



TRIABUNNA RELAY FOR LIFE

The first-ever Triabunna Relay For Life saw more than 250 people stream into the Triabunna Recreational Ground.

Organiser Sophie Murfitt said the Relayers enjoyed a classic East Coast day – 22 degrees and no wind.

"We set ourselves a target of \$20,000 for our first Relay For Life. We're currently sitting at just over \$31,000 raised online - but still have around \$2,500 left to bank from donations on the day," Ms Murfitt said.

"Teams still have some cash to bank so we're hoping to get to \$35,000." Some of the highlights included:

- Survivors and Carers Morning Tea
- Transport 2 Treatment Car lap
- Silent disco
- Conga lap
- Local group Maria Voices singing at the Candelight Ceremony

Ms Murfitt paid tribute to the volunteers and fellow organisers from the Rotary Club of Spring Bay

"I joined the Club in June last year and the average age of members was reasonably high," Ms Murfitt said.

"We were looking for community events to attract younger members and Saturday certainly achieved that.

Ms Murfitt, like most Tasmanians, has her own cancer story. Her grandfather died of cancer, her dad battled lung cancer and her partner's mother has been diagnosed with breast cancer.

Ms Murfitt said the next Triabunna Relay

For Life will be held in 2024.

Pics by Richard Ho, Photographer



A.Mark Thomas



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Swansea community members and local health providers attended a University of Tasmania Centre for Rural Health research workshop last week in the Swansea RSL. The community members, health providers and researchers worked together to create an education strategy to raise awareness about bowel cancer and encourage rural Tasmanians to participate in the National Bowel Cancer Screening Program. Bowel cancer is the second leading cause of cancer deaths in Australia but when detected early, is highly treatable.

The National Bowel Cancer Screening Program send out a free home test kit to Australians every two years from 50 years to 74 years. The Glamorgan Spring Bay local government area currently has the best screening completion rates in Tasmania, but it is still less than 50% of eligible people. If you are between the ages of 50 years to 74 years, please keep an eye out for your test kit in the mail.

The Centre for Rural Health will be running a second workshop in April, to continue to build on the strategies developed. If you are a Swansea community member above the age of 50 years and would like to attend, please get in touch with the research team via the details below. There will be delicious gut-friendly food and drinks provided. We would love to hear from you!

Nicola Gadd, PhD Candidate: Nicola.Gadd@utas.edu.au

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Peter Hüttemeier

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> Enquiries phone Janelle Hall 0437 264 332.

SWANSEA PLAYERS AND **REVUE GROUP UPDATE**

Following a successful AGM, I can confirm that Yes, a Revue this year COULD happen.

However, we need new (or previous) performers to fill out a diminishing cast. We invite interested theatrical participants of all ages and genders to get in touch with us.

I would also like to announce that the profits from the Stuff N Nonsense production have been donated to the following: Swansea Fire Brigade, Glamorgan-Spring Bay SES, East Coast Crusaders PCYC, Glamorgan Springbay Little Athletics, ECCAI, and May Shaw Nursing Home.

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Dear Editor,

It was a great surprise to me to find the tomb of the Meredith family in such an atrocious state. It had weeds around it that almost covered the imposing tomb. It is a pity that so much has been written about this family and their connection to Swansea yet we cannot spare a little time to care for the grave. As the saying goes, if you want it done properly do it yourself. I did, and with some implements, tried to bring some semblance of order on the



I attach before and after photos not for my sake but to give others an idea on the results of what a little care can accomplish. I must say that there are quite a few graves in Swansea cemetery that are suffering from the same dreaded weed malady. Perhaps friends and relatives are no longer around? Let us hope that another saying "gone but not forgotten" lives on.

Pedro Camus



Peter Dodge at his 70th Birthday celebration, pictured with his wife Roseanne, held at Swansea Golf Club with friends and relatives on Saturday 1st April.

Some of the Stufit group from Swansea entertained during the evening as well as Steve Kenny from Swansea.





Pics & story by Deb Blundell



PLACES TO GO AND PEOPLE TO SEE

On March 19th I attended the Sequenza performance held at Kennedia. Listening to live music is truly transcendent. Three extremely talented blokes playing beautiful music took us on a journey through Europe in the 15, 16 and 17 hundreds. Back to the court of Louis the 14th even!

Brett played the Viola Da Gamba (like a cello but with seven strings) with vigour, totally immersed in the music. David on Lute and Guitar was ultra cool and Matt had us mesmerised with his dancing hands on an array of drums.

A lovely afternoon tea followed and an opportunity to chat with the musicians. Next on the Eccai calendar is a Greek Themed evening of music, food and dancing. Stay tuned for further announcements about this.

Janelle Hall for ECCAI

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On Saturday 25th March, a new venue had a soft opening on the lovely East Coast, equal distance from Launceston & Hobert. The venue, The Branch Swansea, is the latest iteration of the old Commercial Bank of Australasia, at 7 Maria Street on the northeast corner of Franklin Street (Tasman Highway).

Mein hosts, Luke Moloney & Kelsey Walker, have retained the theme of the history of the building, as well as its original purpose, CBA. Previous businesses have included The Bank, a restaurant and Tellers, a wine bar.

Luke & Kelsey have, between them, exten-

sive experience in hotel management & marketing, Luke having been the manager of the nearby Barkmill Tavern & Bakery until the opportunity to take over the premises arose.

The Branch Swansea is a tapas, wine & cocktail restaurant open from Friday to Tuesday from 1pm until late, midnight (12pm) Friday & Saturday 10 pm Sunday Tuesday. It is a walk-in venue although group bookings for 6 or more would be appreciated.

The Branch can be contacted via phone 6117 0002, their website www.thebranchswansea, or email info@thebranchswansea.com.au Luke & Kelsey would like to welcome you to The Branch Swansea.

By Bill Fry



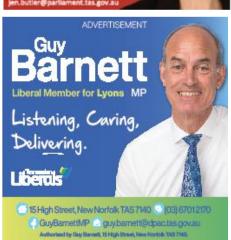


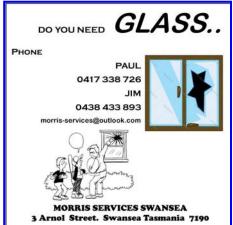


















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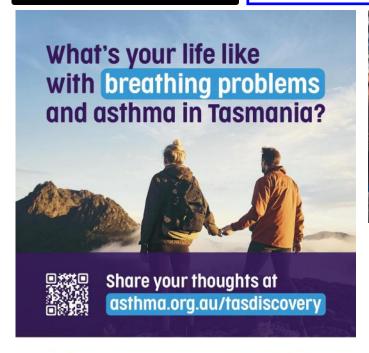
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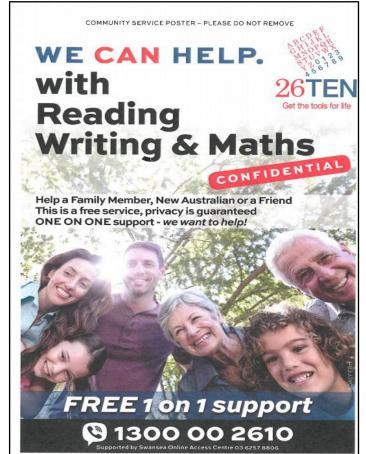
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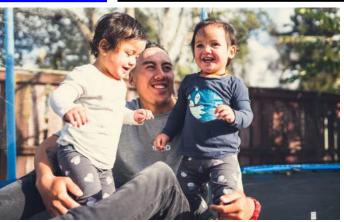


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ASTHMA AUSTRALIA WANTS TO KNOW WHAT LIFE IS LIKE FOR TASMANIANS EXPERIENCING BREATHING PROBLEMS AND ASTHMA, IN THE 2023 TASMANIAN ASTHMA DISCOVERY SURVEY.

Everyone experiences asthma differently. What works in managing your asthma? What challenges do you face? How could your quality of life be improved? We want to learn more about personal experiences with asthma in Tasmania.

"If you have asthma or breathing problems, care for someone who does, or work in this space, we are interested in hearing from you," says Asthma Australia project coordinator Jess Tyler.

"We really want to hear from you so there are several ways you can take part and make your voice heard. We're running a quick and easy online survey, or you can register for one of our community forums. Alternatively, you can simply send us a text or email or even book a call for us to call you back so that the cost is on us."

To take part in the survey visit www.asthma.org.au/tasdiscovery, call or text 0474 654 555 or email jtyler@asthma.org.au



Great Oyster Bay Community News

ROADWORK QUESTIONS & ANSWERED

It can be difficult to try and navigate the ever-changing road conditions and speed restrictions, Civil Contractors Federation Tasmania has answered the following popular questions in a bid to enlighten road users and make sure road workers are kept safe as they work for better road conditions in the future.

Why aren't the signs removed when road workers aren't there?

Even if you can't see any roadworkers active at a site, the signs are always there for a reason and should always be followed for your own safety and the safety of other road users. The reduced limits reflect the roads not safe to drive at full speed and could be due to not-so-obvious reasons such as loose gravel, machinery nearby, narrow lanes, new or no line markings, or changes to the road surface. Your Speed is Our Safety signage is in place permanently as a means of raising road safety awareness in Tasmania. We continue to deploy this signage Statewide in order to better communicate this important message.

What is the point of road works?

The overwhelming message from the community is they want safer roads and action toward reducing accidents. The Tasmanian roads being worked on have been reported as unsafe or a high-accident zone and these upgrades will provide a better travel experience and aid in getting all of us home safely. Road works are an important part of the Tasmanian framework in ensuring locals and visitors are provided with a safe and reliable road network. Road works also ensures the Tasmanian transport industry can move freight around the state quickly and safely and can get products to global markets.

Why wasn't there an "end of roadwork" sign, up?

Contractors aim to display all necessary signage in order to meet National and State requirements. However these are temporary signs and they can sometimes be impacted by weather conditions, vandalism and theft.

Can we get more police patrols to monitor roadwork sights?

There is an emerging change in attitude by Tasmanians to the need for more enforcement through new technology and a greater police presence on our roads. Unfortunately, we have limited resources. Your Speed is Our Safety is working collaboratively with TasPolice and the Tasmanian Government to monitor worksites as a means of limiting safety risks to roadwork teams and the public alike.

Are roadworker jobs quoted at an hourly rate?

Roadwork projects are typically publicly tendered where Contractors are required to agree to a lump sum price before commencing works.

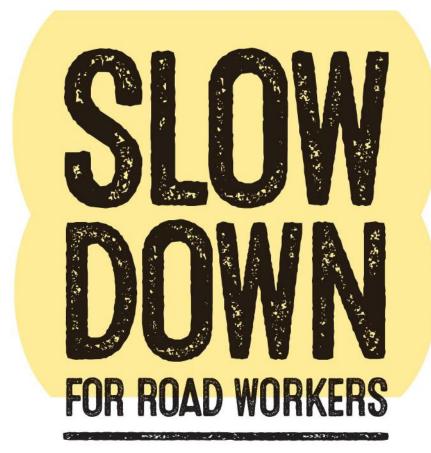
Why not concentrate on certain sections/small stretches of road at a time rather than multiple sections?

Unfortunately, due to the short window of good weather in Tasmania, and especially

with the wet summer we have had, we need to act quickly now before the harsh effects of winter hit us. Where we can, we coordinate our works to have the least amount of impact. The weather, temperature and rain can all cause delays through the impacts of drying and setting of the road surface.

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Everyday hundreds of our road workers risk their safety on Tasmanian roads. If you ignore speed limits or traffic instructions for road works, you are putting lives at risk.

Please, SLOW DOWN FOR ROAD WORKERS.

Your speed is our safety.









ROADWORKS REPORT FRIDAY, 31 ST MARCH - 14 TH APRIL 2023

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LAKE LEAKE ROAD Campbell Town *UPDATED*

We will be resurfacing Lake Leake Road between Sprent Street, Campbell Town and Glen Morriston Rivulet, Campbell Town until Thursday, 13 April 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

CAMPBELL TOWN UPDATED

We will be installing barriers and maintaining signs on Lake Leake Road between the Tasman Highway and Kalangadoo Road, Lake Leake until Sunday, 30 April 2023.

There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 4:30 pm.

ELEPHANT PASS ROAD UPDATED

We will be resurfacing Elephant Pass Road between both ends of Wilkins Road, Gray until Friday, 7 April 2023.

The road will stay open, but there will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 9:00 am to 2:30 pm.

TASMAN HIGHWAY BICHEND UPDATED

We will be resurfacing the Tasman High-

way between Coles Bay Road, Bicheno and Apslawn until Friday, 14 April 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

COLES BAY

We will be resurfacing Coles Bay Road between Friendly Beaches Road, Friendly Beaches and Flacks Road, Coles Bay until Friday, 14 April 2023.

There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

SCAMANDER UPDATED

We will be resurfacing the Tasman Highway between Esk Main Road, Falmouth and Wrinklers Bridge, Scamander until Wednesday, 12 April 2023.

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

SEYMOUR UPDATED

We will be repairing the Tasman Highway between Apslawn and Seymour Bridge, Seymour until Wednesday, 12 April 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with frequent lane closures during our working hours, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm.

THE SIDELING

The Tasman Highway through the Side-

ling is open.

Construction will continue between Sideling Lookout and Whish-Wilson Road, Springfield until March 2024.
There will be a reduced speed

ST Marys *UPDATED*

We will be resurfacing Esk Main Road between The Flat and Irish Town Road, St Marys until Monday, 3 April 2023. There will be a reduced speed limit with occasional lane closures during our working hours, 9:00 am to 2:30 pm.

SORELL NEW

We will be resurfacing the Tasman Highway at the intersection with the Arthur Highway, Sorell until Thursday, 6 April 2023.

There will be a reduced speed limit with frequent lane closures during our working hours, 9:30 am to 3:00 pm.

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Visit the <u>Transport website</u> for a detour map and additional information.

The 6-Day Glamorgan-Spring Bay Weather Forecast

from Bureau of Meteorology

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THE PUZZLE PAGE

THIS WEEK'S CROSSWORD No 13.23 By Rob Gaspari





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CLUES

ACROSS

- 1. Revolving vane to show the wind direction (11)
- **8.** South East Asian country (4)
- **9.** 18th element (2)
- 10. Usual, regular, conforming to type. (6)
- **12.** Wall bracket for holding one or more candles or other lights (6)
- **15.** To scatter, clear away (9)
- **16.** A chess piece (6)
- 19. A small case (4)
- 20. Popular flower (4)
- 21. Melted & clarified animal fat (6)
- **24.** Talking horse, Mr _ _ (2)
- **25.** Tools used for cutting trees (4)
- **28.** 52nd element (2)
- **29.** 32nd element (2)
- **30.** A walk between seat in a church (5)
- 32. To accustom; harden (5)
- 34. A form of weaving used spun wool (4)
- **35.** Infatuated (8)
- 37. Colourless volatile liquid used as an anaesthetic (5)
- **39.** At home (2)
- 41. Person who types (6)
- **43.** A type of mosquito (4)
- **45.** To be bound to repay (3)
- **46.** The glacial epoch (3,3)
- **48.** Popular music as a whole (4,1,4)

DOWN

- 1. Growth of trees, structure of boards etc serving as shelter against the wind (9)
- **2.** From one side to another (6)
- **3.** An oval (7)
- **4.** Egyptian sun god (2)
- **5.** To pamper (6)
- **6.** Swinging to and fro, wavering (10)
- 7. Greenies are said to hug them (5)
- **9.** Where Canberra is (1,1,1)

- **11.** Fuss (3)
- **13.** Rich (7)
- 14. Carpenter's spike (4)
- **17.** 53rd element (6)
- **18.** Without illness (7)
- 22. Shrek is a cartoon one (4)
- 23. Useless, unwanted plant (4) 26. 54th element, inert gas (2)
- **27.** To make petition or appeal to (3)
- **31.** In cricket-an easy catch (6)
- 33. A state in the western US (4)

- **35.** A common building product (5)
- **36.** An Indian stringed instrument (5)
- 38. Heroic; impressive; imposing (4)
- **40.** (Coll.) Policeman (3)
- **42.** A momentary unit of Japan, Cambodia & Indonesia (3)
- **43.** Hairdressing, greasy kid's stuff (3)
- **44.** A large measure of capacity for wine (3)
- **47.** If you see green you do this (2)

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WORD SEARCH

Obscure Metals & Metalloids

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Local Sports



SWANSEA GOLF CLUB RESULTS

SATURDAY - 1ST APRIL 2023 MONTHLY MEDAL - STROKE

Monthly Medal Overall Winner: Miles Clark - 60

Division One Winner: Ricky Wright - 64 **Division One Runner-up:** Steve Dart - 68 **Division Two Winner:** Byron Anderson - 63 **Division Two Runner-up:** Kathy Dance - 64 **Nearest the Pins:** 6th/15th - Jason Kerrison

8th/17th - Andy Gamble

Super Pins: 4th/13th - Miles Clark 7th/16th - Stewart Moore

Next week is 4BBB - Sponsored by Swansea Fishing Charters

Women's Mid-Week - Wednesday 29th March 2023

CLUB TROPHY - STABLEFORD

Sally Fletcher - 12 9 Hole Winner: Pip Cardno - 9 Runner-up: **Nearest the Pins:** 4th - Pip Cardno 7th - Pip Cardno

18 Hole Winner: Christine Ring - 34 Jen Whittaker - 33 Runner-up:

Nearest the Pins: 3rd - Kathy Dance 6th - Jen Whittaker Birdie:

Sally Siepen

Gobblers: Sally Siepen, Christine Ring,

Lee Bennett

NEXT WEEK'S EVENT IS MONTHLY MEDAL - STROKE

CHICKEN RUNS

WEDNESDAY - 29TH MARCH 2023

Winners: Colin Walters - 31 Terry Griggs - 31.5 Tony Johnstone - 32.5

John Quinn - 11 Putts:

FRIDAY - 31ST MARCH 2023

Peter Coon - 30 Tim Bond - 31 Winners:

Alex Walsh - 31

Putts: Peter Coon - 12 Shane Close - 12

All results & pics supplied by Kathy Dance



SWANSEA BOWLS CLUB



Mid-Week Pennant Results Grand Final - Tue, 28thMar v Bicheno

40-53 Swansea Bicheno Judi Holmes lt Michael Tunks 10-39 Michael Dalla-Vecchiadef Pat Hough

A big thank you to those supporters that travelled to Bicheno on a wet and dreary day to watch.

Saturday Pennant Results Grand Final - Sat, 1st Apr v Scamander

Swansea	lt Scamander	83-89
Barry Hill	lt Liam Davern	17-22
Steve Haneveer	def Chris Davern	22-21
Shane Pollington	def John Brokas	28-26
John Greening	lt Tony Faulkner	16-20

Thank you to all the supporters that came along to cheer on both teams.

Also, a special thank you to all those players that participated in the Mid-Week and Saturday Pennants this season.

There were 21 players selected for the Mid-Week Pennant this season, not just the 8 players that represented the Swansea Bowls Club in the grand final; and there were 26 players selected for the Saturday Pennant this season, not just the 16 players that represented the Swansea Bowls Club in the grand final.

Without the participation of all these players the Swansea Bowls Club would not have been in the position to play in both the Grand Finals – thank you.