

The Valley and East Coast Voice

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See ourselves as others see us

How do you see St Marys ?

How would you write a description for a magazine or tourist brochure ?

Could you let us know ?

Below are two examples from two different articles. The 1998 edition of 'The Visitors Guide - Tasmania' includes the following entry for St Marys in the 'Tasmania - town by town' section.

'St Marys: Used to be the eastern-most terminus of the rail network and the St Marys railway station site has a number of significant features associated with rail history.

Travelling north the road passes through the St Marys Pass towards St Helens and south through Elephant Pass with many spectacular mountain and coast views.'

The 1998 Break O'Day Planning Scheme describes St Marys as —

'A major inland centre with an important cultural and built heritage. It is a secondary commercial and administrative node. Together with outlying settlements it provides services for the resource development industries of forestry, agriculture and mining.

The values to be maintained and protected are it's role as a service centre and the urban streetscape as identified in the St Marys Townscape Project

It is starting to happen

Break O'Day Council men and machines are busy in the Main Street of St Marys for initial Streetscape work. Kerbing and guttering for footpaths has begun. The orange markings opposite the Bakery denote the 'traffic calmer' for the proposed narrowing of the roadway. Paving and trees will come later.

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Thursday 15th October '98

10am to 6pm

St Marys District High School

This Expo provides an opportunity for the business community and students to come together to see what the region has to offer and to introduce a wide range of industries and community service providers to people throughout the region.

Aims to encourage self enterprise by promoting business ideas that are particularly relevant to the local area and the current economic climate and to extend a network of contacts both socially and within the industry.

To encourage links between industry and students for the long term benefits of the region.

Members of the community are invited to attend this *'More than you think'* expo.

Lions Club of St Marys Inc.

St Marys Railway Station

Expressions of Interest

The Lions Club of St Marys is seeking Expressions of Interest from persons interested in utilising the St Marys Railway Station building for commercial or other purposes.

Expressions of Interest should outline the intended purpose, lease term sought and the rental offered.

Inspection of the premises can be arranged by contacting President Bruce Spilsbury on 63722155.

Expressions of Interest must be in writing:

To Box 101 St Marys and must be received by 30th October 1998.

**50% off already marked down
books and magazines.**

Assorted titles such as:

Behind the Footy Show

Two Wheels. Fly Fishing

Pregnancy in Spring

Gardening Australia

St Marys Community Health Centre

Weekly activities

Are you bored with sitting at home day in day out?
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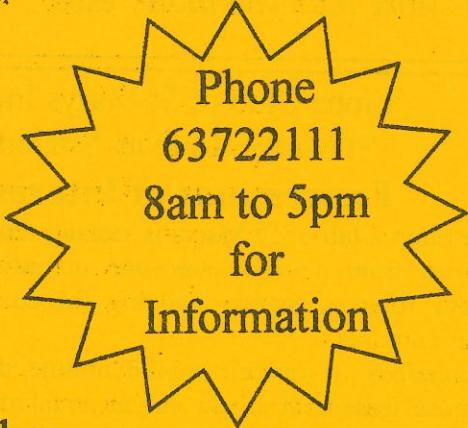
Would you just like a change of scenery?
Do you enjoy a lovely hot meal in the middle of the day?
What about a 'Happy Hour' once a month with 'Music and merriment'?
Could we offer you something else, we are open to suggestions.

If any of these activities interest you, why not join us at the Centre?

We can arrange to pick you up in the HAAC bus and take you home as well.

Wednesday 10am to 3pm is for mixed company.

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for
Information

October

15th Thursday. Child Health

26th Monday. Private Podiatrist

27th Tuesday. Private Podiatrist

27th Tuesday. OPSM for eyes

28th Wednesday. Australian Hearing Services

29th Thursday. Youth Health Team

29th Thursday. Diabetic Workshop 11am to 12md

Aerobics for beginners

Thursdays 10.45am in old Physio department
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Doctor and family arriving soon

Dr Pravish Shah with his wife Primula, daughter aged 5 and son aged 3 will arrive in St Marys in less than 2 weeks. Dr Shah comes from Durban in South Africa.

They intend to move into Dr Naidoo's residence without their furniture and belongings which are expected to arrive about three weeks later.

St Marys Value Plus and St Marys Top Shop have kindly set aside a box to start the Shah's pantry.

When you next shop, please consider purchasing a grocery item to assist them when they first arrive.

A working bee date and time will be advertised to air the house, mow the lawns and tidy the garden.

All help will be much appreciated and will help the family feel welcomed into St Marys.

Thank you. Len Miles.

COASTCARE

Public Forums are to be held at campgrounds on the north east coast to discuss the Sustainable Coastal Strategy. Results of survey work and options for longterm management of **all the coastal reserve camping areas in the region** will be discussed.

Anyone with an interest in, questions about, or ideas concerning changes to coastal camping on public land in north eastern Tasmania (from Little Swanport to Bridport) is welcome.

Forum times and venues are as follows:

- Saturday 10 October 1998.

Little Musselroe Bay Campground
(Cape Portland) 12.30 to 3pm

- Saturday 17 October 1998.

Cosy Corner South Campground
(Bay of Fires) 10am to 12.30pm

Further information:

Donnalee Young on 63761281
or 0418 575883

Letter to the Editor

What a difference a pleasant approach makes.

Even our local 'treesitter' man spoke positively of the person who has been running his professional eye over all the trees that are within a stones throw or even closer, to any power line around the town.

Mr Robert Murphy, Planner and Negotiator for 'Hydro Services Tasmania', has been visiting many landowners this week, to discuss any problem with close or overhanging branches from trees on their property.

Mr Murphy is prepared to talk and discuss options rather than just come in and say 'those trees have to go'!

Businesses can only improve their public image with people like Robert Murphy dealing with customers. The days of heavy handed authority can be replaced with friendly reasonable negotiation and a satisfactory outcome for both parties achieved.

Happy greenthumb.

Classifieds, reports from clubs, personal notices or any newsworthy articles are welcomed and accepted by the Valley and East Coast Voice. This paper is put together each fortnight by a volunteer 'staff' and the interest and support of the community is very important to assist in it's continuity.

Items can be left with Kathryn at St Marys Health and Beauty Shop. Ph/Fax 63722172 or posted c/- St Marys Post Office.

50th Thankyou

Mary and Geoff King wish to thank all friends and relations, with special thanks to our daughter Barbara, and Kevin, for making our 50th Wedding Anniversary such a successful day. Thankyou Barbara for the lovely poems and Kevin for being chef, (between Bathurst laps and Phillip Island), and Marj Aulich for the beautiful cake.

Thankyou all again. Mary and Geoff



One of Barbara's poems

'It was the second of October 1948

Two young Tasmanians had a very special date
To pledge their troth together and to say 'I do'
To bind a special love that only comes to few
Now 50 years have passed in the blinking of an eye
That love has endured and I can tell you why
Because the promises they made were solemn and sublime
Through tough times and good, they've stood the test of time
My parents made the most of everything they had
This is why they are the Very Best Mum and Dad.

*Congratulations on your Golden Wedding Anniversary
Barbara, Kevin and Matthew.*

Letter to the Editor

On the 14th September I resigned from the Break O'Day Council. Peter and I postponed our travel plans in 1996 to allow me to stand in that election.

I had every intention of completing my elected term, however when the State Government announced the proposed amalgamation, we brought our travel plans forward again.

I did not agree with the proposed amalgamation but believed they were inevitable.

Our plans are now too far advanced to postpone and if there is no change to the date of the next Council election (24th November) there will be no need for a recount or a by-election.

I take this opportunity to thank the public for their support over the past two years, I have given it my best and tried to be objective on all issues. There is certainly a picture bigger than our own back yard to be considered.

I would encourage any one to give Local Government a go. I know there are many who criticise the establishment's performance just as I have in the past. I still have concerns myself in some regards but at least I now know why some things do or do not happen.

In regards to our community's development, I would love to see 'Greening St Marys' get off the ground. It's success will be dependent on 'community groups' and community groups are only effective with a good pro-active membership, so why not consider joining SMACD inc., Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Landcare or the Streetscape Committee and get this area back on it's feet.

Dare I say it, Christmas is just around the corner, so I take this opportunity to wish everyone the best for 1999. If time permits and the travel interesting, I may put pen to paper to let any one that is interested, know how we are getting on 'living our dream',

Regards, Annette Wines

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Mathinna

5th Sunday
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Valley Church of the Rock

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Church Service 10.30am

Anglican Parish of the

Northern Midlands Services each Sunday

Ross	8am
Campbell Town	9.30am
Avoca	11.30am
Fingal	2.00pm

Tuesdays

Mathinna 2.00pm

Daily Office Reading

Avoca	Tuesdays	10am
Fingal	Tuesdays	12 noon
Ross	Wednesdays	10am

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Divine Service 11am

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9am

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Pyengana

11am

2nd and 4th Sunday

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Sunday

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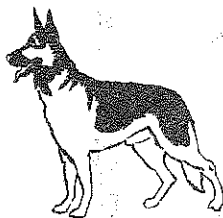
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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to local boy Scott Targett and his band "Big Wally" in winning the state final for university bands.

The band won the northern section first, then the state final and on Tuesday they go to Melbourne for the Australian final on Thursday night.

Scott is in his final year at the university for a degree in music. He is also the keyboard player for the rock band trio "Groove Unit" and regularly plays between Burnie to Hobart.

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Ann Birell
Mary Viney
Lorraine Gill
Tracey Bean

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P & Y Davern
Kath Read
Glen Lodge
Heather Griffiths
C & P Berwick

FINGAL

John Walker
June Hall
Sharon Webb
Linda Bean
Aub Oliver

Sharon Hall
Sue Woods
Barbara Saunders
Vic Jones
Rob Yates



APPRECIATION

A big "thank-you" to June Gilroy for her contribution as a volunteer at the St Marys Day Centre.

June generously supplied all the herbal teas used at the centre, as well as many craft items and sweets. On her last visit to Sydney she brought back several packs of playing cards for Day Centre use. Many craft items discovered by June were photocopied for Day Centre reference books. A box of photocopying paper was also provided for this purpose.

Thank You June

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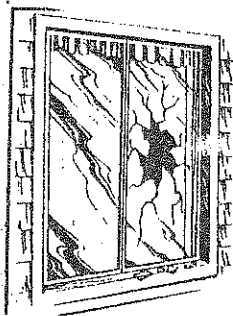
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What's On

YOUTH AND MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES MEETING

**ST MARYS COMMUNITY
HEALTH CENTRE
MONDAY 12TH OCTOBER
12.00PM**

**ARE YOU CONCERNED
ABOUT?**

1. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT
2. STRESS, DEPRESSION OR SCHIZOPHRENIA
3. ALCOHOL AND DRUG USAGE
4. ACCESS TO SERVICES AND EDUCATION
5. SUICIDE PREVENTION

If you answered yes to any of the previous questions or know someone who is concerned then this meeting may be of use to you. The issues group has already met once (apologies for the cancellation of the 2nd meeting) and has identified some key concerns about these issues for both young people and the general public. However we need to hear about current issues from all areas of the community as well as health and education worker input. Your attendance and ideas/support is most welcome.

For further information contact Mark Bonnitcha or Patsy Burgess on 63722111 Monday to Friday.

INVITATION

THE ST MARYS UNITING CHURCH IS HAVING IT'S FINAL CHURCH SERVICE ON 11-10-98 AT 11.00AM.

FOLLOWED BY A LUNCHEON.

BRING ALONG ANY PHOTO'S OR MEMORABILIA YOU MIGHT HAVE.

IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND PLEASE SEND A GREETING

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE

PROGRAM

Service : 11.00am

Luncheon : 12.15pm

Followed by sharing of reminiscences

Close : 2.30pm

Shirley Britton 63722202

Diane Ward 63722415

Lawry Rhodes 63722330

ST MARYS DISTRICT HOSPITAL SUPPORT ASSOCIATION

A big thank you to all those who supported the stall on election day.

Proceeds amounted to \$948.50. After expenses, the Hospital Support Assoc. and the Hospital Auxiliary each received \$455.25.

Winners of the raffle were:

1st Prize Shirley Phillips

2nd Prize Stewart Rawnsley

3rd Prize Dave Robinson

We wish to re-assure people that the re-opening of the hospital WILL take place but patience is necessary for the restructuring to develop.

The next meeting of the St Marys District Hospital Support Association. will be held on Monday 19th October at 7.30pm in the Salvation Army Hall.

IF YOU CARE BE THERE!

PODIATRIST (for feet)

CHRISTINE WHITE FROM HOBART WILL BE VISITING ST MARYS ON MONDAY & TUESDAY 26TH & 27TH OCTOBER.

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Some Guidelines

* Coming home to find an intruder in your house can be an unnerving experience. If you enter your home without realizing there is an intruder inside, leave as quickly as possible. Hurry to a safe place and call police on 000. Please wait for the police to arrive before returning

* If you arrive home and see

o r suspect an intruder inside **DO NOT ENTER** the house. You should quickly leave the property and call the police.

* If an intruder wakes you in your home try to get yourself and your family away. Your personal safety is most important. Please leave the house. Go to a safe place and call the police on the emergency telephone number 000.

* If the intruder blocks your exit or confronts you, stay calm. Tell the intruder you are leaving. Otherwise, yell for help, scream, turn on lights, smash a window, make as much noise as possible and try to alert your neighbours.

* Please do not block escape routes or try to apprehend the intruder. Call police. Dial 000.

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3 Tablespoons Hot Water
1/4 Cup Cold Water
3 large cooking apples (peeled, cored &
chopped)
6 Cloves
Juice of 1 small lemon
1/2 Cup Honey
1 Egg White
Artificial sweetening to taste if desired.

METHOD

Cook apples and cloves in cold water until
soft. Remove cloves. Add honey and
lemon juice. Remove from heat. If the
apple is still coarse push through a sieve.
Beat until a puree. Dissolve
gelatine in hot water and add to apple.
Allow to cool. Beat egg white until stiff.
Fold into apple mixture. If artificial
sweetening desired, add at this stage.
Spoon into sweet bowls. Serve as a sweet
with whipped cream.

RAFFLE FOR DALE

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RATING SYSTEM

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**** Excellent

*** Good

** Just OK

GAMES REVIEW -

"CRUIS'N USA" -{ Nintendo 64 } This game is not the latest (N64) drivin sim but it is an arcade classic. When originally released Cruis's USA got some heavy criticism for its longevity and lack of car options, but if you don't like the complications of fine tuning a formula 1 beast such as the new Formula 1 (N64) and just like a fast action packed ride across America with good individuality in the stages and great backgrounds this will fit the bill. You get ten short courses or the fantastic 14 stage road race across the states. The choice of 4 cars to begin with and optional split screen 2 player (although this slows the game down considerably. ****

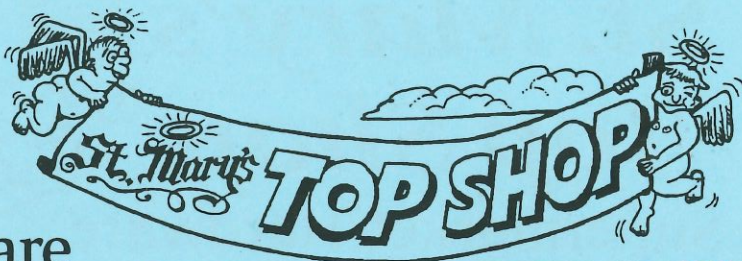
CD REVIEW - Jill Sobule - "Happy Town" Happy Town starts off with "Bitter" classic little ditty which received plenty of air play and deservedly so. Sobule has one of those 90's voices soft and childlike similar to Frente and Bjork but she writes very good pop songs such as "I'm So Happy" and "When My Ship Comes In" the latter still receiving plenty of air time on JJJ. As an album "Happy Town" stands up well and gets better with every listen. If there is one outstanding song it would have to be "Half a Heart" a classic in-depth commercial song which hasn't been picked up as yet by radio. A very good listen. ****

CD REVIEW - Jethro Tull - "Songs from the Wood" Although originally released in '77 on vinyl this CD release is worthy of the review especially now it carries an under \$20 price tag. "Songs from the Wood" is Tull at their pinnacle of commercial success, from the opening track to the last "Fire at Midnight" Ian Anderson and Tull sound confident and comfortable. Sounding a lot like "War Child" with its quirky almost jazz style rhythms it's sometimes hard to get a handle on the tune, but this adds to the longevity of most of Jethro Tull's CD's in that everytime you listen you hear something new. Stand out tracks "Jack in the Green", "Songs from the Woods" and "Velvet Green". If you are in any way a Tull fan and amazingly have not got this it's a must. ****

CD REVIEW - Tori Amos - "From the Choir Girl Hotel" Tori Amos is quickly becoming the grand old dame of rock'n'roll in that she is teetering on the border of classic status. She is to rock what Barbara Streisand is to middle of the road music. Her recent CD's have been eagerly anticipated by listeners and radio alike. I too was hanging for a copy of "Choir Girl Hotel" and although it contains the hits "Spark" and the new one "Raspberry Swirl" (not unlike her classic dance anthem dedicated to Courtney Love "Professional Widow", the album as a whole is a little lack lustre. That's not to say it's not up to her usual standard it's just I expected something a little fresher in 1998 from the lady who brought us "Cornflake Girl". Good listening if not a little pedestrian. ***



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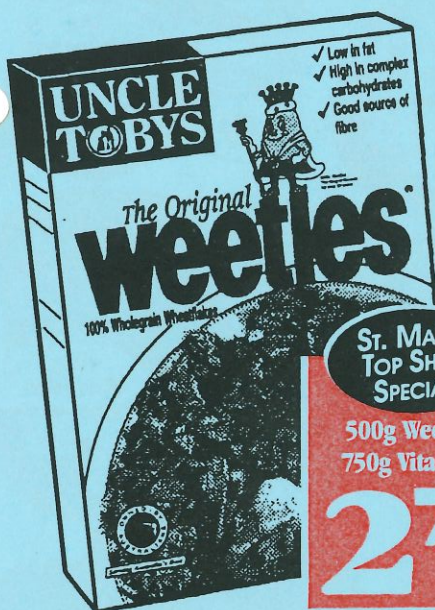
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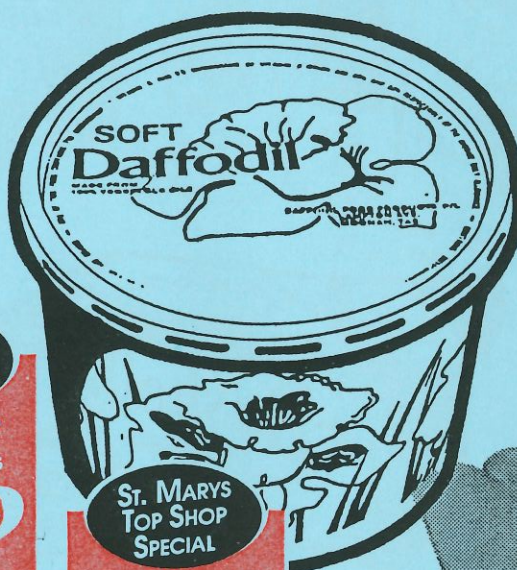
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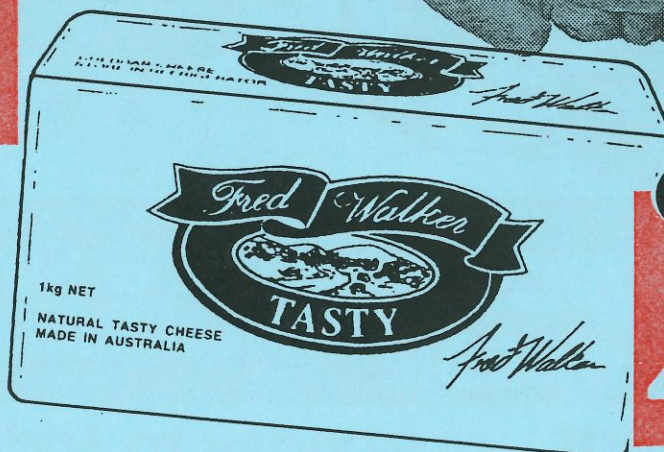
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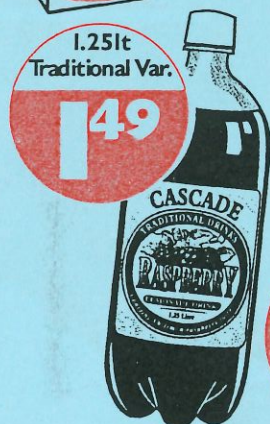
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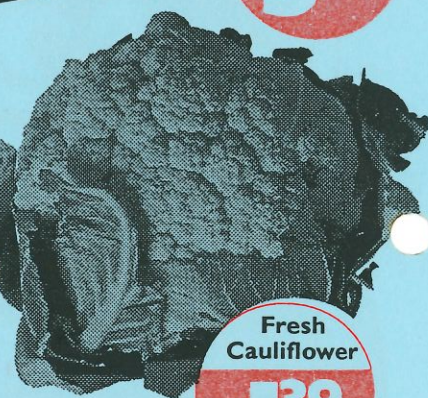
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We are involving district high schools from around the region and hope to attract the attention of parents and the business community. There will be information for everybody.

This is a major event for the region and St Marys, it will be open from **10.00am – 6.00pm** with guest speakers, entertainment and an official opening at 11.00am.

We aim to promote a relevant enterprise culture and keep youth and the general community up to date with the opportunities that are available to them. We hope you will participate in the expo on October 15.

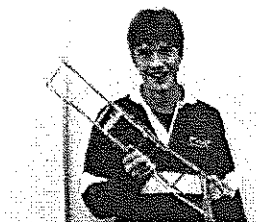
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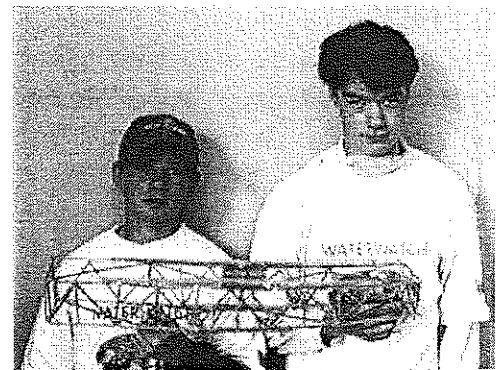
Science News

STRAW BRIDGE COMPETITION

Students were given limited resources from which to design and construct a bridge to span a 50cm gap. These were then tested to destruction by adding weights.



Marcus Salonen 10A – 650g



Brad & Brett 9A the winners inspired by the Scamander Bridge, coming in at 2550g and wearing the spoils of victory.



Sonia & Jess 9A – 600g



Sally & Stephanie 7A – 1200g



Rhet and Brendan 8A – 1000g

MODEL ROCKETS



Built from kits, these models are capable of reaching 300m into the sky. They have inspired many students so much that we may begin a model rocket club soon

Water Watch is alive and well this year. These students are keeping tabs on the quality of St Marys water.





STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Congratulations to the following Year 9 – 12 students for gaining certificates for their efforts in Term 2.

MOST IMPROVED RESULTS:

Clinton Woods

Matthew Oates

CONSCIENTIOUS EFFORT

Geoffrey Goodluck

Alesha Webb

Marcus Salonen

Kate Wagner

James Bennett

Niekia Denholm

Matthew Harris

Matthew Miller

Rebecca Pitt

Conor Miller

Krystle Aulich

Joanne Cohen

Adam Fletcher

Damon Nehls

Emma Pyke

Tristan Clement

Joshua Poole

D'Arne Brown.

Krystal Williams

Felicity Death

Luke Faulkner

Nicole Blair

Corinna Howard

OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC RESULTS

Celeste Miller

Rebecca Cooke

Emma Tamiaans

Racheal Casbault

Blair Adamczewski

Upasna Prtap

Emily White

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Neysa Cannon

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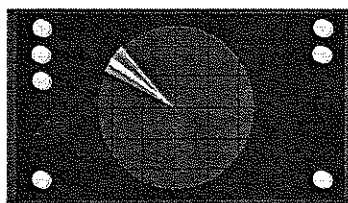
Matthew Viney

Jennifer Brown

Australian Defence Force Recruiting Unit - Hobart

Kane Neulist attended the 1998 Defence Awareness Tour from September 7 to September 12. Mr T Roe from the unit reported that Kane participated in all activities and took a keen interest in many career options. Kane will be

addressing our next 10-12 assembly about his experience and the types of career /trade jobs available.



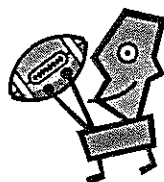
The Defence Force Recruiting Unit also reported that Kane's behaviour throughout the week was exemplary. Well done Kane and we look forward to your presentation.

Congratulations Brad Ennis ...

Congratulations Brad Ennis for being selected to receive a grant to study in Indonesia later this year. Brad was one of only two state recipients of a grant. Well done Brad, your experiences in the language and culture will undoubtedly be a gain for yourself and our students.

Congratulations Josh Cooke...

Congratulations to Josh Cooke for being awarded "Best Team Player" in the East North East Football Competition held last term.



Congratulations Kyle Bean...

Kyle has been chosen as the St Marys Lions Club entrant to submit an essay entitled "Drugs, Not For Me" in the Australian wide Lions Drug Awareness Competition. Kyle completed the essay in his own time as an extra english challenge. Well done!



St Marys Sports Centre News

by Kackhander

Great news in regard to bowls.

Thanks to a few dedicated members changing their minds it looks likely that the Club will fight on in this years pennant which commences the week after next.

Alan Beach will take on the Bowls President's duties, Glenn McDonald likewise as Secretary. Glenn's experience will be invaluable. The green is taking shape nicely, Rod Spilsbury and Trevor Viney have put in extra time to carry out work. A great bunch of helpers last Sunday, resulted in much necessary work being done.

Those helpers are too numerous to mention here but it is safe to say that if team spirit is anything to go on, the Club will do well.

Opening day is this coming Sunday, so if you wish to pop over for a roll you are more than welcome. The more the merrier.

Now to golf.

Just a reminder to all that the Annual Tournament is not a real long way off and support is essential in some way or another.

Trophy donors are still being sought and helpers-out with necessary jobs around the course would be appreciated greatly.

Offers to the general committee or course work co-ordinator would be good to see.

Meals will be available each day courtesy of the Ladies Golf Committee. This is great because in their heyday our tournament tucker was second to none. It's fantastic to see the Ladies enthusiasm.

Subscriptions are now due over the next two months and the committee hopes to see most if not all members retain the Club.

Encouraging signs of new members will help the Club no-end.

Congratulations to Dale Ridgers and Tristen Clement for excellent performances at the Country Week titles recently.

Well done fellas.

Anyway until next time

,good hitting and rolling.

NO BALLS!

Having led an interesting dissolute life composed largely of women, drinking, gambling and golf, but not necessarily in that order, at the end of it, the new arrival was not too surprised to find himself in hell. He was however quite surprised to find that his particular corner of Hades was an eighteen-hole golf course complete with gentle woods, a cool serene lake, well kept fairways, an immaculate green and a clubhouse with the usual professional's shop. The reprobate's delight was complete when he read the shop's notice.

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'Well, this is going to be tough to take' he leered as he chose a bag containing perfectly matched clubs. So laden he ambled to the first tee where he took out a driver, gave a delighted practice swing and then felt in the ball pocket. It was empty.

He was about to return to the shop to remedy the situation when he noticed a grinning figure in red.

'Don't mind me,' the grin grew wider, 'and don't bother going back for balls. There aren't any. That's the hell of it'!!

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The Fingal Valley Football Club finished a successful season in our second season with the North East Football Union with our Annual Dinner and Trophy presentation night on 19th September. Congratulations must go to all people concerned with catering for the 200 players and supporters who attended. Fingal Valley finished off the season with all three grades making the finals for the second season in a row.

Our Senior team went on to win the premier-ship for the first time under Coach Stuart Burr. We were able to turn around a 54 point defeat by Branhholm in the second semi final at St Helens to defeat Branhholm by 8 points on Grand Final day at Scottsdale in front of more than 3000 spectators.

Considering all Fingal players are local Valley boys, they did a fantastic job against a quality side. Hopefully all players will be back in '99 for 'back to back' premierships. Fingal Valley Reserves, coached by Craig Baldwin, were on top of the ladder for most of the season only to be crushed by injuries, in the final series, to a few of their top players. They finally bowed out in the preliminary final by eventual Premiers Ringarooma.

Our Under 16 team coached by Don Woods and Jim Kirkhope also did a fantastic job all season.

They were beaten in the preliminary final by Lilydale, a much bigger and faster side. Well done boys.

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Life Memberships were awarded to: Don Woods, Michael Brown, Helen Dakin and Carlene Webb, at the dinner.

Congratulations and well deserved.

Congratulations must go to all involved with the Fingal Valley Football Club for the '98 season. Hope to see you all back in '99.

Craig Woods

Senior Trophy Winners

Best and Fairest: Jason Hall

Runner - Up: Brent Leedham

Best Backman: Steven Bean

Leading Goal Kicker: Craig Woods

Best First Year Player: Andrew Pike

Best Clubman: Justin Cashion

Most Creative: Craig Baldwin

Best in Finals: Jarrad Woods

Most Consistant: Danny Woods

Coach's Trophy: Justin Cashion

Reserves Trophy Winners

Best and Fairest: Warrick Lowe & Darren Bean.

Runner - Up: Robin Youd

Leading Goal Kicker: Dave Arnold

Best Backman: Robert Krushka

Most Consistant: Steven Francis

Most Creative: Glen Turner

Coach's Trophy: Dick Newel

Reluctant scholar !!

Mum was was having a dickens of a time getting her son ready for school. 'I'm not going,' he screamed. 'The teachers make fun of me and the kids all hate me. I'm just not going anymore.'

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Best and Fairest	Clinton Woods	Vincent Memorial
Runner Up	Jonothan Richardson	A & E Oliver
Best Clubmen	David Marshall	Woods, Hall, Cooper
	Robert Brown	Memorial
Best Backman	Ashley Stewart	Sue Youd Memorial
Most Consistent	Shaun Kirkhope	Marlene Ward Mem.
Most Creative	David Claridge	Bob Marshall Mem.
Hardest Trier	Aaron Woods	T & S Freeman
Most Improved	Mark Webster	Pop Bean
Best Utility	Phillip Freeman	Silky Parker
Most Skillful	Jason Haberle	C & D Richardson
Keenest Players	Anthony Woods	W & L Freeman
	Shannon Styles	P & C Woods
Most Unselfish	Nicky Denholm	Y & D Marshall
	Matthew Oates	R & P Marshall
Best First Year	Sean Fletcher	Tim Baldwin
Leading Goal Kicker	Jacob Hyland	C & R Hall
Most Tenacious	Adam Fletcher	S & Y Woods
Best at Training	Luke Oates	Avoca Store
Coaches Awards	Ashley Stewart	Jim Kirkhope
	Andrew Walker	Don Woods
Incentive Awards	Joshua Wynwood	Ox Bryan
	Jarrod Haberle	J Webster
Best in Finals	Clinton Woods	N & J Claridge
	Aaron Woods	T & S Vance
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The next General Meeting
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Tennis Roster for Students

The St Marys Tennis Club
will organise a regular tennis
roster for students if there is
enough interest.

Any girls and boys interested
in a weekly or fortnightly ro-
ster are asked to be at the St
Marys Tennis Club courts on
Monday 12th October at
3.30pm to discuss details.

Parental assistance will also
be required, so please come
along with your child at this
time.



Scamander Surf Angling Club

'We fish for fun'
Competition this Sunday
October 11th
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St Marys Bowls Club

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Glenn McDonald 63722429
Rod Spilsbury 63722518
Alan Beach 63725243



CRICKET

by Ol' Snake Eyes

Last weekend we were privileged to have successful TCA
Club Coach Enrico Di Venuto conduct a cricket clinic at
the St Marys Recreation Oval.

Enrico with the help of several members of the St Marys Cricket
Club put 45 children through the basics of batting, bowling and
fielding. It was a most successful and enjoyable day.

**This Sunday the Club will be conducting a 'Double wicket'
competition fun day commencing 9.30am.**

In this competition teams of two persons compete with each team
batting and bowling for four overs. The winning teams advance to
the finals. The cost is \$5 per team with prizes for the winners and
runners-up. There will be other prizes on the day and food and
refreshments will be available. If you wish to enter please contact
Kerry Taylor at St Marys Value Plus.

The Club is on the verge of signing three new players which will be
a great boost to the team. The Club has lost a couple of players from
last season including Andrew Scott (knee reconstruction).

Full details of 'ins and outs' will be provided in the next edition.
Training for Seniors and Under 16's has commenced.

Seniors are training on Wednesday nights and the Under 16's on
Tuesday and Thursday nights.

1998 - 99 A Grade Roster

Saturday October 17: St Marys v Bridport at St Marys

Saturday October 24: Scottsdale v St Marys at Scottsdale

Sunday November 1: St Marys v Scamander at St Marys

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