

# The Valley & East Coast Voice

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## Melbourne Cup Luncheon

A very successful Melbourne Cup function was again held by the Local Lymphoedema Committee. All the 92 people who attended enjoyed the food and good company whilst trying to pick the Melbourne Cup winner, plus other winners in different races.

This function helps the clinic run throughout the year, that in turn helps many sufferers of this terrible affliction. It is the only Lymphoedema clinic in Tasmania and is a credit to all those who maintain this service in a rural area.

The committee is only small, and the willingness of these few people is to be congratulated for the effort that has been put into this Melbourne Cup function. This small band of dedicated people is to be highly praised. Three long serving members retired this year Audrey Wright, Ruth McGiveron and Jan Sparkes who was the original President. These three people gave a tremendous amount of time to this organisation over many years, and a presentation was made to them by the President at today's function.

The flower arrangement was done by Colin from Manor farm nursery and was admired by all those who attended. Many thanks to Colin for this brilliant display.

I take this opportunity to thank all those who helped in any way to make the day so successful, a special thank you to Ken Stonehouse and the students from the St Marys District High School who were very professional in their presentation of the luncheon

Winners of the main raffle were:

1<sup>st</sup> A Walker

2<sup>nd</sup> Liz Rice

3<sup>rd</sup> B Hogan

Winner of the Cup Day Lady was Margot Mitchell

Winner of the Cup Gentleman was Bob Middleton

As it takes many people to make a successful function I would like to thank the sponsors and those who made donations and those who helped in any way.

Tamar River Cruisers, Lemonthyne Lodge, Country Club Tasmania, Angasi Restaurant, Mrs Maisie Finney, Choc-a-lolly, Mitre 10 St Helens, Chicken Feed St Helens, St Marys Pharmacy, St Marys Newsagent, Forum Cinema St Helens, Karen O'Shea, Eric Bean, St Marys District Health Centre, St Marys Golf club, St Marys Football Club, and the friends who helped on Monday and Tuesday.

A special thanks to Harry Veldums for being the Master of Ceremonies for the day.

Let us look forward to a bigger and better cup day function next year.

Jean Legge.

*Photos courtesy Peter Troode. (More photos page 9)*



**Please note:** Deadline for articles to be included in the next Valley Voice is 5 pm Tuesday November 17, 2009.

**PLEASE NOTE NEW email address:** [judith.spilsbury@telair.com.au](mailto:judith.spilsbury@telair.com.au)



## Community news

**St Marys Hospital Auxiliary** meets the first Monday of every month at 2pm at the **St Marys Community Health Centre**.

**The Break O'Day Woodcraft Guild Inc.** meets the last Saturday of the month at 2pm at the goods shed behind the St Marys Railway Station.

**Grassy Bottom Regional Arts** General Meetings are now held at 5pm on the first Wednesday of every month at the Happy Belly Deli. Come along and enjoy the fun and bring along your ideas for the Arts in this community.

The **Tasmanian Lymphoedema Centre Inc.**, holds meetings every 3rd Monday of the month at 10 am at the St Marys Community Health Centre.

**St Marys Ladies Midweek Tennis** 9.30am each wed. Need new players - of any standard - beginners welcome - childminding included - lovely safe place to bring toddlers while you play. **Ring Annette-6372 2224.**

**St Marys Playgroup** meets each Thursday at 10.30am at the kindergarten. All preschool aged kids welcome to bring a carer/parent/granny/pa for a play and morning tea. Very chilled relaxed group of all ages - we love new members. **Contact Danyelle Briggs:**

**WOMBAT WALK LANDSCAPING GROUP** meet every Wednesday 9am to 12 Noon (weather permitting) at St Marys Musical Playground area to plant and maintain the rivulet park and flower bank - anyone interested in joining us - please come along and meet our group. **Contact - Robina 6372 2022.**

**Break O'Day Wine & Food Appreciation Society** meets once a month on the last Sunday.  
**Ph: John 6376 3130.**

**The Scamander and Beaumaris Community Development Association** meets at 7 pm at the Scamander Sports Complex every third Wednesday of the month. New members are most welcome.

**St. Patricks Head & Esk Valley Historical Society** meets on the third Sunday of every month, except December, at St. Marys Online Access Centre at 2.30 pm. Meetings are informal and fun and new members are needed. Please contact **Barry Aulich** on **6372 5752** or **Jim Haas** on **6372 2127.**

**The Falmouth Community** centre would like to advise members and the community that the new contact for bookings of club facilities is Ben Morgan. Ben can be contacted on **03 6372 5604.**

**Suncoast Singers** meet every Friday at 10am in the Catholic Hall - Cecilia Street St Helens. New singers always welcome.....If you can yawn - you can sing. Phone Mary-Anne Wadsworth 6376 2969.

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### Remembrance Day at St Marys

The St Helens-St Marys RSL have announced that it intends to conduct a Remembrance Day Service at St Marys on 11<sup>th</sup> November.

Accordingly the commemoration of Remembrance Day by the St Marys Memorial Services Association as advised in the last issue of the Valley Voice will not take place.

Requests to lay wreaths as part of the above service should be addressed to the RSL.

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## A LITTLE BIT OF HERITAGE: Jim Haas "Railway"

Seeing the photo of Neil Capill walking along the old St Marys-Fingal Rail Track in the last issue of the Valley Voice shows that nature has almost taken over and covered up what was once the life line to St Marys.

For around a hundred years almost everything that came in or out of the Fingal Valley was carried by rail. Indeed, it was the building of the Conara-St Marys railway, or Fingal Line as it became known, in the 1880s that sparked the development of the coal industry and made other industries like dairy and timber competitive enough to compete on the national markets.

What a wonderful day our ancestors would have had on the 29<sup>th</sup> June 1886 when the first train loaded with dignitaries, huffed and puffed its way into the newly built St Marys Station. Finally, St Marys was on the map and no longer an isolated backdrop. To top it off, the newly elected Honourable Premier, Doctor James Wilson Agnew, and most of his Parliamentary Ministers were on board. They had left Hobart early that morning, arriving just in time for the civic reception put on in honour of this auspicious occasion.

The VIP's stay was short lived however, after a few speeches and a bite to eat, they were back on the train heading back to the city, but they had left a lot of smiling faces behind. The people of the Break O'Day Plains now had much closer contact with the outside world which would bring a newfound way of life and economic development opportunities not seen before.

There are few people left in St Marys today who would remember the streams trains or the "camel car" that carried passengers to Launceston every day, with a shopping special every second Thursday.

How many remember 1954? The "camel car" was loaded with school children from St Marys to Conara and taken to Launceston, then on to York Park to join thousands of other Northern Tasmanian children to see Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Phillip do a lap of the oval, standing in the back of an open Land Rover.

How many are left who went off to High School in Launceston and travelled in on the train? They would head off on a special Sunday evening train and returned home on Friday night. There would be even less who could remember when the train brought the circus to town, complete with elephants and lions.

One can only sit and wonder why we all stood back and allowed the Government of the day to dismantle this significant piece of our heritage in the 1980s. What a wonderful tourist asset it would be if we had one of the old restored steam engines huffing, puffing and whistling its way up and down the valley today. It could be complete with carriages and, perhaps, a wooden "C" wagon loaded with coal as a show piece.

A few years back Bob Hersey led a committee who conducted a feasibility study into the rebuilding of the St Marys-Fingal rail line as a tourist attraction. But with years of deterioration, coupled with the removal of bridges, including a large section of the main bridge over the Break O'Day River at Frodsley, the project ran into millions of dollars and it was eventually deemed unviable.

The current proposal put forward by St Marys Association for Community Development Inc to develop the old rail line into a recreational trail, however, would be much less cost effective. Although it would not bring the steam engines back, it would preserve the heritage of this important link to our past and add a valuable asset to the community.

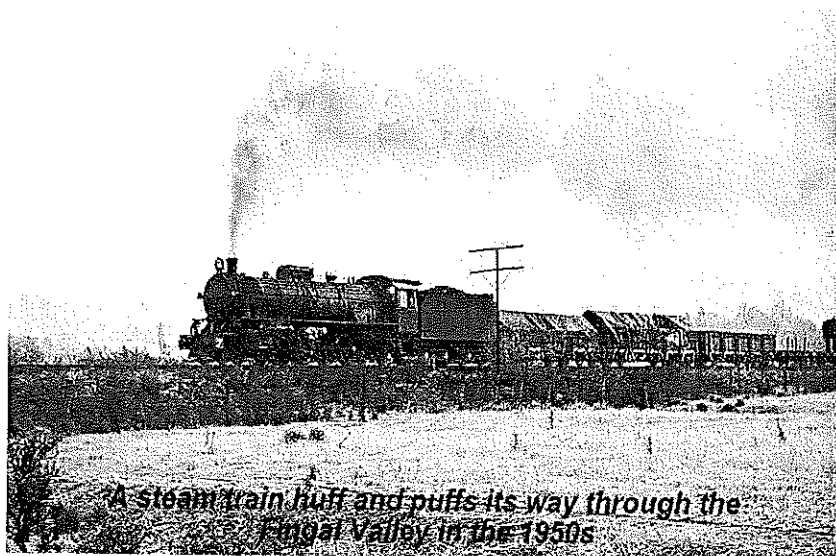
Every State in Australia, through the Rail Trails Program, has developed old railway lines into walking, cycling and horse riding trails. In Tasmania, it appears, most of the Government monies spent on these projects has been in the more populated centres and it's high time some of that money was channelled into the country regions.

We may never again hear the sounds of the steam trains as they shunt the coal wagons at Jubilee, Cullenswood and Mt Nicholas Sidelings, or see their smoke bellowing though the Valley.

But let's hope there is a chance that the land on which they travelled can be restored in some form and the vital role rail played in our history will not be forgotten.



An early steam train at St Marys Station



A steam train huff and puffs its way through the Fingal Valley in the 1950s

## Letters to the Editor

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The Editor.  
Valley Voice.  
Dear Editor.

I served in Vietnam, my great Uncle was at Gallipoli, my Grandfather was awarded the Military Medal for bravery in WW1, my Father served throughout WW2, and my Cousin fought in Korea.

The arrogant claim on behalf of the St Helens-St Marys R.S.L in the Voice (22nd October ) that it "has long preferred to have speeches presented by ex-service personal as Remembrance and ANZAC days belong to THEM" is the statement of a raving bigot, and demonstrates the attitude of ownership of sacrifice that has alienated so many service men and women - is it any wonder that the R.S.L movement is struggling to survive.

I also find it distasteful that this organisation aims to ingratiate itself with the community by providing a free sausage sizzle at St Marys, but that it requires that community to purchase its poppies from the R.S.L

The 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month is the moment when ALL Australians take time to remember the men and women who fought and died in wars and conflicts on their behalf, by observing a minute's silence as a mark of respect to honour the dead - it is a moment when ALL Australians pause in their daily life, and remember, not a moment for speeches by anybody!

Remembrance Day belongs to ALL of us, Mothers, Fathers, Widows, Children, Friends Neighbours, every Citizen of this Country.

Those who died did so in the belief that by fighting they were protecting their loved ones and their country; they are remembered by their Families and the community as a whole, not just by a bunch of self important drongoes, the same ones who ditched Anzac Day at St Marys this year because they wanted to have a big do at St Helens instead.

John Smee  
5 R.A.R.

Letter to Editor,

If Chris Munday the President of the ST Helens - St Marys RSL Sub Branch thinks he will appease my feelings by providing a sausage sizzle he is so WRONG.

I will not FORGET how he collaborated with the powers that be to pull down our Cenotaph Wall, **with not one member** of the St Marys RSL being consulted let alone any community consultation. (Refer Valley Voice Vol 41 March 12<sup>th</sup> 2009 page 11)

**"The St Helens -St Marys RSL Sub Branch recently unanimously resolved to give Mayor Legge and the Break O'Day Council its 100% support for the decision to take away the wall around the St Marys Cenotaph."**

I have listened to the hurt from many of our veterans and citizens who regarded this mindless act as an indictment on their democratic right to have a say in what they regarded as a sacred place. My minute's silence will be from the heart.

Without Prejudice  
Wendy Brennan  
St Marys

To the Editor,

To the person or persons that lit a fire at my home in the early hours of Saturday morning in my garage; you have caused thousands of dollars damage and heart ache to me, you have ruined my house.

I am scared for my own safety now, and you need to stop who ever you's or you are. Enough is enough, I could have lost everything maybe even my own life, if I had of been home at the time. I think you have caused enough heartache and pain for me.

A big thank you to the St Marys fire brigade for saving the house. And Derrick Singline, St Marys Police, for his ongoing investigation.

Also I would like to thank Bianca Floyed for calling the fire brigade. Jan and Lana West, Glen Lodge, Rick, Jody Thompson, Sally Spilsbury and Cheryl and Kim Pursell, and Don and Bernice Targett too, for just being there for me. I can't say thank you enough.

And also, some people should think before they make untrue accusations. and very nasty rumours that I lit my own fire. I had no insurance on my home at the time and would not benefit in any way, shape or form, and have to sort this mess out myself.

Benjamin Payne.

### 48 DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

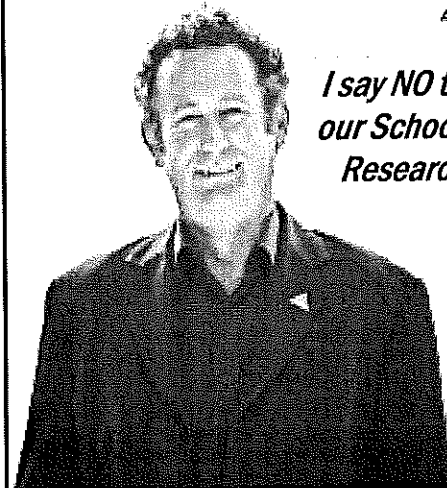


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## Letter to the Editor

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The Editor  
Valley and East Coast Voice  
Dear Editor,

The proposed amalgamation of the Break O'Day and Glamorgan-Spring Bay Municipalities is dead in the water. "It doesn't make sense-it will not make the East Coast of Tasmania better off, and the residents will not get a better deal by merging", stated the Mayor of Glamorgan-Spring Bay in the Examiner (Oct 31) when commenting on the local Government Board report recommending against the proposal.

The Minister for Local Government announced that "The findings (of the Local Government Board) were that these two Councils were not ideally suited (for amalgamation)", but that the exercise had been valuable as "it would give a set of guidelines for future mergers".

Despite the decision, the Examiner stated the next day (Nov 1) "Break O'Day Mayor Robert Legge said in a submission to the Board "that the two Councils had a 95 percent compatibility rate."

Among the most vocal opponents of the proposal to amalgamate were the residents of Mathinna, echoing a widespread belief of residents in smaller towns of the BOD, particularly those far distant from the Council Offices, that they get a raw deal in terms of services and infrastructure. This belief is supported by the Council Submission to the local Government Board in a review of its operations in 2005 *"There are a number of smaller communities such as Weldborough and Pyengana which receive minimum services from Council"*.

In 2009, supporting the proposed amalgamation, the submission by Robert Legge stated *"the opportunity exists to prove that a properly run organization can produce the benefits over a large area that the community require"*.

Unfortunately he was unable to provide evidence that this has been the case in the Break O'Day under his leadership; as an example of how the smaller outlying towns would benefit under amalgamation, he ignored Mathinna, Weldborough, Pyengana, Ansons Bay, Four Mile Creek, Lottah, and other nether regions of his own municipality and stated *"the towns that will benefit more will be the towns on the fringe eg opportunities will open up for Bicheno, this will probably be through a sense of wellbeing as they will not be known as a fringe town anymore"*.

Using the amalgamation of the Fingal and Portland Councils into the Break O'Day Council in 1993 as a measure of the success of amalgamation his submission further stated that the areas have *"socially adjusted"*, and *"there is some evidence that people in the Fingal Valley shop in St Helens"*.

Thank heaven we are not going to be amalgamated, otherwise I would have to shop in Swansea. We can now get down to providing a fair distribution of resources to our own fringe towns, if the gang of 6 address the facts and stop shooting the messenger.

David Clement  
Councillor



St. Marys Tigers Football Club Inc.

### FOOTBALL CLUB NEWS

As the posters placed around town indicate, because of a number of unforeseen issues raised by the Break O'Day Council, we have had to cancel the scratch match scheduled for 6 November. This is a great shame because this match was looming as one of the most popular community events for some time. Actually "cancel" is a little harsh; "postpone" is probably a more appropriate description.

It needs to be said, however, that at no time has Council been unreasonable, they are simply exercising their duty of care in relation to the people using Council facilities and preserving the rights of groups that have formally entered into arrangements with Council over the use of the football ground and clubrooms. Similarly the Football Club has a duty of care to ensure that all participants and spectators at Football Club events are adequately protected.

Furthermore, as sad as it might sound, when the Football Club folded in 2002 it effectively relinquished any rights "the Club" had in relation to access to and use of, the football ground and clubrooms.

We will be meeting with Council shortly and it may well be the case that these matters have largely been resolved by the time this issue of the Valley Voice is out. The Club will attempt to formalise arrangements with Council in relation to future use of and access to the football ground and clubrooms and we are already negotiating adequate insurance cover.

This whole episode is a further reminder that the new entity that is the St Marys Tigers Football Club is starting "from scratch" and that we can't afford to take anything for granted.

We are extremely confident that we will be able to stage a vibrant spring/summer football competition with a small proviso that we may be required to seek perhaps a gold coin donation from spectators to cover upfront insurance costs. We know that the players are as keen as mustard and will put on a good show!

Watch this space...

Harry Veldums

Club President

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## A SWEET TREAT FOR ST MARYS

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As well as her trade mark fudge, which she is selling all over the state, Liz is selling Tasmanian made Valhalla Ice cream with lots of chocolate surprises to come.

Liz would like to thank this wonderful community for the overwhelming support which has seen the business off to a great start and also many thanks for all the flowers, elephants, plants, music and good wishes from the people of St Marys.

From all reports Sunday was very busy with local support, plus lots of tourists.

The opening of the fudge shop means the end of the St Marys Yoga room which has held classes since the fire at Todds Hall.

Jack would like to thank those who attended his classes over the years. And to those whose attendance has been imminent, will now have to settle for ice cream and chocolate instead!!!

Best of luck to Liz and Jack!!



*Owner Liz Dean, serves customer Lorraine Gill.*



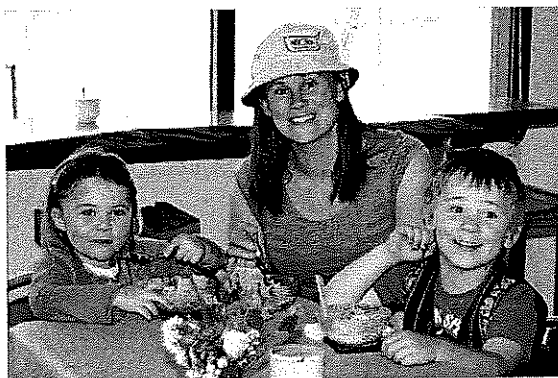
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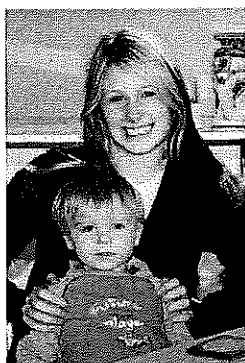
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## **BREAK O DAY REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICES**

At the "11<sup>th</sup> hour of the 11<sup>th</sup> day of the 11<sup>th</sup> month" Australians pause to remember the men and women who fought and died in wars and conflicts for our country. On Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> November the St Helens-St Marys RSL Sub Branch will conduct a memorial service at St Helens and one at St Marys. Veterans and interested parties are invited to lay a wreath

### **ST MARYS**

Remembrance Day Service will commence at 10.45am at the St Marys Cenotaph and hopefully include a short speech by local veteran Merv Rohrlach health permitting. Merv is the epitome of the 'uncomplaining WWII digger, always with a smile on his face no matter what. St Marys residents are asked to turn up on the day and support Merv and to remember those who served and especially to remember those who died in war so that we might enjoy living in the "lucky country". An Australian flag will also be presented to Deborah McCulloch in memory of her father Noel Bradbury who sadly passed away this year. At the conclusion, all who attend the service are welcome to join members of the St Helens-St Marys RSL Sub Branch for a free sausage sizzle at St Marys. For further details please contact MICHAEL SINGLINE on 6376 2620 or St Helens-St Marys RSL S/B President CHRIS MUNDAY on 6373 6132 or by email- munday.chris9@gmail.com.

### **ST HELENS**

10.40 AM FORM UP at Hilly's IGA Value Plus Supermarket

10.45AM MARCH to St Helens Cenotaph and SERVICE begins

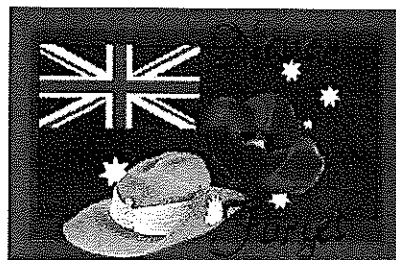
11.00AM ONE MINUTES' SILENCE IS OBSERVED

St Helen's Service will include – Presentation of Australian Flags to families, presentation of service medal to Xena (retired explosive detection dog), unveiling of Boer War, Nurses and Peacekeepers plaques on the Memorial Wall, Blessing and dedication of the Wall, planting of Lone Pine tree. We also hope that Gerald Nicklason will be riding "Digger" the Waler horse on the day

At the conclusion there will be a sausage sizzle outside the Portland Hall. All persons attending the service will be welcome at the "sizzle". For further information please contact RSL S/B President CHRIS MUNDAY on 6373 6132 or Secretary HARRY JAGER on 6376 3108.

Poppies will be available for purchase from the 4<sup>th</sup> November in your area or at the East Coast Veterans Information and Support Centre, 35a Quail Street, St Helens.

An additional plaque of names that have been missed off the WWII Roll on the St Helens Memorial Wall will be cast for next ANZAC Day. Any relatives or persons wishing to add a WWII veteran's name please contact Graham Cameron on 6376 1040 for verification. Cut off date for the final plaque is 31<sup>st</sup> January 2010.



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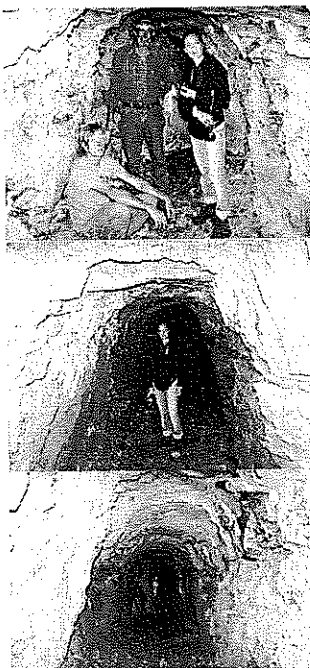
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## Pyramid Hill. Bob Oates (Story and photos)

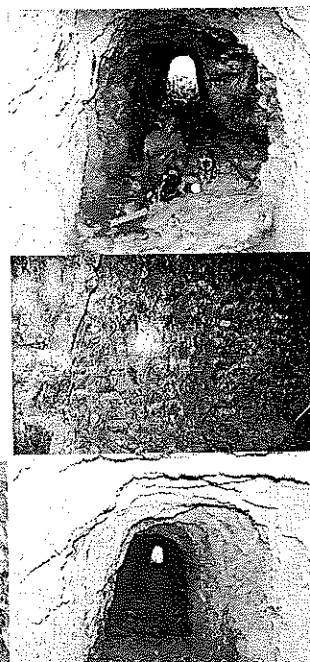
Further to Jim Haas article on the Pyramid Hill mine. I thought that some of your readers who don't like spiders, twin engined mosquitoes, tiger snakes and falling rocks, might like to see some pictures of the inside of the old mine.

As Jim observed, the mine is a real work of art being drilled through hard rock for about 50 metres where it takes a 20 degree turn to the right and then runs for another 50 meters to a dead end.

For those who like the colour black you can go to the end, turn out the torch and see the blackest black imaginable. The copper ore body seen in the walls and roof is a real copper colour, funnily enough.

The people photographed at the end of the mine are Norbert who is a builder and lives on a real live volcano on St Helena in the Canary Islands. He is usually flat out repairing earthquake damage in his hometown.

In the middle is Don Gower, St Marys resident currently living in Tulsa Oklahoma. The Lady is Ulli from Helsinki who was Miss Finland in 1998 and yes, I can't believe I was 100 meters under Tasmania with Miss Finland either, and I was there.



## The Say Cagerattler

I understand that the Local Government Board has recommended that there be no Council merger at this time, in a report just completed.

Someone accused me the other day of being against such a merger. Believe it or not this wasn't necessarily the case. I just wanted the facts about why we should or shouldn't merge, made available to all those interested in the outcome and allowing extensive consultation as part of the process, which I felt couldn't happen without open public meetings. None of us can afford to have change just for changes sake.

More recently someone else with fairly extensive knowledge of Council/Local Government operations suggested that perhaps a resource sharing arrangement with other councils might be a practical way to help with efficiency gains into the future. Who knows?

This then leads to the much bigger question which will one day inevitably come. It seems that State Government talks often about further reducing councils and may even force mergers one day like that occurred some time back. Our own experience was the joining of Fingal and Portland. This process was part of the reduction from 45 or so Councils to 29, if memory serves me correctly. Quite a few of us to this day probably still wonder if we have gained a great deal with the forming of Break O'Day.

As has obviously just been revealed, there would need to be overwhelming evidence to suggest that a merger anywhere within the State was really needed for it to take place, and I trust that the main player in such decisions would be the Local Government Board and most importantly the actual ratepayers in which the outcomes directly affect.

Perhaps one of the first things our Local Government Minister needs to initiate is a good old tidy up of how the system works and meaningful consultation across the board might be a great place to start. I expect conferences already take place but as mentioned before, maybe a red hot go of resource sharing arrangements might be worth a try under the Ministers overseeing before there is ever real need to carry out radical surgery because quite often wholesale changes don't necessarily achieve a whole lot.

What do you think ?



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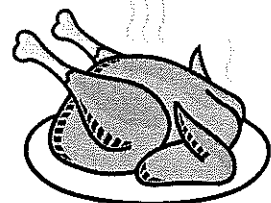
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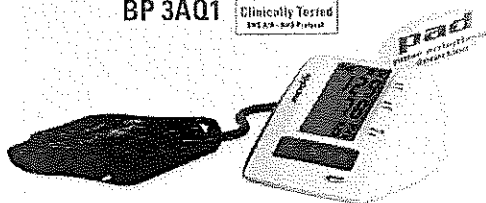
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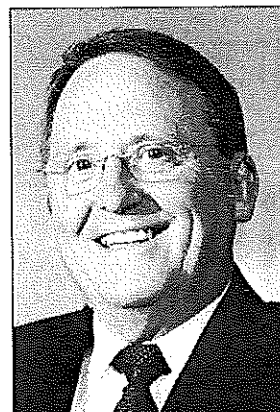
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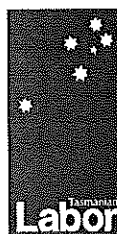
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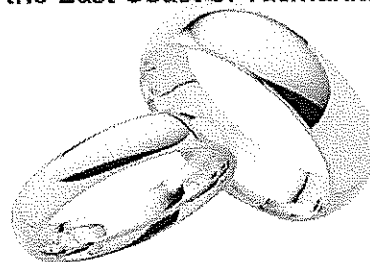
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Wendy Brennan  
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Thank you to **Wendy Fowler** for her interesting and enlightening talk on the history of **Coogans Furniture**.

Although, like many in our club I have always admired the workmanship produced by this iconic company it was interesting to learn about its founder and how it all started.

William Coogan founded his firm in 1876 in Launceston, with the production of a single upholstered armchair and then went on to build the largest furniture factory in Australia, exporting to the mainland states and selling direct to the consumer through his many retail stores.

Coogans had factories in Forster and Frank Street, Invermay, Collins and Elizabeth Street Hobart, Brisbane Street Launceston, and Wilson Street Burnie.

William Coogan put his furniture within the reach of all, with his "Purchase Plan" which was an innovative idea for the period.

Furniture was labelled at the back with a number which identified whose workmanship was responsible for that particular piece. Therefore, any faults could be directed back to the artisan responsible. If only we had that simple system today. Unfortunately, mass production has overtaken in some cases and this is why we strive at the Woodcraft Guild to keep these old techniques alive to pass onto the next generation, how furniture was once made assiduously and with pride.

Lastly, all the animal lovers from the Guild hope that time will heal the pain **Karl** and **Robina** are feeling at present on the loss of their furry mate and much loved companion "Shiva".

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**I have genuine concerns for the health and wellbeing of our community.**

**I will lobby for better services such as a resident dentist. I would like to see more assistance for our local volunteers, such as our volunteer fire fighters and ambulance officers.**

**As a small business owner I can contribute my vast life experiences to the council.**

**I will represent my constituents to the best of my ability in my role as an elected councillor; I will take the concerns of the community to council and try to resolve issues that are brought forward in a responsible manner.**

**I believe we all live in the most beautiful part of Tasmania and we should try to maintain that beauty without compromise.**

## GRASSY BOTTOMS REGIONAL ARTS

### New Directions

First of all, we want to let everyone know that GBRA now has a new committee, fresh and ready to go. We are looking to the future and planning new directions to discover and explore. We also want to welcome everyone to be involved in whatever way you can, as little or as much as you want.

One of our main aims is to promote the unique talents and skills of our community's local artists. However, we're not just about the people who do the art but all the rest of us who don't – the ones who just want to look, see and enjoy, or maybe have a go at something.

Another aim of ours is to strengthen our existing relationships and build new ones with the many other groups and services that hold our community together. Where possible, we hope to work together in mutual cooperation and support, to continue to keep our unique corner of the world THE place to be.

Earlier this month we held an Ideas Forum to get your thoughts on how and what GBRA can do to promote and encourage community arts and culture. We would like to heartily thank all the community members that came and contributed a wealth of ideas and inspiration.

Everyone agreed that community art & culture is all about being accessible to people of all ages and includes a wide range of very different interests, talents and ideas. We understand that money and transport are also important so we want what we do to be affordable and easier for you to get to. We also acknowledged that we have been sadly lacking in any real ideas and planning input from the younger people and teenagers in our community. We would therefore love to hear from you and St Marys District High School is our first contact in finding out what your interests are and how you may be willing to help us.

We thought art & culture encompassed just about anything – fun, entertainment, sharing, learning, relaxation, activity, the new & challenging, the old & familiar, participation, observing, being social, togetherness, individuals, groups, differences, like-mindedness, creation, destruction, building and construction. Some of the many things we talked about were craftwork, painting, sculpture, song, dance, music, drama, photography, puppetry, poetry, sewing, pottery, films, gardening, food, cooking, local history, memorials, walking trails, sport, our environment and places of interest.

We also discussed ways to present the above such as exhibitions, shows & performances, competitions, daytrips, beautifying our towns & streets, workshops, come-&-try sessions, festivals, events & opportunities big, small, regular & one-offs. We had ideas on funding, grants, commissions, sponsorships, artist-in-residence programs, facilities, resources and selling artwork. And all of this on local, state, national & international levels.

Ok, so it sounds impossible to cover everything? Well, we might not be able to cover everyone's interests but we have the time and energy – and hopefully some of your assistance – to try our best. We are currently going through all these great ideas and formulating our plan of action. **We will keep you informed.** And remember, it's never too late for you to have your say. We welcome you to come to our meetings or give us a call.

Last, but not least, the GBRA calendar over the next few months includes:

### BBQ Picnic in the Park

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 4pm

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### School Holiday Workshops

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### Christmas Parade

Plans to have a GBRA float are underway.

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### Bush Band Evening

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### Touring Performances

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Watch out for future announcements of upcoming events.

### Membership Benefits - Did you know?

There are a number of independent groups such as the Markets on Saturday mornings, the Grassy Bottom Singers and Gypsy Dancing (lessons available) who are Associated Members of GBRA. This membership entitles you to discounted tickets for many GBRA sponsored events and to use our resources. This includes facilities and your group & its members being covered for public liability insurance.

So join up and take advantage of being a GBRA member – a small annual fee applies.

Individual Membership of \$10 and Family Membership of \$15 also entitles you to discounted tickets for many GBRA sponsored events.

A portion of these fees go to our peak body TRA to enable us to bring you their shows & events and to provide you with the above benefits. The remaining amount is held by GBRA to enable us to fund additional community events at little or no cost to everyone.

We are very happy to announce that following the hard work by the previous committee, the GBRA budget is now firmly back in the black and will be used wisely to benefit as many people as possible.

We would also like to congratulate "New Generation" from St Marys DHS for winning the Rock Challenge state final recently... **Well done and what an awesome effort!**

### GBRA Meetings

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month at 5pm

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### Contact Us:

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## DOING THE ROUNDS

Cllr Reon Johns.

**Like to raise an issue? Feel free to contact me on mobile 0429 722 091 or Fax 6372 2098**

In case you have not heard the Minister has decided that the possible merger between the Break O'Day and Glamorgan Spring Bay councils "is not in the best interest".

I find this outcome very satisfying, and all the time spent by myself and Cllr Clement justified in taking this issue to the community at large. This forced the issue into the public domain and allowed some public debate.

Cllr Johns moved a motion seeking information from the State agencies on what preventative measures they have planned for the management of fire breaks.

Cllr Clement moved that the standing orders be set aside and this matter be treated as urgent. This was successful. Passed unanimously

Cllr Johns moved a motion that Council draft a cat management policy to manage domestic cats while allowing the humane removal of feral and stray cats.

Passed unanimously

Rate remissions were granted for the Union Church at Gould Country, the Church at Lottah Road and at a property at North Ansons Bay Road.

Rate remission for a jetty at Casurina Lane was refused.

The Community Development Officer presented the Break O'Day Youth Policy and Strategy for adoption by Council. This was passed 6 to 1 with one abstaining.

I declined to vote because I felt that the wording of the policy was more a motherhood statement and not a clear set of goals or direction. I feel that more research is needed. I fully support a well thought out achievable Youth Policy and Strategy.

Council accepted the NRM North's offer and participate with its St Helens Aerodrome land in Jock's Lagoon. Moved Cllr Clement and seconded by Cllr Johns

NRM North has obtained Federal Funding for a Property Planning project at Jock's Lagoon. The Plan provides a sound basis for on-going sustainable management of the land and enterprises. Well done Mr Polly Buchhorn.

Council endorsed the Falmouth and Henderson Lagoon Management Plan. The issue will act as a base document for shared stewardship of the Falmouth and Henderson Lagoon by the community and other stakeholders.

Council appointed Mr Phillip Bingley as the Environmental Health Officer.

Council granted a remission of a lease payment, \$1000,00 for the financial year 2009/2010 to a property at Main Road Binalong Bay.

Council gave its support in principle to the St Marys Association for Community Development to develop and promote recreation trails in the Fingal Valley.

Moved Cllr Johns and seconded by Cllr Clement.

### DO YOU KNOW?

That the Council elections can now be held as the merger question is sure to be resolved by Council and the positions of the Mayor and Deputy Mayor are up for election.

Please note that I have changed my visits to the LAST Thursday of each month.

I will be in Fingal at 08:30 to 9:30 at the Neighbourhood House, Mathinna from 10:00 to 11:00 at the Post Office. St Marys, 12:00pm to 1:00pm at the Bakery. Then on to St Helens Neighbourhood House from 2:00pm till 3:00pm. Mouth Café Scamander from 3:30 to 4:00

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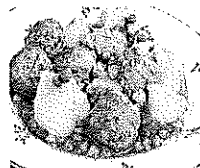
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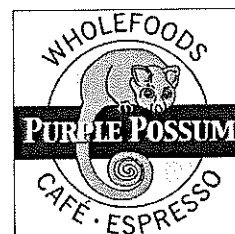
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*The following is a report found in the Hobart Mercury on Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1888*

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An idea conceived of having a treat was soon brought to a reality. About 1 o'clock in the afternoon troops of children could be seen coming from all quarters of the township. Judging from the number of children present we should imagine Mr. Ross, the State School teacher, will soon require an assistant.

But to return to my subject. Tables were laid in a booth on the "flat", and fairly groaned from the weight of eatables which would satisfy the daintiest of folk. After all present had partaken of refreshments, the usual merry games, dancing and other social pastimes were indulged in. All classes and creeds mingled together in perfect harmony, a lesson others might profitably ponder over. Later on the tables were again laid for tea, to which ample justice was done.

The expenses were met by liberal subscriptions from the miners, ably assisted by the energetic manager Mr. Astley. Dames Morgan, Brough, Menear, Morgan and Simpson worked assiduously in making preparations for the treat.

The attendance was about 120 all told and about 5 o'clock the party broke up, with everyone thoroughly pleased with the day's outing. The only complaint was that the day was not long enough.

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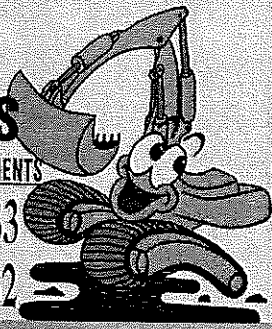


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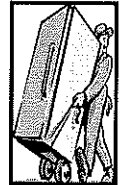
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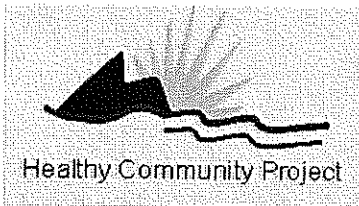
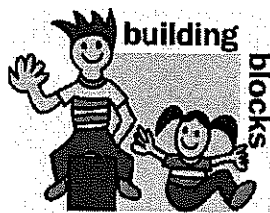
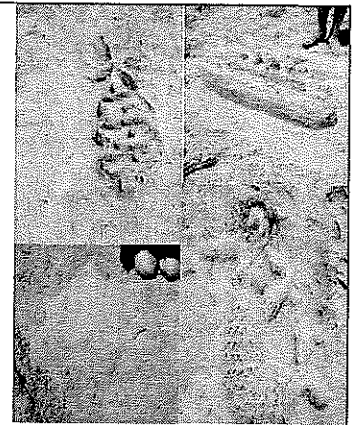
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# Fun in the sun at Scamander Beach

Sunday 13th December  
10 am to 2pm



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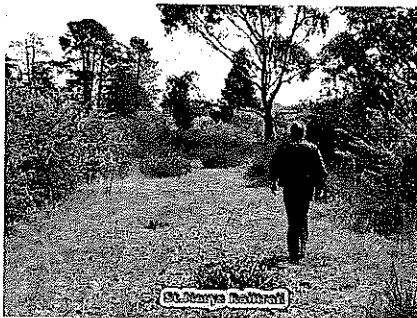
Free transport can be arranged, for more information or to book a bus phone the Healthy House on 6376 5242.

by Thursday 10th December.

Children under 11 must be supervised by a parent/guardian at all times.

## ST MARYS RAILTRAIL

The photo (right) is of Neil Capill from SMACD, inspecting the proposed extension to the St. Marys Rail Trail for a further 3 km, to the Cornwall Road.



The existing section of 1km at the eastern outlet to the town is well utilised by walkers doing their early morning walk or jog. The proposed extension was discussed recently at a meeting between SMACD committee, a council member and Nic Deka from the Department of Sport and Recreation.

We are currently looking at having a feasibility study completed to ascertain costing for the project. Rail Trails are very popular in Victoria, NSW, SA and many exist in the USA. With our sedentary lifestyle the trail, along the old St.Marys Train Track, will be a welcome asset to the town for locals and tourists alike.

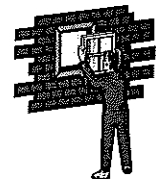
Greg Cruse,  
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(Reprinted as there was a typographical error last issue.)

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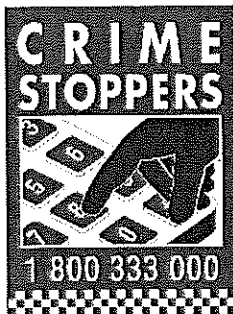
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St Marys Community Health Centre  
Alternate Tuesdays : 9 am – 10 am

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For appointments





## St Marys Police Report

Since my last report Police within the St Helens Division have been kept busy with attendances at road crashes, crime scenes and reports of damage to property. Police believe some of these incidents relating to damage or minor incidents of crime have been caused by young persons who are either bored or have been left unsupervised for long periods. To the parents of these young persons I would ask the question, "Do you know what your child is doing now?"

### CRIME REPORT

St Marys Police recently attended the scene of a house fire in St Marys where a shed and car port at the rear of a house were totally destroyed. Fortunately the owner of the property was away staying with friends at the time and no person was injured. As the home was not insured, the cause of the fire was considered suspicious and as a result Police Forensic personnel together with the Tas Fire Service Fire Scene Investigator attended the scene. Investigations into the cause of the fire are continuing. If any person has any knowledge as to the cause of the fire or the person responsible they can contact Crimestoppers on 1800 333 000 and provide any information they may have anonymously or confidentially to the Crimestoppers operator. Any worthwhile information may result in a reward to the caller.

A report was received that four "pin poles and flags" had been removed from the greens at the northern end of the St Marys Golf Club overnight between 2-3 November. The club is run by volunteers who are hoping the flags were removed as a joke. They would appreciate the return of the flags as soon as possible otherwise the matter will be referred to police for investigation.

### TRAFFIC REPORT

Over the November long weekend police conducted a number of high visibility traffic operations on the coast and in the Fingal Valley. No drink drivers were detected, however far too many drivers were detected exceeding the speed limit, with one thoughtless driver being detected at 136km/h in a 100 zone. A number of defect notices were issued to unworthy vehicles. I remind the motoring public that police will remain vigilant in detecting offending drivers, so exercise patience, courtesy and common sense, otherwise an unexpected introduction to your local police officer will be guaranteed. Since our last report, a 20 year old Bridport driver was arrested, charged and bailed to appear in the Scottsdale Court after he was detected hooning in Story Street, St Marys. The vehicle being driven by the offender was confiscated for seven days.

### MARINE SAFETY

Holiday periods for the Break O'Day Municipality not only brings an increase of traffic to our roads but also the increase usage of our waters. With the opening of the rock lobster season for recreational fishers starting a week later than usual there no doubt will be an influx of visitors to the east coast. If you plan on using your vessel over the period please ensure you do so responsibly and with consideration for others. You should also ensure that you are carrying the required minimum safety equipment. Random checks of vessels, including safety equipment carried will be conducted at ramps and at sea. Tasmania police can also random breath test vessel owner and operators with a 0.05 limit applying on the water just like the road. Additionally, one person on your motor boat must possess a speed boat licence and the boat is required to be registered. Please find below a list of safety equipment for your motor boat.

- All passengers in a vessel under 6m must wear an approved life jacket whilst the boat is under way
- Children under 12 in any vessel must wear an approved life jacket whilst the boat is under way
- Carry an auxiliary method of propulsion (i.e. oars or second motor)
- A fire extinguisher
- A bailing bucket
- Anchor and chain
- Flare kit (not required for smooth waters) consisting of a minimum of 2 x orange smoke flares and 2 x red flares (sheltered waters). You will also need 2 x parachute flares if you are going more than 3 nautical miles to sea.
- A marine radio if you are going more than 3 nautical miles to sea  
An EPIRB if you are going more than 3 nautical miles to sea

Please ensure to use our roads and waterways responsibly and in consideration of others.

St Marys Police Phone Number	<b>63721010</b>
Non Urgent Number	<b>131444</b>
Urgent and Life threatening	<b>000</b>

**Derek SINGLINE**  
**Sergeant 960**  
**St Marys Police**

## Reported Crime in Tasmania Continues to Fall

Tasmania continues to be the safest state in the nation, recording a reduction in crime for the third consecutive year.

The Department of Police and Emergency Management Annual Report shows the number of offences recorded in 2008 – 09 fell by six per cent.

The Minister for Police and Emergency Management, Jim Cox, said Tasmania Police is to be congratulated for its significant achievement in crime reduction.

"Not only is reported crime continuing to trend down, following a fall of seven per cent the previous year, but the solid performance in clearance rates has been maintained at 46%," Mr Cox said.

The number of offences against the person (this includes Assaults, Sexual Assault and Robbery etc) has fallen by six per cent, consolidating a reduction from last year of seven per cent.

Mr Cox said it was reassuring for the community to note that 94% of such incidents were cleared.

Significant crime reduction has also been achieved in other areas;

- 3% decrease in burglary of motor vehicles
- 5% decrease in offences against property
- 20% decrease in fraud and similar offences
- 14% decrease in stealing (not associated with burglary)
- 9% decrease in robberies.

"These results are not achieved by chance, but through intelligence-led policing, determination and hard work," the Acting Commissioner of Police, Darren Hine, said.

"The reduction in reported crime is reflected in the high level of satisfaction with Tasmania Police," Mr Hine said.

Tasmanians continue to feel safer than in any other State or Territory in Australia. The National Survey of Community Satisfaction with Policing 2008 – 09 (Roy Morgan Research) found Tasmanians feel the safest in the nation in public places and at home, during both the day and at night.

"The work of Tasmania Police is valued by the community. Tasmanians are justified in feeling more satisfied with their Police Service than people in any other state or territory jurisdiction," Mr Cox said.

After several years of trending downwards, the number of fatal and serious injury crashes rose during the reporting year.

"This indicates that a small number of Tasmanian drivers continue to disregard traffic laws and the safety of other road users, which is of great concern to the Tasmanian community," Mr Cox said.

Tasmania Police has responded to this trend, by introducing a trial of highly visible police vehicles to patrol major arterial roads. Targeted traffic operations and deployment of road safety cameras have also focused on excessive speed, one of the main causes of fatal and serious injury crashes.

"There are encouraging signs of improvement in general driver attitudes towards speeding. The percentage of vehicles detected speeding past a road safety camera has fallen by 25% over the reporting period," Mr Hine said.

Other highlights from 2008–09 include; significant upgrading of radio communications, national recognition of the Safe at Home Program, and the establishment of a new State-based emergency call centre capability which was operational during the H1N1 influenza pandemic.

## Housing Tasmania Rent Holiday Extended

The rent holiday for pensioners renting Housing Tasmania properties will be extended indefinitely, says the Minister for Human Services, Lin Thorp.

Ms Thorp said the Tasmanian Government had decided that it would be mean-spirited to whittle away the boost for pensioners through Housing Tasmania rent increases.

"The \$30 increase to single pensioners and \$10.14 to couples was to be quarantined for at least a 12 month period.

"Today I'm pleased to announce that we will extend this rent holiday indefinitely. The effect for pensioners in Housing Tasmania properties is that the boost to their payment will go directly into their pockets taking pressure off their fortnightly budgets.

"This is a \$2 million a year commitment to pensioners renting Housing Tasmania properties. It is on top of the nearly \$40 million we contribute to subsidise Housing Tasmania rents."

Ms Thorp said the Tasmanian Government was committed to doing everything it possibly could to assist people on low incomes who are doing it tough in challenging economic times.

"We know it is not an easy initiative to administer, but have assurances that as long as the Federal Government continues to separate this pension increase out from other assessable incomes that we will pass on the savings.

"Normal CPI increases to the Commonwealth payments will still be calculated and rents adjusted accordingly.

"This means on average rents for pensioners have increased just \$1 a week five weeks after the Commonwealth increase took effect.

"The Tasmanian Government understands the challenges those doing it tough face and are the only party that has this State's people front and centre in all its decision making.

"It is the Bartlett Labor Government that has delivered this rent holiday for the almost 8000 pensioners who live in Housing Tasmania properties.

"It is not an easy decision to forego the \$2 million per annum in income to Housing Tasmania's books when we know the system is under considerable pressure but it is the right thing to do. It's the right thing to do because for too long, those on the lowest rungs of the economic ladder have struggled the most.

"They deserve this extra support and it's great that, even in tough economic times, the Bartlett Labor Government has been able to finally make it happen and provide some relief."

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November		St Marys	Fingal
Monday	9th	Pat O'Donnell	June Hall
Tuesday	10th	Ruth Aulich	
Wednesday	11th	R & B McAllister	
Thursday	12th	Wendy Dawson	
Friday	13th	Claire Bean	
<b>MOW Contact</b>		<b>PHONE:</b>	<b>0488 384 344</b>
Monday	16th	Debbie Barnes	Christine Woods
Tuesday	17th	Pam Bretz	
Wednesday	18th	Dianne Troode	
Thursday	19th	Kaye Nailer	
Fri	20th	Wendy Aulich	

## Church Services

### Catholic Parish of St Marys

Sr. Lorraine Groves  
Parish House. Ph: 6372 2252  
Mob: 0409 172 741

#### 1st Sunday: MASS

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm  
Bicheno 9.00am  
Swansea LWC 9.30am  
Fingal 11.30am  
Campbell Town 5.00pm

#### 2nd Sunday: LITURGY

St Helens Vigil LWC 6.00pm  
St Marys LWC 9.00am  
Bicheno LWC 9.00am  
Swansea LWC 9.30am  
Fingal LWC 9.30am  
Campbell Town LWC 5.00pm

#### 3rd Sunday: MASS

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm  
St Marys 9.00am  
Swansea 11.30am  
Campbell Town 5.00pm  
Bicheno LWC 9.00am

#### 4th Sunday LITURGY

St Helens Vigil LWC 6.00pm  
St Marys LWC 9.00am  
Bicheno LWC 9.00am  
Swansea LWC 9.30am  
Fingal LWC 9.30am  
Campbell Town LWC 5.00pm

#### 5th Week MASS

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm  
Bicheno 9.00am  
St Marys 11.00am  
Swansea LWC 9.30am  
Campbell Town 5.00pm

### Anglican Parish of Northern Midlands

Avoca: 11am 2nd/4th Sundays  
Fingal: 3 pm 1st/3rd Sundays  
Mathinna: 3pm 2nd/ 4th Sundays  
Ross: 11am 1st/3rd Sundays  
Campbell Town: 9am every Sun.  
(3rd Sunday -Family Service)

### Anglican Parish of Break O'Day

Ph: 6376 1144

St Helens Every Sunday  
8 am and 10.30 am  
Kanga Sunday School  
10.30 am - 12 noon  
every Sunday for children 5/12 yrs  
St Marys every Sunday 10 am  
Pyengana: Kids Church,  
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Envoy Melanie Norton Ph: 63722099

### Break O'Day Uniting Church

The Manse St Helens  
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St Helens 9.00 am

Fingal 11.15 am

### Seventh Day Adventist

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Wednesday 10am-4 pm

Thursday 10 am - 3 pm  
Friday 10 am - 3 pm  
Saturday 11 am - 2 pm

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### Contacts for Valley Voice

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Accounts: Mary: 6372 2328

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Jack decided to go skiing with his buddy, Bob. So they loaded up Jack's minivan and headed north. After driving for a few hours, they got caught in a terrible blizzard. So they pulled into a nearby farm and asked the attractive lady who answered the door if they could spend the night.

"I realise it's terrible weather out there and I have this huge house all to myself, but I'm recently widowed," she explained. "I'm afraid the neighbours will talk if I let you stay in my house."

"Don't worry," Jack said. "We'll be happy to sleep in the barn. And if the weather breaks, we'll be gone at first light."

The lady agreed, and the two men found their way to the barn and settled in for the night.

Come morning, the weather had cleared, and they got on their way. They enjoyed a great weekend of skiing.

But about nine months later, Jack got an unexpected letter from an attorney. It took him a few minutes to figure it out, but he finally determined that it was from the attorney of that attractive widow he had met on the ski weekend.

He dropped in on his friend Bob and asked, "Bob, do you remember that good-looking widow from the farm we stayed at on our ski holiday up north about 9 months ago?"

"Yes, I do," said Bob.

"Did you, er, happen to get up in the middle of the night, go up to the house and pay her a visit?"

"Well, um, yes," Bob said, a little embarrassed about being found out, "I have to admit that I did."

"And did you happen to use my name instead of telling her your name?"

Bob's face turned beet red and he said, "Yeah, look, I'm sorry, buddy, I'm afraid I did. Why do you ask?"

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St. Peter looked at Dave and said, "You, Dave, were a bad man. You cheated on your wife four times! For this, you will drive around Heaven in an old beat up Dodge."

Next St. Peter looked at John and said, "You were not so evil, but you still cheated on your wife twice. For this, you will forever travel around heaven in a Toyota station wagon."

St. Peter finally looked at Sam, and said, "You Sam, have set a fine example. You did not have sex until after marriage, and you never cheated on your wife! For this, you will forever travel through heaven in a Ferrari."

A short time later, Jon and Dave pulled up in their cars next to Sam's Ferrari and there he is, sitting on the hood, head in hands, crying.

"What's wrong, Sam?" they asked. "You got the Ferrari! You are set forever!"

Why so down?"

Sam looked up, ever so slowly opened his mouth and cried, "I just saw my wife go by on a skate board."





# School Website Tips



St. Marys District High School

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## USING THE CALENDAR FEATURE

The School website has been live for a number of weeks now and we are gradually adding to it's content. One exciting and useful part of the Website is the Calendar.

The Calendar allows us to enter information about upcoming events within the school community and places this information on our home page and within the calendar itself. By clicking on the event of interest, the item opens up further to provide more information, including, dates, times a description and any attachments of notices, permission forms etc. We hope that this function will be useful in cases such as notices being lost, not received, washed etc!

For the slightly more ICT Savvy of us, the website calendar also allows you to export the event into your own outlook calendar, so that you can set yourself reminders, schedules etc on your own computer for school events.

Please remember to check back regularly in case information or dates change.

As we learn more about the functions available through the School Sharepoint, we hope to add more information and provide a few hints and tips to help you get the most of the school website.

If you have any suggestions or ideas for content, please let us know.

<http://www.schools.education.tas.gov.au/stmarys>

Export Event	
Title	GR 9/10 Bay of Fires Excursion
Location	
Start Time	31/08/2009 9:15 AM
End Time	31/08/2009 2:45 PM
Description	(Re-scheduled from 24 August) As part of the School's Society and History Program in grades 9/10, we will be conducting an excursion to the Bay of Fires.
All Day Event	
Recurrence	
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Attachments	bay of fires.pdf

## NOVEMBER 2009

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
2 Nov <b>LONG WEEKEND</b>	3 Nov	4 Nov	5 Nov ☞ ENE Athletics ☞ Grade 10 Wellbeing w'shop	6 Nov ☞ 11/12 Finished for year
9 Nov ☞ 11/12 Exams	10 Nov ☞ School Association Meeting 7pm	11 Nov ☞ Remembrance Day ☞ Newstead College Enrolments	12 Nov ☞ East Coast Choir Practice - Bicheno ☞ Next Newsletter ☞ Interhigh Athletics	13 Nov
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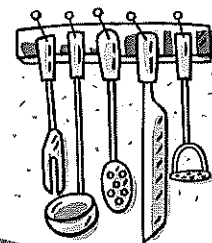
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# MASTERCHEF

Cooking Competition



On Wednesday 7th October 35 students from grades 6-8 participated in a cooking competition.

Students, cooking a batch of choc chip muffins, were judged on organisation, their cleaning, the appearance of muffins and the taste.

Judges for the competition included grades 11/12 students and staff.

Standards were very high and scoring was close.

Competition results:

Grade 6	- 1st	Kirilly Barbagallo
	- 2nd	Sharnay Earley
	- Merit	Zac Broadhurst
	- Merit	Jamie Squires
	- Merit	Kasey Campain
Grade 7/8	- 1st	Shantelle Arratta
	- 2nd	Madelaine McGill/Amber Davern
	- Merit	Shana Rosskelly
	- Merit	Mason Pitstock



Thankyou to Councillor John McGiveron who presented the prizes and certificates.



# ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

## DOCTORS ROSTER

**2nd Nov- 20th Nov Dr Z Hudda**

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AMBULANCE 1800 008 008 or

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## SCRIPTS AND DOCTORS APPOINTMENTS

Please ensure doctors appointments are booked **prior** to your medication/s running out or **in advance** if you are attending this practice regularly.

Scripts can not be requested by patients over the phone and are unable to be done over the weekends ensure you have enough medications in advance. **PLEASE BE PATIENT** waiting periods can apply.

PLEASE abide by the **SPEED LIMITS** and **ENTRY** and **EXIT SIGNS** set in and around the Community Health Centre. Some access ways are **ONE WAY ONLY**.

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## AA CONFIDENTIAL SUPPORT SERVICE

Wednesday nights **St Helens Anglican Church** 8:00pm

Friday nights **St Marys Anglican Church** 8:00pm

For further details phone 6372 5026

## WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE

4th Nov

**Social Worker**

5th Nov

**Community Kitchen** 10 AM

6th Nov

**Social Worker**

6th Nov

**G.P. North**

9am—5pm

**Diabetes** For appointments please see you GP for a referral.

**Dietician**- Appointments by referral from your G.P

**Exercise Physiologist** by referral from your G.P

10th Nov

**Child Health Session** with Sue Gofton.

Every Tuesday by appointment. Please phone 0428 136 381

10th Nov

**Physio**-Peter Jenvey

10th Nov

**Health Career Expo**—11am— 2pm

11th Nov

**CRS** 10:30 AM

11th Nov

**Day Centre**— For details on the group please contact Ann Jetson on 6372 9512

12th Nov

**Eyelines**

Appointments made through provider

12th Nov

**Social Worker**

12th Nov

**Community Kitchen** 10 AM

13th Nov

**Get The Most Out Of Life** Shan & Helen

13th Nov

**Social Worker**

16th Nov

**Relationships Australia**—Lyn Marie

16th Nov

**T.L.C** Meeting 9am

17th Nov

**Child Health Session** with Sue Gofton.

Every Tuesday by appointment. Please phone 0428 136 381

17th Nov

**Physio**-Peter Jenvey

17th Nov

**Tom Bain- Rae & Partners Lawyers.** For appointment please phone 6337 5555.

Available Tuesday fortnights at St Marys Community Health Centre

17th Nov

**Child Support**— Katrina

18th Nov

**Social Worker**

18th Nov

**Day Centre**— For details on the group please contact Ann Jetson on 6372 9512

## COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

**THIS SERVICE IS NOT AVAILABLE FROM THE HEALTH CENTRE. PLEASE MAKE APPOINTMENTS BY PHONING DAVE MALLETT ON 0409802536.**

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**AND MORE**

**WHEN: TUESDAY 10TH NOVEMBER**

**TIME: 11.00-2.00**

**WHERE: ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE**

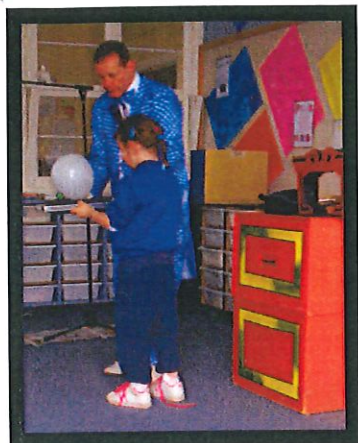
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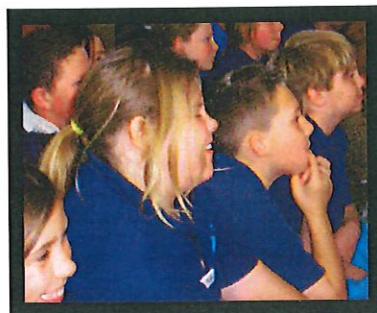


## A Slice of Vaudeville

On Wednesday 21st October students from Fingal Primary School travelled to Avoca Primary School to watch a performance. The performance was "A Slice of Vaudeville", it was very entertaining and the children enjoyed it.



Miraki Gayford  
Thompson



Chloe Oates, Kurtis  
Tuck and Jayden  
Bosworth.

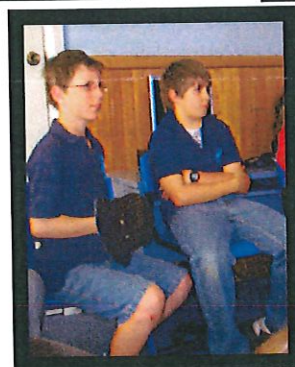


Aaron Rush and  
Leo Davies.



Kimberly Burns

Thomas Gee  
and Joel Cox.



## Calendar of Events - November

2nd Long Weekend Recreation Day	3rd Speech Pathology Group Session BER Site Meeting 12.30 p.m.	4th Flexible Programs	5th Launching into Learning 1.30-3.00p.m. Newsletter ENE Athletics Carnival	6th ENE Athletics Carnival Rain Day
9th	10th Shan William Social Worker Visit Moderation Meeting at St Marys 3.30 p.m.	11th  Flexible Programs	12th Launching into Learning 1.30-3.00p.m. Assembly 2.15 p.m. Grade 5/6 to Lead Big Choir Practice at Bicheno BBQ lunch	13th

## St Marys Sports Centre Inc. news Kackhander

Thanks to all who supported the little tournament on the Long Weekend. A very special thanks goes to Bobbie and Russell Harwood (Harwood Plumbing Services), and St Marys I.G.A. Supermarket (Mark Carrick ) for their wonderful support and sponsorship. Their generosity meant that the smallish but very enthusiastic field enjoyed a top day and the club made a few bob into the bargain. Thanks again to these terrific sponsors.

Also thank you to our visitors from St Helens, Malahide and Scamander for playing in the event. Congratulations to Dale Ridgers and Deidre Panton who won the St Marys Open in the men and women respectively as well as numerous other trophy winners. Also a special thanks to Bob Hersey, Trevor Viney, Col Payne and Roger Donald for working on either the course, the office or bar during the week and weekend. Great effort indeed to all.

The next two weekends sees the Spilsbury Trophy and if it's possible to support either one or both days please try to do so. This is also a very special event indeed. Similarly at the end of November is the Ray Ridgers Memorial Trophy and a good field is deserved for this event too.

To bowls and after a spell last weekend, the Men's and Women's teams travel to Swansea to play their first away games of the season. Good luck to both teams, and for the benefit of the selectors please try to let them know somehow of availability etc as early as possible. It's a nightmare of a job at the best of times so any assistance is greatly appreciated by them.

Subs are still dribbling in and hopefully fairly soon they will be completed.

Anyway, until next time, good hitting and rolling.



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### **This week's specials.**

#### **From the butchery**

Rump steak	\$12.99kg
Gerello roast	\$ 9.99kg
Chicken breast schnitzel	\$14.99kg
Diced steak	\$ 7.99kg
IGA chicken drumsticks	\$ 4.99kg

#### **Instore specials**

Kelloggs cornflakes	\$2.49
Sorbent toilet tissue 16pk	\$8.99
Spree Ultra Fluffy laundry powder 1kg	\$9.99
Leggos sweet mustard pickles 500g	\$1.99
Nanda pasta range 500g	.99c

#### **From the freezer**

Bulla icecream 2lt	\$4.99
Scotts meat pies 6pk	\$4.55
I + J flame grilled fish fillets 400g	\$7.99
Birds Eye oven roast potatoes 800g	\$4.35
Ingham ch/breast munchies/nuggets 400g	\$5.99

### **Next week's specials.**

#### **From the butchery**

Free Range breast fillets	\$14.99kg
Lamb loin chops	\$13.99kg
Blade roast/BBQ steak	\$ 5.99kg
T-bone steak	\$15.99kg
Turkey leg roast	\$ 6.99kg

#### **Instore specials**

Frozen Ingham chubby ch/pieces 1kg	\$2.79
Palmolive dishwashing liquid 500ml	\$1.99
Juicy Isle long life juice 2lt	\$2.79
Cadbury block chocolate 100-110g	\$1.99
Cottees jam 500g	\$2.49

#### **Nestle/Uncle Tobys/ Maggi panel**

Nestle Milo 750g	\$7.99
Nescafe Blend 43 coffee 150g	\$7.99
Uncle Tobys Vita Brits 750g	\$3.79
Uncle Tobys Muesli bars 120-250g	\$2.19
Maggi two min. noodles 5pk(excl extra)	\$3.79