

FURTHER INFORMATION

Website: www.ausbronte.net

This website contains details of forthcoming meetings, PDF versions of our newsletters and journal, going back over 20 years. It also contains links to other literary societies in Sydney:

C.S. Lewis Society of Sydney

The NSW Dickens Society

The Jane Austen Society of Australia

The UK Brontë Society

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THE AUSTRALIAN BRONTË ASSOCIATION

CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND WORKS OF THE BRONTË SISTERS



The Haworth Parsonage, the home of the Brontës

2016 CHARLOTTE CHARLOTTE (1816 – 1855)

wrote *Jane Eyre* (1847),
Shirley (1849),
Villette (1853) and
The Professor (1857)
(published posthumously).



2017 BRANWELL BRANWELL (1817 – 1848)

wrote several minor works



2018 EMILY

EMILY (1818 – 1848) wrote
Wuthering Heights (1847).



2020 ANNE

ANNE (1820 – 1849) wrote
Agnes Grey (1847) and
The Tenant of Wildfell Hall (1848).



As well they all wrote poetry and
juvenilia about imaginary lands.

ABOUT THE ABA

- The Australian Brontë Association was formed at the beginning of 1998 to promote the study and enjoyment of the Brontës and to bring together people in Australia who are interested in their lives and works.

- We are independent of the international Brontë Society, centered in Haworth U.K., but aim to complement them by focussing on local activities. We encourage our members to consider the benefits of also belonging to The Brontë Society.



- The ABA meets at **The Castlereagh Boutique Hotel**, 169 Castlereagh St Sydney (near Town Hall Station) about five times a year on certain Saturday mornings at 10:30am (preceded by coffee) and publishes a newsletter and a journal. Many of us have lunch together for informal discussion.
- We also hold certain special events such as dinners and, occasionally, conferences.
- Our patron, Professor Christine Alexander, is one of the world's leading Brontë scholars.