MILKSHAKES, SUNDAES & CAFÉ CULTURE

As mentioned in our September/October Newsletter, the above-named exhibition opened at our Illawarra Museum on 15th August, and was on show until the end of October.

The basic content of this exhibit came on loan from the Museums and Galleries Foundation in Sydney, but each centre was expected to provide its own local content, or dare one say “flavour?” For its stay in Wollongong, local people with connections to the Wollongong café families responded with some very illuminating reminiscences of the era when café culture was at its zenith. These are reproduced here to enable you to read and digest them at leisure.