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Scamander Vs St Marys Cricket Grand Final

On Sunday 26th February 2012 Scamander and St Marys went head to head at the St Marys Cricket Ground in the East Coast Cricket Association Grand Final.

Scamander batted first and were bowled out for 104 in the 17th over. Jacob Spilsbury took 3 wickets for the home side. St Marys lost 3 wickets in the run chase but a solid performance by Reece Maher and Brodie Rickman in the batting saw the home side win in the 17th over.

Congratulations to St Marys who are the 2011-2012 Cricket Premiers and many thanks to the 3 teams Scamander, St Helens and Pyengana Pigs for your ongoing support and participation in the East Coast Cricket Association Roster.

It was also fantastic to see how well supported the day was by the St Marys locals and the Scamander Barmy Army (no offence intended!) Over 100 people were in attendance and it was a tough game for both players and spectators on a 33 degree day!

On behalf of the St Marys Cricket Boys a HUGE THANKS to the following businesses and individuals who have continually supported us throughout the cricket season. Your contributions help sustain our club!

Bruce and Julie Cornelius- St Marys Hotel
 'Speed' Gary Maher- Who is currently giving Reon Johns a run for his title as 'Sausage King'
 Nick and Mick Kringle
 Mark and Tamatha- St Marys IGA Supermarket
 Ross and Tracey Bean- Coach House Restaurant
 Harry and Kerry Veldums- St Marys Post Office
 Judy Spilsbury- Valley Voice

And anyone else whom I may have forgotten who has contributed to the St Marys Cricket Club during the season.

One lot of players we CAN NOT FORGET are the Junior Cricket Teams in Break O'Day! On Friday 2nd March 2012 St Helens Blue defeated Scamander at the St Helens Cricket Ground with a great display of Junior Cricket all round. It was great to see the Junior Cricket in Break O'Day so well supported with many parents and locals coming to encourage our up and coming talents.

The St Marys Cricket Roster will resume in October 2012. Keep your eyes open in the Valley Voice for training times etc.

Craig Freiboth, St Marys Cricket Coach, Juniors/Seniors.



St Marys Cricket Club Team.



Scamander Cricket Club Team.



Jamie Mc Kimmie in action.



Reece Maher also in action.

Photos: Hayley Gilbert.

Please note: Deadline for articles in the next Valley Voice is 5pm Tuesday March 21, 2012

EMAIL ADDRESS: 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 for meetings the last Saturday of the month at 2pm at the goods shed behind the **St Marys Railway Station**.

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

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 -Interested in continuing to meet weekly at **Falmouth Community Centre?** Please contact Michelle. **0418 271 315 - 6372 2835**

St Patricks Head & Esk Valley Historical Society Inc has a meeting one month and a field trip the next. We invite everyone to come along on the third Sunday of the month and enjoy an informative time with lots of fun. For more information Phone: **Barry Aulich (637225752) Darlene Wright (63722416) or Jim Haas (63722127)**

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.

The Falmouth Community centre would like to advise members and the community that the new contact for bookings of club facilities is **Rachel Woods**. Rachel can be contacted on: **03 6372 5118.**

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.**

Break O'Day Regional Arts - General meetings held on the first Tuesday of each month at 4.30 p.m. at the **e.ScApe Cafe**. All welcome. Inquiries to **Rod 6372 2444.**

Cornwall Community Development Group Inc. meets @ 7pm on the first Tuesday of each month in the **Cornwall Hall**. All interested persons are invited to attend. **Wendy Dawson (secretary) 6372 2722.**

St Helens Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Wednesday 8pm Weekly. **St Pauls Anglican Church Hall, St Helens. Murdoch 6376 3335.**

St Helens Al-Anon Family Group (Al Anon) To help families and friends of alcoholics recover from the effects of the living with the problem drinking of someone close. Sunday 2pm weekly. **St Pauls Anglican Church Hall St Helens Anne or John 6376 4270 or Rose 6376 3335.**

St Marys Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Friday 8pm Weekly. **Holy Trinity. Mick & Shirl: 6372 2909.**

The Break O' Day Stitchers meets each Friday in the **Bungalow at Neighbourhood House in St Helens** from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and participants are welcome to stay for as long or short a time as they may choose. The choice of projects to work on is also optional - either to bring your own work or join in and assist on a group project.

Scamander garden Club meets at **Scamander Sports Complex** at 1.30pm on the third Monday of each month. Enjoy sharing garden activities. Contact **Val: 6372 2762.**

Remedial Massage and Naturopathy
ring **Sue Christiansen** for an appointment.
0418 515 419

FAMILIES—0 -5 YR OLD
BUILDING BLOCKS & ST MARYS PLAYGROUP
COMBINED SESSION
FALMOUTH COMMUNITY CENTRE
FRIDAY MARCH 23RD 10.30 - 12.30.

In order to continue, Playgroup requires new committee members/attending families.

Details available on the day or by phoning
Michelle: 0418 271 315 - 6372 2835.

Inside my Skin
will be officially launched at
e.ScApe Cafe
Wednesday 21 March
between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30p.m.
Come along and share in a
Beer & Yarn
www.insidemyskin.com

Are you an **adult swimmer** who would like to improve your confidence and skill in the water? We are looking to start an adult swim session at **St Marys pool**. You need not be a pool key holder - time to be determined.

Fees will apply to cover session costs
Further information: **Carol Bennett: 0447 241 233**

Thank You

Kate and Denny Floyed would like to thank their family and friends for gifts, cards and well wishes on their **50th Wedding Anniversary.**

Also a special thanks to
granddaughter Bianca for the incredible ginger bread house she made.

Thank You

Peter Spilsbury would like to thank all the relatives and friends who recently helped me celebrate my **80th birthday.**

Many thanks for all the wonderful gifts, cards and well wishes I received on this occasion.

Classifieds

For sale

4.3mtr Aulm boat. 14hp Suzuki, fish finder, oars, anchor. Reg. 15/10/12 Dumbier trailer. \$2000. ono.
Ph: 0407 722 884.

1 Frister Rossman portable sewing machine. Offers?
1 Electric singer sewing machine. Offers?
Ph: 6372 2100.

1989 Mazda 626 (shades). Needs work. \$600. ono.
Ph: 6372 2430.

Dual MIG 120 welder, gasless wire + aluminium all fittings for gas, 2 rolls wire. \$200. **3 fishing rods,** 2 with trigger grip + O/H open face reels 1 normal. \$20 each. **2 indoor BBQ plates-elect.** \$10 each. **Large aluminium boiler plus cast iron camp oven.** \$10 each. **Router,** complete in box, all access. Never used. \$60. **Outdoor solar shower.** \$10. **8 metal tent poles** some adjust. \$20 the lot. **Home brew gear:** container, heater, bottles, on heated cupboard, capper. \$40 the lot.
Ph: Pete 6372 2398.

Orders taken for Sheep Poo- for the Scouts \$4 a bag.
0412 803 027.

Corner TV cabinet. Very good condition. \$120.
Ph: 6372 2552.

Pendant lights. 3, 3arm. 5 arm, 6 arm. \$40, \$30, \$20.
Huon Pine stump. \$40. **Fibre glass balustrade mould.** \$20. **Brand new queen size mattress,** Cost \$3,000, take \$2,000. Ph: 6372 2251.

Wooden counter with shelves. 165cm long. \$50. **Large aluminium window** -already boxed up. 150cm x 200cm. \$100. **Club lounge.** \$80. **Chest drawers.** (3) \$30. **Shop bench.** 120cm x 60cm. \$40. **Large wardrobe.** \$30.
Ph: 6372 2365.

Variety of items (ideal students flats in town) including several desks, \$25 \$50. **King single ensemble bed** with 2 sets linen. \$120. **Wardrobe, cane lounge & chairs, bedside drawers, toaster/kettle/cutlery/ crockery etc.**
Ph: 0418 271 315—6372 2835.

Wooden bunk beds with two quality mattresses. Converts to 2 single beds. \$400. **Air hockey table.** \$100.
Ph: 0418 271 315—6372 2835.

Brushcutter 38cc 2 hours use metal blade and nylon head. Excellent condition \$240. ono.

Gasmate portable BBQ with legs, folds into a suitcase shape. Very excellent condition. \$150. ono.

Treadmill with distance, speed, calories used. Near new. \$150.

1 sheet green tongue flooring. 3.6 x 800 . \$30.
Mirror with Blackheart Sassafras frame. 900x400 \$140.

Mirror with Myrtle frame. 900x400. \$140.
Ph: 0417 385 787 or 6372 5101.



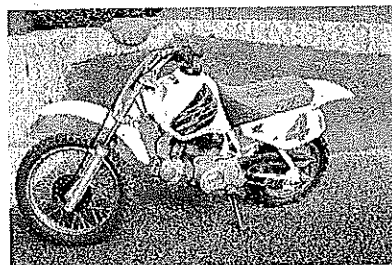
Kawasaki KX85, big wheel, 2001 model. New chain, sprockets, wheel bearings and rear suspension. Good condition, goes well. \$1950. ono.

Ph: 6372 2665.

FOR SALE

1999 HONDA XR 70R
VERY GOOD CONDITION
\$850. ONO.

PH: 6372 2438 OR MOB: 0419 536 886



GIVE AWAY TO GOOD HOME
2 MALE—1 FEMALE
BEAGLE/ KELPIE CROSS PUPS.
Ph: 0457 722 231 FINGAL.

WANTED TO BUY

Carburettor to suit: 90 CC HONDA
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Phone: 0427 736 968

WANTED

MOUNTED STOCK SADDLE
GOOD CONDITION
PLEASE CALL: 0418 676 814

"Moo-Poo". Finely screened. Any quantity. See Norm.
Ph: 6372 2380.

Frozen blueberries - \$11 kilo Phone 6372 2341.

Garden mulch. Large square bales of straw.
Free delivery in St Marys area.
Ph: Mark or Alana: 63722145.

Small square bales of garden mulch \$5.
Small bales of grass & clover hay. \$5. (undercover)
Garden mulch, in big round bales. (wheat straw, weed free) \$60 a bale, delivered free in St Marys area.
Ph: 0407 944 158.
Tractor slashing available. Ph: 0407 944 158.

Classifieds in the Valley Voice are free of charge. If your articles are not sold after the first entry, we will repeat the ad in the next issue. Please let us know if items are sold. Every effort will be made to have correct details and phone numbers. However if there is a mistake, it will be corrected in the following issue.

Tasmania Valleys of Adventure

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GREATER ESK TOURISM

GET TOURISM ... meets the second Monday of each month unless otherwise notified.
WHERE: Fingal Valley Neighbourhood House
TIME: 7PM
 All WELCOME.

Enquiries to the president on 63722783.

Please note...

March meeting - Tuesday 13 March
 (changed due to long weekend)
April meeting - Monday 16 April
 (changed due to Easter holiday)

Bicheno Indoor Market

When: every last Sunday of the month

Where: Bicheno War Memorial Hall
 9am - 1pm

*Hot Foods - come and enjoy breakfast,
 morning tea or lunch.*

Variety of Stalls

More stall space available:

Contact David Logie: ph. 6375 1129.



Sunday Market

Happening:

At the Old Tasmanian Hotel

On the third Sunday of the Month

Please ph 6374 2344 or mobile 0488 562 538

to book your table/trestle

Needed: fruit & veggie stall holders



Stallholders Market Inc.

Is a non profit organisation holding markets every Saturday from 8am in St Helens, at the Library car park. There is a variety of stalls and the fees charged to stall holders is donated to various charities.

For stall booking and other inquiries, please phone Marilyn on 6376 1858.



St Marys Market

Rain hail or shine the markets will be held on the 1st Saturday every month in the community hall. 9am start.

New stall holders welcome.

Phone Robina 03 6372 2022 or Sue 03 6372 2512

Letters to the Editor

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St Marys Tigers Football Club is enjoying a rebirth of sorts and we have found a niche in Tasmania in the area of Masters Football. We had a very successful season in 2011 and hope to do the same this year. Talent-wise we are a very competitive club in this form of competition.

Unfortunately we are starting from scratch and operating on the skinniest shoestring budget. When the original St Marys Football Club was in full swing it was extremely well equipped but over the years bits and pieces have drifted away to the point where virtually nothing is left.

We really don't need that much but in order to run a successful match, particularly from a catering perspective, we are often caught short. What we do need doesn't have to be fancy, just functional so I would like to ask if the good folk of St Marys could help us out.

We need tea towels, dish cloths/rags, a couple of large pots for cooking savs/potatoes, serving platters, large and small plates, carving knives, a steel, a food grater, BBQ and general kitchen utensils and useful bits and pieces that would help us with food preparation and serving. We could also use a reliable chest freezer.

Accordingly we would appreciate if you could check out your junk drawers for things that you no longer require which may be of use to the footy club. If there is something big, like a freezer, we can arrange to collect it. We are OK in terms of refrigerators.

Items can be dropped off at the post office but if you have something big that you think we could use give me a call at the PO just to make sure that we don't double up on anything or we end up with large items that we really don't need or don't have the space to accommodate them.

Any assistance will be genuinely and greatly appreciated.

Harry Veldums,
 Club President.

I would like to congratulate Mayor Schmerl, Deputy Mayor Rubenach and Councillors Marg Osborne, Reon Johns and Glen McGuinness who voted in favour of providing an effective manner in allowing many of our protected animal species the ability to escape from waste transfer station skips.

I know many people will argue that many of these creatures are vermin and should be eradicated. However, if this is the case it should be done in a lawful humane fashion that does not involve inordinate suffering and a protracted death in oppressive heat.

Therefore, I cannot comprehend how Councillors Tucker, LeFevre, Coulson and McGiveron could favour this abhorrently cruel death by voting against this motion.

Wendy Brennan

St Marys
 6372 2094.

Articles for any edition may be left at the St Marys Pharmacy. This also includes items for sale and wanted. Please ensure that your details are included.

SHOP LOCALLY AND SAVE

Tribute to Carl William (Bill) Darke

For the residents of St Marys and indeed the whole municipality, who have had an avid interest in football over the years; we have been given permission by Martin Crawford to reprint his tribute to Mr Darke, which was published in the Great Oyster Bay Community news.

"Carl William (Bill) Darke was born at Campbell Town 14th December 1919 and came to reside in Swansea in 1955 with his wife Alice (nee graham) but prior to this worked as a partner with his 4 brothers as Darke Bros Builders in Campbell Town.

It was between 1955 - 1967 when Bill made his mark as a valued member and leading citizen of Swansea with his tireless work as:

- Founding member of the Swansea Football Club when they formed and joined the Fingal District Football Association in the late 50s.
- President of the Fingal District Football Association.
- President/Chairman/Patron of the Swansea Football Club and the Club Rooms which are still named "The Bill Darke Club Rooms"
- Ex Glamorgan Municipality Councillor
- Elder of the Swansea Presbyterian Church
- Unofficial Ambulance driver in his big Blue Stylemaster Chevrolet prior to the St Johns Ambulance Service operating in Swansea
- In his early days at Campbell Town, Bill captained the Midlands under 16 School Boys side, represented the Midlands as an opening batsman, was Band Master of the Campbell Town Band and was an avid supporter of the North West Coast Cycling Carnivals. He used to stay at the well known Lucas Hotel in Latrobe and the regent in Burnie.

On arrival in Swansea Bill and Ailie took over the Pier Milk Bar, which then included sales of groceries and building supplies. Several years later they set up business in Victoria St. at the site where Barry and Maggie Skeggs lived selling building/hardware and farm supplies and then moved to Melbourne for a few years where Bill worked as an Undertaker.

In 1975 they returned to Swansea and built their family home in Gordon Street and at the time of his passing Bill and Ailie had spent almost 70 years together in married life.

Bill is survived by wife Ailie, sons Graham and Neville, 6 grand children and 7 great grand children.

It was a pleasure to meet Graham and Neville who provided the information and most interesting background on a great man who left so much legacy for the future benefit of so many within our community.

Around 300 people from all over Tasmania and interstate attended the funeral held in Swansea, which reflects his standing and outstanding contribution to the Swansea region.

Bill was a returned serviceman of World war 2."

Thanks to Martin Crawford for allowing us the privilege of publishing this story and photo, and to Len Miles for collecting the information.



The late "Bill" Darke.

St Marys Child Care Centre News

We would like to invite all interested community members to our opening morning/garage sale – come and have a look through the centre and grab a bargain or two. All funds used to support our programs and to enhance the resources available for children.

When: Saturday 17th March 9am – 12pm

Where: St Marys Child Care – in the grounds of the Community Health Centre.

Thanks to the lovely people at the Break O'Day Woodcraft Guild for once again helping us out – turning our big felt board into 2 smaller boards, for children to enjoy felt work and chalk drawing & making it a bit easier for our staff to move them around.

We are currently taking enrolments for children aged 9 months -5 years, with fees starting from approx. \$27 per day, less if you are studying or training.

For further information on enrolling your child at our centre, please call Tanya: 6372 2187 or email stmarys@ncn.org.au



St Marys Police Phone Number	6372 1010
Non Urgent Number	131 444
Urgent and Life threatening	000
SES (Flood & storm only)	132 500
Fire	000



Now the kids are back at school, catch up with your friends at the Possum!

It's great having them home for the holidays but let's face it, you've been flat out for weeks and weeks – you deserve a break! We suggest you give your mates a call and meet up at Purple Possum for a lovely coffee, a piece of cake and a chat. Or perhaps brunch or lunch – whatever the time of day, you're always welcome at Purple Possum – the perfect place to catch up with friends!

Purple Possum Wholefoods & Café

7 Story Street St Marys. Phone 6372 2655.

Old Cranks & Tinkerers Classic Vehicle Show

It's on again!, the 6th Annual St Marys Old Cranks and Tinkerers Classic Vehicle Show will be held Sunday, June 3rd at the village green in central St Marys.

In 2007 when almost everyone seemed to be getting into the spirit of our town's sesquicentenary, a couple of old cranks wondered if it would be a good idea if both a car show and a history of transport exhibition be organized as part of the celebrations.

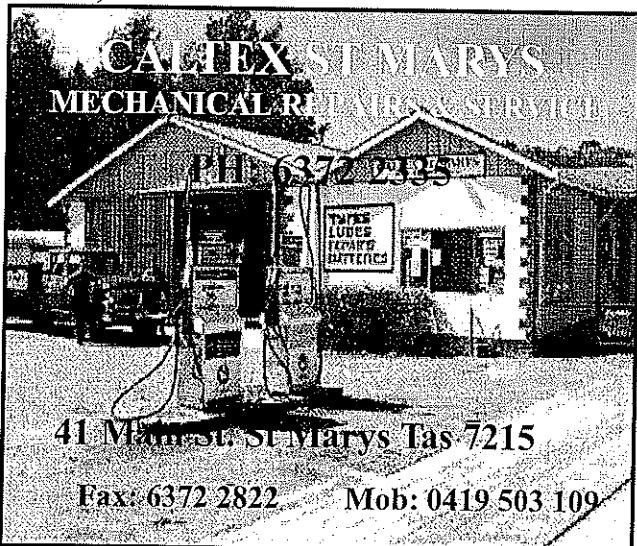
We were most pleased when the transport exhibition, (which ran a month in the town hall), and the car show were a great success, so much so that we decided to make the show an annual event.

Some questioned the wisdom of holding an outdoor event during a St Marys winter but at the time there were limited gaps in both the sesquicentenary and statewide car event calendar so June it was. We are happy to report the show has been growing steadily since.

We started with a small but quality bunch of cranks consisting of Bill Targett, Ian Summers, Reon Johns, and myself, eventually joined by the five star company or Jeff Springer, Gehard Rist, Marty Hornibrook, Andrew Atherton and this year: rookie Glenn McDonald. Of course on show days we receive much help from other volunteers, especially Jim Watson and Dan Rice.

So please join us again this year as either a visitor, or exhibitor if you drive something interesting, and experience great cars, great people, surrounded by great food, great coffee, great village atmosphere, and mild east coast winter weather.

Cars to be in place by 10.00am and prizes drawn at 3.00.
Cheers, Grant.



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PH: 6372 2822
41 Main St. St Marys Tas 7215
Fax: 6372 2822 Mob: 0419 503 109

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

MELANIE NORTON
JIM HAAS
ERINN SPILSBURY
WENDY FOWLER
GLEN LODGE
ROD MCGIVERON
RHET SMITH
FRANK SPILSBURY
FRAN LOWE
LORRAINE GILL



From all your friends in St Marys

OUT OF THE WOODWORK

Wendy Brennan, Secretary. 6372 2094

Many thanks to Mrs. Heather Lodge who donated seeds for our garden and to Yvonne Wyrostek who, although not a member, equips her husband George with delicacies for all to enjoy at our meetings.

The Guild at present is exploring the possibility of having a community bus commute from Fingal to our shed to allow isolated members of that community (both men and women) to come and join us for day visits.

The Sizzler King had an exceptionally good day at the Tasmanian Regional Arts Market with our "most hated most eaten snags... many thanks to those patrons who continue to support us by purchasing one of our haute cuisine snags. All monies raised are put back into our club. Many happy returns to our two "Piscean" female members Wendy Fowler and Lorraine Gill we all hope your special day is filled with happiness and joy.

Guild's Home Hint:

Sometimes new towels don't dry very well. This is caused by a dressing on the material. To remedy the problem and remove it, put half a cup of bicarb soda in with your washing powder and half a cup of white vinegar in the conditioner slot. Wash in the normal way. It works!

Our gang has been working tirelessly in preparation for the **Guild's Open day fair which will be held on the 21st April. Stay Tuned.**

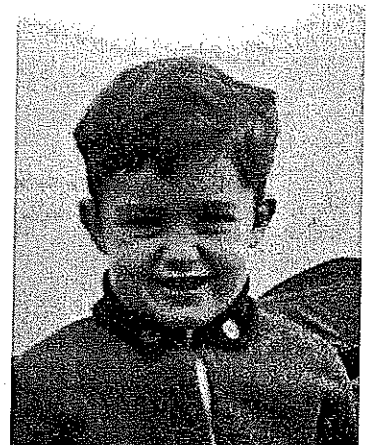
The Guild meets on the last Saturday of every month at 2pm in the old railway goods shed situated behind the Railway Station complex. New members are always welcome. We are open Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Other times by appointment.

A supportive environment where traditional woodcraft skills are taught

Many people thought the last school pic of one of our members was Peter Williams...wrong—we will let you guess again!

Can anyone guess the name of our member in this week's pic?

Clue...he is a very talented musician.



WANTED

BUBBLE WRAP

DON'T TAKE IT TO THE TIP—RECYCLE.
PLEASE DROP ANY SIZE BUBBLE WRAP INTO
SECONDHAND ROSE.
THANK YOU.

The Say Cagerattler

Politics is a funny game isn't it? All that tomfoolery going on in Canberra recently thanks to the Gillard versus Rudd showdown. Well it would be funny if it wasn't so serious of course. Ego's seem to have got in the way here.

I vote for this mob and I'm annoyed by the way they carried on. Here's an even stranger thing. Despite the silliness of it all and despite this crowd lurching their way to the next election in 2013 or so, with faux pas after faux pas they are to me at least a preferable option to the excuse for an alternative government via the Coalition.

What a whinging, negative bunch of individuals they are. Time after time we listen to rhetoric, muckraking and droning repeats of the same old, same old thing, time after time.

With all the antics of the ALP I can't believe that this Opposition hasn't absolutely buried the Government lock stock and barrel, but they haven't as yet.

Our politicians always seem to forget something really important. They are there to represent us first and foremost and not to serve their own egos. No doubt their initial intentions are to do the right thing by the electors. Call me a cynic though but once ambition, factions and self interest gets in the way, it's pretty evident that you witness the results of backroom deals and what's good for the Party, not necessarily that of the populous as a whole. That's so wrong... This should never be.

In regard to the leadership fight in the ALP, An email pen-friend from Chicago USA, sent me a message last week totally mystified courtesy of CNN coverage and printed media and was somewhat amused by our political system, not least where an incumbent Prime Minister can be challenged mid term. I had to agree with him and it must send a Banana Republic message.

Perhaps these "leaders" of our nation need to take a long hard look on how they do things, put their own agendas aside for a while and, God Forbid, return to some original values that all politicians should aspire to, that being serving their electors, states and country. How unreasonable is that?

In regard to my previous article on the Forestry Debate, I'd like to thank those who have mentioned the article to me...generally disagreeing I sense.

Here's your chance and what "The Say" is all about. Give me back your opinions and lets get some diverse discussion going on this important subject. It's about time.

What do you think?

FREE TO GOOD HOME

cute kittens - 3 X Black kittens, 2 x Black/white kittens.
Call 6372 5571

Free - 5 years worth of 'Good Health' and 'Australian Coeliac Society' magazines full of gluten-free recipes and information about coeliac disease and other food intolerances. Ph: Leissa on 6372 2686.

Free chooks - free-ranging in the yard of 24-26 Cameron St, St Marys.

Am sick of them making a mess in the garden. If you can catch them they're yours!

(and if they actually are yours, could you please catch them and keep them in your own yard, thanks).

The need for speed?

In early 1970 a young Kevin Faulkner purchased a speed boat called ANZAC. The craze took off and this purchase was closely followed by more St Marys young guns purchasing their own boats, all powered by Ford 10 motors.

The East Coast Boat Club was then formed, starting their racing on Diana's Basin, and later moving to St Helens.

The biggest race at St Helens was competed for a large canteen of cutlery, donated by Mark Jessups Sports Store, eventually being won by Jack Bullock's new boat, Cheyenne.

The closure of the club was due to the boats and motors becoming bigger and faster, making the sport more dangerous.

In one race, Owen Hughes ended up with an outboard motor swinging in the back of his boat.

Other early members of the club included Arthur and Cedric Brown, Bill Targett Barry Wright, Barry and Gerald Aulich and David Llewellyn, Just to name a few.

Very exciting while it lasted.

Notice in the photo, no protective gear worn in those days!

(Thanks to Jack Bullock for his memories, Cameron Bullock for the photo, which arrived via Dale Matheson.)

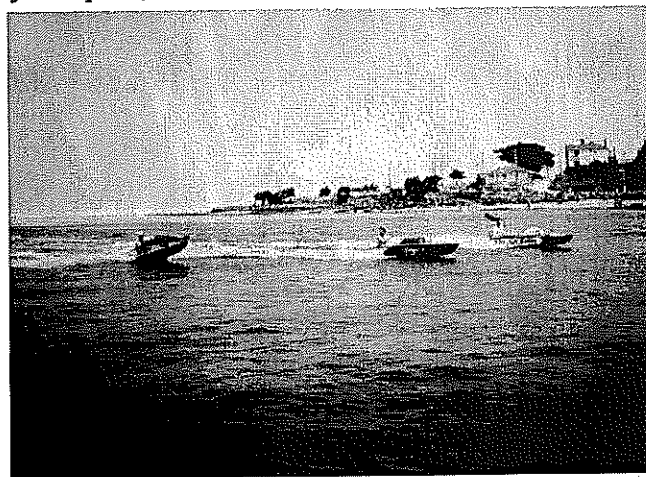


Photo taken at Scamander River mouth in the 70s.
from left: Noddy: Cedric Brown. Bingo: Barry Wright.
Sex Kitten: Jack Bullock.
Photo: Cameron Bullock.

The Vortex Healing Centre is having a birthday!

And you are invited. **Easter Saturday** will be a day of healing, crystals, meditation and a walk to local power sites. Saturday evening will be movie night, (movie TBA) you can stay for tea, campfire provided but byo food.

Sunday is a 10 minutes of fame day, so dust off your skills and test out the acoustics in the Yurt! All talents are welcome: eg singing, music, paper folding, yodelling (we love variety). Byo picnic (no alcohol) The Easter Bunny has hidden some treats.

Please come and help us celebrate! \$5 donation for all events, a fun day for all.

To enter the 10 minutes of fame day please ring Sue on:
0418 515 419.



**ST PATRICKS HEAD DAY CELEBRATION
SATURDAY 17TH MARCH
COMMUNITY HALL, MAIN STREET, ST MARYS
RAIN, HAIL OR SHINE**

**MARKETS 10AM TO 3PM – CHILDREN'S GAMES 11AM TO 2PM
PRIZES, FOOD, TEA, COFFEE, AND COLD DRINKS
LUCKY DOOR PRIZE –MOBILE PHONE**

**ROCK AND ROLL DANCE FROM 5PM TO 9PM
LOCAL DUO "GENERATION" ON STAGE
GOLD COIN DONATION ENTRY TO DANCE
"BREAK O'DAY REGIONAL ARTS EVENT"**



**DRESS UP IN 50'S AND 60'S
GEAR, BRING THE KIDS,
GRANDPARENTS OR JUST YOUR-
SELF AND HAVE SOME FUN**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
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OR PHONE 6372 5497 TO PRE-BOOK.**

**LOOKING FORWARD TO PROVIDING
A SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY.**

**NOW IT'S AUTUMN, DO YOU FEEL LIKE A COLOUR
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On arrival to dinner that night, I was served a very special meal, a compromise between the two suggestions, sweet potato soup with a delicious dollop of mashed potatoes in the middle! I could not have asked for more! So, thank you Rod for your thoughtfulness and your entertaining Thursday night dinners.



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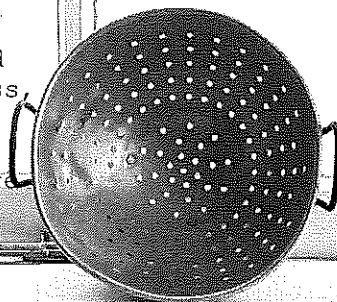
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The Community Action Program provides a wide range of support to Community and Voluntary Organisations and individuals throughout the Break O'Day Municipality. This limited funding is available throughout March, April & May of 2012.

Funding is provided by the Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing under the Rural Primary Health Services Program.



St Helens History Room news

Mr David Hirst of Wybalena has donated a superb lace and artifacts collection belonging to his Grandmother, Mrs Florence Mary Parker. These are being readied for exhibition by March 24th. We are all very excited about this exhibit which has an amazing history.

Mrs Parker was the granddaughter of John Davies, founder of the Mercury newspaper in Hobart. For her work with the Tasmanian division of the Australian Red Cross Society she received an OBE as one of the first of two recipients in Tasmania in 1918.

Regular visitors will see that there have been changes to some displays and more are on the way. Apart from this the usual spring cleaning of the "Animals" is under way and the back room volunteers continue to work hard to complete the archiving.

Friends of the History Room news

First of all CONGRATULATIONS to "Geoff" who won the last \$100 raffle, Geoff is the third local to have won an easy \$100 this way... well done.

Our February trip has had to be changed, to what we think would be a better time during Heritage Week (14th to the 22nd April). The exact date to be confirmed but more than likely it will be mid-week.

14th April 2012 - Working Bee, Chinese Cemetery, Weldborough - 9am, meeting at the St. Helens History Room. Part of Australian Heritage Week activities.

This year we want to make a concentrated effort to raise funds for an extension to the History Room. This will obviously be a long term program, but with the help of the Friends we hope not to long.

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You only have to look at the changes depicted on the sepia post cards on sale in the History Room, to see for instance how the Bayside Inn has changed over the years. Or the changes to the bridge we travel over every day. Do you know what happened to the lovely curved IRON bridge supports from 1881? Some are doing duty in the township in a different way.

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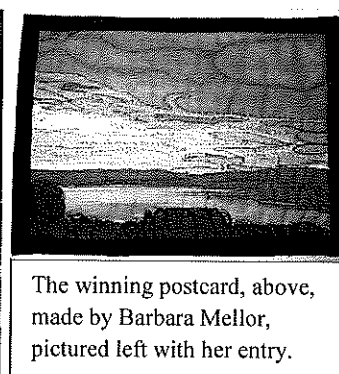


Suncoast Gallery Hosts Exhibition of Hand-made Postcards

In amongst all the chaos of the usual December and early January festivities, fifteen local artists worked hard to produce 43 exquisite, unique hand-made postcards for the 'East Coast Reflections' Postcard Exhibition.

The Exhibition was held at the Suncoast Gallery, 8A Quail St, St Helens, from January 25th to February 8th. The Curator of the Suncoast Gallery, Eva Cymbalak, employed her usual notable flair for display to mount an exhibition of which a larger, better resourced gallery would have been proud. The techniques and materials used to create the postcards included machine embroidery, quilting, water colours, acrylics, pencil drawing and photography. The prices of the artworks ranged in price from \$10 - \$40. If you were unlucky enough to have missed the exhibition, why not pop into the gallery to see if any of the works are still available for sale.

The winner of a cash prize was determined by a Viewers' Choice vote. The competition was won by Barbara Mellor of Akaroa, for the postcard pictured below depicting the sunset at Georges Bay. The medium was free motion quilting on cloth.



The winning postcard, above, made by Barbara Mellor, pictured left with her entry.

The raffle of the beautiful watercolour painting of Sloop Reef, so kindly donated to the gallery by Graeme Cherry, was drawn at the conclusion of the exhibition. The lucky winner was Marion Leggate of Scottsdale.

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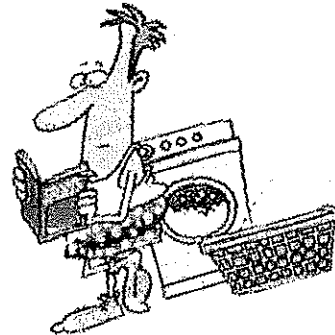
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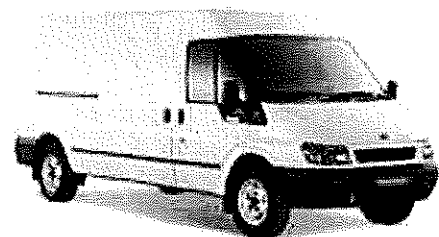
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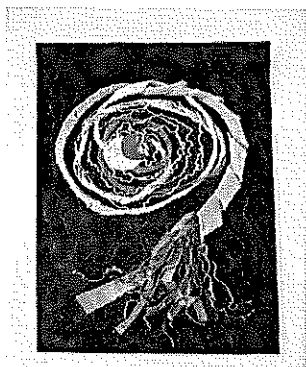
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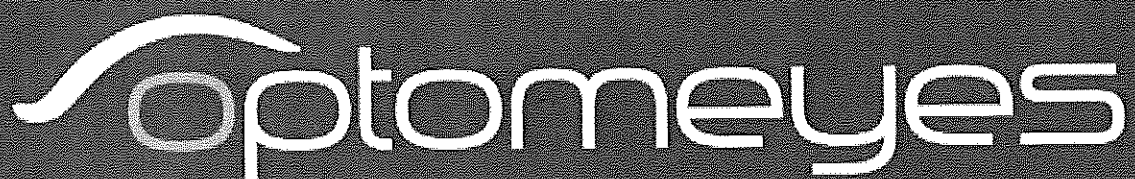
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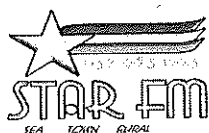
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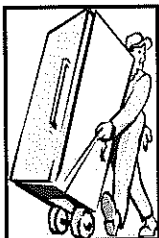
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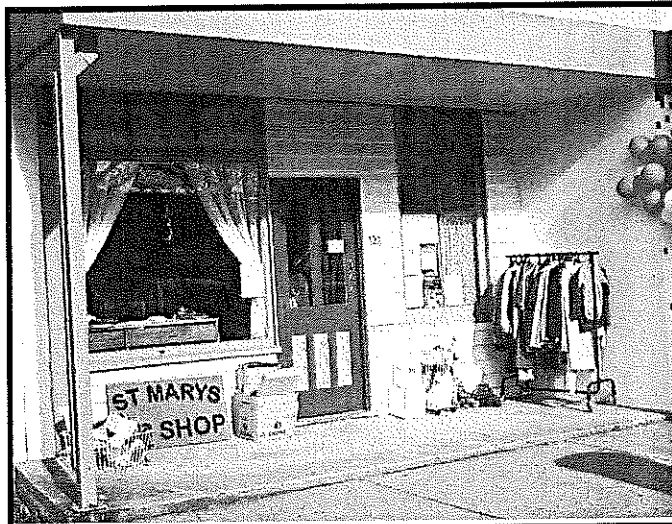
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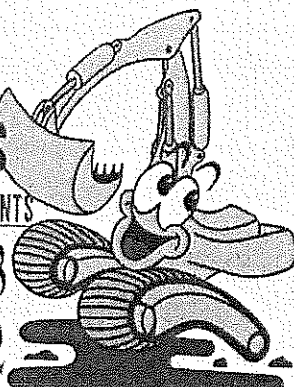
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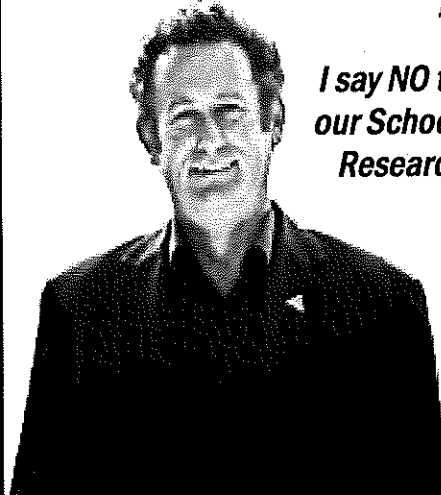
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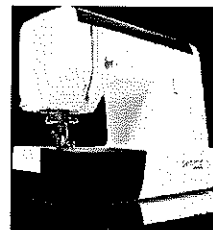
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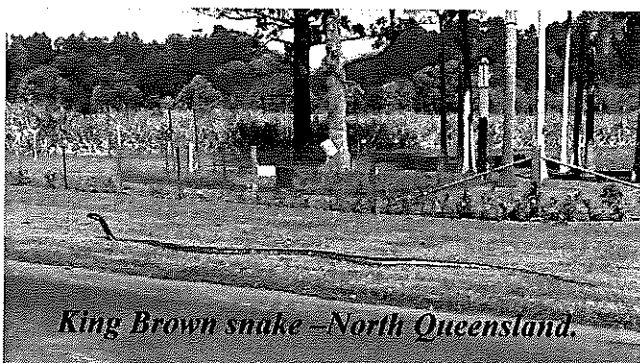
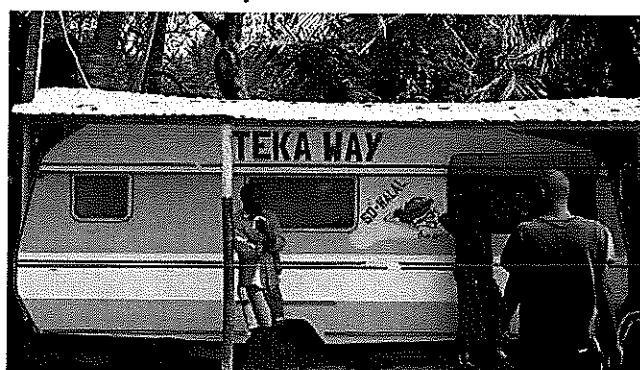
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DOCTORS ROSTER

- Dr Latt 7/3/12—23/03/12
- Mon 12/3/12— **Public Holiday**
Normal Surgery hours will resume
on Tuesday 13/3/12
- Dr Reeckman— 15/3/12
Women's Health Clinic

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.

If you require Pathology **before 8:30am** an appointment **must** be made with the Nurses Station **the day/night before**.

INR TESTS

A doctor's appointment is required if you are having an INR test. Please **let reception staff know when making your appointment that you are having an INR test**. This is a 5 minute doctor consult.

AFTER HOURS SERVICE

CONTACT NUMBERS

PLEASE PHONE GP ASSIST ON
1300 780 011

AMBULANCE 1800 008 008 or
EMERGENCY 000

COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE 6372 2111

PODIATRY NORTH

Community Podiatry Service— **FREE**
At the St Marys Community Health Centre
Next Podiatry Session 14th March 2012

Please see your Health Professional for a referral or call *Podiatry North* for appointments direct on: 6331 5155

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

Women's Health Clinic

Dr Libby Reeckman conducts Women's Health Clinic's at the St Marys Health Centre. If you require an appointment please phone 6372 2111. Waiting periods can apply.

Next Session: Thursday 15th March 2012

SUNNIES FOR SIGHT

February 2012 was 'Sunnies for Sight' on the Health promotion Calendar. The St Marys Health Centre ran a decorate your sunglasses competition for children during the month.

Congratulations to Latoya Charman who was the lucky winner of a pair of sunglasses for her sunglasses design. The sunglasses were donated by the St Marys Pharmacy.

Thank you to everyone who entered and keep watching the Health Promotion Board at the Health Centre for more competitions and great health related information!

ORAL HEALTH SERVICES

The mobile Dental Van will be operating from the rear of the St Marys Health Centre (Ambulance Bay Area) from February until May 2012.

This van provides Oral Health Services to both children and adults.

Please make appointments by phoning the:

Northern Dental Centre on 6336 4100
Between 8:30am— 5:00pm Monday to Friday

ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE

- 8 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- Relationships Australia**– Leanne McMurtie for appointments please phone 1300 364 277
- Continence Nurse**. For appointment please see your GP or Health Professional for a referral.
- 9 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- TABIS (Tasmanian Acquired Brain Injury Service)**– Hannah Rubenach phone 0437 076 100
- 12 March** **PUBLIC HOLIDAY**– No Doctor's Surgery on this day. Normal Surgery hours will resume on Tuesday 13/3/12
- 13 March** **Counsellor**– Ellen Naef. Please phone 0409 864 182 for appointments. Ellen is located downstairs at St Marys Health Centre in the Healthy House
- Child Health Session** with Sue Gofton every Tuesday– Appointments only. Please phone 0428 136 381
- Lightfoot Podiatry**– Perry Daly. Phone 6331 9568 for appointments
- 14 March** **Day Centre**– For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert 6372 2111
- Social Worker**– Shan Williams appointments available by phoning 6372 2111
- Podiatry North**– For appointments please phone 6336 5155
- 15 March** **GP North Mental Health Worker**– Brady Young for appointments please see your GP for a referral
- Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- 16 March** **Dietician (GP North)** – Appointments available by referral from your GP
- Diabetes Educator (GP North)**– Appointments available by referral from your GP
- Exercise Physiologist (GP North)**– Appointments available by referral from your GP

WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE Continued...

- 16 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- TABIS (Tasmanian Acquired Brain Injury Service)**– Hannah Rubenach phone 0437 076 100
- 19 March** **Social Work**– Shan Williams. Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments
- TLC Meeting (Tasmanian Lymphoedema Centre)** 10:00am in the Day Room
- 20 March** **Child Health Session** with Sue Gofton every Tuesday– Appointments only. Please phone 0428 136 381
- Counsellor**– Ellen Naef. Please phone 0409 864 182 for appointments. Ellen is located downstairs at St Marys Health Centre in the Healthy House
- Tom Bain, Rae & Partners Lawyers**. At the Community Health Centre Tuesday fortnights. For appointments please phone 6337 5555
- Social Worker**– Shan Williams appointments available by phoning 6372 2111
- 21 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- Day Centre**– First week for 2012 For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert 6372 2111
- 22 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you.
- Relationships Australia**– Leanne McMurtie for appointments please phone 1300 364 277
- 23 March** **Mental Health Clinician/ Case Manager**– Faye Thordardottir. For appointments please phone 1800 332 388 where a referral will be lodged for you
- TABIS (Tasmanian Acquired Brain Injury Service)**– Hannah Rubenach phone 0437 076 100

GP NORTH DIABETIC CLINIC

Regular consults are available at the St Marys Community Health Centre with the Diabetic Educator, Dietician and Exercise Physiologist. If you require an appointment please see your GP for a referral and GP North will contact you with an appointment time.

Next session at St Marys is: Friday 16th March 2012

St Marys Community Health Centre



Mini Fair Extravaganza

- feasting and festivities for all the family!

Friday 30th March 5p.m.-8pm at
SMCHC

BBQ ♦ Food and Market Stalls ♦ Raffle
Live music ♦ Emergency services display

Join us in raising funds for refurbishing of our extensions
and our family room.

CALL FOR DONATIONS

WE NEED YOUR HELP!



White elephant Stall

Wanted donations of good quality household items, furniture, tools, bric-a-brac, clothes, books, music, DVDs etc (no electrical items please). All donations to be dropped off at the hospital on the day of the fair.

For further information contact Karen Church (0417695770)



Plants and Produce Stall

Wanted plants, seedlings, and any home grown produce. All donations to be dropped off at the hospital on the day of the fair. Start planting / potting up some cuttings now!

All enquiries to Julie Gunton (0407515516)



Cakes and Sweets Stall

Wanted home baked cakes, pies, biscuits, sweets and yummy things. All items must have an ingredients list, and best before date. Sorry no cream cakes.

Contact us for more information SMCHC (63722111)

StMarys & district emergency & business contacts

CRIMESTOPPERS 1800 333 000
POLICE 000
NON URGENT 131 444
POLICE ST MARYS 6372 1010

AMBULANCE 000
COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE 6372 2111
DOCTOR 6372 2111
BEN LOMOND WATER AND SEWERAGE 13 69 92

FIRE 000
SES 132 500
(FLOOD & STORM ONLY)
AURORA 13 20 04 EMG.

ACCOMMODATION

ADDLESTONE HOUSE B&B 6372 2783
19 GRAY RD ST MARYS WWW.ADDLESTONEHOUSE.COM.AU
FISH-TALES ON THE BAY (BH) 0439 265 362
(PET FRIENDLY) (AH) 6372 2128
MARITON HOUSE B&B + HORSE RIDING
1 IRISHTOWN ROAD ST MARYS 6372 2059
RAINBOW RETREAT (LOT 1 OFF GILLIES ROAD)
(info@rainbowretreat.com.au) 6372 2168
SEAVIEW FARM 6372 2341
ST MARYS HISTORIC HOTEL 6372 2181
(48 MAIN ST ST MARYS)

ARTS & CRAFTS

BLUEBERRY COTTAGE (OPEN GARDEN & CRAFTS)
(ELEPHANT PASS) 6372 2755
dave@blueberrycottage.com.au
GONE RUSTIC STUDIO & GALLERY 6372 2724
(37 MAIN ST ST MARYS)

BREAK O'DAY REGIONAL ARTS
(CONTACT ROD CORFEE) 6372 2444

ART SUPPLIES

BIG SHED STUDIOS 0428 725 228
(24837 TASMAN HIGHWAY ST HELENS)

AUSTRALIA POST

ST MARYS POST OFFICE 6372 2124
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

BAKERY

ST MARYS BAKERY 6372 2131
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

BANKS

COMMONWEALTH BANK 6372 2268
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

BERRY FARM

BLUEBERRIES SEAVIEW FARM 6372 2341

BOARDING KENNELS

THE GUMS KENNELS AND CATTERY
(IRISHTOWN ROAD ST MARYS) 6372 2512
UPPER SCAMANDER KENNELS AND
CATTERY (905 UPPER SCAMANDER ROAD) 6372 5157
WAGABOUTS (0429 170 077) 6376 2131

BREAK O'DAY COUNCIL

ST HELENS 6376 7900

BREAK O'DAY BUSINESS

ENTERPRISE CENTRE

BEC SHOP 1/34 QUAIL ST ST HELENS
(ADMIN@SMALLBUSINESS.ORG.AU) 6376 2044

BUS SERVICES

CALOWS BUS SERVICE (ST MARYS) 6372 2476
(ST HELENS) 6376
2161

BUTCHER

INSTORE SUPERMARKET 6372 2274

CABLE LOCATIONS

TELSTRA COPPER NETWORK & UNDER-
GROUND POWER CABLES ETC.
MICHAEL SMITH 0408 059 521

CARERS FOR WILDLIFE TAS INC.
6372 2973 / 0417 017 105

CARTAGE CONTRACTORS

C & D EXCAVATIONS 6372 2033
TROTTERS CONTRACTING 6372 2107 6372 2742
(EXCAVATION, DRAINAGE & GENERAL CARTAGE)

CHILD CARE

ST MARYS CHILD CARE CENTRE 6372 2187

CHURCHES

ANGLICAN CHURCH 6376
1144
CATHOLIC CHURCH 6372
2252
UNITING CHURCH 6376
2405
SALVATION ARMY 6372 2099

CLOTHING

MAIN STREET CLOTHING 6372 2211

COMMUNICATIONS

DAVID MORRIS 0402 969 393 6372 2743

COMPUTERS

MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS
RAY WALKER MOB: 0401 497 199

COMMUNITY CAR 0428 308 622

CONFECTIONERY

MT ELEPHANT FUDGE (7 STORY ST ST MARYS)
(PROPRIETOR LIZ DEAN) BUS: 6372 2034 H: 6472 2787.

DESIGNER - BUILDING

BUILDING DESIGN STUDIO. 6372 2000
(564 MAIN ST ST MARYS)

ELECTRICIANS

ST HELENS ELECTRICAL 6372 5522
0407 615 072

ELECTRICAL & COMPUTERS

GAZZMAN'S BETTA ELECTRICAL (ST HELENS)
INCL. FURNITURE, BEDS, MANCHESTER FLOOR
COVERINGS, HOME WARES Fax: 6376 2159
(gazzmans@bettastores.com.au) 6376 2555

ELECTRICAL REPAIRS

RANSLEYS HOME APPLIANCES 6372 5307
(SCAMANDER) 0428 761 811
RICK ENGINEERING (MAIN ST ST MARYS) 6372 2460

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

HARRIS FUNERALS (ST HELENS) 6376 1153

GARAGES

CALTEX ST MARYS (MAIN ST ST MARYS) 6372 2335

GARDEN CENTRE

MANNA FARM 6372 2707
(45 MAIN ST ST MARYS OPEN THUR/SUN 10 - 4pm)

GARDENING SERVICES

CLEAN CUT GARDENING 0419 113 836
ANDREW DAVENPORT ST MARYS 6372 2366

GIFTS

AVAILABLE IN MANY BUSINESSES

GLASS REPLACEMENT

EAST COAST GLASS 6372 5361

GOLF CLUB

ST MARYS SPORTS CENTRE INC 6372 2177

INSURANCE BROKERS

MCKILLOP INSURANCE (LYN) 0400 984595

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

K FAULKNER 6372 2196
H VELDUMS 6372 2124

HAIR DRESSER

ANA'S HAIR DRESSING SALON 0448 532 531
STOREY ST ST MARYS PH: AH 6372 5497

HEALTH FOODS

PURPLE POSSUM WHOLE FOODS 6372 2655
(STORY ST ST MARYS)

HEALTHY HOUSE

(5 PORTLAND COURT ST HELENS) 6376 5242
(ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE) 6372 2850

HORTICULTURIST

PETER DANE (QUALIFIED HORTICULTURIST) 6372 2686

HOTEL

ST MARYS HOTEL (MAIN ST ST MARYS) 6372 2181

JAM (JESUS & ME) MNORTON 6372 2099

LIBRARY

ST MARYS LIBRARY 6372 2114
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

LINE DANCING

VALLEY COASTERS 63 72 2266

(SUE FISHER)

LYMPHOEDEMA CENTRE

ST MARYS LYMPHOEDEMA CENTRE 6272 2900
(LOCATED AT ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE)

MARRIAGE CELEBRANTS

PETER POWER (peterpowercelebrant@gmail.com)
0417 017 105
6372 5745

TERESE TANNER 0400 512 845

MEALS ON WHEELS

0488 384 344

MECHANICS

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GENERAL STEEL & ALUMINIUM FABRICATION.
209 IRISHTOWN ROAD MOB: 0417 507 239 6372 2991
GRANT FAULKNER (CALTEX ST MARYS) 6372 2335

MUSEUM

CRANKS & TINKERERS (IAN) 0417 648845
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

NEWSAGENCY

ST MARYS NEWSAGENCY 6372 2143
(STORY ST ST MARYS)

NEET CENTRE (ST MARYS) 6372 2175

ONLINE ACCESS CENTRE

ST MARYS ONLINE CENTRE 6372 2005

OP-SHOP (MAIN ST ST MARYS) 6372 2851

ORGANIC VEGETABLES

JACK FOREMAN (7 STORY ST ST MARYS) 6372 2034

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ERIC BEAN SEC. 6372 2136

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EAST COAST MOBILE SPRAY PAINT 6372 5571
(0457 583 099)
MLN ENTERPRISE PAINTING 0439 722 718

PHARMACY

ST MARYS PHARMACY 6372 2844
(MAIN ST ST MARYS)

PLUMBERS

P J & H K CHILD 6372 5378
R G & R I HARWOOD 6372 2445

PROOF READER

LEISSA DANE 6372 2686

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HAPPY BELLY DELI 0404 725 430
MT ELEPHANT PANCAKE BARN 6372 2263
PURPLE POSSUM WHOLE FOODS 6372 2655
SEASALT 1300 646 001

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COLLECTABLES

SECONDHAND ROSE (AH) 6372 2267

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SPLASH ST MARYS 0488 777 713

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ST MARYS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL 6372 3900
(GRAY ROAD ST MARYS)

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ST MARYS SUPER VALUE 6372 2240
(MAIN ST ST MARYS) BUTCHERY 6372 2274

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(6 LAGOON ESPLANADE SCAMANDER)
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EAST COAST PHONE & COMMUNICATIONS
(JOHN HERON) (DIGITAL TV & SET TOP BOXES)
0409 959 121 6372 2402

DELAFRONTERA (DAVE MORRIS) INSTALLATION &
SERVICE TECHNICIAN MOB: 0402 969 393 Ph: 6372 2743

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EAST COAST SURVEYING (ST HELENS) 6376 1972

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ACCOUNTS 6372 2328
ADVERTISING 6372 2155
(judith.spilsbury@telair.com.au)

WATER CARRIERS

SPLASH ST MARYS 0488 777 713

WOODWORK GUILD

OLD RAILWAY GOODS SHED (ST MARYS) 6372 2094

WIDE SPAN SHEDS 6372 2724

YOUTH HOSTEL

SEAVIEW FARM (GERMANTOWN) 6372 2341

MEALS ON WHEELS ROSTER

March		St Marys	Fingal
Monday	12th	Val Spencer	Neighbourhood House
Tuesday	13th	Ruth Aulich	
Wednesday	14th	Liz Rice	
Thursday	15th	Yvonne Salter	
Friday	16th	Hannah Rubenach	
MOW Contact		Phone:	0488 384 344
Monday	19th	Pam Lynch	Neighbourhood House
Tuesday	20th	Trish Pike	
Wednesday	21st	Lorraine Gill	
Thursday	22nd	Val Spencer	
Friday	23rd	Drew Adam	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
Fingal 11.30am

2nd Sunday: LITURGY

St Helens Vigil LWC 6.00pm
St Marys LWC 9.00am
Bicheno LWC 9.00am
Fingal LWC 9.30am

3rd Sunday: MASS

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm
St Marys 9.00am
Fingal 9.30am
Bicheno 9.00am

4th Sunday LITURGY

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm
St Marys 9.00am
Bicheno 9.00am
Fingal 9.30am

5th Sunday LITURGY

St Helens Vigil 6.00pm
St Marys 9.00am
Bicheno 9.00am
Fingal 9.30am

Enq: Baptisms & Weddings
Ph: 63 31 4377
Church of Apostles
Presbytery
Officer Hours: 10.00am - 3pm.
Sr Marjorie Ph: 6381 1122.

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

PH: Judy: 6372 2155
email: judith.spilsbury@telair.com.au
Accounts: Mary: 6372 2328

Please leave written material at the
St Marys Pharmacy,
Main St, St Marys,
or post: C/- Post Office, St Marys Tas 7215

Advertising: 2011

Classifieds: 25 words or less: free
Community notices : free.
Small boxed ads. Garage sales. Greetings.
Thanks etc. \$12.
¼ page \$20. ½ page \$30.
Full page \$50.
1 year posted subscription \$40.

On Air Now!

Vision FM 88.0 at

St. Marys, St Helens and Fingal.

The Breakfast program is now hosted by
Matt and Karen on weekdays.
There are now over 500 stations
Australia wide.

100% positive music & talk all day long;
connecting faith to life.

National Vision Radio Network.
Phone 1800 007 770.

St Marys Online Access Centre Opening Hours:

Monday 10am -3pm
Tuesday 10 am-4pm
Wednesday 10am-4 pm

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

Ph: 6372 2005

ST MARYS OP-SHOP

SUPPORTING YOUR LOCAL SCHOOL

SUMMER OPENING HOURS:

MON TO FRI. 10AM — 4PM
(WHERE VOLUNTEERS ARE AVAILABLE)

ST MARYS MARKET SATURDAY
9.30AM—1PM

PH: Janet Drummond: 6372 2851.

Shop will only be open as volunteers are
available. So sometimes the shop might
have to open late or close early.

If you're interested in assisting the school
and volunteering at the Op Shop, please
contact Janet Drummond 6372 2851.

St Marys Sports Centre Inc. news.

Kackhander

* No title this year for the men's bowls team. No luck, despite narrow wins on three rinks, the team was beaten by Swansea in the First Semi Final. Maybe next year. Thanks to every single player who represented the club, much appreciated and with so many young players coming on, the future looks bright indeed. Swansea now heads to the Preliminary Final.

* Congratulations to the Ladies team who now head to the Grand Final after a great win in the Second semi-final against St Helens. Top effort and we hope to see you win the premiership the week after next.

* Club games are progressing but some qualifying results are needed so let's see if they can be played soon. In the Men's singles, Chris Davern takes on Graham Hayes as decided in recent semi final results. Good luck to you both. A full list of ALL our champions will be published in the next issue or two.

Thanks to Damon Viney too for some great work on the green and the visiting players are certainly enjoying their games too.

* To golf and the Men recommence Pennant on March 25 with a game against Bicheno. After a five year break, it will be extremely tough to win many games this year but just to have a team back in is a good thing. Hopefully a side will be fielded without too much difficulty. More details next time.

* A working bee is soon to be scheduled for the golf course. Please attend if possible.

* On a sad note, we send our best and heartfelt wishes to all Nan Stuart's family after their very recent loss. She was everyone's friend, a great member and a pretty darn good bowler right up until last year. She will be greatly missed by all.

Until next time, good hitting and rolling.

Hospital regulations require a wheel chair for patients being discharged. However, while working as a student nurse, I found one elderly gentleman already dressed and sitting on the bed with a suitcase at his feet, who insisted he didn't need my help to leave the hospital.

After a chat about rules being rules, he reluctantly let me wheel him to the elevator. On the way down I asked him if his wife was meeting him. 'I don't know,' he said. 'She's still upstairs in the bathroom changing out of her hospital gown.'

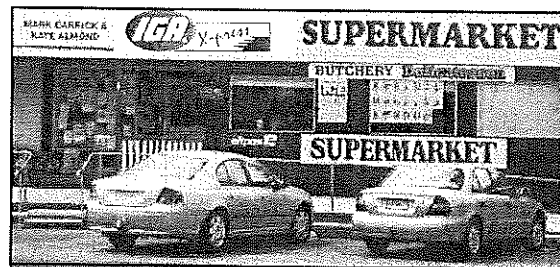


Happy Hour!



ST MARYS SPORTS CENTRE INC.
Every Friday—6.30 - 7.30pm
drinks at discounted prices

Ph: 6372 2177



38 Main Street St Marys

Phone/Fax 6372 2240 - Butcher Ph: 6372 2274

Mon - Fri 8am - 6pm

Sat 8am - 12 noon Sun - closed

This week's specials.

(available from Thurs 8th March - Wed 14th March)

from the butchery

Rump steak	\$10.99kg
Beef mince	\$ 9.99kg
Lamb loin chops	\$13.99kg
Blade roast/BBQ blade steak	\$ 8.99kg
Ingham chicken breast fillets	\$12.99kg

from the coolroom & freezer

I + J Fish fingers 800g	\$6.99
Peters Billabong 10pk	\$4.99
Peters Original icecream 4lt	\$6.99
Flora margarine spread 500g	\$2.59
Devondale extra soft butter tub 500g	\$2.99

from the shelves

Sanitarium Weetbix value pack 1.3kg	\$3.99
Arnotts assorted creams 500g	\$3.99
Kleenex cottonelle toilet tissue 16pk	\$7.99
Alberto Balsam shampoo/conditioner 444ml	\$1.99
Juicy Isle long life Juice 2lt	\$2.69

next week's specials

(available from Thurs 15th March - Wed 21st March)

from the butchery

Porterhouse steak	\$15.99kg
IGA corned silverside	\$ 6.99kg
BBQ lamb chops	\$ 9.99kg
Round steak	\$ 8.99kg
Ingham chicken kiev 350g	\$7.99ea

from the deli

Lethborgs Epping beef sausages thick/thin	\$4.99kg
Virginia ham	\$10.99 kg
Ingham chicken loaf	\$9.99kg
Lethborgs old style saveloys & frankfurts	\$8.99kg
Pandini double smoked shaving ham	\$9.99 kg

from the shelves

Sorbent toilet tissue 12pk	\$5.99
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Ardmona canned fruit 825g	\$1.99
Cold Power Ultra laundry powder 1kg	\$4.99
Cottees cordial syrup double concentrate 1lt	\$2.99

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