The monthly meeting of the Society is held on the first Thursday of each month (except January). The meetings are held at the Italian Social Welfare Centre, 21 Stewart Street, Wollongong (opposite Greek Church and diagonally opposite the Council Car Park). There's plenty of parking, ease of access, and the centre is only a short walk from the new Burelli Street Council Chambers from where buses set down and pick up. Visitors and New Members are particularly welcome at all monthly meetings.

NEXT MEETING: Thursday 2nd October at 7.30pm

Speaker: Ken Orchard, lecturer, Faculty of Creative Arts, Wollongong University.

Topic: George French Angas (1822-86) - A Travel Artist in Illawarra

Ken will speak on the travels, art, and science of George French Angas, who visited Illawarra on three occasions between 1845-51, staying on occasion at Cleveland House, Dapto. Ken's interest in the artist arose out of the recent 'Illawarra - The Garden of New South Wales' exhibition held at Wollongong City Gallery and of which he was a co-curator.