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Brian Mitchell MP speaks at the 24th International Seaweed Symposium in Hobart.

GLOBAL SEAWEED SYMPOSIUM IN HOBART BRINGS TRIABUNNA TO THE WORLD STAGE

On Tuesday 21 February Brian Mitchell MP, Federal Member for Lyons, represented the Minister for Agriculture, Senator Murray Watt, at the International Seaweed Symposium held in Hobart.

Mr Mitchell told the audience, a mix of scientists, researchers and industry figures from around the world, that Tasmania is host to various seaweed species, including giant kelp and asparagopsis, which is being grown at Triabunna as a livestock food additive to combat methane emissions, which are a significant contributor to climate change.

“The Australian Government recognises the economic and environmental potential of developing the Australian seaweed industry,” Mr Mitchell said.

“The Government wants to scale-up the production of emissions-reducing seaweeds, with a key focus on asparagopsis, which is native to Australia.”

Mr Mitchell, a self-declared seaweed enthusiast, secured an \$8.1 million commitment at last

May’s federal election for developing seaweed industry potential. That commitment was funded in the October Budget.

“We want to give the seaweed industry a boost, establishing a National Hatchery Network, building seaweed research expertise and capability and breeding techniques, and supporting the industry,” Mr Mitchell said.

“I’ve seen first-hand the potential of seaweed with a number of visits to the Sea Forest facility at Triabunna over the years, and I was delighted to accompany Minister Watt there last October so he could see for himself the amazing work being done.

“It’s still early days yet, but who knows – we could see a Tasmanian industry deliver a methane-reducing product to the rest of the world.”

Media release

The wheelchairs are designed and built to easily access the water via a beach access ramp which was constructed by GSB Council.



Memorial plaque to honour Pip Briggs



BEACH WHEELCHAIR PROJECT OPEN

May Shaw Health Centre held the official opening of the beach wheelchair project on Friday 24th February at Swansea’s Duck Park, over 100 community members in attendance.

The event was partly to thank the organisations who had donated to the project and honour the projects instigator, Pip Briggs who sadly passed away before she could see all her hard work come to fruition.



Photos top & bottom from May Shaw site see Facebook link for more photos & info www.facebook.com/MayShawAgedCare/

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Website: dscommunity.org.au
Mail: PO Box 133, Swansea, 7190

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Inquiries to Cheryl
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David on 0407518171

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The Spring Bay Potters Group situated in specifically built facilities at The Village in Triabunna, the Group regularly meet for classes and potting on;
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Peter Hüttemeier

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<https://glamorganhistory.org.au/>
Phone: **03 6256 5077**

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Contact **Lyn Lyne 0438 578 208**

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2nd & 4th Monday of each month from 2pm onward
@ the Community Hub
4 Arnol St Swansea
Enquires contact Steve, Linda
0458 959 820
Look forward to seeing you there.

LONELINESS GROUP LET'S GET TOGETHER & TALK ABOUT IT.

Hi my name is Kath, and I am organising both a ladies group and also a gents group to talk about loneliness and isolation. If you are interested please text leaving your interest so I can organise a time & date within the next few weeks.

KATH

0468 998 546 (TEXT ONLY)

These groups is not a replacement for your mental health worker or your GP.



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The last weekend of every month between 10.00am & 3.00pm
57 Inkerman Street Triabunna
For info. Phone: **0427796096**
E-mail: sandmgramham@bigpond.com
Facebook— Orford and District Riding Club Inc.

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SPRING BAY WALKERS

Every Thursday morning,
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**For further details contact
Nathan Jacobs 0482 471 443**

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Meeting starts 10am,
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at Swansea Golf Club

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You just want a social,
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**Contact Alison
0438 951 281**



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ALISON QUINN

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6257 3321

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was relaxed to allow very small floral
tributes. However, during the past few
years some of the floral tributes have be-
come too large and much too tall.

To avoid having to revert to the "No
Flowers" rule we are asking family mem-
bers to adjust their contributions to small
posies please..

Your co-operation would be much appre-
ciated. This will be reviewed in 3 months
and then the Committee will remove any
flowers that haven't complied.

Memorial Garden Committee.

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NATIVE ANIMAL RESCUE

I am retiring from wildlife caring
Bayview bush babies.

I would like to thank eve-
ryone for all their help
over the years which has
been really appreciated.

Marcia Harvey-Bird



MEALS ON WHEELS SWANSEA ROSTER

Date	2023	Name
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Thu	02 Mar	A Simon
Fri	03 Mar	A & R Smith
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Tue	07 Mar	J Whittaker

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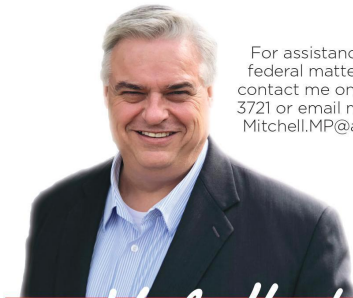
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SWANSEA GENERAL PRACTICE 2023 COVID BOOSTER VACCINATION

A COVID booster vaccination is recommended if you **HAVE NOT had COVID infection or a COVID vaccination in the past six months.** We will be holding COVID and Influenza vaccination clinics together in March or April depending on when the vaccines become available to us. If you wish to travel and would like a COVID vaccination prior to these clinics, they will be available at pharmacies in Hobart and Launceston. We will not be taking bookings; we will advise the community of the dates for "Walk-in" clinics via the local newsletter.

A 2023 COVID-19 booster dose is **recommended** for:

- all adults aged 65 years and over

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- adults aged 18 – 64 years who have medical conditions that increase their risk of severe COVID

A 2023 COVID-19 booster dose should also be **considered** (and will be available for) for:

- all Adults aged 18-64 years without risk factors for severe COVID-19
- children and adolescents aged 5-17
- years who have medical conditions or
- disabilities that increase their risk of severe COVID

COVID booster doses are **not recommended** at this time for children and adolescents aged under the age of 18 who do not have any risk factors for severe COVID-19.

Medical conditions that increase the risk of severe COVID include (but are not limited to):

- Patients with chronic disability
- Patients on immune suppression medications
- Patients receiving treatment for cancer
- Patients with leukaemia
- Patients with a cancer diagnosed in the last 5 years
- Chronic kidney, heart, lung or liver disease
- Patients with diabetes
- Patients with neurological disease such as stroke or MS
- Patients with severe mental illness
- Overweight patients with BMI greater than 40

Remember, 2023 COVID booster is recommended **ONLY** if you haven't had a booster or a COVID infection in the past six months. If it has been less than 6 months it is recommended you wait until the full 6 months have passed before having this booster. There is no reason, however, to delay having your influenza vaccination.

Swansea General Practice

BOOSTING SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN REGIONAL TASMANIA



Minister Guy Barnett with new unit owners Matthew and Kylie

The Rockliff Liberal Government is proud to partner with the community housing sector to deliver more social and affordable housing, especially in regional areas around the state.

Demand for stable and affordable housing is not confined to the major population centres which is why Homes Tasmania's Community Housing Growth Program is delivering new social housing in 24 local government areas.

Centacare Evolve Housing recently completed construction of six two-bedroom units in Swansea which were allocated to elderly applicants on the Housing Register. "It was great to meet some of the residents of the new units – Matthew and Kylie, and Greg and Janet – and hear how their new homes have improved their quality of life," Minister Barnett said.

"Accessibility is particularly important for people as they age, which is why all units have been built to the Silver Level of the Liveable Housing Design Guidelines.

"This development is just one of numerous projects Centacare Evolve is currently building, with hundreds in its construction pipeline across the state. It shows that the Tasmanian Government's social housing construction program is working.

"We are delivering on our target for 1,500 social and affordable homes and units by June

2023, and we are well on track with 735 completed as at 31 December 2022," Minister Barnett said.

The Rockliff Liberal Government is committed to our 10-year \$1.5 billion housing package, managed by Homes Tasmania, to deliver 10,000 new social and affordable homes by 2032.

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ROAD & WEATHER REPORTS

ROADWORKS REPORT

FRIDAY, 24TH FEBRUARY
- 10TH MARCH 2023

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TRIABUNNA - LITTLE SWANPORT

We will be trimming trees on the Tasman Highway between Strip Road, Triabunna and Seaford Road, Little Swanport until Friday, 17 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit and frequent lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 5:00 pm.

COLES BAY ROAD

COLES BAY

We will be resurfacing Coles Bay Road between Friendly Beaches Road, Friendly Beaches and Flacks Road, Coles Bay from Thursday, 2 March until Monday, 6 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am - 6:00 pm.

CRANBROOK - ST HELENS UPDATED

We will be repairing the Tasman Highway between Glen Gala Road, Cranbrook and St Helens, until Friday, 31 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit and frequent lane closures during our working hours, 7:30 am -

5:30 pm.

THE SIDELING

The Tasman Highway through the Sideling remains **closed to all traffic** as we continue to work on repairs following a landslide in October 2022. Since then we have been working to repair and rebuild the road so we can safely reopen it as quickly as possible.

ESK MAIN ROAD

CONARA NEW

We will be doing construction on Esk Main Road between Blanchard's Creek Bridge and Milford Road, Conara from Monday, 27 February, until Friday 14, April 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our work hours, 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

FINGAL NEW

We will be strengthening the Tullochgorum Creek Bridge on Esk Main Road, Fingal from Monday, 6 March, until Monday, 13 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit without lane closures during our work hours, 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

ST MARYS UPDATED

We will be resurfacing Esk Main Road between The Flat and Irish Town Road, St Marys until Tuesday, 7 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit and occasional lane closures during our working hours, 9:00 am - 2:30 pm.

ST MARYS UPDATED

We will be resurfacing Esk Main Road between St Marys Pass and the Tasman Highway, Falmouth until Friday, 3 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit and occasional lane closures during our working hours, 9:00 am - 2:30 pm.

MIDWAY POINT

We will be repairing the Tasman Highway between McGees Bridge and Geeves Crescent, Midway Point from Monday, 20 February until Tuesday, 21 March 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit and frequent lane closures during our working hours. Works will take place a night from 7:00 pm - 5:00 am between Monday, 20 February and Tuesday, 21 March 2023. We will also work between 9:30 am - 3:00 pm from Thursday, 23 February until Friday, 10 March 2023.



Visit the [Transport website](#) for a detour map and additional information.

The 6-Day Glamorgan-Spring Bay Weather Forecast

from Bureau of Meteorology

Bicheno

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Shower or two.	Early shower or two.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.
20 °C	19 °C	21 °C	19 °C	17 °C	19 °C
12 °C	13 °C	12 °C	12 °C	11 °C	12 °C

Swansea

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Shower or two.	Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.
21 °C	20 °C	22 °C	19 °C	18 °C	20 °C
10 °C	11 °C	9 °C	11 °C	9 °C	9 °C

Coles Bay

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Shower or two.	Possible early shower.	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.
21 °C	21 °C	22 °C	20 °C	19 °C	21 °C
12 °C	13 °C	12 °C	13 °C	11 °C	12 °C

Hobart

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Late shower or two.	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy.	Possible shower.	Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.
21 °C	21 °C	21 °C	18 °C	19 °C	21 °C
12 °C	13 °C	12 °C	12 °C	11 °C	12 °C

Orford/Triabunna

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Shower or two.	Possible early shower.	Partly cloudy.	Shower or two.	Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.
20 °C	20 °C	22 °C	19 °C	18 °C	19 °C
10 °C	11 °C	10 °C	11 °C	10 °C	11 °C

Launceston

Tue. 28 Feb	Wed. 1 Mar	Thu. 2 Mar	Fri. 3 Mar	Sat. 4 Mar	Sun. 5 Mar
Showers.	Mostly sunny.	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy.	Partly cloudy.	Partly cloudy.
21 °C	24 °C	24 °C	22 °C	20 °C	21 °C
13 °C	13 °C	10 °C	11 °C	9 °C	10 °C

THE PUZZLE PAGE

THIS WEEK'S CROSSWORD No 08.23 By Rob Gaspari

ALL ANSWERS ON PAGE 7



1	2	3	4		5		6	7	8
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CLUES

ACROSS

- 1. To backup in a vehicle (7)
- 6. Allow; rent a dwelling. (3)
- 9. A mourner, esp. during the first seven days after a death (4)
- 11. Element Xeon (2)
- 12. A cloth of sky-blue colour. (4)
- 13. Manage to make a living with difficulty. (3)
- 15. Father (2)
- 16. In regards to/or of the Bible (8)
- 18. NATO (4)
- 20. A member of a people who lived in Jutland in the 4th century BC and fought the Romans in France in the 2nd century BC. (6)
- 21. To decompose (3)
- 22. Extreme fear. (6)
- 23. Mariner; person that works on boats & ships (6)
- 25. In the negative: no (3)
- 26. Big city air pollution (4)
- 27. A red starchy vegetable similar to a turnip (4)
- 29. The player called upon to perform some task, as, in tag, the one who must catch the other players. (2)
- 30. Small ocean (3)
- 31. Moon of Jupiter (2)
- 33. The act of passengers and crew getting off of a ship or aircraft. (11)
- 36. Officially seize and hold (goods). (6)
- 37. Element Neon (2)

DOWN

- 1. Birds of prey (7)
- 2. The day or period of time immediately before an event or occasion. (3)
- 3. In exactly the same words as were used originally. (8)
- 4. A shoemaker's awl. (5)
- 5. To move about or proceed hurriedly (7)
- 7. Thorough examination of a subject. (11)
- 8. Caffeine beverage derived from brewed leaves (3)

- 10. Occur again periodically or repeatedly (5)
- 14. Large metal vat in which fibres, yarns, and fabrics are boiled off, bleached, or dyed. (4)
- 17. Make amends or reparation. (5)
- 19. Cooked or browned (food, especially bread or cheese) by exposure to a grill, fire, or other source of radiant heat. (7)
- 22. Clothes (3)
- 24. A muted green colour used especially tweed and woollen garments. (5)
- 27. An edible seed, typically kidney-shaped,

- growing in long pods on certain leguminous plants. (4)
- 28. Consume food (3)
- 29. Part of the mind in which innate instinctive impulses and primary processes are manifest. (2)
- 30. To glide on snow (3)
- 32. Lowest cardinal number; half of two (3)
- 34. Exist (2)
- 35. A highly radioactive metallic element (2)

THIS WEEKS SUDOKU

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WORD SEARCH

Taylor Swift

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- OUR SONG
- MEAN
- TOGETHER
- RED
- FEARLESS
- BELONG
- PICTURE
- MINE
- WHITE HORSE
- ROMAN
- TROUBLE
- LOVE STORY

Play this puzzle online at : <https://thewordsearch.com/puzzle/298/>

LOCAL SPORTS

SWANSEA GOLF CLUB

RESULTS

SATURDAY - 25TH FEBRUARY 2023
4BBB - CLUB DAY

Winners: Barry Skeggs & Steve Dart - 42
Runner-up: Ray Dart & Andy Gamble - 41
Third: Stewart Moore & Darryl Down - 39
Nearest the Pins: 4th/13th - Byron Anderson 6th/15th - Lee Bennett
Super Pin: 7th/16th - Steve Dart



NEXT WEEK IS MONTHLY MEDAL WITH PLAYOFF FOR 2022
MEDAL OF MEDALISTS

QUALIFYING PLAYERS FOR THE PLAYOFF ARE:

Francis Dowling, Peter Dodge, Ian Wallace, Jack Hardcastle, Steve Kenny, Jason Kerrison, Peter Thomas, Steve Mortimer, Chris Whelan, Tim Bond and Gavin Todd

WOMEN'S MID-WEEK - WEDNESDAY 22ND FEBRUARY 2023
CLUB TROPHY - STABLEFORD

9 Hole Winner: Judith Cleaver - 14
Runner-up: Deb West - 13
Nearest the Pin: 4th - Deb West 7th - Di Garcia
18 Hole Winner: Lee Bennett - 40
Runner-up: Di Sinclair - 36
Nearest the Pins: 5th - 2nd shot Di Sinclair 8th - 2nd shot - Lyn Lyne
Birdie: 8th - Lee Bennett

NEXT WEEK'S EVENT IS MONTHLY MEDAL

CHICKEN RUNS

WEDNESDAY - 22ND FEBRUARY 2023

Winners: Howard Edginton - 28 Steven Kenny - 30 Rod Smith - 30.5
Putts: Howard Edginton

FRIDAY - 24TH FEBRUARY 2023

Winners: Ricky Wright - 31 Steve Mortimer - 31.5 Peter Lea - 32
Putts: Ricky Wright - 12



This week's winners

Results supplied by Kathy Dance



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NEXT WEEKS DRAW
ROUND 15
SATURDAY, 04TH MARCH

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SWANSEA BOWLS CLUB



Pennant Results
Round 13 – Sat, 25th Feb v Scamander

Swansea lost Scamander 77-138

Points: Swansea – 2 Scamander – 12
Barry Hill lost Chris Davern 12-41
Steve Haneveer lostt Liam Davern 17-40
John Greening lost John Brokas 23-36
Dean Pyke defeated Tony Faulkner 25-21

Ladder

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points
Scamander	13	9	2	2	129
Swansea	13	8	4	1	115
Bicheno	13	4	8	1	71
St Marys	13	2	9	2	49

Next Match

Swansea v St Marys – Sat, 4th Mar @ Swansea