

2023 GREAT OYSTER BAY Community News

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Nigel Clark

MORE ENERGY SUPPORT AVAILABLE THAN EVER FOR TASMANIANS

I'm not going to sugar-coat it. The independent Tasmanian Economic Regulator's recent announcement that prices will increase by an average of 9.51 per cent from 1 July 2023 will put further strain on Tasmanians facing cost-of-living pressures.

The increase is primarily driven by high wholesale energy costs (generation), which account for two fifths of your bill, with a range of recent national and global events placing significant upwards pressure on the wholesale energy market.

These increases will not be unique to Tasmania, and energy customers around the country are facing much higher price hikes, many in the vicinity of 20-29 per cent, with some major providers' prices increasing even more.

As Tasmanians ourselves we understand the difficulty being felt by Tassie homes and businesses and that's why we want to reassure customers we're here to help.

We have more support than ever to help you lower your energy costs and get on top of your bills.

This includes payment extensions, payment plans, direct financial assistance through our Customer Support Fund and our nationally-recognised Your Energy Support (YES) program, which provides

tailored support for customers in hardship.

Working closely with The Salvation Army, we also recently provided \$200,000 to top up the State Government's energy hardship fund to directly support customers experiencing financial vulnerability.

In addition, the State Government has partnered with the Commonwealth Government to provide \$90M in bill relief to eligible households and small businesses, with households to receive \$250 annually over two years and small businesses \$650 in 2023-24.

Up to 140,000 residential customers and 35,000 small businesses will benefit from the energy rebates.

It's also important to note the annual electricity concession will increase by \$55 to a total of \$629 per year. This results in a total relief package of \$879 for those eligible residential customers in 2023-24 or an extra \$305 in help, mitigating the 9.51 per cent jump based on average price increases.

Although Tasmanians have had some of the lowest regulated power costs in Australia for the last seven years, we know inefficient energy use is a key driver of high power bills, which is why Aurora Energy focusses on helping customers become more energy efficient too.

aurora+ is an amazing tool that enables customers to better understand and control their energy costs and reinforces the necessary changes inside the home needed to bring down your energy usage – that's why we would like as many Tasmanians to benefit from it as possible.

It lets you track your usage in dollars and kilowatt hours and conveniently manage it all from a smartphone, tablet or desktop computer. The cheapest kilowatt of energy is the one you don't use.

Aurora Energy also has a range of free online tools and tips on its website to enable customers to stay in control of their energy costs.

It's the simple changes that can make a really big difference. Things like only heating the space you're actually using can make a huge difference to the amount of energy you use. You wouldn't leave your car idling in the driveway and the same goes for heating, use it when you need it.

That means for people that use a heat

pump to warm their homes, leaving it on 24/7 for maximum efficiency is a myth — a heat pump that is switched on will always use more power than one that is switched off.

Once you've used the energy to heat your home, it's important to keep that heat from escaping. Well-fitted curtains and blinds and door snakes help prevent heat loss. Turning down your heating by just 1 degree can help too. It can reduce your energy use by up to 10%. We recommend setting your thermostat between 18°C and 20°C.

For more substantial upgrades to your home, Aurora Energy has joined forces with Bank of Us to offer Tasmanians low-rate personal loans for a range of energy efficient products for amounts up to \$80K. Eligible purchases for a Green Loan include solar panels, solar batteries, double glazing for windows, energy-efficient appliances, rainwater tanks, home insulation as well as electric vehicles.

On top of this, the State Government's Energy Saver Loan scheme which provides interest-free loans of between \$500 and \$10,000 over three years to private residential customers, small business customers and landlords of residential rental properties to invest in energy efficient products is also available.

I know as Tasmania's 100 per cent owned and operated energy retailer, Aurora Energy is committed to remaining true to who we are at our core – Tasmanians supporting Tasmanians.

We encourage any customer who may be struggling to keep on top of their energy bill and are in need of support to get in contact. The sooner you get in touch, the sooner we can help.

If you're in need of support, call Aurora Energy on 1300 13 2003 weekdays or go to auroraenergy.com.au



Nigel Clark, CEO, Aurora Energy

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A Quinn.

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Mail: PO Box 133, Swansea, 7190

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(re Exercise Group)

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KATH

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The class starts at 12 noon.

For further details contact
Nathan Jacobs 0482 471 443

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David on 0407518171

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All enquiries phone
Janelle 0437 264 332



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SWANSEA BOWLS CLUB

WINTER INDOOR BOWLS

Friday, 1.30pm roll up for 2.00 pm start
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Contact:

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SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

SATURDAY 15TH JULY 2023 –
10.00 AM

A Special General Meeting is to be held at the Swansea Golf Club. This meeting will discuss the following:

- Development of the New 6th Green and Bunker

All members very welcome and encouraged to attend.

Kathy Dance
Secretary

SERVICES CLOSING

Please note I am no longer working as an advocate for Military Compensation & Rehabilitation at the Swansea RSL. Anyone needing these services you contact the Launceston RSL.

Also I would like to thank the Swansea RSL for their assistance whilst I have been an advocate.

Steve Kenny

On behalf of the Veteran's community,
thank you for your service over the years.

Rob Gaspari

SWANSEA FOOTBALL CLUB AGM

Swansea football club will be holding an Annual General Meeting at 11AM Sunday the 23rd July at the club rooms.

After a very positive response, we invite all interested to please reach out or attend to help bring the club back for the community.

Damian Graham

MEALS ON WHEELS SWANSEA ROSTER

Date	2023	Name
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Thu	13 Jul	N & P Green
Fri	14 Jul	D & C Busuttill
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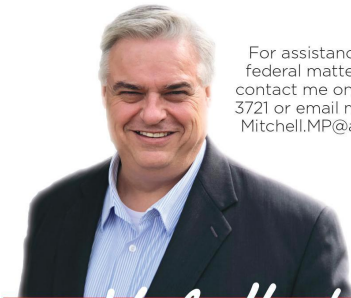
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LETTER FROM THE EDITORIAL TEAM

Two and a half years ago, Swansea Online Access Centre (incorporating the Great Oyster Bay Community Newsletter) was approached by the then Department of Education, to consider a move from our current location, as the Swansea Primary School, required the space for the use by Special Needs Students.

A space was suggested by the DoE, which ultimately became unsuitable for our use as both an online access centre and the production & printing of the newsletter. For the last 2 years negotiations have been ongoing for SOAC to share space in the Swansea Library. Negotiations have been completed and an Expression of Interest tender was advertised in May of this year. The successful tender was signed off on Saturday 1st July.

The renovations are scheduled to begin in the middle of July 2023. This will mean major disruptions to our operations in the second half of 2023. Whilst we aim to remain operating, we shall need to work in with the builders, so that the work can be

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completed in an efficient & timely manner.

At this stage we intend to continue to produce the newsletter on a weekly basis, however it may not be available in printed form on the usual days. We shall keep you informed of the method for placing casual & personal ads in the newsletter.

If you wish to visit us during this time, please ring us before hand on 0424 425 908, prior to attending to ascertain whether we are open. Also we shall have updates on progress and availability on our Facebook page and website www.gobcnews.weebly.com

We apologise for the inconvenience.

Bill Fry
Coordinator

On behalf of the Committee of Management Swansea Online Access Centre Inc.



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NOTICE

We have been getting a few patrons coming in with problems on charging their devices lately.

For you who are having problems charging your phones, tablets, etc. you may try warming up your device beforehand as the cold weather is reducing the effectiveness of both the charger and battery.

Setting it in a sunny/warm spot somewhere for some minutes should resolve the problem.

SOAC

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NORTHERN MIDLANDS SAYS NO TO FORCED MERGERS

It is not a surprise that another Tasmanian council has rejected Jeremy Rockliff's forced Council mergers.

Northern Midlands Council on behalf of its residents says it will fight Rockliff's mergers because of a loss of local voice, loss of local identity and increased rates for locals and farmers.

The Rockliff-Ferguson Government is spending more than \$3 million trying to come up with a plan for forced mergers but the process is in chaos.

Rockliff's review was supposed to define the role of local government but has ended up as a scramble over lines on a map.

Liberal MLC Jane Howlett says she will cross the floor to vote against amalgamations. She is obviously getting the same feedback as Labor from local communities that are worried about losing their local voice, local jobs and local services and paying more in rates*.

It is clear that Mr Rockliff has the wrong priorities for our state and has stopped listening to Tasmanians.

No wonder his MPs are quitting or talking about voting against their own party. No wonder his office has seen a mass departure of staff.

Labor is listening to local government about the substantive issues it faces and does not think that redrawing maps and hiking up rates will solve those challenges.

Labor agrees with comments made in 2019 by former Premier Peter Gutwein who said: *"We believe amalgamations stand the best chance of success when processes are voluntary and have support of their communities."*

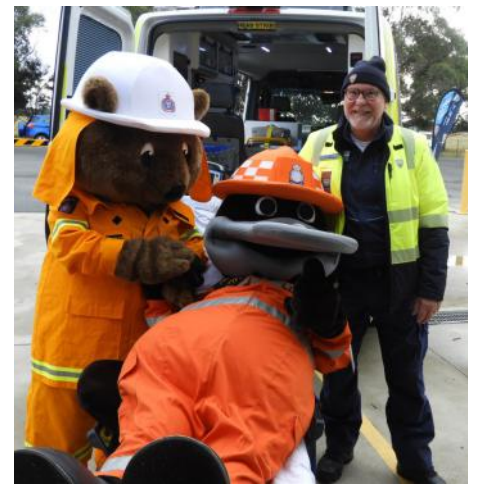
*Local Government Minister Nic Street on Leon Compton on ABC radio on April 20: *"The one thing you will not hear me promise, Leon, is that amalgamations will reduce rates for ratepayers because that simply is not the case. And it's not been the experience anywhere. We're not talking about reducing rates ... for me this has never been about cost cutting for ratepayers."*

Media release

EMERGENCY SERVICES SHINE ON OPEN DAY

Saturday saw the emergency services open day held at emergency central in Maria Street, Swansea.

The day was a little overcast, but the event was well represented by volunteers, who answered questions from visitors. The children particularly had fun on the various pieces of equipment on show. The fire trucks with their sirens & flashing lights were the big hits of the day.



*Hard working emergency service volunteers on Saturday's open day, assisted by Willy Wombat & Paddy Platypus.
Pics by Rob Gaspari*

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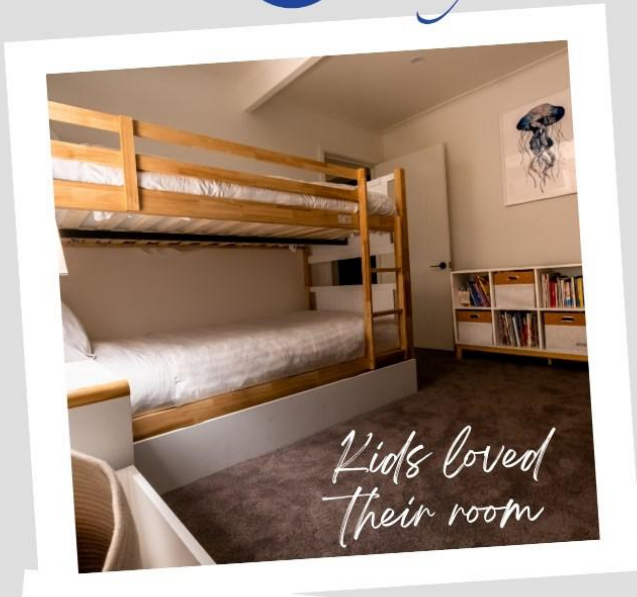
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We will be installing a sign at George River Bridge, St Helens, on Thursday, 13 July 2023 and Friday, 14 July 2023.

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LAKE LEAKE ROAD CAMPBELL TOWN UPDATED

We will be cleaning and clearing drains next to Lake Leake Road between the Midland Highway and Hortons Creek until Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 5:30 pm.

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We will be doing repairs to Esk Main Road between Fingal and St Marys until Friday, 21 July 2023.

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TASMAN HWY SWANSEA

Taswater is installing water pipes along Tasman Hwy between Cathcart and Francis streets, Swansea.

There will be a reduced speed limit

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THE PUZZLE PAGE

THIS WEEK'S CROSSWORD© No 27.23 By Rob Gaspari

ALL ANSWERS ON PAGE 7



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CLUES

ACROSS

1. A weeding machine (11)
11. Short for camouflage (4)
12. A worker ant (6)
13. Risotto rice (7)
15. Very appealing or good (3)
16. Confined to and understandable by only an enlightened inner circle (8)
17. A northern sea duck (5)
19. A state or cause of perplexity or confusion (3)
21. Manganese element (2)
22. The nineteenth letter of the Greek alphabet (3)
24. A coating formed by hard water on the inside surface of a pipe, kettle, or other container (3)
25. To smooth (clothes or fabric) by removing (creases or wrinkles) using a heated press (4)
28. The action of using something or the state of being used for a purpose (3)
30. Selenium element (2)
31. Make reference to (6)
33. An area of ground on which a town, building, or monument is constructed (4)
34. Begone; depart (6)
35. Present at one's home or office (2)
36. Roughly force (something) into place (3)
37. A swamp grass which is widely cultivated as a source of food, especially in Asia (4)
38. A slender surgical probe (6)

DOWN

1. The articles of dress prescribed and worn at some colleges and universities (11)
2. A long rigid piece of wood, metal, or similar material (3)
3. Fix or set securely or deeply (5)
4. Praise (Scottish) (5)
5. In Irish mythology god of war (4)

6. A very wealthy man (7)
7. Silver (2)
8. A government tax on imports or exports (6)
9. Assisting the sense of hearing (10)
10. A primary colour (3)
14. A dishonest scheme (4)
18. Crucifix inscription (4)
20. Turn or become green (7)
23. Profoundly honoured (6)

26. A seal with ears (5)
27. Relating to or characteristic of a region of perpetual snow (5)
29. The indoor layout or plan of a castle (5)
32. A word or set of words by which a person or thing is known, addressed, or referred to (4)

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- COCKTAIL

Play this puzzle online at : <https://thewordsearch.com/puzzle/1218/>

LOCAL SPORTS



SWANSEA GOLF CLUB RESULTS

SATURDAY - 8TH JULY 2023

FOURSOMES EVENT

Winners: Trent Gray & Christine Ring - 57
Runners-up: Jim Morris & Tim Bond - 61
Third: Wayne Menzies & Val Kemp - 63 C/b
Nearest the Pins: 8th /17th - Rick Dance
Super Pins: 4th/13th - Fran Dowling
 7th/16th - Richard Ward

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WOMEN'S MID-WEEK - WEDNESDAY 5TH JULY 2023

MONTHLY MEDAL - STROKE

9 Hole Winner: Deb West
Runner-up: Dot Morey
Nearest the Pins: 4th - Dot Morey 7th - Deb West
18 Hole Winner: Jan Darke - 66
Runner-up: Jane Cotton - 68 C/b
Nearest the Pins: 3rd/12th - Jen Whittaker
 8th/17th - Jan Darke
Gobblers: Lyn Lyne, Di Sinclair

**NEXT WEEK'S EVENT IS PINEHURST - DRAW FOR PARTNERS
 9.30AM FOR 10.00AM BOTH 9 & 18 HOLERS**

CHICKEN RUNS

WEDNESDAY - 5TH JULY 2023

Winners: Gavin Todd - 30.5 John Barker - 30.5

Putts: Russell Dodge - 31.5 C/b
 Alvin Douglas - 12

FRIDAY - 7TH JULY 2023

Winners: Greg West - 30 Colin Walters - 30
 Adam Wilson - 30.5 Christine Ring - 32
Putts: Adam Wilson - 11



All results & pictures supplied by Kathy Dance

The 6-Day Glamorgan-Spring Bay Weather Forecast

from Bureau of Meteorology

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Tue. 11 Jul	Wed. 12 Jul	Thu. 13 Jul	Fri. 14 Jul	Sat. 15 Jul	Sun. 16 Jul
Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Possible shower.	Possible shower.	Possible shower.
16 °C	17 °C	17 °C	17 °C	15 °C	15 °C
9 °C	8 °C	10 °C	11 °C	9 °C	5 °C

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9 °C	9 °C	11 °C	11 °C	7 °C	6 °C

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Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Possible shower.	Shower or two.	Possible shower.
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8 °C	7 °C	10 °C	9 °C	7 °C	5 °C