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# GREAT OYSTER BAY Community News

Tuesday 05<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Issue 13.2022



## NOT SWANNING ABOUT: LOCAL KNOWLEDGE KEY TO RESTORING INTERNATIONALLY SIGNIFICANT TASMANIAN WETLANDS

Over 8000 resident black swans know just how important Moulting Lagoon and the Apsley Marshes are to birds and other wildlife. NRM South are working with local farmers, vineyards and conservation land managers such as the Tasmanian Land Conservancy, to restore and care for these internationally significant wetlands on Tasmania's east coast. NRM South, the natural resource management organisation for southern Tasmania, has also partnered with environmental organisation Nature Glenelg Trust (NGT) and local land managers to assess how modified drainage on properties adjacent to the wetlands has impacted important wetland vegetation, and to put actions in place to restore these sites. As part of this Australian Government

funded project, local knowledge, historical data and modern technology have been woven together to create a picture of how the ecology and water flows at the wetlands have changed over the last two centuries. Armed with this information, NGT have been able to develop a plan for restoring the natural flows on two adjacent properties, which in turn will help to restore the health of these wetlands and give them the best chance of adapting to an anticipated future rise in sea levels. Laurel McGinnity, Senior Project Officer for NRM South, has been working closely with NGT and local land managers to coordinate the restoration works. 'Our primary aim is to 'knit' the system back together', explained Laurel. 'Once natural flows are restored, we'll see the landscape gradually returning to a more natural state, and the physical impacts of old structures like drains and levee banks will lessen.' Restoration work will bring immediate benefits to five hectares of saltmarsh and open up broader opportunities for saltmarsh regeneration. It will also permanently remove ongoing eco-hydrological impacts to 80 hectares of saline grassland and saltmarsh. These restoration works are currently underway. Local knowledge has been critical to building a complete understanding of the

drainage history of the wetlands and NRM South and their project partners would like to thank the landholders, University of Tasmania staff and the wider community who have all contributed their knowledge to the project. This project is supported by NRM South through funding from the Australian Government's National Landcare Program and runs until June 2023.



## THE DOLPHIN SANDS RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION (DSRA)

would like to thank Brian Mitchell MP for his support in facilitating our successful application for a Commonwealth Government Volunteer Grant. We used this grant to run a nationally accredited chainsaw safety course for interested members. DSRA is a member of Landcare and holds regular working bees requiring the use of chainsaws to achieve one of our key aims—removing weed species and reducing fuel to improve bushfire safety. Having certified chainsaw operators means that these members will be covered by our insurance when participating in working bees. Thanks to all involved.

*Robyn Moore*

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The GOBCNews team

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Enquiries:

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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](mailto:dsra.7190@gmail.com)Website: [dsra.org.au](http://dsra.org.au)

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**SWANSEA MEN'S PROBUS CLUB**

meeting start 10am every 2nd Tuesday

of the month at Swansea Golf Club

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Contact **0402 043 621** for details**CRANBROOK CRAFT GROUP**

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Contact **Edith 0409 216 793****SWANSEA EXERCISE GROUP**

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See programme

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*Everyone needs someone to talk to***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

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## CLUBS & GROUPS

### GKR KARATE

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For further details contact  
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Enquires contact Steve, Linda  
0458 959 820

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Thur	07 Apr	A Simson
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Mon	11 Apr	T Gray
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#### FOR ALL AGES

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Friday 15th April  
10am Swansea  
3pm Triabunna  
Saturday 16th April  
4pm Bicheno  
Sunday 17th April  
7am Triabunna  
10am Swansea



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

Everyone is invited to attend.

**Ester Sunday Service will be held at St. Andrews Uniting Church April 17th at 10am. Led by Rev. Dennis Cousens.**

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**Steven Kenny 0438 060 047**



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### THE VILLAGE

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*Dearne Smith (Secretary)*

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Authorised by Brian Mitchell MP (ALP, Tasmania)  
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITORIAL TEAM

### YOUR COUNCIL RATES

Our Petitions to the State Government, regarding the actions of Glamorgan Spring Bay Council and last year's undemocratic implementation of a new method of calculating municipal rates, have finally been answered. I thank the Hon. Michael Ferguson for his response to those Petitions.

My summary of the response received: The Minister acknowledged our concerns but the matter was deemed "operational" and thus an issue between the ratepayers and the Council. Local Government is deemed "a separate sphere of Government" and one where State Government is reluctant to be involved let alone overturn a decision (the rates) made by a group of democratically elected Councillors, even if their deliberations were based on information proven to be false. In the words of the Minister "I am not satisfied that this operational matter justifies the establishment of a Board of Inquiry under the ACT 1993".

Council has been instructed to report to the Director of Local Government, on a six monthly basis, outlining their strategic, asset and financial plans including how these plans are informing current Council decisions. The reports are to also include advice on strategies and actions being taken to promote community confidence in Council, including consultation.

Given what has occurred it is clear that we, as ratepayers, can no longer sit back and place our trust in the elected Councillors to make important decisions on our behalf. The role of an elected Councillor is to con-

sult with the ratepayers and bring the community concerns and ideas to the Council for consideration. We do not elect Councillors to "rule" over us but to "represent" us and to present our views to Council in order to steer current and future paths for Council.

The role of our Mayor is critical given he/she is tasked with gathering community input, via the elected councillors, and instructing the General Manager in the desired outcomes. It is the General Managers role to enable those desired outcomes and to structure our business and finances accordingly. The General Manager is an employee of the Council and is not empowered to direct Council on policy issues or directional issues. He can advise on those issues, if requested by the Councillors, but is not the policy maker in the Glamorgan Spring Bay municipality.

The key failure has been "community consultation" or rather the lack of that said consultation. As ratepayers we deserve to have input into decisions that affect us and that input must be considered openly and fairly. Consultation is not a one way communication where the General Manager tells the ratepayers what is going to occur - like it or not ....

I recently met with the Council management team and was informed that Council was carrying out rates modelling for the new financial year and that three proposals for the new rates would be presented to the ratepayers before the Councillors voted upon them. Just a few weeks later and once again the goal posts shifted and the above will not occur according to the General Manager.

Given it appears very easy for the Council to run riot over individual ratepayers, now would seem an appropriate time to form a **municipal wide "ratepayers and residents" representative association** to form (as many other LGA residents have

done previously). Please keep an eye out for further information as this association begins and I invite all to consider joining so that the future directions of our council can be set by true, representative information and guidance.

We see the ratepayers and residents association as a vehicle to aid the elected councillors in assessing the true community support/or otherwise for issues raised by Council and a method for the community to inform the Council of ratepayers wishes given it is our municipality and our money they are spending.

Are you prepared to accept further rates rises? Talk to your elected Councillor now, email the General Manager and put forward your position now, don't wait until it is too late.

Let us all join and "inform" council that we will not accept further rises without proper community consultation and input. **WE ARE ALL ONE MUNICIPALITY SO LET US UNITE AND TAKE BACK CONTROL OF OUR FUTURE.**

The Ministers full response is available on the Tasmanian House of Assembly website. E-Petitions <https://haepetitions.parliament.tas.gov.au/haepet/Home/ClosedPetitions>

Regards Greg Luck, Swansea

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Email:  
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"This is such a timely and terrific competition, and I am delighted to be on the judging panel. The very short form is a beautiful challenge - it's about taking risks, being bold, keeping it simple - and I can't wait to see the brilliant stories and talent that emerge," said 2022 judge Nell Greenwood, CEO of Australian Film, Television and Radio School.

With categories for junior filmmakers (under 21) and Open (ages 22 and over), the Very Short Film Festival is a great free opportunity to practice filmmaking, with renowned judges on board to mentor successful applicants.

This year's judges include the director of the award-winning Tasmanian film *Nitram*, Justin Kurzel, proud *Goa-Gungari-Wakka Wakka Muri* woman and author, actress and playwright Leah Purcell, among many others.

The festival culminates with a premiere screening of winning films at Spring Bay Mill, Triabunna on the 20th May. The evening is presented by esteemed host and award-winning writer and musician Casey

Bennetto. Plus dinner, drinks and live music to celebrate the abundance of imaginative minds around us.

"It was such a transformative moment for our filmmakers last year that I can't wait to see what is created around the country this time," said Anna Cerneaz, Festival director.

"Creating meaningful films in such a condensed way is something people are doing all over the world - but to do it with depth, integrity and purpose can be hard. This is not a festival for the established filmmaker, but for those that have a story to tell." Submissions close midnight, 25th April. For locals needing camera equipment, Wide Angle Tasmania are sponsoring gear hire valued at \$500. To learn more, visit [www.veryshortfilmfestival.com.au](http://www.veryshortfilmfestival.com.au).

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No 13.2022 By Rob Gaspari



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## CLUES

### ACROSS

- 1. Retaliated (7)
- 5. Bend (3)
- 7. The same (7)
- 8. Transgress (3)
- 9. French water (3)
- 10. Shortness (7)
- 11. Restaurant employees (7)
- 12. Rummy game (3)
- 14. — and Tang (3)
- 15. Nooses (7)
- 17. Yourself (3)
- 18. Hit hard (7)

### DOWN

- 1. Live (5)
- 2. The act of carrying out a death sentence (9)
- 3. Gun [slang] (3)
- 4. Edicts (7)
- 6. Blustery (5)
- 8. Most miserly (9)
- 10. Types of trees (7)
- 11. Crookedly (5)
- 13. Nuzzled (5)
- 16. Meadow (3)

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**ALL ANSWERS ON PAGE 7**

# SPORT & WEATHER



## Swansea Golf Club

### Results - 2nd April 2022

Today was a Stroke Event – Monthly Medal

**Winner:** Jack Hardcastle - 62 Nett  
**Runner-up:** Max Hall - 67 Nett  
**Third:** Steve Dart- 68 Nett on Countback  
**Nearest the Pin:** 8th/17th - Rick Dance  
**Super Pins:** 4th /13th - Alison Smith  
 7th/16th - Rod Smith

Next week's competition is Stableford event - 4BBB

### Wednesday 30th March 2022

Lady's Mid-week - Monthly Medal - Stroke

**9-Holers:** Pat Hardcastle - 35 Nett  
**Runner-Up:** Helen Hall - 39 on C/b Dot Morey  
**Gobblers:** Jane Cotton x 3  
 Dot Morey, Helen Hall, Di Garcia  
**18-Holers:** Sally Siepen - 67 Nett  
**Runner-Up:** Joanna Whelan - 71 Nett  
**Nearest the Pins:** 5th - Joanna Whelan, 8th - Alison Smith

### Chicken Run

**Wednesday**  
**30th March**  
**Putts -**  
**Friday**  
**1st April**  
**Putts -**

Corry Van Den Broek - 31.5  
 Derek Ring - 32.5 Rod Smith - 32.5  
 Rick Dance - 12  
 Steve Dart - 28.5 Dave Ralston - 31  
 Pip Cardno - 31  
 Tim Bond - 12

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## Bicheno

Tue. 5 Apr	Wed. 6 Apr	Thu. 7 Apr	Fri. 8 Apr	Sat. 9 Apr
Possible shower.	Possible shower.	Mostly sunny.	Mostly sunny.	Partly cloudy.
17 °C	17 °C	18 °C	20 °C	21 °C
12 °C	12 °C	11 °C	11 °C	12 °C

## Orford/Triabunna

Tue. 5 Apr	Wed. 6 Apr	Thu. 7 Apr	Fri. 8 Apr	Sat. 9 Apr
Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Mostly sunny.	Mostly sunny.	Mostly sunny.
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