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Local Boys - three out of four

Recently, Oct 12-16, three local roof bolting teams from Cornwall Coal, travelled to Middelmont, Queensland to contest in the Australian Roof Bolting Championships. The teams consisting of Shane Stingle and Randall Faulkner, David Hoskinson and John Stingle, Robert Coker and Viv Ward, travelled firstly to Rockhampton spent the night and on the Friday travelled to Middelmont via Blackwater and Emerald.

On the Saturday morning we all ventured over to the rugby ground with possibly a few butterflies, entered the comp and sat back to wait our turn for the first heats. One of the first teams off was the reigning champs, Brian McCardle and partner Les and set an excellent time of 2m 27s (one of the fastest for the day). As the heats passed by it became obvious that there was trouble with the chemical glue setting, resulting in a lot of times over the 3 minute mark.

The first of our teams to bolt was Shane and Randall and they bolted well enough to get into the final eight (saved the best for last) on the way having an 8 second penalty for a loose bolt. Next up was David and John. This was one of the first times that these two had bolted together and considering this, had a good time of around 3 minutes.



The last to bolt was Robert and Viv and got through the heat with a reasonably good time and no penalties. All of us got into the quarter finals with David and John having an anxious few moments as a late entry bolted and if they had a faster time would have put them out of the race.

Now the comp was starting to get serious

with the fastest four out of the final eight going into the semi final. The first teams to bolt seemed to have some minor troubles with penalties, one being not drilling the first steels up far enough (20 sec) and another team forgetting to put a washer on the bolt ending with big penalties.

It was time for us locals to bolt in the quarter finals and Robert and Viv were first up and went well only having trouble with two eight second penalties for loose bolts. Randall and Shane, David and John bolted at the same time and showed the locals some really good bolting skills. Again both teams having penalties with the old loose bolt trick. It was now down to the final four and us locals made up three of them - no doubt we were going for the trifecta. The first of us to bolt was Randall and Shane and bolted excellently setting a top time

with the other team having a time around 2m 40s. Then it was Rob and Viv, David and John's turn. The bolting was fast and furious with Rob and Viv having trouble with a lost dolly (for tightening up the bolt) in the end it was Rob and Viv with the second fastest time in the semi finals to go into the final against Shane and Randall. David and John with their time ended up finishing fourth.

After waiting what seemed a long time the finals were about to start. Wishing each other the best of luck it was down to business. The bolting started off very even with Randall and Shane slowly getting a bit of a lead after the first bolt. The lead was pegged back on the second bolt by Rob and Viv eventually passing and finishing first over Randall and Shane. It now came down to the judges checking the bolts for tension etc. Rob and Viv again had loose bolts resulting in a 16 second penalty. When Randall and Shane were checked they had no penalties (only the second team all day) which resulted in a very deserved win for them and second place for Rob and Viv.

It's also pleasing to note that while bolting we ran into some old locals, Michael Wright and family who now live and work in Emerald. All seem to be settling in okay and getting used to the heat, speaking of which it was about 36 degrees on the day we bolted. Michael was pleased with the result so now he can do some stirring about it.

All in all it was an excellent day with a first, second and a fourth. The three teams would like to thank those involved in sending us to Middelmont and we look forward to returning next year.

Thanks to Viv for this report.

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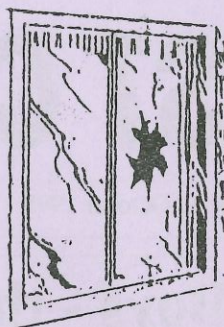
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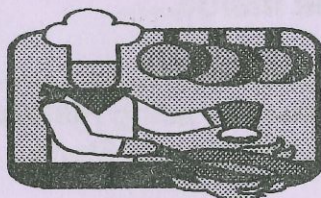
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OCT	ST MARYS	FINGAL	MATHINNA
30	V. Spilsbury	Prev Mills	Mavis Brooks
31	Wendy Aulich	Vic Jones	Kaye Turner
NOV			
1	Lorraine Gill	Merriamne Woods	Cynthia Webb
2	A. Greenwood	Trish Crow	Christine Scott
3	K & D Bullock	Aub Oliver	Kaye Turner
6	A.Davey/J.Lynch	Carol Woods	Mavis Brooks
7	D & R Ward	Debbie Speers	Kaye Turner
8	Audrey Wright	Jack Miller	Cynthia Webb
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10	Jenny Cook	Bob Yates	Kaye Turner



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WHAT'S ON

"MINING MUSEUM"

THE OPENING OF THE MINING MUSEUM WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE RAILWAY STATION AT APPROXIMATELY 3.30PM AFTER THE PRIZE GIVING FOR THE BILLY CART DERBY WINNERS ON THE 25TH NOVEMBER 1995

The Lions Club is still seeking further items of interest of mining memorabilia for display in the new Museum. Any persons with items please contact any Lions Club Member.

A community Concert is to be held early in 1996, any persons who wish to participate please contact John McGiveron. More information later.

TASMANIA DAY WEEKEND

The Lions Club of St Marys **BILLY CART DERBY** will be held on 25th November. **STALL HOLDERS** welcome (must provide their own stalls).

There will also be an **ARTS & CRAFTS DISPLAY**.

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ANGLICAN PAROCHIAL DISTRICT OF THE NORTHERN MIDLANDS

FIRST SUNDAY OF MONTH

Campbell Town	9.00 am	HC
Ross	10.30 am	HC
Avoca	10.30 am	FS
Fingal	7.00 pm	EP

SECOND SUNDAY OF MONTH

Fingal	8.45 am	HC
Campbell Town	9.00 am	MP
Avoca	10.30 am	HC

THIRD SUNDAY OF MONTH

Fingal	8.45 am	FS
Campbell Town	9.00 am	HC
Ross	10.30 am	HC
Avoca	6.00 pm	EP

FOURTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

Fingal	8.45 am	HC
Campbell Town	9.00 am	HC
Mathinna	10.30 am	HC
Avoca	6.00 pm	HC

FIFTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

Campbell Town	9.00 am	HC
Ross	10.30 am	HC
Avoca	alternates with	
Fingal	6.00 pm	HC

Avoca reverts to 7.00 pm during
summer months

BREAK O'DAY UNITING CHURCH

FIRST SUNDAY OF MONTH

Scamander	11.00 am
Fingal	9.00 am
St Helens	7.00 pm

SECOND SUNDAY OF MONTH

Scamander	9.00 am
Fingal	9.30 am
St Marys	11.00 am
St Helens	7.00 pm

THIRD SUNDAY OF MONTH

Scamander	9.00 am
Fingal	9.30 am
St Marys	11.00 am
St Helens	7.00 pm

FOURTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

Scamander	9.00 am
Fingal	9.30 am
St Marys	11.00 am
St Helens	7.00 pm

FIFTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	7.00 pm
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ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST HELENS

FIRST SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	9.30 am
Falmouth	11.00 am

St Marys	10.00 am
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SECOND SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	9.30 am
St Marys	10.00 am

THIRD SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	9.30 am
Pyengana	11.00 am

St Marys	10.00 am
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FOURTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	9.30 am
St Marys	10.00 am

FIFTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	9.30 am
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SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Hodgman Street
Scamander

Sabbath School	10.00 am
Divine Service	11.00 am

FINGAL VALLEY CRUSADE CENTRE

A Christian Revival Crusade Church
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CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST MARYS

FIRST SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	Sat Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
St Marys	Sunday Mass	9.00 am
Fingal	Sunday Mass	10.30 am
Bicheno	Sunday Mass	4.00 pm

SECOND SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	Sat Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
St Marys	Sunday Mass	9.00 am
Mangana	Eucharistic Ser	11.00 am
Bicheno	Sunday Mass	4.00 pm

THIRD SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	Sat Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
St Marys	Sunday Mass	9.00 am
Fingal	Sunday Mass	10.30 am
Bicheno	Sunday Mass	4.00 pm

FOURTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	Sat Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
St Marys	Sunday Mass	9.00 am
Bicheno	Sunday Mass	4.00 pm
Swansea	Sunday Mass	6.00 pm

FIFTH SUNDAY OF MONTH

St Helens	Sat Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
St Marys	Sunday Mass	9.00 am
Mathinna	Eucharistic Ser	11.15 am
Bicheno	Sunday Mass	4.00 pm

PRIEST: PAUL CONNOLLY
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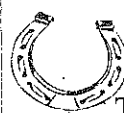
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Thanking you all at St Helens District Hospital for kindness and help to me while I was there, also Doctors especially ambulance attendants and my wonderful family.

Jessie Barr

St Marys Hospital Auxiliary members thank all who supported us before, and on the day of the market.

Raffle winners ; 1st Les Newman
2nd Scott Bean

Thank you for your support of the Casserole Luncheon held at St Marys Catholic Presbytery in aid of Edma, Phillipine Foster Child.

Congratulations to Jack Miller, Mangana, winner of our grocery raffle and Carole Woods winner of a decorated pot plant.

P. Biggelaar

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BUS SAFETY COMMITTEE

Following the Public Meeting held on May 12 at the Falmouth Community Centre, a committee was formed, as a sub-committee of the Parents & Friends Association. Members are Dave Cannon, Bruce Hogarth, Mary Mumford, Leon & Meredith Smith, Janine Drake and Mary Beach.

The aim of our committee is to ensure safe bus travel for students while travelling the Elephant and St. Marys Passes. We have been liaising with personnel in the Department of Works and Transport to ensure they carry out the agreed works on St. Marys Pass. Politicians such as Christine Milne, David Llewellyn and Michael Polley have been working on our behalf and have presented a petition to the Minister of Roads, to inspect the road. We have no response to this petition.

The Department of Works has completed some work on the Pass. They were supposed to remove the rock protrusions, replace the culvert inlets with grated pits and renew the post and rail fence. The widening of the road went into the "too difficult" and "costs too much" basket.

We're very disillusioned with the work undertaken. They merely removed the paint marks that had been placed on the offending protrusions, rather than do any real work. It took one afternoon! The work was to be done in conjunction with fixing the slip at the top of the Pass. (The bit that is fenced off with orange plastic to stop the rocks falling down!) This work has not been done. They have removed a few rotten posts. And that's the extent of the work!

We are also working on bus safety issues such as seat belts, padding of the protection bars on the seats, flashing lights and signage on the buses. One of our students recently had his front tooth broken off when he was pushed by another student.

It seems that where children's bus safety is concerned "the wheels grind slowly" indeed. A "Review of School Bus Safety" has been completed containing recommendations with regard to bus safety issues. None of the recommendations have been implemented. Many of the recommendations do little to improve the status quo. Seat belts are recommended for the rear middle and front seats only, and this only in new buses and buses built from 1990 onwards. This would negate most of the school buses in this State.

We would like to remind all parents and community members of the 40 km.p.h. speed limit that motorists must observe when passing school buses when children are getting on and off the bus.

If you would like to assist in ensuring safer bus travel for your children, then contact the Minister for Roads, Sue Napier, now. Express your dissatisfaction with St. Marys Pass road and the lack of progress with the implementation of the bus safety recommendation. An election is pending and your combined efforts may get some results.

Mary Beach

HIRE OF POOL 1995/1996 SEASON

The pool will be opened for use in early November and will remain open until mid-April. It is obvious that this will incur a high cost in heating and maintenance. The school is unable to meet the total of this continual cost. Due to this fact it is necessary to impose a user cost over this period.

The fee to be charged this season will be \$90.00 per key. This will enable users to have unlimited use outside school hours and is equivalent to \$4.00 per week. (\$10 will be refunded on return of key at the end of the season). Similar conditions to last year will apply.

A copy of the rules is on page 8.

Those who attended the CPR course at the beginning of the year will not be required to repeat this course. All others who wish to purchase a key must attend a training session to be held at the school in early November.

Keys may be purchased at the school office from the Bursar, Mrs Maureen Bushing.

We hope you all enjoy using this great community facility.

J S Marshall
PRINCIPAL

ST MARYS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL

GENERAL INFORMATION

This pool is different from our other pool as it is bigger and deeper, therefore more care must be taken by all keyholders and rules must be strictly adhered to.

Breaking of rules means forfeit of key and no refund. This also means disqualification for next season.

- * Requirement of keyholder.
CPR course attendance - held by school.
Attendance at CPR and Rescue Techniques training course.
- 1. A pool committee has been established to organise the use of the pool during the summer vacation.
- 2. The pool is available to anyone in the community 18 years or over wishing to purchase key and abide by pool rules.

GENERAL RULES FOR USE OF POOL

1. Because no official will be on duty, keyholders or designated adult must accompany children under 18 and stay with them in the pool enclosure. Children must not be left unattended.
2. A CPR and Rescue Techniques course participation is a requirement to receive key.
3. Only children of keyholding parents who attend pool may use the pool at that time. The only exception will be guests staying overnight with keyholding family.
4. Children of one keyholder may accompany another keyholder and family at pool to a maximum of 5 children per adult.
5. Unaccompanied children cannot attend the pool. Keyholder must be 18 years or over.
6. Any responsible adult (18 or over) designated by keyholder can supervise swimming. If designated adult does not meet criteria of belonging to keyholder family or having slept over night as guest of keyholder family, designated adult must not enter pool for the purpose of swimming or supervision. Keyholder family is defined as family members residing at same address as keyholder.
7. A charge of \$80 per family will be made to cover cost of chemicals and maintenance. Also a \$10.00 key deposit is required.
Total \$90.00.
8. No-one is to touch any equipment relating to the pool. e.g. filter, etc.
9. Cars must be parked in normal car park areas. Do not park near the pool.
10. If you feel your family does not meet usual family criteria, please check with pool committee before using pool.
11. No dogs.

RULES FOR WATER SAFETY

The following are prohibited:

1. running anywhere within the fences surrounding the pool.
2. jumping or diving into the pool in a manner likely to endanger others.
3. ducking, pushing or interfering with other swimmers
4. entering the pool wearing bandages/Band-Aids that are not waterproof, or when having an infectious complaint or skin complaint.
5. large inflatable pool toys are banned. Only kickboards and floaties may be used.

APPLICATION FOR USE

1. Keyholders who agree to the above rules may use the pool from November - Mid April.
2. A list of keyholders will be on display.
3. Each permit holder will be issued with a key. The gate must be locked again on entering the pool. (This will stop unauthorised people using the pool).
4. Breaking the Rules means forfeit of key and no refund, also disqualification for next season.
- * Life buoys and resuscitation guide displayed on fence.
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" 3.30 p.m. - sunset school days

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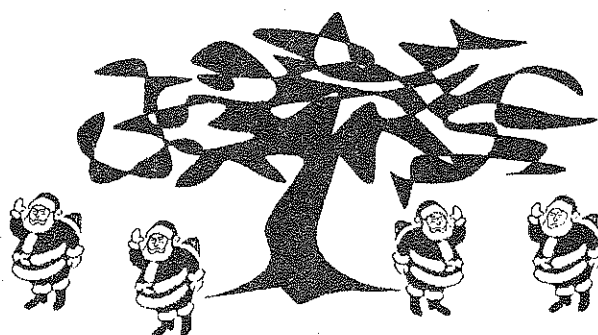
SIR

What a wonderful sight - to see so much activity going on in the Main Street of St Marys on Saturday 14th of this month, well up till about lunch time anyway!!!

Familiar faces and a lot of new ones as well, all turned out to see what the "Community Market" had to offer, which was for a large part, good bargains in all sorts of goods.

Congratulations to all concerned in making it a huge success, more of the same please.....

From a very satisfied stall holder/customer
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BREAK-O-DAY FILM SOCIETY INFORMATION EVENING....

FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER

7PM

COMMUNITY CONTACT CENTRE MAIN ST.....ST MARYS

Michelle McGill, President of the Tasmanian Film
Federation has kindly agreed to visit St Marys to outline to
interested people what it takes to get a film Society started.

Michelle tells me there is not a lot to getting started and
the other societies throughout the State are most
supportive to new groups.

A Break-O-Day Society would not necessarily be confined
to St Marys, in fact it would be most desirable if we were
able to move the viewing around the population centres.

If we were successful in forming a society we would
endeavour to hold a Film Festival in the area during 1996.

This would be a great boost to the local economy.

If you know anyone else who has an interest in the movies
please feel free to bring them along as there is more chance
of us getting up and going with a greater number of people
attending the information evening.

I look forward to seeing you on Friday evening.

Annette Wines Phone 722 759 b/h 722187 a/h

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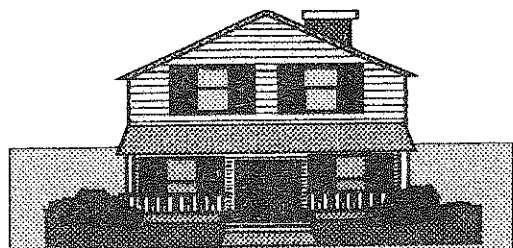
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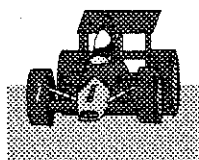
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BREAK O'DAY COUNCIL NEWS

LAND AT ST MARYS

The Napier family have offered to lease to council a parcel of land at St Marys adjacent to the Sewerage lagoon for a peppercorn rental. The St Marys Association for Community Development have proposed to re-establish native vegetation on the land and then create a bird sanctuary and viewing platform.

LANDCARE - WATERWATCH FACILITATOR

A combined Landcare meeting was held in St Marys last week to discuss the role of a combined Landcare - Waterwatch Facilitator and develop his/her role. The committee comprised of representatives from the following Landcare groups: St Helens, St Marys, Four Mile Creek, Binalong Bay, Bay of Fires and Pyengana.

TELSTRA EXPANSION AT ANSONS BAY

Telstra have written to Council advising their intention to improve their facility at Ansons Bay with the erection of a new mast. The existing compound will be extended to accommodate the new mast and guy wire. Completion is due in early 1996.

MEETING ON YOUTH ISSUES

A wide range of issues relating to youth in the Break O'Day Municipality will be discussed at a meeting at the St Marys Hall Supper room on Thursday 2 November at 6.30pm. The meeting will be addressed by Dave Willens the state director of the Youth Network of Tasmania (YNOT). YNOT is a new body which has been set up to address issues and advise the State Government on youth affairs in the non government sector. This will be an important issue so if you have an interest in youth in the Break O'Day Municipality please try and be there. As well as individuals, groups such as sporting clubs, welfare organisations, schools and service organisations are invited to send representatives.

SCAMANDER VILLAGE GREEN

The Scamander and District Ratepayers Association recently wrote to Council requesting that the grassed areas, both east and west of the south end of the Scamander Bridge be proclaimed the "Scamander Village Green". Their last meeting Council agreed to this request and Council will now seek the appropriate permission from the Tasmanian Nomenclature Board to have the name officially recognised.



LANDCARE NEWS

Jan Sparkes

Global warming is one of the major environmental issues facing the world today. On 19 October 1995 the Commonwealth Government launched the "Greenhouse Challenge", a programme of co-operative agreements with industry to mitigate Australia's greenhouse gas emissions through cost effective initiatives.

The world's top scientists now believe that global warming has begun and they predict that the world will suffer more natural disasters and diseases as it takes hold; according to an official of the International Panel on Climate Change. The report which is to be presented to governments at an international conference in Rome in December concludes that the world is warming up and that pollution is at least partly to blame.

It is now officially being recognised that human health and a healthy environment are closely intertwined and that there are warning signs for us all to see and beware of.

Some problems we all hear about regularly concern our life blood - air, land and water. Air pollution, depletion of the ozone layer, blue-green algae, industrial contamination, lead levels in young children.

Our natural water supplies are rapidly deteriorating and dwindling with more salt, amongst which is chlorine, toxins and dangerous organisms.

We cannot afford to be complacent any longer. So for your own sake, if not for any one else, stop to think about your actions concerning air, soil and water. We can make a difference.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir

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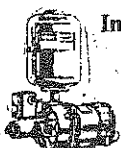
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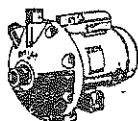
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RUSSELL ANDERSON

Federal Liberal Candidate for Lyons Contact (003) 97 6169

ANDERSON EXPRESSES SUPPORT FOR HOSPITALS

The Liberal candidate for the Federal seat of Lyons, Russell Anderson, has come out strongly in support of the continued funding and upgrading of the casualty section of the St Marys and St Helens hospitals.

Speaking after a visit to St Helens and the Fingal Valley, Mr Anderson said both hospitals were obviously vital to both communities and in need of continued financial support.

"There is obviously urgent work that needs undertaking at both centres, particularly in relation to the casualty sections.

"I will be drawing this matter to the attention of the Shadow Minister for Health, Dr Michael Wooldridge as soon as possible, with a view to seeking his assistance in carrying out this task.

"Obviously, during the course of the year, it would appear that both facilities were at times under-utilised but it is apparent from talking to the nursing staff, that, at holiday times, when there is a large transient population in the area, there is a need for expanded facilities.

"It would be tragic if a major accident or disaster occurred and people suffered through a lack of medical care that could easily be catered for with the injection of a relatively small amount of money.

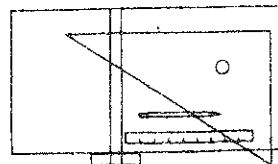
Mr Anderson said it was also obvious to him that there was a degree of dissension in the St Marys community over the future direction and role that the St Marys hospital should take.

"It seems to me that there would be a great deal of common good that would come from a round table meeting of both factions under the control of the Federal and State health Ministers to sort out the rift over the issue.

"St Marys is too small a town to be divided over the future use of its one hospital."

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St Marys Volleyball Assoc

Results

9.10.95

BOUNDERS V WARRIORS

A steady game at the start, but the experience of Bounders showed through. 15.7, 15.7, 15.8. Best males: U Pratap (B), T Hendley (W), K Kingston (B). Best females: M Loane (W), J Pickett (B), M Targett (B).

ST HELENS V LES' HAWKS

This game proved to be of a high standard which was characterised by good rallies and steady play with Les' Hawks winning the match 11.15, 15.12, 15.7. Best males: M Greenwood (LH), C Allen (SH), P Aulich (LH). Best females: K Allen (SH), A Greenwood (LH), S Chapple (SH).

HARRIERS V LEGENDS

A good close game with good long rallies but the experience of Harriers deciding the last set scores. 15.9, 12.15, 15.4. Best males: D Morris (L), P Wines (H), S Bantick (H). Best females: K Lynch (L), R Lynch (L), S Fisher (H).

11.10.95

BUTCH MECHS V SAMS

Butch Mechcs and Sams were very evenly matched. It turned out to be a close game but Sams turning in a victory 17.15, 13.15, 15.8. Best males: M Brown (BM), S Aulich (S), R Brown (BM). Best females: M Bean (BM), K Spilsbury (BM), L Fisher (S).

16.10.95

HARRIERS V 3D'S

These two teams are also very evenly matched and it proved to be a good game with good rallies and serves. Final scores: 15.11., 15.8, 15.13. Best males: M Williams (3D'S), P Mason (H), P Wines (H). Best females: H Fisher (H), R Smith (H), M Bennett (3D's).

WARRIORS V ST HELENS

This was a very one sided game. St Helens proving far too good. 15.3, 15.4, 15.3. Best males: P Midson (SH), L Young (W), C Allen (SH). Best females: S Chapple (SH), T Evelyn (W), M Loane (W).

LES' HAWKS V FINGAL

Fingal played as a team to defeat the unbeaten Les' Hawks in an upset. Fingal showed they will be there at finals time. 9.15, 15.8, 15.11. Best males: J Woods (F), T Hall (F), P Aulich (LH). Best females: T Brown (F), R Greenwood (LH), S Binns (LH).

18.10.95

BOUNDERS V SAMS

Bounders were scratching for a team but came up with numbers to defeat Sams. Sams were not disgraced with L Fisher serving very well. 15.11, 15.8, 12.7. Best males: B Ennis (B), T Triffett (S), M Bramich (B). Best females: M Targett (B), S Mitchell (B), L Fisher (S).

BUTCH MECHS V LEGENDS

Legends easily accounted for Butch Mechcs. Butch Mechcs going down 15.1, 15.3, 15.5. Best males: J Peake (L), D Morris (L), B Johnson (BM). Best females: K Lynch (L), T Lynch (L), K Spilsbury (BM).

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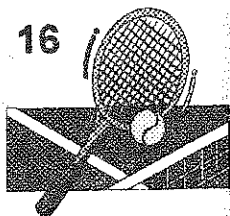
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Sport

ST MARYS TENNIS CLUB

PENNANT

The East Coast Tennis Association pennant roster commenced on October 15 with both St Marys teams scoring wins.

St Marys Red defeated Swansea - 9 sets to 0

St Marys Blue defeated Bicheno - 5 sets to 4

Results October 22

St Marys Red defeated Bicheno - 5 sets to 4 with three of the sets going to tiebreakers - 2 in Bicheno's favour.

St Marys Blue defeated Swansea 9 sets to 0

The matches between the two St Marys teams and Bicheno have been closely contested and with a little more pennant experience, Swansea is sure to improve.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

A reminder that membership fees must be paid by December 1 for players to be eligible for club championships.

A misprint in the last edition of the Valley Voice indicated that family membership was only \$10, when in fact it is \$30.

TWILIGHT TENNIS

Now that daylight saving has started, twilight tennis is held on Thursday from 6 pm onwards.

NEXT MEETING

Thursday 26 October
following twilight tennis

ST MARYS PACING AND RACING OWNERS, HORSES ETC. - Past and Present

The Doyles AV & Ernie

A V Doyle and his wife both raced gallopers quite a few years ago. They had their stables behind the bakers shop sometimes eleven at a time. According to my informant they did not always see eye to eye with the horses so each raced their own. Sons Ernie, Arthur and Percy rode for them - two for the mother and one for the father.

Bandora, a horse raced by the Doyles was bought by the publican at Conara. He was used to round up sheep and came back to race at St Marys and win. Cordilia and Mabin were other horses raced by them. Also Madge won the Deloraine Grand National Steeple for them. Ernie Doyle lived at Brooklyn in Harefield Road which is presently owned by Colin Loane and his wife. Stuart Napier, Oliver Chapman and past President of the St Marys Club also lived there. Also for a while Stan Hill who owned and raced pacers, Brooklyn Fred, Brooklyn Globe and a very good mare Meadow Lea who was later raced by David McHenry of Carrick with much success.

Another veteran who has been around horses for quite a few years is Cros Davern. Cros and his late wife Pearl are known as Jacks or Jill of quite a few undertakings. Farming, store owners, milkrun operators and for a while butchers besides having an interest in horse racing and among the horses were Anthusidle a good winner, Master Con ex Les Rowlings and

Blue Todd who he bought off Tod Geard and later sold to Ron Hayes of Derby who won the Metropolitan Cup in Hobart and was also successful in Melbourne. Speedy Officer won one race trained and driven by Eric Bean at Elphin. Cros rode Tallas Royle to win at Avoca races. He was owned and trained by his brother-in-law Frank Kitchen. In those days the rules were not as hard as today. I have been told one day Frank was in the cart ready to go onto the track when someone suggested he had better put the reins on the horse.

Cros' nephews Tassie & Jim Kitchen were both jockeys. Tassie also won over hurdles. According to Crosby the old track used to come round past the golf house across the eight and ninth fairway of the golf course and finish somewhere where the stalls are now. Prior to this, races were held on the back run which I believe is over behind Londavra where Mr & Mrs David Young now live and was once occupied by Mr & Mrs Gordon Wardlaw and family. The horses for St Marys race meetings in earlier days travelled by train in padded boxes for protection. These were real family day excursions something that is sadly missing today. Cros' best drivers were Web Jones, Tom Storay, Graham Peck with Jack Stamford the best. He had great pleasure in telling me that Mr Ludwig (Ludy) Schier gave him his first saddle.

In days gone by there were numerous blacksmiths plying their trade. This also seems to be a dying art. My grandfather Alf Thomas operated a smithy opposite the newsagency and later at home where his son Harold later worked. Harold used to work at Jubilee Coal mine and shoe horses and whatever else after work and weekends. Hard yakka and not much rest. Bob and George Mitchell ran a smithy on the block next to where Jeff & Margaret Faulkner now live.

Frank Bullock also raced a few pacers. Keith informs me that old Fairy was a moody bitch. Fairy Maurituis won in 1932 with Perc Llewellyn in the saddle. He also told me that one race day he was in front, going to win, and fell off. I think by the way he told me he got a bit cocky and lost control. This was at Avoca. Arthur Bullock also raced a couple including Silent Golfer.

More to come later.

Eric Bean

Sport



GOLF NOTES By Leftie

ASSOCIATES

11.10.95 - Stroke

Winner	Wendy Haas	64 nett
	J Blake	66 nett
	K Blair	66 nett

NP	Helen Hayes
Birdies 16th	J Blake
Gobblers	C Gunson 1st hole
	W Haas 3rd hole

Handicap Reduction	W Haas 38-37
	K Blair 22-21

18.10.95 - Ambrose

Winners	K Blair, B Haas, P Wyninga,
	Heather Hayes, S Oliver,
	J Hogarth, M Ridgers,
	L Clayton, B Cobb, A Calder

MEMBERS

14.10.95 Stableford

A Fletcher	41 pts
S Wilmot	40 pts
S Fletcher	40 pts
L White	39 pts

15.10.95 Nine Hidden Holes

S Fletcher	31 on c/b
T Viney	31
NP	L White

21.10.95 Stroke

Gross	A Fletcher	77
	D Ridgers	81
Nett	A Fletcher	65

P Wilson	66
J Furlow	67

NP 7th & 16th D Ridgers

22.10.95 - Flag

Mat Viney	19th Fairway
N Mallinson	19th Fairway
A Fletcher	18th Hole
A Viney	18th Green
C Batchelor	18 Fairway

18.10.95 - Nine Hole Ripe Opener - Stroke

Men	
G Williams	30½
L Cullen	33½
O Morris	33½
G Beams	34½
P Temby	34½
B Bishop	35
T Allen	35
Ladies	
A Mitchellson	32 nett
M French	33
H Beams	33½
M George	34
A Wilkie	34
W Richardson	35½
Raffle - R Spence	

19.10.95 - Veterans Tournament - Long Boat Tavern Trophy

Event 1	Winner	D Bulman	43 pts
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R/Up	D
Menzies	42 pts
Event 2 - 55-61	
A Bajacky	40 pts
J Colrain	39 pts
Event 3 - 62-67	
J Dunlop	40 pts
D Giffard	39 pts
Event 4 - 68 & over	
B Deverell	38 pts
J Hallam	38 pts
Event 5 - A Grade - 0-15	
G Williams	38 pts
R Summers	37 pts
Event 6 - B Grade 16-20	
D Williams	39 pts
G George	38 pts
Event 7 - C Grade 21-27	
H Cooper	39 pts
M Burt	38 pts
Event 8 - 1st nine holes	
B Hallam	21 pts
Event 9 - 2nd nine holes	
B Turner	23 pts
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ST MARYS CRICKET CLUB NEWS

Our cricket season started out with a practice match against Avoca three weeks ago, both sides looking for valuable time at the crease as neither had an opportunity to have training runs to this time. Avoca batted first, and with a strong opening stand and two of their batsmen making 50 and retiring, St Marys did well to have them all out for 157. Our turn at the crease saw us in early strife but some good partnerships at the bottom of the order saw the scores about level at the end of the day. First time player Danny Woods, from Fingal, making 38 runs and bowling well for St Marys. Thanks to Avoca for making the effort and both teams gaining some valuable practice.

The first roster game against Winnaleah at St Marys had St Marys 9/150 at the end of their 50 overs. A hard hitting 40 by Jamie McKimmie and steady batting by Leigh Nehls and Turbo Rowlands had us with a defendable score given the size of our ground and the usual good cover of grass at this time of the year. Our defence started well, soon having Winnaleah in early strife. Great bowling by Marcus Greenwood and Jeff Woods contributing to the visitors being 7/73 at one stage. Our lack of consistent bowling toward the end however and the visitors dropping some of their better batsmen down the order saw them pass our score with two wickets in hand. Valuable points missed in our first game, but a good learning experience for our young side.

Our second match against Scottsdale also at home, saw the visitors bundled out for 52 runs. Early pressure again from Greenwood and Woods, paving the way for Raz McDonald and Jamie McKimmie to clean up as the wicket takers. Although just a small target, Scottsdale to their credit making us battle hard for the points. Jeff Woods and Marcus Greenwood at times struggled for form against tight bowling finally passing the score with eight wickets in hand, but taking 23 overs to do so.

Congratulations to Marcus Greenwood and Jamie McKimmie for being elected Captain and Vice Captain respectively. It's nice to see the youth of our side stepping into major roles for the club and continuing our summer tradition. Nice also to see so many younger players lining up for a game, a nucleus for a competitive and hopefully successful year.

Thanks also to Craig Mitchell and the St Marys Golf Club for cutting our ground with their new gang mower. You only have to look over the ground to see the benefits of this machine, let's hope we get some ample rain soon to give him something to cut!! Our businesses have again stepped forward and given generously to our Christmas raffle, tickets available soon. Many great prizes - a good value for the buyers. Look forward to having a major sponsor for our cricket tops soon, keep an eye out for that.

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Financial Report
Election of Officers
Election of Committee
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Eric Bean

Secretary

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