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GREAT OYSTER BAY Community News

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STAGED APPROACH TO EASE MANDATORY MASK WEARING

In line with public health advice, the Premier has announced that mandatory mask wearing in certain settings will be phased out in coming weeks as we continue our transition to live with COVID-19.

From 12:01 am Saturday 5 March 2022, customers in retail settings will no longer be required to wear face masks in Tasmania. Staff in these settings will continue to be required to wear face masks to ensure business continuity.

This means from tomorrow, you are no longer required to wear a mask when shopping at places such as shopping centres, supermarkets, department stores or other shops.

Public Health requirements for wearing a face mask at other indoor settings and events remain in place at this stage. This includes wearing face masks at:

- cafes, restaurants, pubs and clubs
- airports, ports, on board aircraft and the Spirit of Tasmania
- large events with more than 1000 people in attendance
- public transport such as a bus, taxis or in a rideshare
- indoor workplaces such as offices in hospitals and aged care facilities
- education settings for example university buildings or high schools.

As part of a staged approach to lifting mask wearing requirements, further changes will be made from 5:00 pm next Friday, 11 March 2022 for seated restaurants and cafes (except for staff), office settings and at large outdoor events.

Public Health has advised that wearing face masks helps to minimise the spread of transmission, so members of the community can continue to wear them for their own protection if they choose, and businesses

may continue to require face masks as a condition of entry.

For more information visit the coronavirus website at: [Mandatory mask wearing in public | Coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\)](#)

- The Swansea Cricket Club
- Swansea Primary School
- Isolated Children's Parents Association
- RSL Ladies
- Combined Church Ladies
- The Anglican Op-shop
- CWA
- Cranbrook Hall Committee
- St Andrews Swansea



GWEN BRYAN HONoured

At the recent Glamorgan Spring Bay Australia Day Awards, Gwen Bryan was the worthy recipient of the 2022 Community Volunteer of the Year.

Gwen has for decades supported and raised funds for many local community organisations in Swansea & Cranbrook. She has volunteered in a 'behind the scenes' capacity, tirelessly giving her time & skills for the benefit of her community. For example, she has catered, cooked, cleaned, knitted, sold raffle tickets, to name a few of her contributions, to many a successful fund raising or community event.

Community Groups, Gwen has been, or is still involved with, include:

- The Swansea Football Club

- Gala Kirk
- All Saints Swansea
- Combined Church Ladies
- SES
- Swansea Coast Guard
- May Shaw
- Meals on Wheels
- Operation Xmas Child

Gwen Bryan, is a living example of her woman who in her 80th year, still leads by example in community service, in the Glamorgan Spring Bay Municipality. Through her efforts over many years, Gwen has been an exemplar of a role model, for the younger generations, in our society.

People such as Gwen rarely receive accolades, as they are just the quiet achievers, the backbone of small rural communities and they certainly deserve recognition. Congratulations, Gwen Bryan!

Jennifer Amos

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Wednesday afternoons (school pupils)

Thursday 10am to early afternoon
(men's group)

Friday 10am to early afternoon
(women's group)

Contact Colin Stevenson 0400 030 746

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Venue - Community Hall (former Council
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Enquiries:

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Margaret 0438 606 446

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will be holding services on
the 1st & 3rd Sundays of
each month at 10m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

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CLUBS & GROUPS

TAP DANCING CLASSES

Swansea Town Hall on Mondays
at the new time of 4.30pm

All enquiries phone

Janelle 0437 264 332

SWANSEA & DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB

Meetings held 2nd Thurs each month 2pm
at Swansea Community Hub.

New members welcome.

Ph 0417 977 118 or 0402 043 621

[SwanseaDistrictGardenClub](mailto:SwanseaDistrictGardenClub@gmail.com)

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MAHJONG & SCRABBLE

1.30 pm every Monday

at Swansea Golf Club.

Contact Lyn Lyne 0438 578 208

DOLPHIN SANDS RATEPAYERS ASSOC. (DSRA)

Email: dsra.7190@gmail.com

Website: dsra.org.au

Mail: PO Box 133, Swansea, 7190

SWANSEA MEN'S PROBUS CLUB

meeting start 10am every 2nd Tuesday
of the month at Swansea Golf Club

SWANSEA BRANCH CWA

meets 2nd Wednesday of the month.

New members always welcome.

Craft days alternate months.

Contact 0402 043 621 for details

CRANBROOK CRAFT GROUP

Every Wednesday 10.30 am at

Cranbrook Hall. Cranbrook.

Contact Edith 0409 216 793

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SWANSEA EXERCISE GROUP

held at Swansea Golf Club

Mondays 8:45 for 9 am. (currently full)

Followed by Qigong at 10 am Enquiries:

0429 178 076 / 0448 649 765

(re Exercise Group) or

0448 649 765 (re Qigong)

SWANSEA TENNIS CLUB is
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Ladies day Mondays, playing 11am.

Contact

Kathy Dance 0439 732 496.

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GLAMORGAN SPRING BAY HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.

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Tuesdays 10am to 4pm

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<https://glamorganhistory.org.au/>

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EAST COAST COMMUNITY YOUTH CHOIR

Will be resuming from their winter break
in Term 4 to prepare Christmas carols. The
choir is open to boys and girls aged 9 - 16.

Meets in Orford.

Contact Gaye 0422 961 678

for details.

SPRING BAY WALKERS

Every Thursday morning, contact

Peter Hutememier 6257 7506.

See programme

[www.triabunnavillage.com.au/](http://www.triabunnavillage.com.au/springbay-walkers)

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THE ORFORD & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB INC.

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Everyone needs someone to talk to

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CLUBS & GROUPS

SPRING BAY POTTERS

The Spring Bay Potters Group started in 2020 by local artist Dorothy Duncombe-Jackson. Situated in specifically built facilities at The Village in Triabunna, the Group regularly meet for classes and potting on

**Wednesdays & Fridays
10.00am to 1.00pm.**

As well as tuition, clay, tools, glazes etc. are provided for a cost.

Peter Hüttemeier

LET'S GET WALKING		
Day	Meeting place	Time
Mon	Duck Park	10am
Tue		
TEMPORARY CLOSED		
T.	Business levels encouraged	6.30pm
Fri	Duck Park - Slow walk suitable for beginners and mums with bubs	10am

For further information, please text Susan on 0429 146 950.

THE LIVING ROOM at THE HUB SWANSEA

1st Thursday of the month
1pm to 5pm for friendly chat

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Sally, Carrie & Leni

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King's Gallery
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- Friday 11am to 1pm
- BYO everything \$5 for charity
- Some easels available
- Coffee from gallery

Contact Laurie
0499 193 821

GKR KARATE

Karate classes starting on Thursday at the Triabunna District School.

The class starts at 12 noon.

For further details contact
Nathan Jacobs 0482 471

CLUBS & GROUPS

MEALS ON WHEELS SWANSEA ROSTER		
Date	2021	Name
Wed	09 Mar	D Anderson
Thur	10 Mar	N & P Green
Fri	04 Mar	D & C Busittil
Mon	11 Mar	H & T Griggs
Tues	12 Mar	L Camus & C Andrews

SWANSEA MODEL YACHT CLUB INC.

Sailing, **weather permitting**, every Monday 10.30 am until 2.30 pm.

All interested parties and spectators welcome. Sailing is at the Kelvedon Dam south of Swansea.

Inquiries to Cheryl on 0419393774

COMMUNITY NOTICES

MILITARY COMPENSATION & REHABILITATION ADVOCACY SERVICES

are now available at the Swansea RSL for ex-service, current serving and family members of the Australian Defence Forces. Contact

Steven Kenny 0438 060 047



Rescue, rehabilitation and release of native wildlife. Also treating wombats with mange in our Municipality on behalf of Wombat Rescue. Contact **Marcia 0448714419**

THE VILLAGE

20 Melbourne Street, Triabunna

Community Market third Sunday of each Month 10.00am to 1.00pm. Large range of stalls and activities. Sell from your car boot, charge applies. Large range of community activities during the week, for details see:

<http://triabunnavillage.com.au/>
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Gloria Willis
Manager - All Saints Op Shop

THANK YOU

The committee and volunteers of the Swansea Online Access Centre (SOAC) wish to thank Bev & Lance for their most generous donation. It is much appreciated and will be used for the benefit of our hard working volunteers.

Rob Gaspari (secretary SOAC)

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Pair of woman's prescription glasses + case
Found in main street of Swansea 4th March
Phone Robert 0458 310 875 anytime

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AUSTRALIAN GOV. FUNDING TO MAKE PRIORITY PROJECTS IN GLAMORGAN-SPRING BAY A REALITY

The Morrison Coalition Government is investing over \$800,000 in priority projects in the Glamorgan-Spring Bay municipality under the third phase of the Australian Government's \$2.5 billion Local Roads and Community Infrastructure (LRCI) program.

Liberal Senator for Tasmania, Claire Chandler said the funding reflects the council's top priorities and will ensure the needs of local communities are met. "The Morrison Government's investment is designed to support local jobs and businesses, providing an economic boost for these communities," Senator Chandler said.

"These projects will deliver lasting upgrades to important public amenities which will benefit both local residents and visitors for years to come.

"I look forward to seeing these projects get underway to support the communities across Glamorgan-Spring Bay."

Australian Government funding for projects to be delivered by Glamorgan-Spring Bay Council include:

- \$160,174 for the rehabilitation of Nugent Road at Buckland
- \$106,000 for the rehabilitation of Alma Road at Orford
- \$35,000 for the rehabilitation of Charles Street at Orford
- \$31,000 to relocate a school crossing at Triabunna
- \$75,000 to renovate the public toilets in Swansea
- \$15,000 to install a shelter at the Triabunna marina
- \$180,000 to replace the Coles Bay Community Hall annexe that houses a medical consult room and community library
- \$35,000 to install two cricket

practice nets at the Swansea recreation ground

\$65,000 to renovate public toilets at Spring Beach

\$100,000 to build a new toilet block at the Saltworks boat ramp

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development Barnaby Joyce said \$1 billion in funding is flowing under the third phase of the LRCI program to local councils across Australia to improve their local road networks and deliver priority community infrastructure projects.

"This builds on the \$1.5 billion already approved to deliver more than 6,100 projects nationwide under the first two phases of the program," the Deputy Prime Minister said.

Assistant Minister for Local Government Kevin Hogan said the program forms part of the Liberal and Nationals unwavering commitment to back local councils and their communities through COVID-19 and secure a stronger future out the other side of the pandemic.

"We want to deliver the best outcomes for locals under this program, which is why we have listened and acted on council feedback, providing a longer delivery window for local governments to pursue larger, more complex projects that may be a higher priority and have a bigger impact on the community," Assistant Minister Hogan said.

For more information on the \$2.5 billion LRCI program, including the allocations for the \$1 billion third phase, visit <https://investment.infrastructure.gov.au/local-roads-and-community-infrastructure/>

The Hon Barnaby Joyce MP

Deputy Prime Minister
Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development

The Hon Kevin Hogan MP

Assistant Minister to the Deputy Prime Minister

Assistant Minister for Local Government
Federal Member for Page

Senator Claire Chandler

Liberal Senator for Tasmania

Media release

GARAGE SALE

SAT 12TH MARCH
9am—3pm

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SWANSEA COMMUNITY & RE-USE SHOPPE

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- Fill a bag with clothing for \$5.00 — we have bags for you to fill
- Handbag & Shoe Sale — \$2.00 a pair of shoes or a handbag
- We have men's, women's & children's clothing

We also have a Facebook page—it is **Swansea Community Re-Use Shoppe**. Here you will find photos of pre-loved large furniture items for sale which we are then able to either pick up from you, if you are donating, or deliver to you within the Swansea area. We can collect but please note we are unable to take mattresses or bed ensembles.

Visit us at 4 Arnol Street, Swansea or phone Tracey on 0407 639 022

We are a not-for-profit organisation and focussed on keeping as much as possible from going to the tip face.

We are always looking for volunteers to work in the Shoppe. Please contact Tracy Kean on 0407 639 022 for information.


All funds received go towards the Swansea Community & Men's Shed and the Community Hub and stay within the Glamorgan Spring Bay Council area.

The Re-Use Shoppe will be closed on Sunday 20th March for stocktake and spring clean.

Jen Butler MP
 Your Local Member for Lyons
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Prime Mover is an exercise and educational based therapy program developed by the RFDS Tasmania's Primary Health Care team, designed for people living in remote and rural areas of Tasmania with stable heart and lung conditions.

Who is Prime Mover for?

Prime Mover is for people who have had chest pain, heart attack, stents, heart surgery or other heart conditions.

The Prime Mover Program also supports people with long term lung conditions such as COPD (Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease) and asthma.

CONTACTS

GEORGE TOWN
Physical Health Worker
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

All financial members are invited to attend the Annual General Meeting of the Swansea RSL Sub-Branch Inc on Sunday 3 April 2022 at the Swansea RSL, 2 Noyes St, Swansea, commencing at 2.00pm

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- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Committee position - Service
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- Committee position - Social

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Any enquiries to the Secretary, Swansea RSL Sub-Branch at secretary@swansearsl.com.au or phone (03) 6257 8188.

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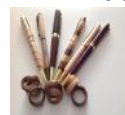
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MORE SUPPORT NEEDED FOR DISASTER MITIGATION

The Australian Local Government Association (ALGA) has called for more disaster mitigation and climate change funding to help increase Australia's future resilience to fires and floods.

ALGA President Linda Scott said local government is seeking a targeted \$200 million per year disaster mitigation fund, as well as \$200 million over four years for a Local Government Climate Response Partnership Fund.

"In 2014, the Productivity Commission recommended increased investment in disaster mitigation, but currently less than 5 percent of disaster funding in Australia goes towards mitigation and community resilience measures," Cr Scott said.

"We appreciate the support that has quickly been provided by states and the Commonwealth to households and communities impacted by these devastating floods in Queensland and NSW." "However, we need greater investment in disaster mitigation and climate change adaption to reduce the severity and impact of future natural disasters."

"The current legislation allows for \$200 million per year to be spent from the Federal Government's \$4.8 billion Emergency Management Fund."

"However, since 2019 the Government has only committed \$150 million in total from this fund."

"This month's Federal Budget is an opportunity for the Commonwealth to provide additional assistance that will help protect our communities from increasing disaster events."

"Investing in mitigation makes economic sense, and significantly reduces the costs governments incur during recovery.

"Cr Scott said ALGA is also advocating for a Local Government Climate Response Partnership Fund of \$200 million over four years to help councils address the impacts of climate change in their communities.

"Across our nation, we are seeing floods and fires that are more severe, and more destructive."

"Providing our councils with funding to address the impacts of climate change in our communities will help us increase our resilience to future natural disasters," Cr Scott said.

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THE PUZZLE PAGE

THIS WEEK'S CROSSWORD

No 09.2022 By Rob Gaspari



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THIS WEEKS SUDOKU

CLUES

ACROSS

- 1. Fire remains (3)
- 4. Invested (7)
- 10. Honey insect (3)
- 11. Nickel (2)
- 12. Walk thru water (4)
- 13. Of this planet (9)
- 15. Hot tub (3)
- 16. Serviettes (7)
- 18. More shabby (7)
- 20. Poem (3)
- 23. Atop (2)
- 24. Young boy (3)
- 25. Deluding (9)
- 26. Observe (3)
- 27. Shouting (7)

DOWN

- 1. Wrongly assists (5)
- 2. Small ocean (3)
- 3. Herb collectively (7)
- 4. Embellishing (9)
- 5. Nothing (3)
- 6. Possess (3)
- 7. Movement of a tail (3)
- 8. Editor (2)
- 9. To distribute playing cards (5)
- 14. Divulging (9)
- 17. Worship (7)
- 18. Grumpy (5)
- 19. Female deer (3)
- 21. Person from Denmark (4)
- 22. Move slowly closer (5)
- 25. Unit of loudness (3)

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WHAT'S SO FUNNY?



A worldwide survey was conducted by the UN. The only question asked was: "Would you please give your honest opinion about solutions to the food shortage in the rest of the world?" The survey was a huge failure. In Africa they didn't know what "food" meant. In Eastern Europe they didn't know what "honest" meant. In Western Europe they didn't know what "shortage" meant. In China they didn't know what "opinion" meant. In the Middle East they didn't know what "solution" meant. In South America they didn't know what "please" meant. And in the USA they didn't know what "the rest of the world" meant.

So two Irishmen are traveling to Australia. Before they leave home, one of their dads gives them both a bit of advice: "You watch them Aussie cab drivers. They'll rob you blind. Don't you go paying them what they ask. You haggle." At the Sydney airport, the Irishmen catch a cab to their hotel. When they reach their destination, the cabbie says, "That'll be twenty dollars, lads." "Oh no you don't! My dad warned me about you. You'll only be getting fifteen dollars from me," says one of the men. "And you'll only be getting fifteen from me too," adds the other.

ALL ANSWERS ON PAGE 7

SPORT & WEATHER



Swansea Golf Club

Results 5th March 2022

Today's Stroke event was Monthly Medal Playoff

Winner of Monthly Medallists Mitchell Baxter 61 Nett

Monthly Medal Winner: Ian Wallace 60 Nett

Runner-up on c/b Jack Hardcastle

Nearest the Pin 4th and 13th Ricky Wright

8th and 17th Keith Breheny

Super Pin 7th and 16th Corry Van Den Broek

Eagle 2nd - Mitchell Baxter

Wednesday 2nd March 2022

Lady's Mid-week Stableford

9-Holers Winner Judith Cleaver 12 pts on a c/b, Di Garcia

Runner up Lyn Lyne 37 Pts, Jo Whelan 35 Pts

18-Holers on c/b Sally Siepen

Nearest the Pin 8th Lyn Lyne, 7th Judith Cleaver

Birdies Sally Siepen

Gobblers Sally Siepen and Lyn Lyne x 2

Chicken Run (Scores Only)

Wednesday 2nd March

Ian Wallace 30, Steve Kenny 31,

Gavin Todd - 12

Putts

Friday 4th March

Paul Morris 29, Stewart Moore 29,

Stewart Moore - 12

Putts

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