

South Arm Peninsula Newsletter

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SOUTH ARM GETS A NEW ENGINE



The South Arm Fire Brigade has recently taken delivery of a new fire truck, like the old one a heavy tanker configured for both vegetation and structural fires. You may have seen it being driven around the district as members get used to it. It's impressive and is a fantastic asset to the whole peninsula — but even as we leave the summer behind please continue to be vigilant about fire safety!

The Biggest Pumpkin on the Peninsula



It's on again! How's your pumpkin growing? The drought means you'll have to water it (unfortunately mine has frizzled on the vine, so I won't be entering). We don't expect the giants they have at Copping because we're in a different climate. The Garden Club and the Market Committee are waiting to give a prize to the biggest pumpkin entered, whatever its size! Bring it along to the May community market on Sunday 4 May 2014. Please note they **HAVE** to be grown on our Peninsula (this side of Lauderdale).

Rae Calvert
Garden Club 6239 9342

ANZAC DAY NOTICE FRIDAY 25 APRIL 2014



The South Arm RSL Sub-branch Inc. extends an open invitation to all community members to attend and support this significant occasion. There are a number of services being held in South Arm as well as lunch and other activities. The event is always extremely well attended, **see page 7** for all the details.

JOAN GRIFFITHS— NOMINATED FOR AN AUSTRALIA DAY AWARD

Joan Griffiths joins an ever growing list of peninsula residents who have been nominated for or received an award as part of the City of Clarence Australia Day Citizens Awards. Joan was nominated for Citizen of the Year for her lasting contributions to the community life and amenities of the South Arm Peninsula. The award was won by Donald Mills—who accordingly to Joan “richly deserved it.” Maurice Potter has provided some of Joan's story and details about her work that has benefited the peninsula in such a big way—**see page 9**.

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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, general articles or other contributions.

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CLOSING DATE: Contributions for the next issue are due WEDNESDAY 14 MAY 2014.

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INCREASING PETROL COSTS SUPPORT LOCAL DRY GYM OPENING

‘Support for opening of a dry gym in South Arm to date has been very encouraging. The closest gym for local residents is currently a 50-60 km daily return journey. Over 200 local people have participated in the survey so far’. Ms. Bethamy Nader, Local Resident & Gym Market Researcher said.

‘The Dry Gym will offer classes such as, Pilates, Yoga, Tai Chi and Aerobics’ to residents, holiday makers and workers who are based in the Sandford, Cremorne, Clifton Beach, South Arm & Opossum Bay Areas. Dry Gym will offer Self Defense Classes to primary school aged girls and boys, and women and men of all ages. A Dry Gym is home to fitness equipment such as treadmills, exercise bikes, elliptical-cross trainers and rowing machines.’ Ms Bethamy Nader said.

‘South Arm Dry Gym Surveys are currently available inside BP Lauderdale Service Station, South Arm Pharmacy, South Arm Shop, and the Opossum Bay Store. I would like all residents, holiday makers, and workers in Sandford, Clifton Beach, Cremorne, South Arm and Opossum Bay areas to have a say in whether they will use a dry gym in South Arm’. MS Nader said.

‘So please make your voice heard, and register your say the next time you call into one of the participating outlets. Or you can send an email to register your say to treewitch3@yahoo.com.au.’ Ms. Nader said.

Rainfall	Cremorne	Opossum Bay	Sandford	South Arm
January 2014	10.5mm	12.8 mm	16.5 mm	19.0 mm
February 2013	33.0mm	27.6 mm	39.0 mm	18.5 mm
2014 Year to Date	43.5 mm	40.4 mm	55.5 mm	37.7 mm
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THREE NEW LOCAL BUSINESSES NOW OPEN

It's great to see our community growing at all levels – this issue we introduce you to three new businesses.

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THE SOUTH ARM HOBBY SHOP has all activities to keep everyone busy! Radio controlled planes, boats, choppers, and cars, fishing, gardening, camping, arts & crafts, needlework, gifts for children, hobby magazines and much more. Whew!! Come and say hi, you're sure to find something interesting. Located next door to the South Arm Community Pharmacy and close to Iron Pot Café. Now open Tues to Fri 10am—6pm & Sat 10am—4pm. Ph 6239 9332.

KBD PERSONAL FITNESS

Not keen on sweaty over-crowded gyms? Like some one-on-one individualised training? KBD Personal Fitness has just set up in South Arm and is offering a special discount to get you started – your first two sessions at the discounted price of \$25 per 45 minute session. Group sessions are also available for up to four people at special rates. Join KBD and start your journey to a fitter healthier lifestyle. Phone Samantha on 0467 000 393 or email kbdpersonalfitness@hotmail.com she believes if you commit and dedicate and yourself you will succeed!

SOUTH ARM FIRE BRIGADE

As the weather cools off a little bit it's worth remembering that, at the date of writing, fire permits are still required. The vegetation in the area is still dry enough for fires to get out of control and spread.



Over the course of the last few weeks the Brigade has provided crews for the fires both at White Beach and Buckland, working 12 hour shifts. Although this year the bushfire season has been the busiest time for fire-fighters, in Tasmania autumn and winter often prove to be more dangerous, with significantly more house fires, and unfortunately, some fire-related deaths. Wood heaters are always a potential for house fires and need to be serviced every year. Please remember smoke alarms do save lives, but the batteries should be changed twice a year when the daylight saving starts and finishes, so don't forget to replace yours when the clocks change.

Glynis Heather | Brigade Secretary | 6239 9564



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SAPRA UPDATE (or the SOUTH ARM PENINSULA RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION)

WHAT'S SAPRA UP TO? Well may you ask! People sometimes ask "what has SAPRA done" and "what do you actually do". Well folks, the past list is very long and has been mentioned before but in nutshell, we work busily away in the background on a number of projects, some short term, some long term. Here's just a smidgen of what's going on at the moment:

South Arm Website: we've been working on building a website to showcase our Peninsula for visitors and to give our local community an online resource for a while now. Unfortunately there was an unforeseen hiccup which delayed things quite substantially but we're now hoping to have a site in operation within six months (hopefully earlier of course!).

NEW PROJECT: hot off the press is a new project proposed for Potters Hill Reserve. It's a special walking path that the walking group, headed up by the inimitable Dick Vaughan, is looking to construct. Early days yet but as we know with Dick and his Flowering Gum Avenue – he's a man that gets things done!

WOW! Didn't South Arm get some great coverage with the opening of the Convict Trail! As well as working on a new brochure and getting the word out further afield, we're also looking at some **tourism-related signage**. More in next issue.

Food Connections program: last year this provided pre-made meals for isolated and elderly members of our community, cooked up by the students at Geilston Bay High. As Geilston Bay has now closed, the students and staff at Rokeby High School have stepped in and we look forward to working with them this year. For more details call Dot on 6239 9190.

SAPRA memberships: Due at the end of June, look out for forms at the shops in May and in our next newsletter.

And speaking of food (well not really!), if you have a beef about an issue in our area or an idea for a project, please contact any Committee Member. Remember, we're here to work for you!

The SAPRA Committee wishes you all a happy and safe Easter.

Kerry Scambler | SAPRA President

CLARENCE ARTS AND EVENTS

Sign up now for the monthly Clarence Arts & Events eNews that will let you know all the events on in Clarence for each month. Simply email: artsandevents@ccc.tas.gov.au

COMING UP...

Visual Treats from the Closed Shop

By the Closed Shop Textiles Group
 An exhibition of work by 10 textile artists using various media including free motion embroidery, appliqué, patchwork and quilting.

Schoolhouse Gallery March 28-April 16

Her Work Over Time

By Christina Burdon

A retrospective exhibition of the work of the late Christina Burdon demonstrating the diversity of Christina's skills.

Schoolhouse Gallery April 26-May 18

BRIDGE

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DISCOVERING OUR HISTORY IS FASCINATING – like to join us?

If local history — both long gone and the recent past — fascinates you, the South Arm History Group needs your ideas and help.

We are currently just four people with various interests and experience but we initiated and managed the Convict Trail and saw the great signage for the Gellibrand Vault finally installed (helped by others of course!). We have some project ideas to better share our history with the community but your ideas, input and help could see these ideas turn to reality a lot quicker because many hands really do, well you know the rest! We meet every six or so weeks and keep in touch regularly via email (and some coffee meetings!). Like to know more? Contact Pene via seafoam@bigpond.com

And don't worry Maurice Potter's history and heritage piece will be back. Maurice and his wife Pauline have been in New Zealand to revise the history relating to the late Rev, Joseph Tice Gellibrand who left South Arm in 1877. We will pick up this story in the next issue.

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Suggestions so far are for a regular monthly run catering for all fitness levels. This could include walkers, jogger/walkers and fitter runners. Another suggestion is to try cross country runs thru local properties...with owners permission of course.

So if you like the idea of running or jogging with a group of like minded people call Tony Spruce on 0414 702 984 for more details.

DOG WALKING

Since 1997 a group of dog lovers have been walking together on Saturday mornings. Different people have come and gone, and even more different dogs (sadly dogs just don't live long enough), and lasting friendships have developed amongst both dogs and their owners. We still meet, now at 8.30 am, on the beach below Saltair Court. When we started all those years ago we met at 7am as dogs had to be off the beach by 8am; now dogs are allowed on the beach until 10am. New dogs and their owners are always welcome. It's a great way to socialise your dog.

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Clean Up Australia Day (at the neck)

Some people may be wondering why the Clean Up along the neck did not take place as usual this year on Clean Up Australia Day. The site was registered and everything set up ready to go when the Council advised that due to Occupational Health and Safety issues they would not allow any roadside clean ups to take place this year. Hopefully, this can be sorted out and arrangements made to hold the clean up later in the year.

Noela Foxcroft

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Flu Clinics 2014

Flu season is almost upon us again and we are pleased that we are able to offer Clinics again this year in conjunction with Lauderdale Doctors. Dates are: **Thursday 3 April, Saturday 5 April and Monday 14 April**. Your doctor consultation is bulk billed – bring your Medicare card.

Anyone aged over 65 or who has diabetes/asthma/COPD/CVD or is pregnant receives a federally funded **FREE VACCINE**. If you can't tick any of those boxes your vaccine will cost \$25. Please ring to make a booking to ensure the clinics run smoothly and we can get as many people vaccinated as possible. Ph 6239 9529.

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We don't charge a fee for this service but if you would like to make a donation into the Royal Guide Dog money box everyone wins.

ANZAC DAY NOTICE FRIDAY 25 APRIL 2014

0555 Hrs. Dawn Service. A Commemorative Service will be held at Lone Pine Memorial, Cape Deliverance, Fort Direction for all community members. South Arm RSL Sub-Branch Chaplain will be officiating. The Service will commence at 0555Hrs with a short march by Members to the Memorial site for a 6 AM start.

Please follow Parking Attendants directions and watch out for pedestrian traffic when parking. At the conclusion of the Dawn Service, The Committee extends an invitation to all community members to join them for a "Hot Toddy" and a Gun Fire Breakfast at the RSL & Community Club.

11.00 AM Service. A Ceremonial Service will be held at the South Arm Cenotaph. Those people wishing to join the march are requested to "form up" on South Arm Road outside the 4 Aces Café & South Arm Community Pharmacy by **NLT 1020Hrs** in readiness to march to the Cenotaph.

Clarence City Band and Sing Australia Choir will be in attendance.

Those people wishing to lay wreaths during either Service are encouraged to do so. Please contact the President on 0400 140 870 ASAP.

At the conclusion of the ANZAC Day Service, everyone is invited back to the RSL & Community Club. A two course luncheon can be purchased and Sing Australia Choir will entertain you. Free sausage sizzle for students and children. Traffic control will be provided by Tasmania Police with assistance from the South Arm Volunteer Fire Brigade.

COMMUNITY MARKET

Well what a day the last market was in March, watching footballers pushing a big ute around the oval, and also carry huge rocks turning at full speed. Stall Holders had a great time. As always Bob & Paul doing well with their veggies, as is Dot with her morning teas (her sponge cake is to die for). The RSL Sub Branch always support the market by running the BBQ which raises money for the community. For all bookings contact Pam 6248 9852 — see you soon.

BUY AT OUR NEXT MARKET AND WIN!

Come along to our **MAY** market with its cooler weather time of **10am to 2pm** and you could win a gift pack full of **goodies!** Simply make a purchase from the amazing range of food, collectables, garden plants, produce and more at the South Arm Community Market in May and you'll go in the draw to win a lovely pack of special Tassie goodies.



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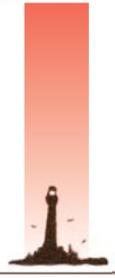
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CREMORNE PLAYGROUP

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Cheers Jodie

PIPECLAY COASTCARE

Many thanks to everyone who participated in the Clean Up Australia Day event on Sunday 2nd March or at the date that suited you. A lot of rubbish was collected and we will look at possibly doing a mid-year clean up amongst the weeding and revegetation work. Please give Rachel a call if you would like to know more about the group (details on back) and/or to sign up to the group's email list. We generally meet on the third Sunday of every month for 1-2 hours. It's not all hard work - we usually aim for a coffee break at the end of it all! Kids are regulars and most welcome to attend.

Many thanks - The Pipe Clay Coastcare Gang

SCHOOL TERMS

First term for 2014 finishes for Easter the week ending 18 April. For public schools the second term starts on Monday 5 May 2014.

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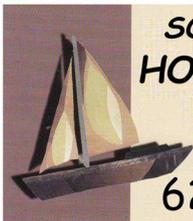
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In late December 2013 SAPRA received the following advice from the Department of Infrastructure, Energy and Resources: (DIER):

DIER officers have inspected the site and have marked up the road areas that require repair. A significant contributor to the pavement failure has been the recent cartage of material from local quarries near the site. DIER Officers have approached the quarry operators to identify possible future material cartage operations to assist with the planned design and timing of the rectification works. DIER has temporarily reduced the speed limit to 80 km/h in the area as part of the short term action to keep the road safe. The road is being regularly inspected and the speed limit may be reduced temporarily to 60 km/h if required.

DIER are currently designing and scoping the repairs, in line with advice being received from the quarry operators, which will be in excess of \$50,000. A permanent repair will be performed in the New Year as a matter of priority once the planning and design has been completed.

This particular section of the South Arm Secondary road will also resealed next summer to further enhance the road condition for motorists.

SAPRA will be following up with DIER when the new Minister is announced to ensure this commitment will be followed through. We will take further action as required from there.

COASTCARE CO-ORDINATOR RETIRING

After many years of volunteer service to Coastcare Rae Calvert is retiring. Under her leadership a band of volunteer workers achieved much clearing of noxious weeds and plants in the district and achievements include:

- Gellibrand Vault – this had been neglected over many years. It is a private vault dating from the mid-1800's and sits out on Arm End. The re-habitation of this was a huge task from getting rid of boxthorn infestation to stabilising the area. Coastcare tackled it and brought it back to the lovely condition it is today.
- African Boxthorn: after the cattle were taken off Arm End the African Boxthorn went rampant this has not only been on Arm end but other areas of the Peninsula too. Coastcare was using grant monies to tackle this problem.
- Boneseed: a concerted effort by two people hired by a Southern Councils' initiative and the South Arm Coastcare saw much of this declared weed eliminated on our peninsula.
- Tree planting by Coastcare: with local school children and Greening Australia major tree planting was carried out behind the dunes at Mitchel's Beach with Coastcare attending to the ongoing watering which seen most of them thrive. Coastcare were also involved with planting the South Arm Garden and the Scouts Garden at Opossum Bay.

With Rae retiring I am sure she will still be putting effort into other projects on the Peninsula such as the Opossum Bay Park and the South Arm Park where a small bands of people get together regularly to keep these gardens looking good. We wish her well for the future.

SUE YOUNG

Is there anyone out there on the Peninsula that would take on the role of Coastcare Co-ordinator?

BLESSINGTON STREET: PLEASE DO NOT PARK ACROSS THE FOOTPATH

Kids, mums with prams and other pedestrians shouldn't have to walk into the middle of the road to bypass your car. It's very dangerous and there have been a number of near misses. Don't let your car cause injury to someone. Besides, it's also illegal.

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JOAN GRIFFITHS—NOMINATED FOR AN AUSTRALIA DAY AWARD

Mrs Joan Griffiths arrived from the UK in 1951 and became a resident of Opossum Bay. As her profession was a school teacher she found employment with the State Education Department.

As she was a member of the Anglican Church she started a Sunday School at St Barnabas and continued with it for about the next fifteen years. During these years she married a local farmer (who died in 1972) and had two daughters. Joan has maintained a very strong connection with the church becoming a church warden and serving on Parish Council and, keeping an excellent record of memorial wall and burials surrounding the church. A position she held until 2013.

The South Arm R.S.L. Sub-Branch was formed in 1952, followed by formation of the Women's auxiliary. Joan became the secretary for this group who worked hard raising funds to build the first club rooms and Cenotaph, which was completed in 1956. By then the new R.S.L. Club House was under construction, again the women's auxiliary raised the funds for the curtains and furniture.

Joan has given a very strong support to the local community. When the Calverton Hall was transferred to the Clarence City Council by the late Mr Alma Calvert, a committee was formed to manage the operation of this building; again Joan volunteered and became President and has managed the renting with all who wish to hold the functions here.

Joan has been a leader in many capacities and is at present

the treasurer of the Senior Citizens Club which runs the Soup and Sandwich held at Calverton Hall each month to raise funds to support charities and many of the homes for the aged throughout Clarence and to the St Barnabas Church. Joan has held several positions this on committee over the past years.

The Lauderdale Probus Club Combined is another organisation in which Joan has been a member since it was formed in 1990. Joan has held the position as president on two occasions.

Sent in by Maurice Potter

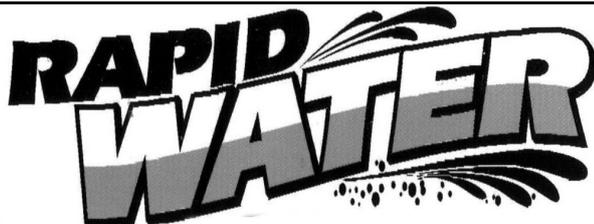
WOULD YOU LIKE TO GROW A COMMUNITY GARDEN?



South Arm residents were recently sponsored by SAPRA to attend the Community Gardens National Conference held at Ogilvie High School. SAPRA is keen to work with our community to develop a community garden based at the community centre. We are in the concept stage for this project and we want your input.

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Church Events

Gardening at St Barnabas. Second Saturday of each month at 9.30am. Contact Kaye 6239 9656

Church Services

St Barnabas, South Arm, 1st and 3rd Sunday at 4:00pm followed by a meal.

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SAPRA Committee Meeting

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