



British Consulate-General
Melbourne

2 August 1988

Miss Sheila Waghorn,
c/o Hilton International Hotel,
Melbourne.

See D.I.

Thank You Letters

We have been asked to have a list of Thank you Letters recipients, available for the Private Office. Could you please pass this on to the Private Office at an appropriate moment.

You will see I have marked three of the responses with a ϕ . This is, as explained, because they can expect to receive a photograph, the Thank You Letter may therefore be unnecessary or varied.

James Marshall
Ch. L.

M.W. Marshall

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THANK YOU LETTERS - VICTORIA

① Mr. David Ford, LVO GM.
Chief of Protocol,
State Public Offices,
1 Treasury Place,
Melbourne Victoria 3002.

② Sergeant Rayment Potter
Close Protection Unit,
Victoria Police Department
Police Complex,
Russell Street,
Melbourne Victoria 3000.

~~Mr. John Mansfield,
State Media Liaison Officer,
State Public Offices,
1 Treasury Place,
Melbourne Victoria 3002.~~

③ Sir Gustav Nossal CBE FRS
Director,
The Walter & Eliza Hall Institute of
Medical Research,
Royal Parade,
Parkville Victoria 3050.

④ Dr. Margaret Brumby
General manager,
The Walter & Eliza Hall Institute of
Medical Research,
Royal Parade,
Parkville Victoria 3050.

⑤ The Right Honourable The Lord Mayor
of Melbourne
Councillor Lecki Ord,
City Hall,
Swanston Street,
Melbourne Victoria 3000

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⑥ Miss Jane Seaholme,
Manager,
The Body Shop,
Howey Place,
Little Collins Street,
Melbourne Victoria 3000.

⑦ Mr. Tony Carolan,
General Manager,
Hawker De Havilland (Victoria) Ltd.
304 Lorimer Street,
Port Melbourne Victoria 3207.

⑧ Sen. Const. Sharon Matthews
Close Protection Unit,
Victoria Police Department,
Police Complex
Russell Street,
Melbourne Victoria 3002.

ø Will also receive photograph.



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THE PRIME MINISTER

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Dear Senior Constable Matthews

Thank you very much for looking after me so well during my visit to Melbourne. I am afraid you had a more strenuous afternoon than you expected but you never faltered and I am most grateful for all that you did.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Margaret Thatcher

Sen. Const. Sharon Matthews
Close Protection Unit, Victoria



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Dear Mr. Carolan,

Thank you very much for showing me round the Hawker De Havilland factory during my visit to Melbourne. It is most impressive and I was glad to hear how well the company is doing. I wish you every success in the future.

I should be grateful if you could pass on my thanks to all those who helped show me round and give them and indeed all the staff my best wishes.

Yours sincerely
Margaret Thatcher

Mr. Tony Carolan
General Manager, Hawker De Havilland (Victoria) Ltd.



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Dear Miss Seaholme,

I think one can safely say that my visit attracted plenty of attention to the Body Shop even though some of it was far from welcome! I do hope that no damage was done and that you and your customers were not too inconvenienced. I was delighted to see the shop and to hear how well you are doing. Thank you very much for showing me round.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Raymond Shalton

Miss Jane Seaholme

Manager, The Body Shop, Melbourne



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Dear Lord Mayor

I am most grateful to you for your hospitality to me in Melbourne. It was only a brief visit but I was glad to be back and marvel at the way in which the city has grown and developed in the years since I was last there, not least with the addition of the magnificent Arts Centre. I am sorry that you got jostled during the walkabout and hope you are none the worse for it. I should be grateful if you could pass on my thanks to all those in the city who helped with the arrangements for the visit.

With kind regards to you and your husband,

Yours sincerely

Royal Highness

The Right Honourable The Lord Mayor of Melbourne
(Councillor Lecki Ord)



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Dear Dr. Brumby,

I am most grateful to you for your help in arranging my visit to the Walter & Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research which I greatly enjoyed. I could happily have spent several hours longer learning more about the Institute's work but at least I was able to get a general picture of it.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Margaret Thatcher

Dr. Margaret Brumby

General Manager, Walter and Eliza Inst. of Medical Research, Victoria



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Dear Sir Gustav,

I found my visit to the Walter & Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research extremely interesting and am most grateful to you for arranging it and escorting me round. I wish I could have spent much longer but in such a short visit to Australia I am afraid everything has to be done in a rush.

I should be grateful if you could pass on my thanks to all your staff for their help and congratulate them on the excellent work which they are doing.

With warm good wishes,

Yours sincerely

Raymond Hunter

Sir Gustav Nossal, C.B.E., F.R.S.

Director, The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research,
Victoria



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Dear Sergeant Potter,

I am most grateful to you and your colleagues for your good work in looking after me during my visit to Melbourne. I am sorry that you had to deal with rather a crush at one point but we got there and I enjoyed my visit very much.

With best wishes to you and your colleagues,

Yours sincerely

Margaret Thatcher

Sergeant Raymond Potter
Close Protection Unit, Melbourne



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Dear Mr. Ford,

I am most grateful for all the work which went into the arrangements for my visit to Melbourne. It was a great pleasure to be back in the city after a long gap and to see how much it has developed. The programme enabled me to get through a great deal in a short time, thanks to your efforts and those of so many others. I should be grateful if you would pass on my thanks to all concerned.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Margaret Thatcher

Mr. David Ford, L.V.O., G.M.
Chief of Protocol, Melbourne



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Dear Premier,

My visit to Melbourne was very brief but I was pleased to be back in the city and in the State of Victoria again, to admire the many changes since my last visit seven years ago. I am most grateful to you for your courtesy in coming to meet me and for the most enjoyable dinner which you gave in my honour, with the opportunity to meet so many distinguished Victorians. It was a most interesting evening.

I should be grateful if you could pass on my thanks to all those in the State who helped make the arrangements for my visit and tell them how much I enjoyed it.

With best wishes to you and your wife,

Yours sincerely,

Raymond Shaitan

The Hon. John Cain, M.L.A.
Premier of Melbourne



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Dear Consul-General

Thank you very much for all the work you did on the programme for my visit to Melbourne. I fear that the coverage of it will probably be dominated by the rather rowdy demonstration, but one gets used to that. I was pleased to see the city again and hope that my coming there will have been of help to you in your own work.

I should be grateful if you could pass on my gratitude to all the members of your staff, and at the same time thank them all most warmly for the beautiful red roses. It was a very kind thought.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Margaret Thatcher

M. W. Marshall, Esq., O.B.E.
Consul-General in Melbourne



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Dear Dame Beryl,

I am most grateful to you for arranging my visit to the Australian War Memorial. I have always found it a moving experience to visit the Memorial and that was so again yesterday. The simple beauty of the building, the unending list of names of those who fought and gave their lives and the beautiful position overlooking the heart of Canberra make it a unique monument of which all Australians are rightly proud. It was a privilege to visit it and pay my respects once more - and it was very good of you to give up your time to escort me for the occasion. I am most grateful.

With warm good wishes,

Yours sincerely

Raymond Deliber

Dame Beryl Beaurepaire, D.B.E.

Chairman, Council of the Australian War Memorial



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Dear Governor-General,

May I thank you and Lady Stephen for the memorable dinner at Government House on the evening of my arrival in Canberra. The warmth and kindness of your welcome will always remain with us; and the remarkable group of people from every sphere whom you assembled gave us an insight into Australia today which no other occasion could have provided. It was very good of you both to go to so much trouble and Denis and I both thank you very much for your kindness.

With warm regards to you both,

Yours sincerely
Nigel Nicholson

The Rt. Hon. Sir Nivian Stephen, GCMG, GCVO, KBE, AK.
Governor-General of Australia



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Dear Mr. Howard,

I was very glad to have the opportunity for a further talk in Canberra and particularly pleased that I was able to meet the members of your Parliamentary Group for a few moments. May I also thank you for your kind words in your speech at lunch which were much appreciated.

My visit has been most enjoyable and shown me much more of Australia than I had seen before. I hope it will also have done something to revive relations between Britain and Australia and put them on a better footing. We must ensure that the momentum from the visit is not allowed to peter out.

With warm regards to you and your wife,

Yours sincerely

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The Hon. J. Howard, M.P.
Leader of the Opposition, Parliament
House, Canberra