



8

### In your Will

By making a provision for the National Trust in your Will you will be providing a lasting gift for future generations. Every sum, no matter how small, is welcomed and not a single cent of any legacy gift is spent on the administration of the Trust. Choose, too, where you want your money to be spent – it can go to a place or property that has special significance for you.

For information and for ways of supporting the work of the National Trust, please visit [www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au](http://www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au) or phone (02) 9258 0124 to talk to our Philanthropy Manager, John Watt.

The *National Trust Magazine* is published by The National Trust of Australia (NSW), National Trust Centre, Observatory Hill Sydney with support from the Commonwealth Department of the Environment and Heritage, and the Heritage Incentives Program administered by the NSW Department of Planning Heritage Office.

Published in February, May, August and November.  
Tel: (02) 9258 0123 Fax: (02) 9251 1110  
[www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au](http://www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au)

**Patron:** Her Excellency Professor Marie Bashir AC, Governor of NSW

**President:** The Hon Barry O'Keefe AM QC  
**Executive Director:** Tina Jackson

**Editor:** Angela le Sueur.  
**Trust Editorial committee:** Tina Jackson, Jacqui Goddard, Janet Hay, Angela le Sueur, Patricia R McDonald, Silvana Taleski, Richard Wesley and John Weaver (Weavers Design Group).

**Produced by Weavers Design Group**  
Level 10, 47 York Street, Sydney NSW 2000  
Phone: (02) 9299 4444 Fax: (02) 9299 7166  
[www.weavers.com.au](http://www.weavers.com.au)

**Advertising Inquiries:** phone John Weaver on (02) 9299 4444 or email: [john@weavers.com.au](mailto:john@weavers.com.au)

The National Trust welcomes the support of the advertisers; however, publication of an advertisement does not imply endorsement by the National Trust of the advertised product or service. Published articles reflect the opinions of the authors and do not necessarily reflect the policies or opinions of the National Trust or Weavers Design Group.

# National Trust Magazine

## regulars

From the Editor	11
National Trust Properties and Collections	37
S H Ervin Gallery	38
For our Members	44
Destinations	47

## features

The National Trust Farewells Barry O'Keefe	2
From 1821 to the mid 1830s. The soft furnishing program moves to Experiment Farm Cottage	8
Be part of the National Trust Heritage Festival 2007	11
Cockatoo Island's little known grain silos – and their significance in a changing world	12
National Trust Appeal	15
Annual Review to Members 2005-06	17
Garden of eternal youth in an ancient land	33
The Lindesay Christmas Gift Fair	36
Bringing an old historic Dig Site back to life	40
Christmas Gifts from the National Trust	42
Graham Quint celebrates 25 years with the Trust	46
Obituaries	48
Miss Traill's House & Garden 30th Anniversary Raffle	48
National Trust Raffle	49
Americans learn a thing or two – when visiting the Trust's Parramatta properties	51
National Trust People	52

Help the National Trust conserve our heritage.  
Phone (02) 9258 0123 for information about the Trust, or go to [www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au](http://www.nsw.nationaltrust.org.au)



*Portrait of the Hon Barry O'Keefe AM QC, painted to commemorate his 15 years as President of the National Trust of Australia (NSW).*

*Oil on board.  
By Andrew Sullivan*