



# The Valley & East Coast Voice

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*Wombat Walk  
new footbridge with damaged railing.*

the way it did last Friday evening.



*Debris build-up on  
Margison's Creek bridge.*

landed in St Marys and had nowhere else to go, because all roads out of the town were closed. St Marys Pass closed mid-afternoon, followed soon after by the Elephant Pass, and the Esk Main Road closed towards nightfall.



*St Marys school grounds on Sunday.*

## FRIDAY DELUGE FOR ST MARYS *Jim Haas*

Well there's no doubt about it the East Coast of Tasmania and the township of St Marys experience some of the most extreme weather conditions in the country. From an unusually dry period in 2006 which contributed to one of Tasmania's worst bushfires, to rains in 2010 that saw record falls of over 200 millimetres in twenty four hours.

Whilst floods are almost an annual occurrence in St Marys, never before have we seen the main street turned into a raging river in Homes and businesses were flooded with up to a metre of water going through Faulkner's garage, and Manna Farm was almost totally destroyed.

Cars and caravans floated and one car load of young people were lucky not to be swept away as their vehicle was washed off the road near Margison's Bridge. One can only wonder how many lucky stars they counted when they looked up and saw Craig Cox beside them in his bulldozer.

By seven o'clock there was a slight ease in the weather and the township of St Marys was a hive of activity. Travellers from far and wide had

By Saturday morning the town was almost back to normal, except for the few unfortunate victims who were left with a cleanup and damage bill totalling thousands of dollars.

We have to go back to 1974, when sheets of bitumen were washed off the Esk Main Road near Cullenswood Church and the St Marys wood yard, to find a downfall of rain that would compare with Friday. Let us hope it's at least another 36 or more years before we see it again.

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*The bridge leading to The Flat.*



*Margison's Creek Bridge wash out.*



*Golf course on Sunday.*

WINTER SOLSTICE  
SATURDAY JUNE 19, 2010  
4.30PM—10.30PM  
LANTERN PARADE  
FIRE SCULPTURES  
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**Please note: Deadline for articles in the next Valley Voice is 5pm Tuesday June 15, 2010**

**EMAIL ADDRESS: [judith.spilbury@telair.com.au](mailto:judith.spilbury@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** meets each Monday 10.30am - 12 noon at the **Falmouth Community Centre**, during school terms. \$2 a session per child or \$3 per family. Please bring a piece of fruit to share and your child's personal drink bottle. Bikes plus helmets welcome. **Phone or text: Danyelle: 0427 073 100.**

**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.**

**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)

**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.

**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.

**St. Helens Al-Anon Family Group** Meeting: St. Pauls Anglican Church Hall - every Sunday 2pm Contacts: **Ann, John 6376 3270 or Rose 6376 3335.**

**The Friends of the History Room** hold General Meetings: 8th February, 10th May, 12th July --AGM, 11th October. Executive Meetings: 9th March, 14th June, 9th August 13th September, and 8th November. All held at Tidal Waters at 5pm.

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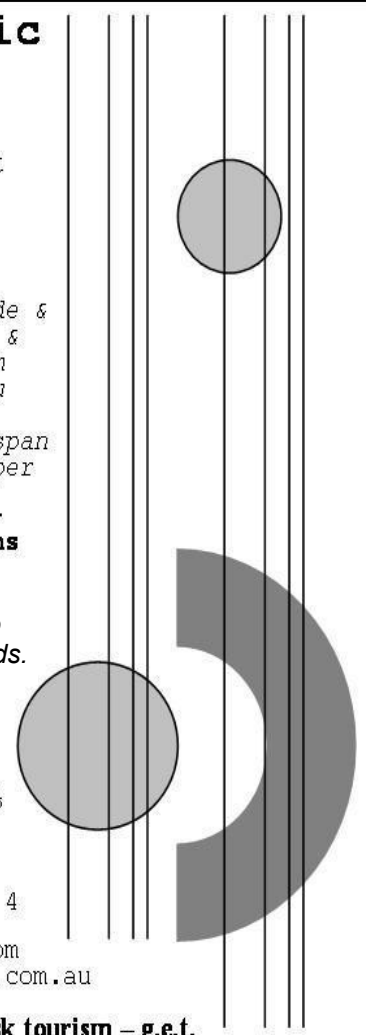
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# Classifieds

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Just who was the lovely lady who was mortified to find herself on the street on Tuesday with odd shoes on?

Seems she had one of her own Blundstone boots on, but the other belonged to her husband!

My question is, how did her husband fit his foot into her smaller sized boot?

Last time I saw her, her odd sized boots were taking her as quickly as possible, red face and all, towards her home.

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## To the people concerned

I would like to say a big thank you to the ones who came to my aide when I fell in Main St, Friday 21.05.10.

I appreciate your thoughtfulness Thank you once again.

May God bless you.

Valerie Brown.

## St Marys Market

Rain hail or shine the markets will be

held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday every month in

the community hall 9am till 2pm.

new stall holders welcome

phone Colin 03 6372 2707

Tasmanian Regional



## 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 Sylvia on 6376 8390. Saturday mornings only: 0447 589 803.

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.

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.

**A LITTLE BIT OF HERITAGE: Jim Haas  
“Do you want to Dance?”**

Once upon a time there was no such thing as movies, televisions or computers. You don't remember you say? Well there aren't too many people left who do remember a time when we were not controlled by the electronic media.

For those of us who do, however, many fond memories come to mind of a time when we had to make our own fun. It was a time when we could let our kids roam free around the bush making cubby houses in the tee-tree, building dams in the creeks and in the May school holidays we would spend our days dragging gum bows to build a bon-fire for cracker night. The only stipulation the parents put on the kids was to check in at meal time.

One of the main weekly events for the adults in those days was a dance on Friday or Saturday nights. Local musicians would get together and form an orchestra that could belt out a tune that would set toes tapping and every man racing to lead his favourite lady onto the dance floor.

The floor boards of the town halls would rattle as everyone involved themselves in Fox trots, waltzes, barn dances and the hocky-pokie until at the end of the night a mass of sweaty but fulfilled bodies would indulge in a home cooked supper.

Even before community halls were built, weekend get-togethers, which would incorporate dancing, were a big part of the entertainment of our early settlers. Back then it would simply be a gathering at someone's home and the music would be nothing more than a fiddle or two, with a wind jammer thrown in. But that would be more than enough to get everyone in the spirit to spend the night twirling in dance with their partner.

Early records show that many a dance was held at the larger properties in the area like “Cullenswood”, “Killymoon” and “Malahide”, with the “Benham Ball” at Avoca being famous for many years. To add to this, organisations like the Catholic and Anglican churches would hold an annual fund raising ball along with the hospital and school etc.

This year as part of the Grassy Bottom Regional Arts Winter Solstice they are bringing back the tradition of bush dancing in the hope that it may take off on a regular basis so we can all kick up our heels and enjoy an activity full of laughter, exercise and fellowship. At the end of the night, when you sit down with friends to enjoy a hearty supper, you will feel as if your day has been worthwhile.

The Tasmanian Heritage Fiddle Ensemble, which is made up of a dozen or so musicians of all ages, will be here ready to kick off the dance at 7.30 pm on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> June. They will not only play some of the best heritage music you have ever heard, but call the dances and teach you the steps.

A display of photos from the dances of days gone by will be part of the night and of course the night will end with the traditional supper.

So come along and experience how our ancestors entertained themselves without the help of modern day gadgets. But just a word of warning, the experience could move you into pursuing a new way of life.



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## Letters to the Editor

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In the last issue of the this paper in 2009 I wrote a letter to the editor suggesting a St Mary's High School reunion commemorating 60 years of the high school, this year supposedly being the 61<sup>st</sup> year.

I thought this would be a another event for the community to get involved in as a means of attracting people and business back to St Mary's all be it for a short time, as it was for the very successful sesquicentenary celebrations.

I envisaged a three or four day event involving the school, businesses the entire community with sport, dance and art events etc., to promote interest and provide a financial fillip to the area.

Unfortunately the interest expressed to me was minimal but I do thank Beverley Rubenach for her enthusiasm and offer of assistance.

Living so far away in Darwin makes it difficult for me to do any more than make a suggestion and it is indeed a pity that unless other interested parties are keen to get involved then my idea will be postponed but hopefully not cancelled.

Regards to all,  
John Schier, Darwin.

### MEMORIAL PARK FOR DAVID

Thank you everyone for your kind response by conveying your interest and willingness through your signatures. Remember David Cement by asking the Break O'Day Council and relevant authorities to donate or release the small block of land, corner Groom Street & Story Street. We would love to see a kind and unbiased gesture from those in question and from the locals. David always had a long wish to create a public park on this spot.

George Keri - Scamander.

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Thank you Judy for this opportunity to say thank you from our hearts to the lovely friends who arrived in great numbers to help Russell & I rebuild, clean up and give moral support at Manna Farm today.

At the time of the event and at first light on Friday morning we were feeling great despair & disbelief that so much of our lives of the past four years had been swept away so easily.

Today restored our faith in the human race. The kindness and love was very humbling and the wonderful food was very comforting. The human spirit in times of need is truly amazing.

Thank you one and all, as there were far too many to mention by name. Blessings be to you all from the both of us, for being so wonderful.

Russell and Colin,  
Manna Farm, St. Marys.



*Well  
done  
everyone.*

*Community  
spirited  
locals  
helping with  
the clean-up  
after the  
devastating  
floods last  
weekend.*



### THANK YOU

We wish to thank everyone for their support by way of phone calls, cards and the many visitors Eric had while in the St Marys and Launceston General Hospitals, during his recent illness.

The doctors and nurses in both of these were fabulous. Also to the Volunteer Ambulance personnel and to the Paramedic, who came to our home and transported me to Launceston. A truly wonderful crew.

Special thanks to our wonderful family who were always ready to help in any way possible.

Thanks to Jim Haas for his article in the Valley Voice. It was quite a surprise and cheered me up quite a bit. Also to neighbour John for looking after our home.

We must never lose our local hospital again, no matter what.

Thank you one and all.  
Claire and Eric Bean.



## St.Marys V Sorell

The St Marys Tigers Masters Football Team travelled to Campbelltown on Sunday the 30<sup>th</sup> May to compete in the Tasmanian Masters Prostate Cancer Awareness "Gala Day". The highly publicised event consisted of four football matches on the day and included teams from Lindisfarne, Triabunna, Kingborough, Launceston Football Club, Central Coast, Sorell and St.Marys. Our game V Sorell was the last on the programme and commenced at 2:30pm. The Ground was in excellent order and the game was played in fine and sunny conditions in front of a big and very supportive vocal crowd.

The Tigers were hard hit before the game with a few players not being available due to the recent flooding in the town and work commitments and we also lost key players in Paul Barnes, Darcy Williams and Mike Graham due to injury in the week before the game.

Despite these setbacks the Tigers got off to a great start against a professional and well drilled Sorell masters team and we were only a goal down at quarter time. The team continued to battle hard in a good standard game; inaccurate kicking ultimately cost us dearly in an exciting last quarter comeback before finally going down by 19 points, despite having one more scoring shot than Sorell. There were some great signs though, and many good players on the day. Billy Reece continued to impress with his running ability and his bag of four goals for the day was a good individual effort. Cookie's coaching was excellent and he deserves a lot of thanks for the effort in getting the team together (phone calls and follow up) for this game. Considering this was our first serious "hit out" for the season the future looks bright for the senior Tigers.

Final Score: Sorell - 11. 4. 70 defeated St.Marys 7. 9. 51

Goalkickers:

Billy Reece 4, Errin Carr 1, Kent Ritchie 1, Ray Squires 1

Best St.Marys:

Roger Salter, Andrew (Skeeter) Webb, Billy Reece, Errin Carr, Zippy, Mike Symons, Michael Cooke

Next Training Run will be Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June Commencing at 9:30am (meet at the St.Marys Recreation Ground)

So come on if you are over 30 years of age and would like to get fit and play for the resurgent Tigers call Cookie on 0429 307 264, Rick Lohrey 0418 564 710 or see Harry at the Post Office.



*Stretching up pre-match and have the jumpers shrunk??*



*The coach planning strategies before the big match.*



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## The Say Cagerattler

What an extraordinary day we had last Friday May 28<sup>th</sup>. Little did we know when the rain started earlier that it would lead to what it did. Just shows you what can happen.

At about 2.45 pm we had that massive deluge that flooded drains, overflowed gutters and saturated anyone with the misfortune to be caught out in it. Then it backed off for the best part of an hour before the really heavy stuff hit again. Then, as they say, all hell broke loose over the next few hours. This then led to damage all over town.

The most amazing thing about all this though, and genuinely not overstating the fact, is how lucky it was that nobody died or were seriously injured. THANKFULLY. Can you imagine how incredibly lucky the young group from Trevallyn were who could so easily have all been drowned when they were caught on Margison's Bridge with water gushing in around the windscreen. A massive effort by Coxy and one of the local police officers who amazingly had the presence of mind to get through with Coxy's dozer to help out. Truly fantastic effort.

I met the group on Saturday at Gone Rustic. When you consider a five month old went through this too, you can understand why the young mother and father were so pleased to be able to talk to the media about it all.

Not only this happened of course. We had near misses on the Passes, a similarly lucky women at Bicheno whose car was washed off the road, with her in it, and one of my friends who works at the school who somehow managed to get through the Harefield Road intersection flooding with water coming over the bonnet of her car. All she was trying to do was to bring necessary items through, but so quickly did the water rise that she was literally floating, briefly.

A few minutes later when she made it through to the school she was still in shock as to what had happened. I'd passed that same point 15 minutes earlier and there was no water over the road until I started going up the school drive. That's how quickly a metre high wall of water can arrive. Both of us spent the next 45 minutes contemplating how to get home. A well known local got through with his four wheel drive to help out. I ended up waiting for a while and brought my car back through nervously around 7pm but...

It wasn't until Saturday morning that the heartbreak of damage to businesses, private properties and some infrastructure was to be seen. All from a relatively brief flash flood, when it's all said and done. To anyone who has been impacted we must try to help out somehow especially if insurance cannot be accessed. I know we will because that is what makes this town special. We always do.

A big request in particular for Manna Farm. They've lost their livelihood entirely it seems, through no fault of their own and due to the nature of the plant /supplies business it can't be fully insured. IS THERE A WAY WE CAN HELP OUT SOMEHOW UNTIL THEY CAN GET BACK ON THEIR FEET? I have no doubt there is, if these fellows want to continue. Let's hope they do.

To all those who suffered property loss, face replacements, insurance claims and inconvenience, so sorry to hear and to our S.E.S., Police, Firey's, Ambo's, Council and DIER Road crews and Aurora. Thanks. Blood's worth bottling. Thanks again too, to Coxy and the dozer. How great was that?

Finally, even though I am a keen supporter of the memorial park idea, may I state that I am **NOT** the instigator of the petition currently in circulation.

What do you think ?

**Dick Adams MP**  
Federal Member for Lyons


Please contact one of my offices if I can be of any assistance

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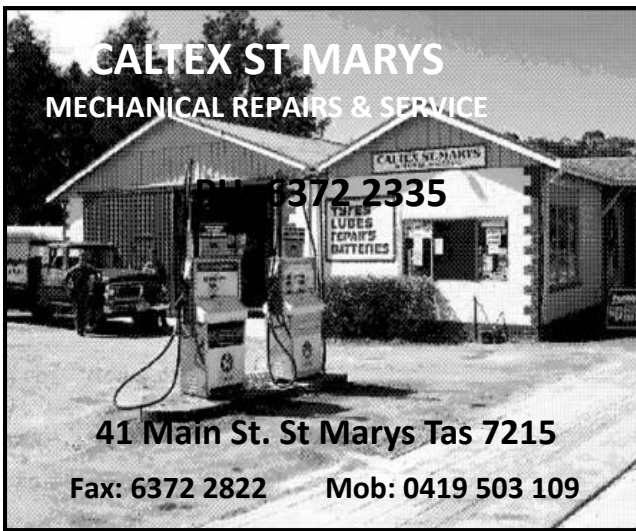
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## Local Artist's Work Selected

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Local fibre and textile artist Rita Summers has for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row had her work selected for a global juried online exhibit and published (hardcopy) book called *Somewhere in My World*, compiled by Myra Woods. Entitled "Flying Free", the work is accompanied by Rita's original poem of the same name. Materials include cotton, bone buttons, wooden beads and perle cotton, and it is hand stitched, hand crocheted and hand-dyed.



In addition, a work Rita submitted to the Wangaratta Exhibitions Gallery in Victoria, under the theme *Petite Miniature Textiles*, has been juried into its exhibition to be held from 12<sup>th</sup> June – 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2010. It was selected from numerous fibre and textile art works submitted from all over Australia.

The selected piece, entitled "Journey of Life – Growth", features a variety of machine and hand stitching techniques, and includes thread snippets from other projects, fabric scraps, wooden beads and recycled fabric from clothing purchased in the St. Marys Op Shop.

St. Marys might be a small town, in a rural corner of Australia's island state, but it is exciting that our local artists have the opportunity for recognition for their work, AND for their town.

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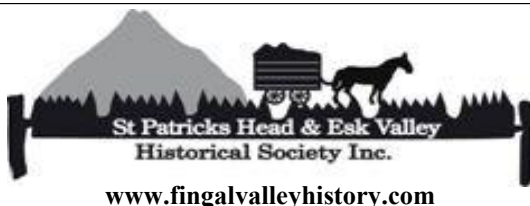
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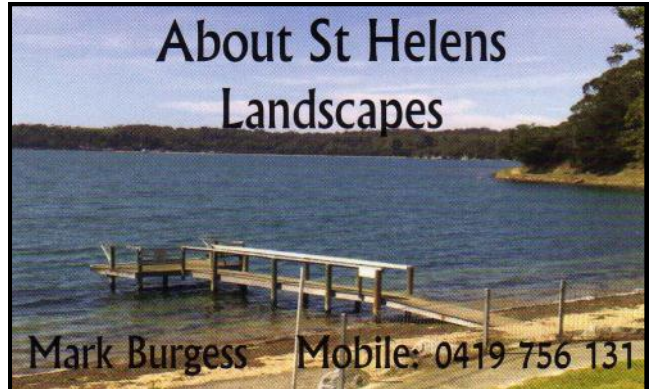
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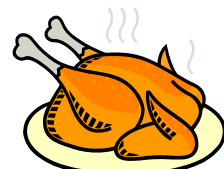
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## **DOING THE ROUNDS** Cllr Reon Johns.

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Cllr Johns moved a motion to investigate the possibility of Council providing the amount of \$2800-00 to the Fingal Neighbourhood House. In order to stage a staggered project aimed at the disadvantaged families/youth. This will allow this group of people the opportunity to visit and enjoy activities outside of the Valley.

Moved Cllr Johns, seconded Cllr Schmerl. Carried unanimously.

Deputy Mayor Osborne moved a motion that Council contribute the amount of \$6000 towards the building of a grandstand for the netball., citing a "Duty of Care" in the support of the motion. This "Duty of Care" was disputed as who provided the duty. Cllr Osborne withdrew this and the motion was carried unanimously.

Deputy Mayor Osborne moved a motion that Council replace Community Lifestyle Budget with Sport and Recreational Budget. Moved Cllr Osborne, seconded Cllr McGiveron. Cllr Nicholls stated that there would be no need to change from the Community Lifestyle Budget as this incorporates the Sport and Recreation.

For Cllr Osborne, Cllr McGiveron. Against Rest. Motion lost.

### **Question on Notice Outreach Worker, Fingal Valley – Cllr R Johns**

To the Community Development Officer Council passed a Motion to investigate the possibility of funding, through grant or budget, a full time permanent position of an Outreach Worker for the Fingal Valley.

**Reply:** A Steering Committee was formed with Cllrs Rubenach, Osborne and Bleaney making up the committee with the Community Development Officer. Cllr Rubenach has called two meetings and the President of the Fingal Valley Neighbourhood House has also attended a meeting. Actions out of the meetings were that service providers be contacted to provide necessary information to assist the Steering Committee in collating evidence to support the need for an Outreach worker. At the time of answering this question on notice, only one response had been received from a service provider and they had no issues. The President of the Fingal Valley Neighbourhood House is looking at other avenues and will report back to the Steering Committee and another meeting will be called.

### **Grassy Bottom Regional Arts – Cllr R Johns**

To the General Manager: In a recent motion the Grassy Bottoms Regional Arts applied for a fee waiver on all Council facilities. What Council facilities are involved in this waiver?

**Reply:** At this stage we are unable to provide a list of Council facilities that Grassy Bottom Regional Arts wish to utilise as Grassy Bottom Regional Arts book Council facilities when they have special events coming up. At present we have bookings for the St Marys Hall for the month of June for the winter solstice.

**OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:** That Council **refuses a remission totalling \$12.57** being for the penalties and interest applied to the property located at 3 Byatt Court, Scamander. Carried unanimously

## **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

### **Community Services Report**

No discussion of significance took place

### **Waiver of Sports Complex, St Helens Hire Fees – Santosha Yoga**

#### **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:**

1. That Council support the Santosha Yoga Club by reducing the hire fee for the Sports Complex to \$5.00 per use instead of \$18.00.
2. That the fee reduction of \$13.00 be shown as a donation.

Moved Cllr Johns, seconded Cllr LeFevre. Carried unanimously.

### **Council Lease Proforma**

#### **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:**

To formalise Council's leasing arrangements with community and sporting groups for the use of Council owned/managed facilities

1. That Council adopt the draft Lease document as outlined in the Associated Reports and Documents; and
2. That Council enter into written correspondence with the relevant community/sporting organisations as to the change in the lease format and once correspondence has been received bring this matter back to a workshop for further discussion.

Moved Cllr Osborne Seconded Cllr Johns

That this item be moved to a workshop. Carried unanimously.

### **Reconciliation of Grants to Organisations, Groups and Individuals**

#### **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:**

1. All grants provided to organisations, groups or individuals by Council shall be subject to the condition that a full accounting of the expenditure of the grant be provided to Council in writing within a period not exceeding 60 days after the completion of the event(s) or project(s) for which the grant was provided.
2. If the reconciliation is not received within that period, the organisation, group or individual be refused any further grants until the reconciliation has been received by Council.

Moved Cllr Johns, seconded Cllr Osborne. Carried unanimously.

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## St Marys Sports Complex Maintenance Works

**OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:** That Council carry out remedial works to the St Marys Sports Centre including replacement of windows and repainting the outside of the Sports Centre at an estimated costs of \$20,000.00. Carried unanimously.

## Appointment to NRM Special Committee

**OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:** That Council appoint Ms Elizabeth Znidersic to the NRM Special Committee as a community representative, Carried unanimously.

## Change of Council Meeting Date – June 2010

Conference being held in Canberra from the 14 – 17 June 2010 the Mayor has recommended that the June Council Meeting date be brought forward to Friday 11 June 2010.

For Cllrs McGiveron, Schmerl, Rubenach, Osborne, Legge.

Against Cllrs Nichols, Johns, Bleaney.

## DO YOU KNOW?

That there have been 3 separate motions to have the Councillors lunch at Council Meeting “in House” rather than at various restaurants in St Helens. All of these motions have failed to get the full support of Councillors.

That council has two meeting each month. One is the Council Meeting that is open to the public, held on the second Monday of the month where all decisions are made and on the fourth Monday Council has a workshop, closed to the public, where upcoming issues or referred items are discussed and **NO** decisions can be made.

*This article is a condensed version of the Council Minutes and the full Minutes can be found on the Council website, or a cd can be obtained from the Council Office.*

I would like to invite any other Councillor to share this article with me and help keep the Break O'Day informed.

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#### REON JOHNS

Councillor

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St Marys 12pm – 1pm at the Bakery

St Helens 2pm – 3pm at the Neighbourhood House

Scamander 3.30pm – 4pm at the Mouth Café.

## Grassy Bottom Regional Arts - Upcoming Events

**Saturday 19th June - Winter Solstice** - Lantern parade, fire sculptures, dinner, bush dance. We still require helpers for the night and can anyone loan us a rice cooker, a string of fairy lights or some hay bales? Call Leissa on 6372 2686.

**Monday 5th July - Concert with Harambee & Suara A Cappella choirs** from Melbourne, as part of Festival of the Voices.

**Coming exhibitions - “Coast to Crag” in June and “From the Earth” in July.**  
Keep watching for further information.

**Wednesday 7th July - AGM at 5.30pm** in the supper room at the back of the hall.

Are you passionate about the arts? Are you interested in helping to bring events to St Marys & the surrounding district, showcasing local & interstate talent in music, drama & art? GBRA is seeking motivated & enthusiastic community members to help present workshops, concerts & other events in the Break O'Day municipality.

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## Winter Solstice Celebration

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2010

4.30pm - 10.30pm

Featuring a **Bush Dance** with the  
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**4.30pm** - children meet us at the hall to choose a lantern and get ready for the lantern parade. Or you can bring your own.

**5.30pm** - Fire Sculptures by John McColl lit on Faulkner's Green

**6pm** - the lantern parade begins at the fire sculptures, ending at the front of the hall.

**6pm onwards** - dinner in the hall - there will be soups and bread rolls, curries with rice and accompaniments, and hot jacket potatoes. Mulled wine, beer, wine, and non-alcoholic drinks will be available. Listen to music by students of St Marys High School while you eat.

**7.30pm** - dance will start - come and kick up your heels dancing to the amazing sounds of the Tasmanian Heritage Fiddle Ensemble, a group of 12-15 players of all ages, complete with caller to teach you the steps. Or if you'd rather, just sit back and enjoy this unique opportunity to listen to some great music!

**Supper** will be available during the evening - lamingtons and scones, tea/coffee and hot chocolate.

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Recent performances have featured music by the early Tasmanian fiddle player Alexander Laing, music from the apple-shed dances of the Huon Valley and recent Tasmanian compositions.

Approaching its first decade the ensemble has played throughout Tasmania; it has been a featured act at The National Folk Festival in Canberra and has performed at the National Museum in Canberra. It has performed at countless festivals, concerts, fairs, dances and public events throughout Tasmania.

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| Thursday           | 10th | Heather Griffiths |                     |
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Fingal LWC 9.30am  
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web [www.vision.org.au](http://www.vision.org.au)

### 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

TRADING HOURS:

10AM — 3.30PM MON TO FRI.

PH:6372 2733.

We are still looking for blankets.

Can anyone help?

We need bedding for humans  
and their pets!

Also lined curtains  
if you have spares.

Ph: Tracy 6372 2733



# ST MARYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

**Monday 14th June 2010- LONG WEEKEND**

Please note that the **Doctor's Surgery** will be closed on this day due to the long weekend. Normal Surgery hours will resume on Tuesday.

## DOCTORS ROSTER

Mon 24th May- Friday 4th June Dr Strydon  
7th June- 18th June- Dr Jenny Conway  
16th & 17th June Women's Health Clinic  
- Dr L. Reeckman

## 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  
**BEFORE PRESENTING AFTER HOURS.**

St Marys Community Health Centre  
GP Surgery Hours:

Monday-Friday 8:50am-12:30pm  
12:30pm-1:30pm LUNCH

## 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.

## 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.

## HARD OF HEARING SUPPORT

Do you have hearing difficulty?  
Do you know there is a Hearing Aid Bank?  
Do you know that the National Relay Service is FREE?  
Do you know that Hearing Screenings are FREE?

Hearing Link Tasmania and the St Marys Community Health Centre are currently seeking interest from people with '**any form of hearing impairment**' who may be interested in forming a support group to address every day issues faced by people with a hearing impairment. Interested? Phone 6372 9512

## WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE

- 3rd June **Eyelines.** For appointments please phone 1300 139 363. All consultations Bulk Billed to Medicare
- Continance Nurse- Heather.** For appointments please see GP or your Health Professional.
- Community Kitchen- 10am** in the Day Room. For details please call the Healthy Community House on 6376 5242
- 4th June **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
- 7th June **Social Work- Helen Jennings.** Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments
- Hospital Auxiliary Meeting 1:30pm** in the Day Room.
- 8th June **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
- 9th June **Social Work- Helen Jennings.** Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments
- Day Centre- For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert**
- 10th June **Community Kitchen- 10am** in the Day Room. For details please call the Healthy Community House on 6376 5242
- 14th June **Long Weekend- Doctor's Surgery Closed**
- Social Work- Helen Jennings.** Please phone 6372 2111 for appointments
- 15th June **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
- 16th June **Day Centre- For details on the group please contact Hayley Gilbert on 6372 9512**
- Women's Health Clinic- Dr Libby Reeckman.** (Booked out) Appointment can be made for future clinics by phoning 6372 2111.
- 17th June **GP Podiatrist- Annabel.** For appointments please see your GP for a referral.
- Community Kitchen- 10am** in the Day Room. For details please call the Healthy Community House on 6376 5242
- Women's Health Clinic- Dr Libby Reeckman.** (Booked out) Appointment can be made for future clinics by phoning 6372 2111.

# St Mary's CHAT Group



Child Health Association - Tasmania

Invite you to

## St Mary's CHAT

Tuesdays

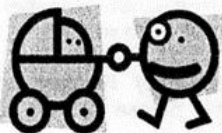
From 1pm-2pm

at

Community Health Centre Day Room  
Gardiners Creek Rd

(Every second Tuesday from 8/6/10)

- Join us in meeting other parents, play time for the children & a cuppa.
- Guest speakers on topics of interest to the group
- There are no child care hassles as baby (and your other children) come too.
  - Best of all, it is **free**  
(after annual subs of \$10/year)
  - Tea & Coffee provided
  - BYO children's snacks
- Contact Hayley -6372 2111



C.H.A.T. is a not-for-profit community group run  
by parents for parents.



*Colour us in*





**St Marys Sports Centre Inc. news.** Kackhander.

Once again we see St Marys Lakes Golf Course after the deluge the other day but it seems the course survived the flash flooding relatively unscathed. This is great news after all the volunteer workers hard work to get it so good.

It'll be a bit wet underfoot for a few days but that's okay.

Not a lot of luck yet in regard to the bowls AGM due to many not able to attend, so it has been decided to have the proper meeting in August. That should be good. A real positive is that there could be a few keen new bowlers who have suggested they might be joining up. That's good news.

Still on meetings. **DON'T FORGET THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm. Won't take long and it would be good to get a quorum first time round. We've struggled a bit in recent years.

Anyone interested in standing for committee can return the form to the Secretary or to the notice board by Sunday June 6<sup>th</sup> if possible. That would be terrific.

It's on the cards that we will be seeing some big improvements to the clubhouse soon. That would be fabulous.

All have said that it was really sad to see "Skippy" go. She was our iconic signature tree. Unfortunately though she was too dangerous to remain. Just the same it's the end of an era, as much as it annoyed us every time she grabbed a well hit recovery shot up the first or tenth or sixth and fifteenth. Maybe we can look at replanting a step son or daughter of Skippy sometime but maybe not a white gum that draws so much out of the ground. Any ideas on that?

Finally, thanks to all involved in the Annual Dinner last week. All those who attended had a great time and to all the volunteers, thanks for all your efforts. Very much appreciated.

Congratulations to all the trophy recipients in both golf and bowls too. A good night as always.

Indoor bowls night. Provided we don't have to reschedule the AGM to this night, we will hold a Pairs Tournament if we can get eight teams on Friday June 25<sup>th</sup>. Hopefully it will be own partner, knockout, winners take it all cash prize event. As soon as we get 8 teams at \$6 per team we can hold this night. Sheet available in clubhouse now.

Until next time, good hitting and rolling.

**ST MARYS SPORTS CENTRE INC.  
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
FRIDAY JUNE 11, 2010  
AT THE CLUB HOUSE, COMMENCING 7PM.**

**AGENDA INCLUDES:**

- WELCOME, APOLOGIES, 2009 AGM MINUTES,
- OFFICERS REPORTS, PRESIDENT'S REPORT,
- AUDITOR/TREASURER REPORT
- ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS
- ELECTION OF AUDITOR AND PATRON
- SETTING OF SUBSCRIPTIONS
- SETTING OF HONOUARIUM (IF APPLICABLE)
- NOMINATION OF LIFE MEMBER
- GENERAL DISCUSSION

R.B. MCGIVERON. HON. SEC.

**SHOP LOCALLY AND SAVE.**



**38 Main Street St Marys**  
Phone/Fax 6372 2240 - Butcher Ph: 6372 2274  
**Mon – Fri 8am – 6pm**  
**Sat 8am 12 noon**

**This week's specials.**

***From the butchery***

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Top side roast         | \$ 8.99kg |
| Scotch fillet steak    | \$19.99kg |
| Lamb forequarter chops | \$ 8.99kg |
| Beef stirfry strips    | \$ 8.99kg |
| Lamb shanks            | \$ 9.99kg |

***Something for brekkie***

|                                  |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Milo/Nesquik cereal 345-350g     | \$4.35 |
| Weetbix (FIFA tin) 750g          | \$6.99 |
| Ardmona canned fruit 825g        | \$1.99 |
| Cripps crumpet splits 6pk        | \$1.99 |
| Tamar Valley creamy yoghurt 170g | \$1.49 |

***For the pets***

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| Dine Dome cat food 80g                 | .80c   |
| Pedigree little champions dog food 6pk | \$5.75 |
| Kit-e-Kat Crunch dry cat food 1kg      | \$3.65 |
| Snappy Tom fish for dogs 400g          | \$1.79 |

**Next week's specials.**

***From the butchery***

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| IGA silverside     | \$ 6.99kg |
| Rump steak         | \$12.99kg |
| Legs of lamb       | \$ 8.99kg |
| IGA breast fillets | \$12.99kg |
| Regular mince      | \$ 8.99kg |

**Instore specials**

|                                   |        |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Schweppes soft drinks 1.25lt      | \$1.50 |
| Smiths chips 175g                 | \$1.99 |
| Golden Circle long life juice 2lt | \$2.99 |
| Kelloggs Nutrigrain cereal 560g   | \$4.99 |
| Kelloggs Nutrigrain bar 6pk       | \$2.99 |

**Laundry needs**

|                                      |        |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Hurricane laundry liquid 2lt         | \$8.99 |
| Pine-O-Clean disinfectant 500ml      | \$2.49 |
| Country Homestead wool mix 1.25lt    | \$5.99 |
| Radiant micromax laundry powder 750g | \$4.99 |
| Shower Power trigger 500ml           | \$6.99 |



**DON'T FORGET  
OUR  
NICHOLS**

**HOT CHICKENS  
\$11.50 EACH**

# DESIGNER HAIR STUDIO

46 Main Street St Marys

\$20 wash and blow dry \$25 sets  
\$22\* dry trim \$35\* restyle  
\$18 mens trims \$5 beards

\$55 semi colour short hair  
\$65 semi medium hair  
\$75\* semi long hair

\$65 permanent colour short hair  
\$75 permanent colour medium hair  
\$85\* permanent colour long hair

\$35 regrowth application  
\$25 toner

\$20 (6 foils)  
\$35 (10 foils)  
\$50\* (1/2 head foils)  
\$70\* (full head foils)  
fashion colours extra

Now offering '**deluxe**' colour services where u will receive a trim, shampoo and conditioner for coloured hair with any semi or permanent colour service from \$105\*

perms/body waves from \$65  
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