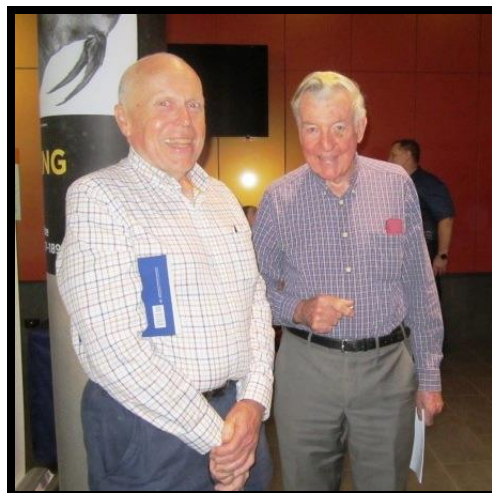


**Launch of the late Alan Powell's book *Bold & Lucky: Australia's Colonial Navy 1824 - 1831* at Charles Darwin University on 23 February 2023**

Alan was working on this, his final book before he sadly passed away two years ago. Jan Moore, Alan's wife took up the reins and continued with the research and the writing of the book. Alan was a highly valued long term committee member of the Historical Society. The book was launched by close friend, Emeritus Professor David Carment who used to also grace the halls of Charles Darwin University. The event was well attended by Alan's friends and University colleagues.



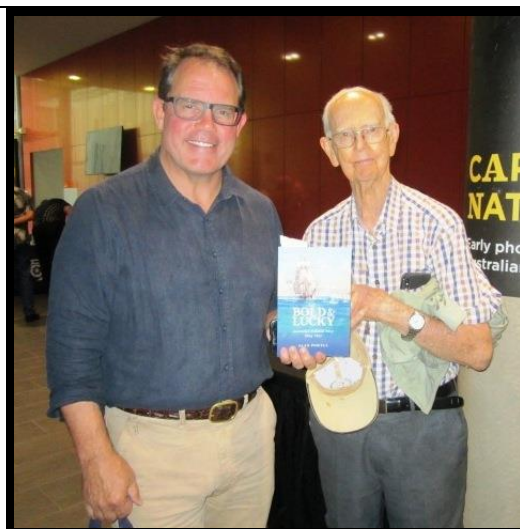
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David Carment & Brian Reid



Lyn Reid & Sally Thomas



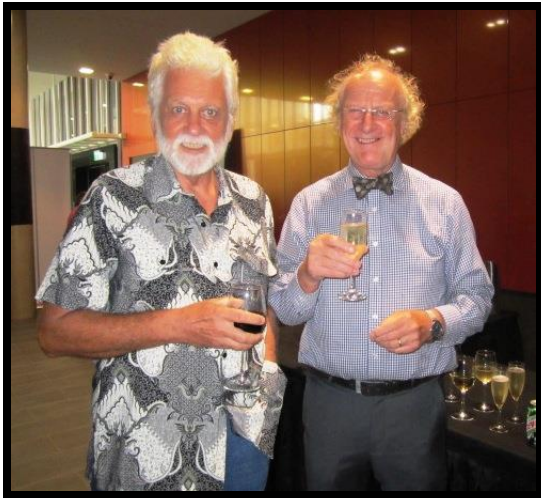
Luke Gosling, Member for Solomon & Alby Foreman



Lizzie Moore (jan's daughter) and sister Chris D'Ath



Peter & Libby Siebert & Alby Foreman



Steve Farram & Martin Jarvis



Renate Mohrbach, Janie Mason



Allan Mitchell, Brian Reid & Ian Anderson



Michael & Denise Goodfellow with Jan Moore