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GREAT OYSTER BAY Community News

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AGRICULTURE VISA WILL BE A BOON FOR TASMANIA

Farmers and primary producers in Tasmania are a step closer to benefitting from the Morrison Government's new Australian Agriculture Worker Visa.

The Government amended the Migration Regulations on 30 September 2021 to create the Australian Agriculture Worker Visa (Ag Visa) and continue along the pathway of providing an agriculture visa that will help secure the future of rural and regional Australia.

This historic announcement that the Ag Visa is now law ensures the visa will help secure the long-term labour force our Tasmanian farmers.

Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries and Senator for Tasmania Jonno Duniam said the Agriculture Visa will also create a pathway to permanent residency for those workers who will help secure the future of our region.

"The Morrison Government promised this visa and here it is. The creation of the Ag visa under the Migration Regulations is a landmark moment for our farm, forestry and fisheries industries, and delivers on our promise to have it in place this year," Assistant Minister Duniam said.

"The visa will be available to seasonal workers, skilled and semi-skilled workers.

"It will benefit not only farms, but also the fisheries, forestry and agricultural processing sectors, who will also get access to workers under this visa.

"Worker restrictions have always been a problem, but it has been taken to the next level with COVID and the subsequent international and internal borders.

"We now have a visa that will give Tasmania a long term, reliable workforce for our agricultural industries.

"The Morrison Government will always stand up for regional and rural Australia, and with this visa we have again delivered."

Today's regulation provides a new Australian Agriculture Worker stream which will provide for the entry and temporary stay of workers across primary industries sectors.

This provides the pathway for workers to arrive with first worker arrivals once partner country negotiations are complete. Any workers will also need to meet necessary Federal and State quarantine requirements.

Media release

*Senator the Hon Jonathon Duniam
Assistant Minister for Forestry
and Fisheries*



SWANSEA HUB COMPLETES MAJOR FURNITURE PROJECT FOR CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL

The Swansea Hub (located in Arnol Street behind the Town Hall) has been churning out projects for the local community. One major project being managed by Hub member, Steve Barrett, is the provision of thirteen storage units (various modular shelves, cabinets and storage containers) for the Cambridge primary School.

Cambridge Primary School students assembling the first six of 13 storage units made by Swansea Hub, (women and men- so not just 'men's' shed) and delivered as flat packs then assembled.



Thanks to Steve for managing this project and for supervising the students in the assembling the units. The students had a great day and quickly learnt how to put together the furniture in an efficient way, learning assembly skills and safe use of various tools.

Everyone is welcome to join the Hub – a friendly and caring atmosphere is provided for all. You might want to build something or have something made for you or just have a cuppa – anything is possible.

Drop in Tuesday to Friday between 10am till about 2pm and have a chat.

The Hub Team

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May 2021 - end October 2021**BICHENO WMC** – 2km south of the
town, on the Tasman Hwy.**COLES BAY WMC** – turn off Coles Bay
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All four WMCs are open from

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Gloria Willis interim manager
All Saints Op Shop for Anglican
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The GOBCNews team

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OPENING TIMES**Swansea Community & Men's Shed**

Opening Hours:
 Tuesday 10am to early afternoon
 (men & women's group)
 Wednesday 10am to 1pm
 (men's group)
 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

Swansea Re-Use Shoppe

Opening hours:
 Saturday - Sunday, Tuesday - Thursday
 10am to 3pm

CLOSED MONDAY & FRIDAY

Contact Tracey Kean 0407 639 022

Swansea Community Room

with kitchen facilities. Available for hire

Contact Heather Groombridge
 0416 200 172

Swansea General Practice

May Shaw, Wellington St. Swansea
Open Monday—Friday
9.00am-1.00pm 2.00pm-5.00pm
 For an appointment phone
 6257 8205

East Coast Heritage Museum

22 Franklin Street, Swansea
 Open Mon to Fri 10am–4pm
 Closed Good Friday & Christmas Day
www.eastcoastheritage.org.au
 (We are Covid Compliant,
 be COVID-19 Safe)

CHURCH NOTICES**East Coast Anglican**

Please join us for
 church every

Sunday (usually 10am or 3pm).

See details on the website or call

Reverend Ben Allen 0407 242 522

www.eastcoastanglican.church

10 Noyes Street, Swansea

&

1 Franklin Street, Triabunna

**ST. ANDREWS
UNITING CHURCH SWANSEA**

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

Everyone is invited to attend.

All Welcome

CHURCH NOTICES**SWANSEA HOUSE
CHURCH**

Every Thursday
 6.30pm—8.30pm
 9 Bridge St.
 Swansea

Lifts available
 Enquiries

Steven & Linda (Salvos)

0458 959 820

Laurie & Sherry

0467 972 578

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](http://SwanseaDistrictGardenClub@gmail.com)

@gmail.com

**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 with
 Social Distancing

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

**YOUR CLUB OR GROUP
NOTICE HERE**

CLUBS & GROUPS**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
 open to all members and available for hire.
 Ladies day Mondays, playing 11am.

Contact

Kathy Dance 0439 732 496.

All new members welcome.

**GLAMORGAN SPRING BAY
HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.**

Are you interested in local History? Then
 consider joining the Historical Society.
 Currently our office is open Tuesdays
 10am to 4pm

22 Franklin Street, Swansea

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

Phone: 03 6256 5077

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

MAHJONG & SCRABBLE

1.30 pm every Monday
 at Swansea Golf Club.

Contact Lyn Lyne 0438 578 208

**THE ORFORD &
DISTRICT RIDING
CLUB INC.**

is based in Triabunna. We welcome
 any aged riders, teaching a variety of
 disciplines such as Dressage, Jumping
 and ground work.

Time & Place: The last Weekend of every
 month between 10.00am & 3.00pm

57 Inkerman Street Triabunna

For info. Phone: 0427796096

E-mail: sandmgraham@bigpond.com

Facebook—Orford and District

Riding Club Inc.

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

IMPORTANT

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Online in colour every week at www.gobcnews.weebly.com

CLUBS & GROUPS

GKR KARATE

Karate classes starting on Thursday 16th September at the Triabunna District School. The class starts at 12 noon.

For further details contact Nathan Jacobs 0482 471 443

SWANSEA MODEL YACHT CLUB INC.

The SMYC Inc. wishes to advise all interested parties that our sailing day has changed to Mondays every week. All interested parties and spectators welcome. Sailing is at the Kelvedon Dam south of Swansea
Inquiries to Cheryl on 0419393774

MISCELLANEOUS



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/>
<https://www.facebook.com/VillageTriabunna/>

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

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

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Fri	08 Oct	D & C Busittil
Mon	11 Oct	T Gray
Tues	12 Oct	P & D Cardno



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EAST COAST TASMANIA TOURISM INC NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Monday, 11th October 2021
3:00pm – 3:30pm**

Panorama St Helens, 1 Quail Street, St Helens 7216

On behalf of the Chair, Jen Fry, and the Board of East Coast Tasmania Tourism Inc, you are invited to our Annual General Meeting, to be held at Panorama St Helens on Monday 11th October 2021 commencing at 3:00pm. Please join us afterwards for drinks and nibbles from 3:30pm to 4:30pm.

For further information and to register visit www.eastcoasttourism.com.au/annual-general-meeting

Please register by COB Wednesday 6th October 2021, only 50 spaces available.

Due to the current COVID-19 restrictions you must register for our event.

CENTENARY of the CRANBROOK HALL/ SCHOOL 1921-2021

**SUNDAY 17TH OCTOBER 11AM
CELEBRATION CHURCH SERVICE**

at Gala Kirk followed by picnic lunch in the school grounds from noon
BBQ available

BYO meat to cook and a picnic lunch

ALL WELCOME

Jennie Amos (Sec) 0417 034597

SWANSEA CRICKET CLUB INC. AGM

Friday 8th October 2021 7pm
At the club rooms

All Welcome

Season starts 30th October
Old and new players welcome

Trent Gray President

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SPRING BAY POTTERS

The Spring Bay Potters Group was 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

THE SWANSEA TOWN HALL COMMITTEE

is holding their

Annual General Meeting
in the Town Hall at 4.30pm on
Thursday October 7th

David Lathwell

THE LIVING ROOM at THE HUB SWANSEA

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

Your way-Your Say

Discover end of life options that are responsive to your issues, including after death care at home & alternative, affordable funeral services.

The Living Room at The Village Triabunna & The Hub Swansea is a supportive community group providing a comfortable space for conversations & information sharing about living well, comfortable with your plan for end of life

Sally, Carrie & Leni
(text preferred: 0448 912 929/
leni.jarvis@bigpond.com)

COLOUR ISSUES 2021

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IMPORTANT

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CORRECTION TO THE LETTER

FROM MAST printed in last week's issue 39 of the Great Oyster Bay Community News as follows:

“The primary mechanism for sand movement is south direction” should read: The primary mechanism for sand movement is south east swell events that transport the sand up the east coast in a net south to north direction.

LETTERS TO THE EDITORIAL TEAM



IS IT A MISSED OPPORTUNITY?

Has the Glamorgan Spring Bay Council missed a golden opportunity to commemorate Swansea's 200-year centenary by failing to support an application to build a pedestrian bridge across the Meredith River. Support by the council could have recognised the Meredith family's contribution to the settling of the area. When built the bridge will give those residents and holidaymakers from both sides of the river who wish to walk or cycle, 365 day a year access. Instead of cyclists having to use a dangerous section of the Tasman Highway and navigate the potholes on Swan River Road would give them safe access to and from Swansea.

The proposed bridge like the one recently constructed at St Helens (shown below during construction phase) will be manufactured from marine grade aluminium, precast concrete structure with FRP decking. Council's main concern has been centred around ongoing maintenance, but the structure has a 10-year guarantee against structural defects and an 80-year warranty. It is proposed to be built using federal and/or state government funding options. There never seems to be any concern about maintenance on Swan River Road, they waste money filling potholes one week and the next week the potholes are back to where they were, bigger and deeper.

On a recent trip to Smithton, we decided to travel back over a few days via the northern coastline across to Gladstone down to St Helens and back to Dolphin Sands. There seems to be no concern by councils with maintenance across the North of the state as in most areas there are pathways. One outstanding pathway was from Latrobe's Bell's Parade to Ambleside near the bridge at Devonport. Around 4k long it is constructed along the edge of the Mersey River, has bridge sections, has filled

sections that venture out into the water and has a concrete top. Another pathway was at Tomahawk, it wandered alongside the road for about 1k from the shacks (about 10) to the shop at the caravan park. It has a gravel surface. No maintenance worries there and probably constructed with grant money. Our councillors need to travel to other council areas, see the valuable infrastructure, and vision they have for their communities

I understand the council's financial predicament now, but they are not alone as there are a number of Tasmanian councils having the same problem, but many have vision beyond their financial predicament. Given the council should get back in the black in the future, not having to outlay any funding, only in principle support, the Meredith Bridge with its 80-year warranty, would be an infrastructure asset to Swansea. Where do our local councillors stand with this proposal and what is their vision for the area?

*Barry Smith
Dolphin Sands*

ARTICLES of INTEREST



STOLEN FROM DOLPHIN SANDS: 10,000 LITRE FIRE-FIGHTING TANK

Did you see a 10 000L galvanized tank being 're-located' last week? This tank was a community asset for fire-fighting and isn't suitable for potable water. Fireies use tanks like this to refill their trucks during bushfire events.

Dolphin Sands is extremely vulnerable to bushfire. The community is doing all we can to minimise the risk of bushfire and we're extremely disappointed at this theft. The Building Regulations Act 2016 requires all new buildings in bushfire-prone areas to be equipped with a separate tank for fire-fighting. These tanks help to keep us all safe.

If you have any information, please call Swansea Police on 131 444.

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- Post Office

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- Buckland Roadhouse
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AUSSIE OF THE MONTH FOR SEPTEMBER



Ivy H



Ivy consistently demonstrates an excellent attitude towards school and models the school values. In class she strives for academic success; applying herself in a commendable way to all tasks and readily embraces challenges. It has been wonderful to see her confidence grow this year as demonstrated by her ability to make good social choices. She has become a friendly and outgoing member of the upper primary class who enjoys going out of her way to help staff and her classmates.

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**Swansea
AND DISTRICT
Garden Club**

SPRING SALE & RAFFLE

**Great items to
purchase and win!**

Thurs 7 Oct: Tickets for sale outside
Morris' Store 8.30am to 2.30pm.

Sat 9 Oct: Special Spring Stall at the
Swansea Markets from 9.30am.
Raffle will be drawn at 1pm.

Support us as we fundraise for local
Community projects and charities.

Spring Bay Potters - Exhibition

The Spring Bay Potters at The Village are having an
Exhibition of Works, and you are invited to the
Opening.

WHEN: Sunday 10th October @ 2.00pm.

VENUE: The Village, 20 Melbourne St. Triabunna

The Exhibition of Works will be on display til early
2022.

For more Information: Dorothy Duncombe-Jackson
phone 0428267195.



Eastcoast Regional Development Organisation Inc
Web: <http://triabunnavillage.com.au/>
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/VillageTriabunna/>
The Village in Triabunna is a volunteer run community centre Project of
ERDO. The Village is located at 20 Melbourne Street, Triabunna.

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*For more information contact or leave
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SWANSEA COMMUNITY WALKING GROUP



Starting the week of the 11th October.

Do you want to meet up for a walk? The timetable below displays days and times that you can meet up with a walking group. If you would like to volunteer to take a walking group, please let me know I would love to hear from you. Ideally, we would like to have multiple walking times available each day so that there are options to suit everyone. Want to volunteer, please text Susan on 0429 146 950.

Day	Meeting place	Time	Time	Time
Monday	Duck Park Waiting for a volunteer			
Tuesday	Duck Park	9am	10am	12.30pm
Wednes- day	Duck Park All men encouraged to join	9am		
Thursday	Duck Park			6.30pm
Friday	Duck Park Also suitable for mum's with bubs	10am		

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Are You Ready for Christmas?

Swansea Community Christmas is coming

Our Elves are still meeting regularly, plans are progressing well for this year's decorations, parade and festivities. The Elves have asked for your help they need your help to add

some Christmas cheer around the community, they have asked that the community start thinking about decorating their properties, enter a float in the parade, decorate a business. They have told us that this year's Swansea Community Christmas will be the best yet. Get on board and lend them a hand at this busy time of the year. For all the latest information like the Swansea Community Christmas Facebook page.

Santa's little helper Kelvin



Swansea Players & Revue Group
Presents
Stuff & Nonsense
A variety show of Song, Dance and Sketch Comedy
AT THE SWANSEA TOWN HALL

Dates: Thursday 21st October Theatre Style
Friday 22nd October Dinner & Show
Saturday 23rd October Dinner & Show
Friday 29th October Dinner & Show
Saturday 30th October Dinner & Show

Tickets: Theatre Show Adults \$10 Children Under 12 \$5
Dinner & Show \$50 (includes 3 course meal)
Arrival Time: 6.00 pm Sharp

Tickets: Available at East Coast Heritage Museum
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This weeks puzzle page answers

No cheating now!

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TO SUPPORT AQUACULTURE FURTHER OFFSHORE

The Australian and Tasmanian governments have agreed to support a framework to deliver offshore aquaculture in Commonwealth waters off the coast of Tasmania.

Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries and Senator for Tasmania Jonno Duniam and Tasmanian Minister for Primary Industries and Water Guy Barnett said the joint agreement between the Australian and Tasmanian governments will help examine the economic, environmental and operational feasibility of offshore aquaculture.

“Currently, aquaculture in Australia is operated in state or territory waters and by moving further offshore – more than three nautical miles – we can harness recent technological improvements and investigate the potential environmental and resource access benefits available from undertaking aquaculture in deeper waters,” Senator Duniam said..

“In 2017, the Australian Government committed to developing arrangements for aquaculture in Commonwealth waters, and this is a significant step towards reaching that goal.

“The work will be led by the Blue Economy Cooperative Research Centre (CRC), an independent not-for-profit company funded under the Australian Government’s CRC Program.

“The outcomes of this work won’t just be about Tasmania. “This will provide valuable information on the potential for offshore aquaculture for all states and territories.

“Aquaculture is currently worth \$1.6 billion nationally and is growing both here and globally. By going offshore, the Australian Government is backing growth towards the \$100 billion Ag2030 goal.

“I couldn’t be prouder to be working with the Tasmanian Government on this project.”

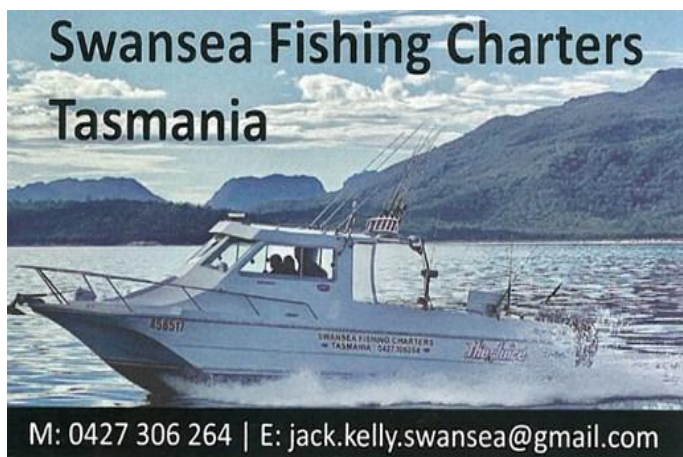
Tasmanian Minister for Primary Industries and Water Guy Barnett said that Tasmania was an ideal state to develop aquaculture knowledge and equipment, given it is home to Australia’s largest aquaculture sector.

“The Tasmanian aquaculture sector has been a national success story, with the industry growing steadily to provide world class products while also delivering jobs in regional Tasmania.


“In 2020, Tasmanian aquaculture gross value of production increased by over seven per cent to \$931 million and this MOU with the Commonwealth fits perfectly with our recently announced 10-Year Plan Salmon Plan,” Minister Barnett said.

Media release

Authorised by Senator Jonno Duniam



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The Governor, Her Excellency, The Hon. Barbara Butler & her husband
 Emeritus Professor Don Chalmers, hope to attend.

NOTE: NEW Tasmanian Seafarers' Memorial Website: <http://seafarersmemorial.org.au>

TASMANIAN SEAFARERS' MEMORIAL ANNUAL SERVICE SUNDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2021


The annual Tasmanian Seafarers' Memorial service will be held this year at Triabunna after a cancellation last year due to the pandemic. Organisers are hoping that, subject to continued positive health advice, the Service will bring together members of the state's maritime organisations for the Service and for the traditional Blessing of the Fleet.

There are now 129 plaques installed on the Memorial recording the loss of 1,560 souls in Tasmanian waters or Tasmanians lost at sea somewhere in the world. Three new plaques were added this year, recording the loss of two fishermen Walter Coulson of Dover in 1961, and Kevin (Bruce) Haigh of Orford who fished out of Triabunna.

The third plaque commemorates the loss in 1850 of the 'Lady Denison' with all those on board – 42 in total, which disappeared in rough weather on a voyage from South Australia to Hobart. It was felt that she had encountered rough weather after leaving Adelaide, but tales were spread at the time that the convicts on board had overwhelmed the crew and passengers, and had sailed for San Francisco. Wreckage identified as coming from the 'Lady Denison' was later found around the Cape Grim area.

The Service will be held at the Memorial, by the Triabunna Marina, on Sunday October 17th at 10.50 for 11.00 am.

Kath Fergusson Co-ordinator.



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- * Meet the Authors of H&EOG at Piermont
 - * H&EOG Bus Tours
 - * Outside b&w evening picture show
 - * Launch of Louisa Meredith Garden
 - * High Tea Artifakt Cafe
 - * Tellers Gallery - Camera Obscura
 - * Live Music at the Swansea Bark Mill
- * Swansea Primary School Costume Parade
 - * BBQ - Salvation Army & SES

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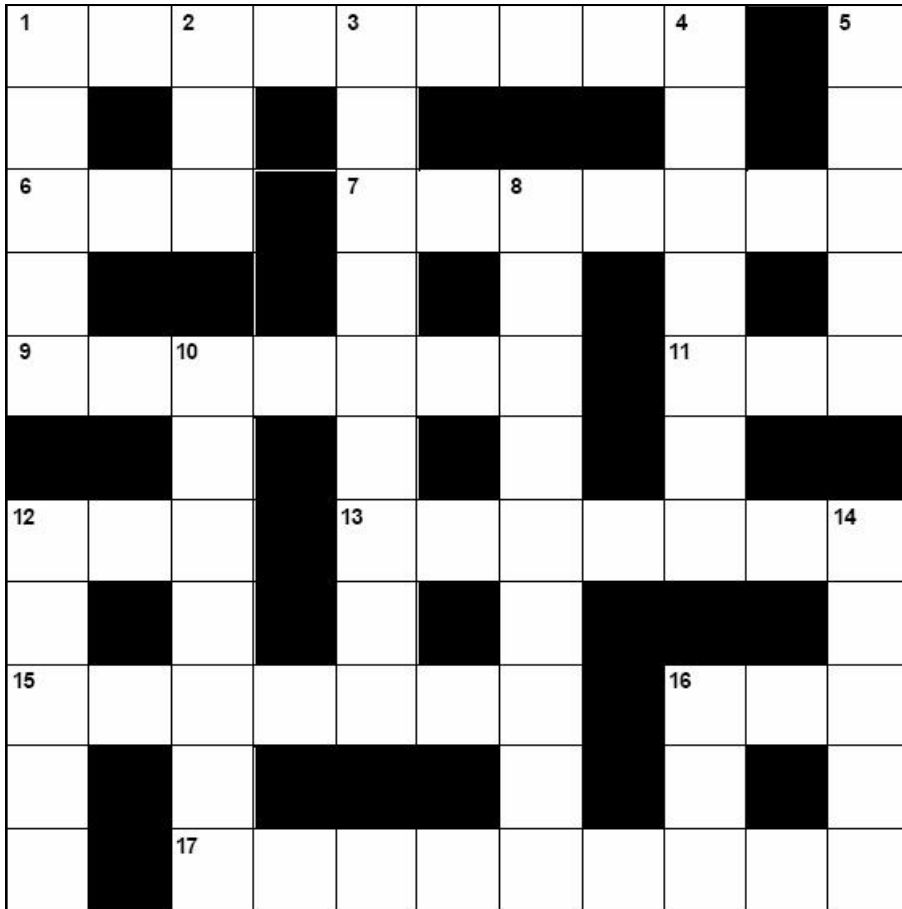
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THIS WEEK'S CROSSWORD

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By Rob Gaspari



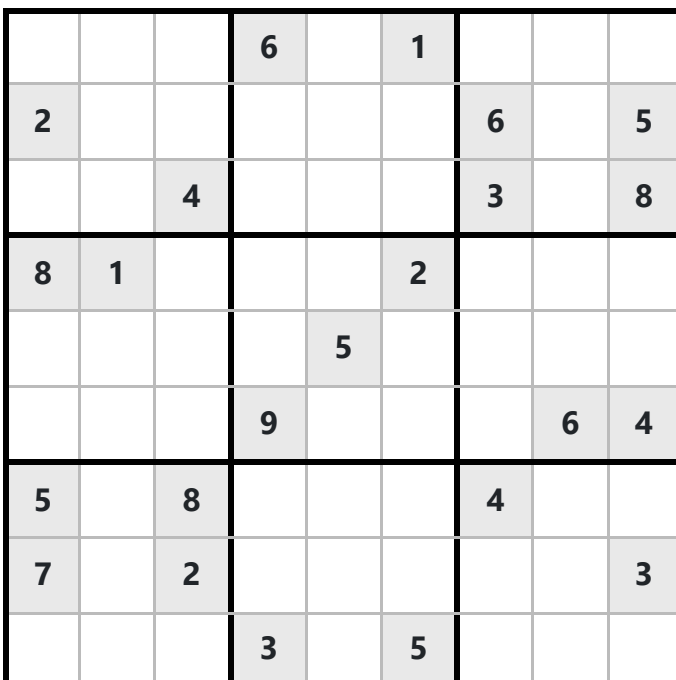
Across Clues

- 1) Exciting experience [9]
- 6) Duty [3]
- 7) Fitted with laths [7]
- 9) Stooping to avoid a hit [7]
- 11) Groove [3]
- 12) Facial twitch [3]
- 13) Showy flower [7]
- 15) Dietary requirement [7]
- 16) Dandy [3]
- 17) Of the left-hand side [9]

Down Clues

- 1) Played the part of [5]
- 2) Irk [3]
- 3) Ignorance [9]
- 4) Obtains money by force [7]
- 5) Amid [5]
- 8) Yikes [9]
- 10) One-eyed giant [7]
- 12) Varieties [5]
- 14) Dismay [5]
- 16) Distant [3]

THIS WEEKS SUDOKU



**ALL ANSWERS
ON PAGE 7**

WHAT'S SO FUNNY?



Reaching the end of a job interview, the Human Resources Officer asks a young engineer fresh out of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, "And what starting salary are you looking for?" The engineer replies, "In the region of \$125,000 a year, depending on the benefits package." The interviewer inquires, "Well, what would you say to a package of five weeks vacation, 14 paid holidays, full medical and dental, company matching retirement fund to 50% of salary, and a company car leased every two years, say, a red Corvette?" The engineer sits up straight and says, "Wow! Are you kidding?" The interviewer replies, "Yeah, but you started it."

SPORT & WEATHER

Swansea Golf Club

Results 2nd October 2021.

Under grey and very damp skies the October Monthly Medal and the final of the Morris Family Memorial Trophy were contested.

Medal Winner

Ricky Dance 61, Runner Up Peter Lea 62, 3rd Darryl Down 63.

Nearest the Pin

4th/13th Jason Kerrison, 8th/17th Jason Kerrison

Super Pin

7th/ 16th Tim Bond

Morris Memorial

Tim Bond defeated Steve Mortimer

Next Week

1st & 2nd Rounds of the Club Championship will be played on Saturday and Sunday. Saturday only rounds may be played.

Wednesday 29th September 2021

Lady's Mid-week Monthly Medal Stroke

18-Holers

Winner Alison Smith 66 c/b, Runner Up Joanna Whelan 66.

9-Holers

Winner Karen Moran 27, Runner Up Jennifer Whittaker 33 14.

Nearest the Pin

3rd Pat Hardcastle, 7th Jennifer Whittaker. 8th Jennifer Whittaker

Chicken Run (Scores Only)

Wednesday Peter Dodge 27, Darryl Down 28.5

Putts

Howard Edgington 11

Friday

Curtis Miley 27.5

Putts

Curtis Miley 14



Golf got its name because all of the other four-letter words were taken.

John and Bob were two of the bitterest rivals at the club. Neither man trusted the other's arithmetic. One day they were playing a heated match and watching each other like hawks. After holing out on the fourth green and marking his six on the scorecard, John asked Bob, "What'd you have?"

Bob went through the motions of mentally counting up. "Six!" he said and then hastily corrected himself – "No, no.... a five."

Calmly John marked the scorecard, saying out loud "Eight!" "Eight?" Bob said, "I couldn't have had eight."

John said, "Nope, you claimed six, then changed it to five, but actually you had seven."

"Then why did you mark down eight?" asked Bob.

John told him, "One stroke penalty, for improving your lie."

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