01/15	<b>Walk to Lime Bay</b> with Lucas and Anita, Yvonne, Alan, Lachlan and Allegra.	69	bushw
24/01/15	<b>7th Birthday</b> party for Allegra at "Heath Hill". (Their family returned to Brisbane the next day).	69	Birthd
7/03/15	<b>Walk from Coles Bay to Wineglass Bay</b> with Yvonne (for her Birthday).	69	bushw
19/03/15	Sand cork tiles in the laundry and revarnish all cork tiles.	69	house
21/03/15	<b>Currawong Engineering trip on the Ida Bay Railway</b> and walk along the beach.	69	bushw
18/04/15	→ <b>Climb Mount Warning (NSW)</b> with brother Geoff.	69	bushw
9/05/15	<b>Alan's 70th Birthday celebration</b> at "Heath Hill"	69	Birthd
2/07/15	→ Trip to Brisbane to help Lucas install new paving around his house.	70	Trip
31/07/15	→ Trip to Sydney following <b>Thomas's heart operation.</b>	70	medic
23/10/15	Design workshop sleep-out.	70	house
3/11/15	Alan starts <b>Fish Feeder Project</b> for AQ1 Systems.	70	emplo
10/12/15	Complete the building of a 2 bedroom sleep-out in the workshop.	70	house
12/12/15	Ralph and Perri Bottomley's <b>50th Wedding Anniversary</b> and renewal of vows at Barnes Bay chapel and CWA hall.	70	weddir
22/12/15	→ Fly to Sydney. See Anne's new car. Dinner with Travia family. 24 Dec: drive to Port Macquarie in Helen's car.	70	xmas
2/01/16	Helen drove us from Port Macquarie to Sydney. Visited Justin and Kelly Ramanauskas on the way.	70	Trip
7/02/16	Mum leaves Lauriston for the last time and is admitted to the Whittle Ward in Hobart.	70	medic
29/02/16	<b>Josephine Marie Denne dies aged 92</b> at the Whittle Ward, Hobart, .	70	death
7/03/16	Funeral for Josephine Denne at Barnes Bay Chappel followed by a wake at the CWA hall. About 200 attended.	70	event
4/08/16	Completed work on the <b>Fish Feeder Project</b> for AQ1 Systems.	71	emplo
5/08/16	→ Trip to Sydney for <b>Jonathan's 21st Birthday</b> , Fly to Alstonville,	71	Birthd
10/08/16	<b>Walk to Manly with Yvonne and Helen.</b> Walk started at the Spit Bridge. Got an Uber ride back, my 1st one.	71	bushw
13/08/16	→ Fly from Sydney to Alstonville to visit Geoff.	71	Geoff
14/08/16	<b>Walk to Lennox Head</b> with Ralph, Perri, Michelle, Shaun, Geoff, Julie and Yvonne and Alan.	71	bushw
16/08/16	Stay with Ralph and Perri on the Gold Coast. Visit Lucas in Brisbane.	71	Trip
21/08/16	<b>Walk in the Karawatha Forrest</b> with Lucas, Anita, Yvonne, Alan, Alex Ross, Nicole, and children.	71	bushw
28/08/16	Ralph and Alan cut down some large view-blocking trees at Lauriston.	71	Lauris
21/09/16	<b>"Lauriston" listed on-line</b> with <b>RealEstate.com, Domain.com</b> and <b>ForSaleByOwner.</b>	71	Lauris
12/10/16	Ralph and Alan dismantle the damaged skillion off the old Dutch Barn at Lauriston.	71	Lauris
2/11/16	Alan buys his first brand new car! ( <b>Subaru Outback 2.5i, Premium CVT, F56KK, \$45,000.</b> )	71	vehicl



17/12/16	→ Fly to Sydney for Xmas and stay with Anne and Rob. Ralph buys a quadcopter (DJI Phantom3)	71	xmas
4/01/17	→ Fly from Sydney to Hobart with Allegra Bottomley. (Lucas brought Lachlan to Hobart on 10 January).	71	Trip
15/01/17	<b>Camping trip to Maria Island</b> with Lachlan and Allegra. Camped 2 nights at Darlington. (New tent: Macpac Apollo).	71	bushw
31/03/17	<b>"Lauriston" property Settlement Day.</b> Sold to <u>Simon Allston</u> and <u>Janeil Hall</u> for <b>\$1,255,000.</b>	71	Lauris
16/04/17	<b>Yvonne's 70th Birthday</b> celebration at Pear Ridge, Margate.	71	Birthde
19/04/17	→ Fly to Auckland to play in the <b>World Masters Games.</b> Yvonne and Alan win a Bronze medal in <b>70+ Mixed Doubles.</b>	71	Maste
28/04/17	Alan <b>ruptures his anterior tibialis tendon</b> whilst playing badminton in the WMG's. ( <b>Had to cancel overseas trip!</b> )	71	medic
2/05/17	→ Fly back to Hobart via Sydney (First time in an A380 Airbus).	71	Trip
8/05/17	<b>Alan's tibialis tendon re-attachment operation</b> at the Hobart Private Hospital. Surgeon was Dr Greg Harvey.	71	medic
6/06/17	Helen moved into her new unit in Sydney. (14/41-43 Villiers Street, Rockdale). She purchased it for <b>\$580,000.</b>	72	new a
7/07/17	→ Trip to Sydney (Thomas's operation), Ballina, Gold Coast and Brisbane. Returned to Hobart on 6 August 2017.	72	Trip
20/07/17	<b>Thomas Abood's partial splenectomy</b> laproscopic operation at Westmead Children's Hospital.	72	medic
26/07/17	→ Fly to Ballina. Spend a few days with Geoff and Julie. Geoff drove us to Gold Coast - Ralph's new boat. Then Brisbane	72	Geoff
14/08/17	Installation of 39 <b>LED High Bay lights</b> throughout the Badminton hall. (Alan imported these lights from China).	72	badmi
19/08/17	<b>Golden Wedding Anniversary for Alan and Yvonne !</b> Celebrated with Henk and Sue at The Astor Grill	72	weddir
14/09/17	Drive to Queestown and Strahn for a trip on the <b>West Coast Wilderness Railway.</b> Stayed at Strahn Manor.	72	Trip
18/09/17	<b>New carpet and new underlay</b> installed throughtout the eastern end of our house. Colour is "Camel".	72	house
22/09/17	<b>Alan is awarded Life Membership</b> of the Southern Tasmanian Badminton Association. He has played for 55 years!	72	badmi
29/09/17	Visit from Helen and her friends Sharna, Jen, Cat, Courtney. Went to Pancake Train and Snug Falls etc.	72	event
21/10/17	Alan and Yvonne played in the <b>Australian Masters Games</b> in Burnie. Won a gold medal in <b>XD's.</b> Yvonne won a gold in <b>V</b>	72	Maste
16/11/17	Visit from Judy and Mike Wood (5 days). Also visit from Sarah and Thomas. (Sarah attended a conference in Hobart).	72	event
25/12/17	Family Christmas at Heath Hill (except not Sarah's family who went on a cruise).	72	xmas
27/12/17	<b>Walk to Fishers Point (Cockle Creek)</b> with Yvonne, Lucas, Anita, Kylie, Lachlan and Allegra.	72	bushw
7/01/18	→ Attend Sarah and Chris's <b>25th Wedding Anniversary</b> celebration in Sydney (surprise party!). Stayed for 1 week.	72	weddir
21/02/18	<b>Tasman Island adventure cruise</b> with Yvonne and Tony Grainger.	72	bushw
21/03/18	<b>"Sefton Bottomley Liver Cancer Bequest"</b> presentation to <b>the Menzies Institute.</b> Amount was <b>\$350,670.00.</b>	72	event
4/04/18	Yvonne is diagnosed with early-stage Parkinson's Disease. Neuologist is Dr Sarah Hewer. Intermittent shaking of left han	72	medic
13/04/18	→ Set off on our <b>AMERICAS TRIP.</b> First leg was Hobart to Sydney. Stayed 1 night with Sarah and Chris.	72	overse
14/04/18	→ <b>Fly to San Francisco.</b> Bus tour of city, Golden Gate Bridge, Sausalito area etc. Staying at <b>32One Grant Ave.</b>	72	overse
16/04/18	→ <b>Fly to Las Vegas.</b> Helicopter tour of the <b>Grand Canyon</b> (Tuesday), Tour of <b>the Hoover Dam</b> (Wednesday).	72	overse
19/04/18	→ <b>Fly to Panama.</b> Tour of city and Miraflores Museum. Next day <b>Panama Canal transit</b> as far as Gamboa.	72	overse
22/04/18	→ <b>Fly to Ecuador (Guayaquil).</b> Walking tour of city and down to the waterfront (Rio Guayas).	72	overse
23/04/18	→ <b>Fly to the Galapagos Islands</b> (Baltra airport). Join an 8-day cruise of the islands on the <b>MV Galapagos Legend.</b>	72	overse
30/04/18	→ <b>Fly from Baltra to Quito.</b> Our guide, Gina, took us to the Illa Experience hotel. Walked around city with Ernest and Dian	72	overse
3/05/18	→ <b>Fly from Quito (4:15am!) to Santiago.</b> Next day visit Pre-Colombian museum, tour city in open top bus etc.	72	overse
6/05/18	→ <b>Fly from Santiago to Melbourne</b> and then onto Hobart. Margaret Hicks met us at Hobart airport.	72	overse
7/05/18	<b>Painting</b> of the trim on "Heath Hill" by Elite Painters. Colour is "USA Chalk". (Old colour was green). <b>\$3,520.00</b>	72	house
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