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Lymphoedema Melbourne Cup Function 2010.

President's address

This annual function raises funds to help run and maintain the clinic. People with Lymphoedema from around the State have treatment here.

I would like to thank all our sponsors and donors who have generously supported the TLC this year, and everyone who has in any way helped towards today's Melbourne Cup Luncheon.

I would like to thank the boys at the bar and our very talented MC Harry Veldums.

Again congratulations to Ken Stonehouse and the students from the St Marys District High School. Having the students involved makes the Committees job a lot easier. I would also like to thank Colin from Manna Farm for the stage decorations especially after the damage that was done during the flood to his property.

Special thanks go to Eric and Claire Bean, for the loan of their racing silks, not just this year but every year since the luncheon's inception in 2001. A tremendous thank you to all the wonderful committee of TLC for the very hard work that has been done to create a function that every year continues to draw people out for this special day.

On behalf of the TLC committee thank you to Diane Troode and Cheryl Oates for their considerable input during their time on the Committee and we wish them well for the future.

I hope that everyone has had a very enjoyable day.

Thank you to all the following sponsors and donors;

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Jean Legge, President. All photos courtesy Peter Troode. More photos inside...



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Letters to the Editor

Vol. 43 No 12, 2010

The Mayor and Councillors
Break O'Day Council
Georges Bay Esplanade
St Helens 7216
27th October, 2010.

Dear Mr Mayor and Councillors,

My purpose in writing this letter is to ask you to kindly substantiate your credibility as a legitimate organization worthy of the support of the people of this municipality.

I have been asked by a number of ratepayers to contact Council on their behalf to ascertain clarification of a number of factors relating to land ownership.

In 1988 a referendum was held in Australia asking the electors if they wanted a **Local Government Act** which was defeated by a majority of **3,084,678** votes or over **70%** of the population. The greatest **NO** vote being recorded in Tasmania being **72.50 %**.

However, five years later in 1993, unconstitutionally and against the democratic wishes of the people, the "**Local Government Act**" came into force by an act of deceit and treachery making your Council guilty of a breach of trust of the people that you are paid to serve and I beg to remind you that in law a Council has always been historically only accountable to its ratepayers!

This being the case, I ask that you please answer the following questions:-

1. How does **Fee Simple** fit into the **Local Government Act**?
2. Does the Council acknowledge the legal standing and authority of **Fee Simple**?
3. How is it possible for this Council to operate under **State** control which breaches the "**separation of Powers**?
4. Does the Council fully respect the legal and constitutional rights of its ratepayers under **Fee Simple**?
5. Do the councillors realise that the word **indissoluble** which appears at the start of the "**Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia**" means that the Constitution must stay intact unless there is a referendum to ask for the citizens permission to change it and that only if the people say that they want it changed, then can it be altered in accordance with their wishes?

I wish to quote from sections of the official **Government Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet** copy of **The Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia** Chapter **VIII Alteration of The Constitution**.

128. This constitution shall not be altered except in the following manner:-

The proposed law for the alteration thereof must be passed by an absolute majority of each House of the Parliament, and not less than two nor more than six months after its passage through both Houses the proposed law shall be submitted in each State and Territory to the electors qualified to vote for the election of members of the House of Representatives.

No alteration diminishing the proportionate representation of any State in either House of the parliament, or the minimum number of representatives of a State in the House of Representatives, or increasing, diminishing, or otherwise altering the limits of the state, or in any manner affecting the provisions of the Commonwealth in relation thereto, shall become law unless the majority of the electors voting in that State approve the proposed law.

6. Is it the wish of Council to support the stripping away of the **common law rights** of the people of this municipality by whatever means possible to gain extra power and control?

Charles Trollope, Copy of this letter was sent by
St Marys. Mr Trollope to the Break O'Day Council.

FROM THE MAYOR

2 November 2010

Charles Trollope
"Kindred Spirits"
461 Gardiners Creek Road
ST MARYS TAS 7215

Dear Mr Trollope,

The question of the legitimacy of the Break O'Day Council does not require substantiation. Local Government exists in Tasmania as a result of State based legislation. There can be no argument. In the absence of this legislation it may be possible to surmise that there is no legal standing or derivative for Local Government.

As you may be aware, Local Government is not recognised within the Commonwealth Constitution. Efforts by Local Government over a number of years to have it recognised within the constitution have failed. You reference the 1988 referendum and suggest that the referendum proposed the construct of a Local Government Act. This is factually incorrect. The Constitution recognises Government at Federal and State levels, but makes no mention of Local Government. *The Constitution Alteration (Local Government) 1988* proposed to alter the constitution so as to recognise Local Government. The proposed alteration was not supported.

State based Local Government Acts have been in existence in all states almost from the time that Local Government first came into being in Australia. Several iterations in this state have existed with the most recent overhaul being in 1993 following the structural reform of Local Government in Tasmania. The 1993 Act replaced the 1962 Local Government Act. It was not and is not unconstitutional and in no way is against the democratic wishes of the people.

Your assertion that Council is guilty of a breach of trust of the people and that the legislation under which it operates came into being by an act of deceit and treachery is absolute nonsense. It is not considered necessary or relevant to address the other matters raised in your correspondence as the fundamental foundations of your argument about the legitimacy and legality of the Council are fallacious and ill informed at best.

Council operates within the jurisdiction of the State Government and is provided with authority via the *Local Government Act 1993*. This legislation embraces the notion that there is a fundamental accountability and responsibility to the community that elects the Council and this Council will continue to serve its community to the utmost of its ability.

I can assure you that it is not the practice or desire of Council to take away or diminish the rights of anyone living within or outside of its community and Council has no intention or agenda to gain extra powers or control beyond that which is legitimately provided via the legislative heads of power under which it operates.

Yours faithfully,
Robert Legge,
Mayor.

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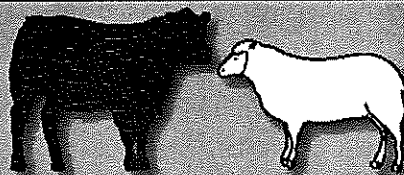
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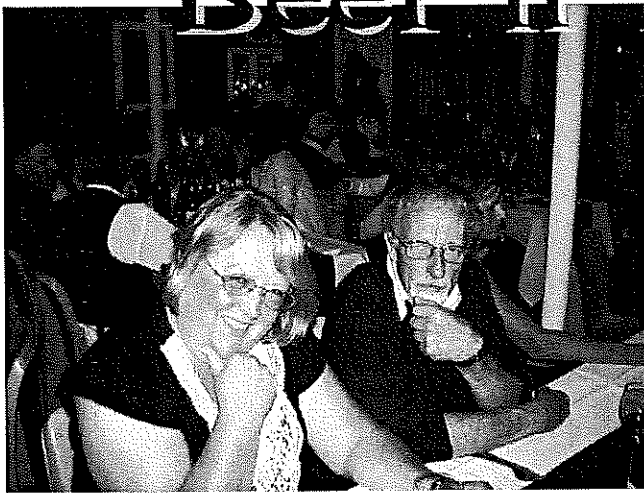
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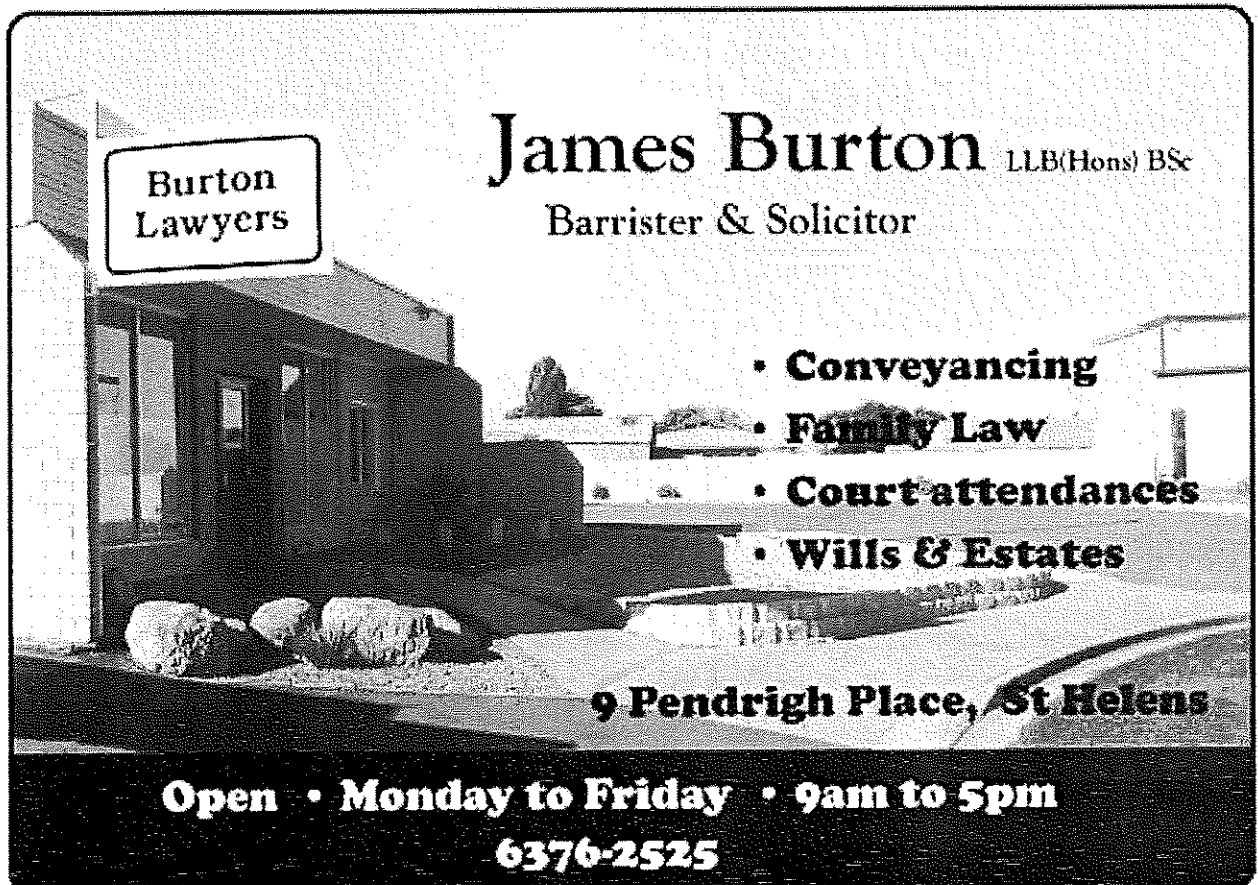
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Hearing problems

A big burly biker goes to his doctor with hearing problems.

"Can you describe the symptoms to me?" asked the doctor.

"Yes. I sure can. Homer is the Dad and he is a short, fat, yellow, lazy bloke, and Marge, the Mother, is a skinny bird with big blue hair."



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Mrs Guy is over the moon with her win.

Keep an eye out for the Pharmacy's future catalogue specials and you too can enter the draw for a chance to win some great prizes.



*Pictured with Mrs Guy at the Pharmacy
from left: Rebecca, Andrew and Jodie.*

*Jodie works for the Pharmacy Services Company Symbion,
and came to St Marys especially for the presentation.*

MAIN ST - ST MARYS PH: 6372 2844

The Say Cagerattler

Right from the outset let me state that I have absolutely no idea who could or how you go about this suggestion. Actually this is partly why I am mentioning this subject.

GEE WE ARE A TALENTED MOB AROUND HERE!!!. By chance I got talking to a chap I hardly know, let's just call him Bob.. I was admiring a P51 Mustang modelled to operate as a wonderful wind vane, when he revealed to me that he was the modeller and builder of this substantial construction. I spent the next half hour talking to him all about his work and that of our other intrepid and very skilful wind equipment maker. Let's call him Les for arguments sake. An ever growing number of his works delight locals and tourists alike attached to several businesses in the town.

That's just wind for one. Without going into great detail I personally know of several extremely good sculptors, painters, sketchers, musicians, embroiderer, ship, boat, car, aircraft, train modellers, numerous great gardener, wood turners, toy makers, photographers, woodcraft guild, you get the picture. It's incredible. The sad part is that so many others aren't aware of many of our local's talents. That's a real tragedy.

Perhaps it's time to investigate a Craft Fair for the town. I wonder how hard it would be to organise and advertise. Might take a bit of effort, but imagine if something like that was successful. Maybe it could happen every few years or so. It would never be the same because almost all the time we have new residents moving in, many with things they are really good at.

As I said, I have no idea where to start but after talking to Bob the other day I began thinking that perhaps there are similarly enough necessarily skilled and experienced people to help organise a ST MARYS CRAFT FAIR in the next couple of years. I'd like to think there is. Just as an example: Mustang in Newman Street and a fantastic "Spitfire" in Cranks and Tinkerers soon. Bob kindly offered to show me his workshop and how it's all done and I am very much looking forward to seeing a craftsman at work. Wouldn't it be great to have this happen in all sorts of areas over a special weekend sometime down the track?

What do you think?

St Marys Market

Rain hail or shine the markets will be held on the 1st Saturday every month in the community hall 9am till 2pm.
New stall holders welcome

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RETURN THANKS

Val & family would like to
thank everyone for their kind
thoughts on the passing of
Matty,
loving husband, father & pop.
Thank You.



New challenge for Forestry "action man"

22 October 2010

Forestry Tasmania

After 23 years in the job Paul Barnes has left Forestry Tasmania for a new life challenge.

The former Mathinna boy told colleagues at a Fingal depot farewell function it was a case of "now or never" for a change of career.

Forestry Tasmania's Bass District Assistant Manager Peter Williams told the gathering that Paul's love of the bush made his move as a teenager to the gang working in the Valley's softwood plantations a natural fit.

He had worked his way up to a softwood logging inspector and has resigned after several years as a forest supervisor for native forest harvesting.

Mr Williams said Paul's prowess in martial arts, for which he earned a black belt, also earned him a variety of nicknames over time like Claude Van dam Barnes and simply Kung Fu.

"His regard for good forest practice earned him respect of both colleagues and contractors he was in contact with," Mr Williams said.

He wished him well in the new chapter of his life with wife Trudy, who is also a former Forestry Tasmania staffer, and their daughter.



Paul Barnes, wife Trudy and their daughter Darshini with a picture of Jazz the heeler.



www.fingalvalleyhistory.com

Will we ever see this again?



An "H Series" stream strain crosses the bridge over the St Pauls River at Avoca pulling a number of passenger carriages.

For more on the history of the Fingal Valley visit the Society website:

(www.fingalvalleyhistory.com)

Or call into the St Marys Online Centre at 23b Main Street.

Greetings from Lauren.

Lauren Quinn has spent the last four years in Hobart, studying a combined Bachelor of Arts/Law degree. Earlier this year she was given the opportunity to study a semester of Law abroad at the University of Lucerne in Switzerland. This is a brief description of a St Marys-raised girl's first time out of Australia.

27 August 2010

The first thing that struck me about Britain was the weather. It's very similar to Tasmanian weather, in that it's generally "four seasons in one day". However in the 4 days I've been here I don't think I've seen the sun shine once. It's rained every day! At least it's "summer" so it's not bitterly cold as well.

Another thing about England is the fact that all their houses look the same - grey, white or brown drab multi-storey buildings of varying styles.

An interesting thing about England is their food. They sure love their ice-cream, which is weird for such a rainy climate. They have ice-cream vending machines in train stations! There's a local pub up the road from our hostel in Fulham that has a lot of cheap, traditional English meals.

Some interesting food facts about England

Everything comes with peas

Everything comes with bread and butter

Everything comes with a cup of tea

Steak, bacon and chips is an acceptable form of breakfast.

They use patriotic labelling of their food such as "British Beef" - which scares me due to the whole Mad Cow thing from a few years ago

Steak is really expensive

Their traditional "fish and chips" is made with cod or plaice, which are two fish I've hardly heard of and am a bit apprehensive to try. Where's my trevalla?!

I went and had a "traditional English breakfast" this morning at the local pub, which comprises mainly of animal products (egg, bacon, sausage, black pudding [optional!] etc etc), and observed some of the local old men wander into the pub at 9.30am for their first beer/wine of the day. Because I was on my own this morning, I had two of these old men come over, tip their caps at me and wish me a good morning! One fellow even came over randomly and told me a dirty joke. Their demeanour reminded me of token friendly British old men from classic BBC television shows.

Pretty much everyone in our hostel is Australian. Apparently there's 200,000 Aussies in London, but it seems like so much more - every second person in the street seems to be Australian! It's actually kind of annoying, we're like pests.

Went and saw all the London landmarks the other day, they're all surprisingly close to each other. Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, Houses of Parliament, Downing St, Trafalgar Square, the London Eye etc are all within walking distance. The suburbs of London are what makes the city so big!

The one thing that annoys me about London is firstly the fact that you have to pay to use public toilets; most charge about \$1 to enter! On the upside, they're very clean. Another thing is the fact that most cafes and restaurants refuse to give you tap water, and make you pay around \$2.50 for either "still" or "sparkling" water. The two times I asked for tap water, the waiter has "forgotten" to bring it out or has brought it out about halfway through the meal.

London's quite an expensive place, a trip on the Tube (the Underground railway) costs \$10+ for one trip, but you can use the ticket again within 12 hours.

Tomorrow we're headed on the Eurostar train to Paris, which I'm very excited about!

I haven't been too impressed by London, probably because it's too similar to Australia, but with more rain and twice as expensive. But it is interesting to see the "motherland" and all the tourist attractions it has to offer.



Lauren's adventures will continue next issue.

What's happening in November?



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Saturday November 6, 2010, **The Spring Fair Market**, from 9am, with abundant food from the Woodcraft Guild's sausage sizzle, Kathy's Kitchen, & Tom's Remote Area Catering.

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Just in case that isn't enough to tempt the whole community, also on Saturday Nov. 6, we will have a **Basket Weavers Association Workshop** in the supper room of the Town Hall, 10am - 3pm @ \$10.

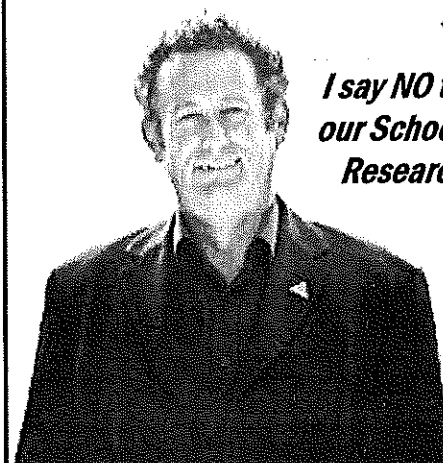
ALSO... On **Saturday November 6, 2010**, at **e.ScApe Café** at 5pm with wine & nibbles with entry of \$5 (members \$4.50) we will have an exhibition opening of "Light & Shade", by local artists **Lorraine Biggs & Chantele del Rue**, which will then be featured at the **e.ScApe Café** until the end of November.

Just to complete a wonderful spring season, **The Alzheimer's Australia Group Exhibition** will be held at the **St Marys Community Health Centre's** foyer, 10am Thursday, November 4, with a lovely intimate morning tea with a surcharge of just \$4, and continue to be shown, for the month of November, with a gold coin donation. **Enquiries for any of the above:**

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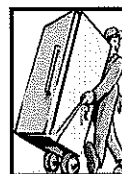
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		3 Nov ☛ SWS - Fingal/St Marys	4 Nov ☛ ENE Athletics Carnival ☛ Launching into Learning 11am - Kinder room ☛ Stepping Stones 1.30pm - Kinder room	5 Nov ☛ Secondary Drama Day - St Helens
8 Nov ☛ Grade 6-7 Transition day	9 Nov ☛ School Banking Day	10 Nov	11 Nov ☛ School Newsletter Issue 10 ☛ Remembrance Day ☛ Inter-High Athletics Carnival ☛ Launching into Learning 11am - Kinder room ☛ Stepping Stones 1.30pm - Kinder room	12 Nov ☛ Final Day grade 11/12
15 Nov ☛ Pool Closed ☛ Year 11/12 Exams	16 Nov ☛ School Banking Day ☛ ENE Cricket ☛ St Marys School Association meeting 7pm in Staff room	17 Nov ☛ ENE Cricket ☛ RSA Course	18 Nov ☛ Combined ENE Athletics ☛ Launching into Learning 11am - Kinder room ☛ Stepping Stones 1.30pm - Kinder room	19 Nov

Above calendar is correct at time of printing
For regular updates and other information please go to the school website:-

www.schools.education.tas.gov.au/stmarys

Cold Winter's Day

Ebony Bean

Hair sticking to face and
Sweet sounds of birds
While watching the sheep graze
In the dark shadows of the mountains.
Cars speeding passed like the sound of the rushing branches
The smell of the damp grass and the cold breeze blowing.

The water flowing softly in the creek
Gentle voices chatting
Reflection of the shimmering puddles in the corner of my eye
As I watch the birds strain against the wind.
I spot broken down and rusty cars sitting in the paddock
Like the old graffitied statues in the town square.

Walking in the Wilderness

Toby Wright

Ferns and sticks crackling under my feet,
Feather creatures sitting high up mouthing.
Smell of fresh animal scats wafting through the air,
The shadows of big gums and wattles.
The dew resting on the blades of grass,
The fog lifting from the undergrowth.
Arms brushing against the dogwood on the old wallaby tracks,
The sound of the creeks flowing, then dropping off.
The overhang dripping on my hood.

9/10 English



ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE

4th Nov Relationships Australia- Leanne McMurtie for appointments please phone 1300 364 277

8th Nov Social Work- Helen Jennings. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments

Laurel House- Rachel for appointments please phone 6334 2740

Hospital Auxiliary Meeting 1:30 in the Day Room

9th Nov Social Work- Helen Jennings. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments

Child Health Session with Sue Gofton every Tuesday- Appointments only. Please phone 0428 136 381

10th Nov Day Centre- For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert 6372 2111

GP North Mental Health Worker- Brady Young for appointments please see your GP for a referral.

Social Work- Helen Jennings. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments

12th Nov Diabetes Educator (GP North) - Appointments available by referral from your GP

Dietician (GP North) - Appointments available by referral from your GP

Exercise Physiologist (GP North) - Appointments available by referral from your GP

15th Nov Social Work- Helen Jennings. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments

TLC Meeting (Tasmanian Lymphoedema Centre) 10:00am in the Day Room.

16th Nov Social Work- Helen Jennings. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments

Child Health Session with Sue Gofton every Tuesday- Appointments only. Please phone 0428 136 381

Tom Bain, Rae & Partners Lawyers. At the Community Health Centre Tuesday fortnights. For appointments please phone 6337 5555

Meals On Wheels Meeting- Lundy Vosper. 2pm in the Day Room

17th Nov Day Centre- For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert 6372 2111

GP North Mental Health Worker- Brady Young for appointments please see your GP for a referral.

18th Nov Eyelines- For appointments please phone 1300 139 363. All consultations Bulk Billed to Medicare

Relationships Australia- Leanne McMurtie for appointments please phone 1300 364 277

Continence Nurse- Sue (Replacing Heather). For appointment please see your GP or Health Professional for a referral.

GP Podiatrist- Annabelle. For appointment please see your GP or Health Professional for a referral.

DOCTORS ROSTER

25th Oct-19th Nov Dr Cyril Latt

St Marys Community Health Centre

GP Surgery Hours:

Monday-Friday 8:50am-12:30pm

12:30pm-1:30pm LUNCH

1:30pm-4:30pm

PATHOLOGY SERVICE

No Pathology Service between

12:00-1:30pm or before 8:30am daily.

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INR TESTS

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AFTER HOURS SERVICE CONTACT NUMBERS

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COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE 6372 2111

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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.

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Merchandise available from the reception at the Community Health Centre

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MEALS ON WHEELS ROSTER

November		St Marys	Fingal
Monday	8th	Debbie Barnes	Neighbourhood House
Tuesday	9th	Trish Pike	
Wednesday	10th	Barbara McAllister	
Thursday	11th	Kaye Nailer	
Friday	12th	Pam Gillies	
MOW Contact		Phone:	0488 384 344
Monday Nov	15th	Lundy Vosper	Neighbourhood House
Tuesday	16th	Ruth Aulich	
Wednesday	17th	Val Spencer	
Thursday	18th	Yvonne Salter	
Friday	19th	Hannah Rubenach	Neighbourhood House

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 L/W 6.00pm
Bicheno L/W 9.00am
Swansea LWC 9.30am
Mangana 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

Enq: Baptisms & Weddings
Ph: 63 31 4377
Church of Apostles
Presbytery
Officer Hours: 10.00am - 3pm.

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
St Marys Every Sunday
10am
Pyengana: Kids Church,
2pm - 4th Sunday every month.

Salvation Army TUESDAY JAM

3-5pm every Tuesday.
excepting school holidays.
Envoy Melanie Norton Ph: 63722099

Break O'Day Uniting Church

The Manse St Helens
Ph: 6376 2405

St Helens 9.00 am
Fingal 11.15 am

Seventh Day Adventist

Hodgeman Street Scamander
Sabbath School 10 am
Divine Service 11 am

Contacts for Valley Voice

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email: judith.spilsbury@telair.com.au

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