

South Arm Peninsula

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PENINSULA SCOOPS TWO AWARDS

It seems every year this newsletter features award winners in the community and this year (well 2014 really) there are two notable recognitions! One of our community events has been showcased and also putting the peninsula on the map is a small business in South Arm that has taken out a tourism award.

CREMORNE LONG TABLE LUNCH

Australia Day celebrations at the Bellerive Boardwalk took on special significance for Cremorne residents when their Long Table Lunch won a Community Event Award at the 2015 Clarence City Council Australia Day Awards.

The Long Table Lunch is a springtime outdoor event when the community comes together to celebrate the declaration of Cremorne as a town on 12 October 1959. Organising an event like this, with entertainment, food and drink, not to mention a decorated long table, takes a lot of work by many hard working volunteers so give a huge round of applause for our Cremorne residents!

SOUTH ARM CABIN RETREAT

Congratulations to award-winners at South Arm Cabin Retreat. Malcolm and Rose Ritchie ended 2014 on a high, winning the Tourism Excellence Award at the Clarence Business Awards in December.

We know South Arm's a friendly place but it's always nice when others agree. Entrants for this award were all assessed by Mystery Shoppers so the welcoming style of Malcolm and Rose obviously shone through!

The Retreat has five self-contained cabins, right on the waterfront. There's a BBQ area for guests and a very interesting recreation room with a lot of local historic information around the walls. It's certainly well worth mentioning to family and friends from afar looking to visit the Peninsula. Congratulations again to you both and here's to a fully booked 2015.

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SUMMER SURF PATROL IN FULL SWING



Above: A recent beautiful busy day in the surf at Clifton Beach under the watchful eyes of our local volunteer lifesavers.

The paper and photocopying of this Newsletter was supplied by Heather Chong.

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SCHOOL TERMS 2015

Remember to slow down in the schools zones from 4 February to 1 April 2015 when the Easter break starts.

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With December, Christmas, New Year and January already gone Clifton Beach has seen good crowds on warmer days. Traditionally February and March offer more settled conditions and school groups are among the many who enjoy the late summer in the surf.

As of writing it is a wet and windy south easterly, air temperature about 13 degrees but the water is a balmy 18 degrees. Clifton Beach Surf Life Saving Club members have been busy training hard for carnivals in the north west and patrolling Clifton Beach on Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays, rain, hail or shine. Surf patrols are on duty between 10am and 3pm and contain at least 8 active and fully trained lifesavers with access to...**continued p.3**



ABOUT THIS NEWSLETTER

The South Arm Peninsula News is produced bi-monthly and distributed throughout the South Arm Peninsula community which is inclusive of areas around Sandford, Cremorne, Clifton Beach, South Arm and Opossum Bay.

The newsletter was initiated by the South Arm Peninsula Residents Association (SAPRA) and continues to be supported financially by SAPRA. Please note the opinions expressed in articles in are not necessarily the views of the Committee.

Both individuals and groups are welcome to submit notices, reports, photos, general articles or other contributions. Guidelines for all contributions are available from the editor: contact **Annaliese Caney** on 6248 8441 or annaliesecaney@hotmail.com. Space is provided for advertising, contact **Kerry Scambler** on 6248 9302 or kerry@theksprinciple.com.au.

CLOSING DATE: Contributions for the next is-

sue are due WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH 2015.

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SAPRA: NEWS FROM YOUR COMMUNITY GROUP

Happy New Year South Arm Peninsula! Hope you all had an enjoyable holiday season, despite some of the weather!

The SAPRA Committee has had a well-earned break and we're fresh and ready to tackle 2015 head on. At our first Committee meeting in mid February we'll be setting priorities for the year and one at the top will be the Community Centre.

We'll be working extra hard to get some activities going that give the Centre a buzz. Of course, the fantastic Iron Plot Community Garden (see picture below) in the grounds of the Centre is coming along a treat and gives us all inspiration. If you have any ideas or suggestions on what you'd like to see at the Centre, please get in touch with either myself or a Committee Member. If you'd like to put on an event/course/workshop or hire the Centre, again let us know—we're all ears!

Community Bus volunteer drivers needed. Even if you can just help out once or twice a month your help would be greatly appreciated. **You don't need a special license**, just enjoy being around other friendly South Armians! Please contact Richard Bird on 0412 789 789 for details.

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South Arm Art & Craft Exhibition revving up

We're kicking our arts into gear and getting the planning boards out for this year's Exhibition to be held later in the year.

Not only are we looking for local art and craft work but we'd really love assistance and support of any kind to help make this year's Exhibition the very best for the community and for Legacy. If you can help out in any way, big or small, please get in touch with any of the gals below.

If you'd like to be on the mailing list for an entry form, please contact us. Meanwhile keep in touch via our Facebook page - search for **South Arm Art & Craft Exhibition.**

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Rainfall	Cremorne	Opossum Bay	Sandford	South Arm
November 2014	31 mm	31 mm	42 mm	15.5 mm
December 2014	59 mm	69.8 mm	72 mm	41.5mm
2014 Year to Date	432.75 mm	453 mm	468 mm	228 mm
2013 Year to Date	534.5 mm	544 mm	606.6 mm	459.5 mm
	Geir Hurlen Rødven	Karen Wheeler	Morrie Larkins	Noela Foxcroft



SOUTH ARM PRIMARY SCHOOL CARE TYRE CLEAN UP — Can you help?

The South Arm Primary School and the Tasmanian Conservation Trust (TCT) need your help to clean-up 440 car tyres on the school oval and the land immediately next to the school. The tyres are an ugly eyesore but, more seriously, they are fire hazard that must be removed.

We need to raise enough funds to have the tyres collected then safely and legally stored at a licensed facility in Longford. Unfortunately, there is no recycling facility in Tasmania but the storage operator hopes to establish one. The cost for collecting, transporting and storing tyres is \$2.75 per tyre so we

need to raise a total of \$1,210 to rid the South Arm community of this hazard. The South Arm Primary School and the Tasmanian Conservation Trust have pledged \$400 and we hope you, the South Arm community can help with the remaining \$810.

All donations over \$2 are tax-deductible and you can donate by:

1. Posting a cheque or money order (payable to the Tasmanian Conservation Trust) to the TCT, 2nd Floor, 191 Liverpool St, Hobart 7000; or

2. Using your Visa or Mastercard. Either phone the TCT during business hours on 6234 3552 or online via direct credit to the Tasmanian Conservation Trust Inc, Commonwealth Bank of Australia, 81 Elizabeth Street, Hobart, BSB: 067000 Account No: 2804 3114

Once the target is reached we will contact the licensed tyre operator. We will then need volunteers to help clean sand out of the tyres and stack them ready for collection. If you can help with this, please contact Peter. (Volunteers will be contacted with details of the cleanup which will also be advised through the SAPRA Facebook page) Further information phone Peter McGlone (TCT) on 0406 380 545 or email tct6@bigpond.com.

EDITOR: We know there's a lively discussion going on about who should be responsible but the most important thing right now is to get rid of the tyres, then perhaps continue that discussion. All donations and help to prepare the tyres for pick are greatly appreciated.

CONT P.1...CLIFTON BEACH SURF LIFESAVING CLUB

...a range of rescue equipment including IRBs (Inshore Rescue Boats) powered by 45hp engines. Also available is the all-terrain vehicle which allows quick access to the northern end of Clifton Beach on busy days.

Club training times are currently Tuesday mornings 5.45am to 7am, Thursday 5.30pm to 7pm and Sunday mornings 9am to 10am. On Thursday evenings the club combines with South Arm Boardriders, who have surf coaching sessions at the same time, for meals in the clubhouse. Club contacts are:

President: Mel Bush | 0499 700 440

Club Manager: Grant Conway | 0439 207 549

Junior Activities Coordinator: Rod Kershaw | 0419 888 103 Email | cliftonbeachslsc@gmail.com | cliftonbeachslsc.com.au/lifesaving | facebook.com/groups/466820263332803/

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ELVIS IS BACK!

Appearing at the South Arm RSL & Community Club the February.



By popular demand Elvis is back in The Arm and appearing at the Club t

appearing at the Club this February. With his swaying hips and smooth tones, Elvis will be belting out all the favourites in true style.

PLUS get your tropical shirts and grass skirts out for the Friday night Hawaiian theme - prizes for best dressed!

Friday 20th February at 8pm Sunday 22nd February at 2pm Pre-paid tickets \$15, door sales \$20

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COMMUNITY MARKET

The Market has been going strong (even with Pam and Fred out of action), and we appreciate Robyn and Andrew for their support. This year there will be many things to see and do. Lets hope Cindy with her great ice-creams keeps coming!

Call Pam on 6248 9852 for all enquiries, site and car seller bookings.

Horse riding: Sharing our roads

This was posted recently on the Lend an Arm Facebook page by Jodie:

"I would just like to thank drivers from the South Arm Peninsula area for their courtesy over the school holidays. Due to the amount of snakes on our usual trail access we have been taking horses down a narrow nature strip on the side of South Arm Road. The amount of people that have

slowed down or motor bike/harley riders that have coasted past has been greatly appreciated. It's pretty frightening sometimes having to be so close to a main road but I've been overwhelmed by the consistency of great Road users so thanks everyone."



This is great reminder that horse-riding is very

popular around the peninsula and we often share our roads with a horse rider or six! Please slow right down and give riders a wide berth so as not to startle the horses. This keeps everyone safe.

PARISH LADIES FRIENDSHIP GROUP

We would like to thank all those people who came to our morning tea on 13th January 2015. Although not as many people as last year we managed to raise nearly \$300 which will be distributed to various church charities.

JOAN GRIFFITHS



Back again in 2015! Programs start on: 4 March 3 June

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HISTORY AND HERITAGE

Horace E, J. Calvert was born on the 27th March 1889, died of wounds 22nd Dec, 1917.

As we approach the year when many people will be looking to celebrate the Centenary of World War 1, I thought I should look up the information on a young man who grew up in South Arm.

His father Christopher Calvert (b) July 1845 (d) June 1923 was a farmer who leased the land on the Arm End 1870-1915 from the Gellibrand family. His first marriage was to Eliza Maria Alomes October 1869 the marriage produced five children. Eliza died in April 1877. Christopher Calvert then married Margaret Loughter September 1879. This marriage produced four children the youngest being Horace Edward James Calvert born 27 March 1889. Christopher Calvert retired from the farm at South Arm in 1915 moving to his home in Sandy Bay Hobart. It was from here his son Horace Enlisted for military service on the 5 July 1916 address given as Sandy Bay Hobart, place of birth South Arm, attended the South Arm School, occupation farmer, age then 27 years. Horace Edward James Calvert Private No.6258 12th Battalion, Embarkation details, Unit embarked from Melbourne, Victoria on board HMAT A59 Botanist on 24 August 1916. He was described as a man of medium height, black hair and dark complexion. Very little is known of his travels before he was reported in action in Pyres with the 12th Battalion A.I.F. On the 22 December 1917 when in action he was wounded, hit by shrapnel from a shell burst.



He was taken away to a field hospital and dressing station where he died about seven hours after. Reported on the 6 March 1918 he was buried in the Kandahar Military Cemetery near Heuve Eglise or Messines. His personal belongings were sent home to his brother Frank Calvert of Battery Point Tasmania. This report thanks to the Australian Red Cross Society Wounded & Missing Enquiry files 1914-18. Information from the Calvert family records produced by Lindsay Calvert his father was Cristopher Calvert Jnr, who married first Elizabeth Alomes and second Margaret (Mary) Louther. Horace's Grandfather, Christopher Calvert who married Hannah ne Watson they settled in South Arm 1851 and named the property Seacroft. There are many others from well-known families from the Sandford district who also saw service in the First World War 1914-18. I would like to hear from anyone who has the information on a relative from that period.

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SATURDAY DOG WALK

This happens every Saturday all through the year. Some people have been under the impression that we 'knock off' for the holiday period. However our dogs would definitely not approve if that were the case. They look forward to meeting their friends, just as their two legged owners do. It's a great way to socialise your dog. All dogs and owners welcome.

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SOMETHING FOR A RAINY DAY

My mother-in-law, Joan Wheeler, recorded Opossum Bay's rainfall for the Bureau of Meteorology from 1965 until her death in 2006 and since then I have taken over the task. This means that I now have 50 years of rainfall information for our township:

- During these 50 years our driest year was in 2006 where we only had 316.2mm of rain, while our wettest year followed only three years later in 2009 with 756.8mm of rain.
- On average over the last 50 years we would have had 528.7 mm of rain per year. If we break the rainfall down to five year averages it does indicate that our average annual rainfall is decreasing. For example the average annual rainfall between 1966 and 1970 was 589.5 mm, while from 2006 -2010 it was only 540.8mm.
- In 2001 we had our highest recorded number of rainy days for this 50 year period with 633mm falling over 172 days.
- The least number of rainy days occurred in 1972 with 379.8 mm over 98 days.
- On average we have had 140 rainy days per year.
- The greatest monthly variation occurring in December and the least variation occurring in May. Large totals in December are not unusual with over 100mm of rain being recorded on six occasions in the last 50 years. The variation in May, however, should not be as pronounced, with only two years out of 50 with a rainfall of more than 100mm. The lowest May total of 6mm occurred in 1972, while the highest (103.2mm) occurred in 2012. In reality there is only a small degree of variation between our wetter and drier months, with June being the driest at 37.1mm on average and November being the wettest with 53.2mm on average.
- March tends to be the month with the most rainfall in one day with the highest recorded daily total in the last 50 years of 87.8mm recorded on 23/3/1983.
- Other great rainy days in March include 21/3/2009 with 74.4 mm, 27/3/1977 with 66mm and 19/3/1975 with 42.6 mm (please note that the rainfall for each day is measured and recorded at 0900 and includes all rain falling within the last 24 hours).
- Our heaviest rainy period occurred in December 1993 with 42.8mm recorded on the 27th, 43.2mm on the 28th and 62.8mm on the 29th. The total for December in that year was 187mm.

BY KAREN WHEELER

New year, want a new perspective? A new Life Coach could be your answer!

Many of you would know the lovely Anna Schmidt from the South Arm Market. Perhaps you didn't know that her talents lie beyond the great soap, feltworks and art she has on her stall.

Anna has set up a new business, Insight Coaching & Healing, to help you identify and release mental and emotional blocks in any area of your life. Limiting beliefs, anxiety, self doubt and resistances can all hold you back so life coaching is about providing support, defining options and using strategies to increase motivation and help you achieve and maintain a positive life change.

She's holding a two day creativity workshop on Sunday 22 February and Sunday 1 March at the Okines Community House. This will benefit you boost your self esteem and show you strategies and tools that you can use to enhance your their creative thinking.

Anna is also offering a limited number of complimentary coaching sessions where you can get a taste of what might be possible in your life.

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FIRE PERMITS

We are now in the middle the fire season and so far we have been pretty lucky with no major bushfires in our area.

The Fire Permit season was declared in November. To obtain a permit you should call 1800 000 699 and if a permit is necessary a Permit Officer will call and assess the situation and decide whether or not to issue a permit.

There are strict rules on issuing permits and they must only be issued in accordance with the TFS guidelines, environmental regulations and council by-laws. In general landowners should conduct hazard reduction burns etc outside the permit period when Permits are not required.

DURING THE FIRE PERIOD

On blocks of 2,000 square meters or less it is illegal to burn without a Fire Permit, which can only be issued for genuine hazard reduction purposes.

On properties of more than 2,000 square metres, except for cooking purposes, outside burning is banned unless it is (1) with a Fire permit, (2) for fire prevention or (3) complying with a by-law. Clarence Council has no relevant by-laws.

A Fire Permit can be issued by a Permit Officer for the landowner to conduct a hazard reduction burn or burn a pile of vegetation, bush or garden waste of more that 1 cubic metres. Permits are not required for piles of less than 1 cubic metre. Permits will not be issued for any purpose other than the burning of vegetation and will only be issued to burn unpainted, untreated and uncontaminated wood; or vegetable waste; or vegetation; or paper. Piles containing cardboard, domestic waste, building rubbish, treated timber or any contaminated material, tyres, paint etc cannot be burnt and these materials should be disposed off at the local tip.

A permit can only be issued to a landowner for his/her own property. Where an area to be burnt or a pile crosses a property boundary a permit will not be issued unless both landowners are in agreement, then each will be issued with a permit. If the pile or hazard is partially on Council or Crown land a Permit will not be issued.

WHERE A PERMIT HAS BEEN ISSUED

A Permit will have a number of conditions attached to it, which the landowner must comply with before the fire is lit. Some of these conditions may be specific to that particular fire, others are for all fires. Examples of some 'all fires conditions' are, a Permit Holder must notify all adjoining/ immediate neighbors within a 1.5 kilometer radius of the burn of the time and location of the burn, this must be done immediately before lighting the fire.



The Permit Holder must register the fire by calling 1800 000 699, also immediately before lighting the fire and conduct the burn themselves.

A Permit Holder must sign the Permit to acknowledge that he/she understands and will comply with the conditions imposed by the permit.

The Brigade itself cannot be issued with a Permit to burn off a landowner's property. Permits can only be issued to a landowner. In general the Brigade is not allowed to undertake burning operations at the request of a landowner unless the operation will genuinely reduce a fire hazard or the work is part of a planned training exercise.

Most importantly, when a Total Fire Ban is announced, any permit that has been issued for that day is automatically cancelled.

GLYNIS HEATHER | BRIGADE SECRETARY | 6239 9564

RECEIPE

This is the best zucchini pasta—especially if you make your own!

- Heat plenty of olive oil in a frying pan.
- Add 6 finely chopped anchovies, 3 cloves of garlic chopped finely and sea salt fry for a few minutes.
- Add 3 medium zucchini's (grated) and stir continuously for a few minutes.
- Add chili flakes or pepper (depending on your taste)
- Tip on to pasta and serve and top with parmesan.

Editor: If you're not keen on anchovies try bacon! Will not disappoint.





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CREMORNE COMMUNITY GROUP

We are obviously delighted by the recognition our Long Table Lunch event received at the Australia Day Awards this year and very proud of the achievement.



We ended 2014 with another annual gathering—our Community Christmas Tree evening on 19 December. It went off with-

out a hitch and even Santa's dodgy beard stayed in place during his crowd-stopping presentation of gifts to the hordes of children who gathered at his feet! Good weather, good company and a good band (Twice Bitten) combined to make it an enjoyable night for children and grown-ups alike. For a sizeable number of the young brigade, a highlight was the "Mobi Le Maze" from Island Recreation. If planning a child-focused event, we can highly recommend this portable "playground" to entertain children in a safe, enclosed space.

With the new year upon us and residents scattered across various holiday destinations – or fitting in some Cremorne Beach time – our events calendar has been put on hold for a short while but a sub-committee of our Group has been working behind the scenes to produce an Autumn issue of our Cremorne community newsletter, "C Breeze". This is a relatively new initiative with the aim of producing 4 issues per year (across each of the seasons) and dealing with specific Cremorne material. There is, of course, a vital role to be played by the SAPRA Newsletter in keeping all of us on the Peninsular better informed of local events, needs and interests. In that vein, I wish all readers and Peninsular residents the very best for 2015.

Brian Bennett, President | Cremorne Community Group Inc.

Love the Peninsula and enjoy writing about it?

SAPRA is gathering information for the proposed Peninsula website and we know there's an awful lot to write about as the list just keeps getting longer! So we need some help - please! If you like writing and would like to help out on either general or specific topics (eg beaches, best spots for photos, birdlife etc) or could help us collate all the info on local groups, please contact Kerry on 0407 875 460 or email kerry@theksprinciple.com.au



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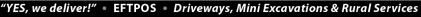
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PUMPKIN WATCH...looks like the Iron Plot Community Garden is hoping to take out the top pumpkin prize this year! Think you can do better? Start feeding up your pumpkins ready for the weigh in at the market in May. To be part of the Community Garden join the plotters on the last Sunday of the month for a couple of hours starting at 10am.

ST BARNABAS

We finished 2014 with a full congregation at the traditional Carol Service and the joyful Christmas service We are now back to the routine of 4.pm services on the 1st, 3rd



and 5th Sundays, each followed by a meal in the hall. Everyone is very welcome, whatever your church affiliation, or lack of it.

Our curate, David Blyth has moved on to Ulverstone. We will miss his gentle ministry here. He is being replaced by Ed Cavanough who is finishing his training for the ministry 'on the job'. We welcome him and his wife Amy. Our friendly Connect' group will be recommencing on Friday 20th February at 10.30 am and we would love to welcome some new friends.

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CHRISTMAS IN CREMORNE

This amazing photo is from the Cremorne Christmas party — by local photographer **Kath Chapman of Design Soirée**



PLAYGROUP

Playgroup once again resumes with the new school term. We welcome back our regulars, newcomers and some expecting bubs for 2015. Whilst the sun continues to shine hot and long during daylight saving we'll have our sessions at Cremorne Park (or maybe the beach) and at the Club if the weather not so fabulous.

We'd also like to extend our thanks again to the Cremorne Community Group for taking the lead in organising the 2014 Christmas Party. Special thanks to so many from the playgroup and wider community who helped out to make it another great event. Most importantly Santa and the Sandford Fire Brigade with their sleigh.

If you're not sure what's happening with playgroup give either Bron or Jodie (details on back) or check on email as this is our main mode of communication. Give us a call if you'd like to join the email group.

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LOCAL SERVICES (continues p.11)

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Opossum Bay Beach Cottage—Holiday letting

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South Arm Cabin Retreat

5 self contained 2 bedroom cabins, waterfront of Ralphs Bay, opposite RSL, known as 'Ralphsdene.' Laundry facilities and old apple packing shed set up as games room with BBQ area. Contact Malcolm or Rose on 6239 9894 | 0447 402 977 | www.southarmcabinretreat.com

ANIMALS

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Domestic flights & crate hire , local road transport (vet, airport etc), luxury boutique cat boarding with reverse cycle heat pump, small pet boarding with own cage, local pet sitting for Opossum Bay, South Arm, Sandford and Lauderdale, daily medication for special needs pets. Contact Mel (trained vet nurse) directly on 1300 13 52 52 (not a call centre!), email <u>ho-bart@dogtainers.com.au</u> or Hobart under office locations at <u>www.dogtainers.com.au</u>

Equus Essentials

Equine Supplements, Accessories & Gear 0458 490 033 | equus-essentials@netspace.net.au | www.equusessentials.webs.com

Paws n People Positive Dog Training

Come and join our qualified instructors for one-on-one training and behavioural consultations. We can come to your home or visit us in beautiful Sandford. Bring out the best in your relationship with your dog and solve some of those nagging behavioural problems. We teach you modern, positive reinforcement techniques so you can effectively alter behaviours in your dog. Training is something we do WITH our dogs, not TO our dogs. Kim 0409 488 753 | dogs@kimrobertson.com.au | pawsnpeople.com.au

THRRO

Tas. Horse Rescue and Rehabilitation Org. Please help with donations, sponsorship, foster homes, or volunteering. 0457 147 428 or www.thrro.webs.com

AUTOMOTIVE

Auto Towing & Windscreen Repairs

Tilt tray towing, windscreen repair, car detailing. Free wreck removal. Phone: Anthony 0412 110 992

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BUSINESS

Mj's Hair Design

We cater to all hair care needs. 3120 South Arm Rd (between cafe and pharmacy). Open Wed - Sat or by appointment 6239 9612 / 0421 859 408

Short on time?

Need products, services or even holidays researched, sourced &/or purchased at the most reasonable price or within a certain budget? I have the time to save you time & money! I am a long term, local resident with reliable, quality services. Please call Alex on 0439 379 416 to talk about your requirements.

Web Site Design & Publication

For skilled, timely and affordable web design, publication and attachment to all search engines, Google, Yahoo, and Bing etc. phone Bethamy on 0429 399 961 or email treewitch3@yahoo.com.au

Website — Think Tasmania

...promoting all things Tasmanian! www.think-tasmania.com Contact Tania to have your business included: 0407 790 642 or email tania@think-tasmania.com

CEREMONY & CELEBRATION

'Celebration by Ceremony'

Kaye Wilkinson-Green, Civil Celebrant in Sandford. For Meaningful Rites of Passage contact kayewilkgreen@bigpond.com| 0438 336 049

Civil Celebrant

Performing weddings, baby namings, vow renewals, funerals and memorials. Lynn Stein - Joyous Celebrations South Arm. Contact 0438 392 614 | lynn@joyouscelebrations.com.au

FOOD & EATING OUT

Fresh Fish—Delivered to your door fortnightly on Weds. Sharon: 0459 373 743 Iron Pot Coffee Lounge

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Great coffee and food! Pizza on Friday nights—eat in or take away. Ideal venue for small functions. Open Thurs to Sun (may change). 6239 9998

South Arm RSL & Comm. Club Great meals every night for members and visitors. Bottleshop facility for members. New members very welcome. Ph: 6239 9171

FOR HIRE

Calverton Hall & Oval

Hall and Oval Hire — Joan 6239 9141 South Arm Community Centre

Available for hire for all sorts of events – special occasions, workshops, group or business meetings, short courses, training sessions. Rates are very reasonable contact a SAPRA member

Tennis Court

Tennis Court Hire — Noela 6239 9172

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Counselling

Adolescent, adult, family and couples. Registered Psychologist Helen Middleton, Opossum Bay, 0407 790 234

Grief Support Group

Support meeting, 1st Friday of the month. Social Lunch, 3rd Friday of the month. Enquiries to Clarence Plains Community Health

Holistic Counselling

Professional and confidential support for life's challenges. To make an appointment ring Wajan 0400 464 004 **KBD Personal Fitness**

One-on-one personal training, no

sweaty over-crowded gyms, first 2 sessions discount price \$25 per 45 min session. Group sessions available for up to 4 people (discounted price). Join KBD for a journey to a fitter healthier lifestyle! Ph Samantha 0467 000 393 | kbdpersonalfitness@hotmail.com

Massage Therapy

Massage therapist living locally in South Arm. Book a massage today to reduce muscular aches and pains, stress and improve general well being. Studio at 157 Blessington St or a mobile service to your home—call Leeann 0404 465 486.

Weight Loss Program Our clients never feel hungry; results guaranteed; feel energized and revitalized; personal success coach FREE sample pack, try before you buy!!! Call Kylee now 0386 712 822

HOUSE & PROPERTY

AJs Lawnmowing & Maintenance 6 Calverton Place, South Arm. Ph 6239 9863 or 0422 992 479. Free quotes. Carpentry, plastering, tiling Tony White 0419 399 481

Electrical and Heat Pumps

Richard Pohl (Lic C1717) 0419 899 100

LOCAL SERVICES (continued)

Fencing Decks and Pergolas

Accredited Builder, specialising in decks, pergolas and individualized residential fencing 0400 532 491 www.fdap.com.au

Hobart Home Improvements

Painting—colour consultancy available from qualified consultant. Handyman & Landscaping—free quotes & competitive rates. Call Jonathon 0448 430 544

House-sitter

Experienced, reliable and mature. Excellent refs, local family. Contact Clare 0450 417 061

Immac Cabinets Pty Ltd

Sam McCrum | 0415 558 540 Immac.cabinets@gmail.com

Outdoor Furniture

Deck, Patio, Garden, Classic Adirondack. Dave 6239 9001

Phil's Water-0419 190 648

Plasterer

New homes, renovations, and small jobs. Ian 6239 9830

Property Consultant

Ben Palmer – Raine & Horne Eastern Shore 0417 556 731 Ben.palmer@rh.com.au

Qualified Landscaper

Develop new gardens or rejuvenate no job too big or too small. References available, free quotes. ABN 265 672 241. Ph Steve: 6239 9050 or 0408 000 645

Restoration, repair and

polishing of wooden furniture. Ph. Garry 6248 9144

Slashing

Blocks slashed. Ph: Ian on 0418 138 090

Simon Says—Lawns & Gardens

Clean up, maintenance, pruning, waste removal & whipper snipping. Pensioner rates apply, free quotes 0439 314 246 or 6239 9315

TV101, Home Theatre, antenna & internet digital installations. Ph Lewis 0400 496 645.

SPECIAL INTEREST

Family Portraits

Portraits with a personal touch. I come to you or wherever your family is happy for al, fun and beautiful family photographs. Discuss your ideas with Kate 0427 561 565



COMMUNITY MEETINGS, CLASSES & EVENTS

Family History Research

Happy to discuss your family history research interests. Please email your request to ancestralressertas@bigpond.com or fax 6248 8528 or

jdu85255@bigpond.net.au

Scrapbooking Classes

Clifton Beach area. Guidance, assistance, some supplies. Small groups, beginners welcome. Contact Karen 6248 8879 | kdboddy@iiprimus.com.au

TRANSPORT

Community Bus

Each Tuesday to Hobart, usually leaving South Arm at 10:00am and back around 3:30pm. The bus will drop you off for appointments, movies and while you shop. Book by Friday prior to Tuesday. Available some other days with times to suit. Enquiries and bookings: Fred Herbert 6239 9111 or 0438 435 018.

Taxi

Support your local taxi based in Delphis Drive above Cremorne. Home-city-airport, will meet at airport. Bookings only — 7 days. Bob 0408 887 389

Art Classes

Community Centre at South Arm Wednesday mornings at 10.00am. All Welcome.

Apex Trampoline Club

Join one of our exciting classes: beginners, recreational, and elite. Now located at the Lauderdale Primary School Sports Stadium. Contact Ben Kelly 0414 477 346 or apex.trampoline@gmail.com. Visit www.apextrampoline.gymnastics.org.au

Bible Discussion—Connect Group

Running for 20 years this group would love to welcome new members. Fridays 10.30am at 3218 Main Rd, South Arm. Commencing in February 2015. Ph Jane Beavan 6239 9244.

Bridge

Bridge group meets at Calverton Hall Tuesdays, 7:30pm. New members welcome. Ph: Noela 6239 9172

Church Services

St Barnabas, South Arm, 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday of the month at 4:00pm followed by a meal. Contact Rev Helen Phillips on 6247 9700 or Jane Beavan on 62399 244 Community Carol Service at 7pm on 21 December 2014 and Christmas Day Service at 8am

Clifton Beach Surf Life Saving Club

Membership, sponsorship & clubhouse inquiries: President: Mel Bush | 0418 296 925; Club Captain: Grant Conway | 0439 207 549; Junior Activities: Rod Kershaw | rod@construction3.com; General Enquiries: Shayne Clark | 0429 891 102; or visit

www.cliftonbeachslsc.com.au

Coastcare

Mortimer Bay. 1st Sunday of the month, 9:30-11:30am. Ph: Leanne 0408 498 468

Pipeclay. Meets 10:00am 3rd Sunday in park opposite shop in Cremorne. Ph: Rachel Viney 0439 373 383 or 6248 9498 and visit www.cremorne.tas.au

Wildcare—Deslacs (Clifton).

info@wildcaredeslacs.org

Craft Group

2nd, 4th & 5th Tuesday of the month 12.30—3:00pm at Calverton Hall. \$2 per session. Ph: Leslie Gore 6239 9321

Cremorne Bowls Club

Tuesday social bowls and soup \$5. 10:30am for an 11:00am start. Wednesday indoor bowls with supper \$3, 7:30pm. Saturday social bowls with a sav \$6, 11:30pm for a midday start. All welcome. Contact Glenn on 6248 9856 after 4.30pm or contact glennbrem@netspace.net.au

Cremorne Community Group Inc

www.cremorne.tas.au | ccg@cremorne.t as.au. To receive newsletters and information about the group contact Convenor, Vicki Pearce: 0418 992 891 or vicki_pearce@hotmail.com or Secretary, Brian Bennett: 0417 444 389 or bhbennett@bigpond.com

Dog and Owner Walk

Saturday, 8:30am on beach below Saltair Court. Ph: Jane 6239 9244

Fire Brigade

South Arm Fire Station—2nd Tuesday of the month, 7:30pm. Fire Captain: 6239 9412

Sandford Fire Station—Training each Monday 7:30 in summer and every second Monday in winter. Contact Dave Williams, Brigade Chief, 0417339553

Friends of Opossum Bay Park

Plant, plan, weed and chat at Opossum Bay Park. Tuesdays 9-10am daylight savings (10-11am over winter). Enq: Dick 6239 9739 or Rae 6239 9342

Garden Club

Meets 1st Monday after South Arm Market at St Barnabas Church Hall at 4:30pm. Ring Barbara 6239 9897 or Dot 6239 9190.

Heartmoves

Gentle Exercise, Wednesdays, 3.30pm at the Sandford Hall. Contact Jenny 6243 8547 | 0417 489 145

Karate

For all ages, at Calverton Hall. We do not have classes during the school holidays. Phone: Kathy 6239 9022

Market

1st Sunday of the month at the South Arm Community Centre, 9am—1pm. For site and car boot bookings and all enquiries: Pam 6248 9852

Playgroup

Monday, 10am —noon. \$2.50, bring a piece of fruit. Held at the Cremorne Bowls Club. Contact Bron: 6248 8067 or Jodie: 6237 0720 or visit www.cremorne.tas.au

SAPRA Committee Meeting

2nd Tuesday in the month, 7:30pm at the South Arm Community Centre. Guests welcome—contact a committee member to arrange (p. 2).

Sandford Scout Group

Friends, fun, adventure and community service for boys and girls! Joey Scouts (6 & 7 yrs) Mondays 4.30-5.30pm | Cub Scouts (8-11 yrs) Mondays 6.15-7.45pm | Scouts (11-15 yrs) Wednesday 7-9pm | Venturers (15-18 yrs). Contact: Jo Maddock 6239 9876

Siddha Yoga Chanting & Meditation Group Sandford

All welcome. 1st Friday of every month. Phone 6248 8247.

Soup and Sandwich

3rd Monday of the month, midday. Calverton Hall — \$8 per person. Contact Jenny Morgan 6239 9162 | 0407 312 966.

South Arm RSL Sub-Branch Inc.

General Meetings 4pm, fortnightly on Thursdays at the RSL. Contact Terry Roe 0400 140 870 or email troey1@bigpond.com

Tai Chi @ South Arm

Has commenced on Tuesday mornings at 10.30am, Calverton Hall. Contact: Marigold 6239 9541

Yoga—with Atmashakti

Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Half Moon Bay. Phone: 0400 507 748