South Arm Peninsula Newsletter

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PENINSULA COMMUTER FERRY SERVICE

Fancy a trip up our spectacular river? It could all be part of your working day if there is enough local support for a peninsula commuter ferry service. The company Hobart Ferry & Water Taxi Services is well established on the eastern shore and will provide the service if it is viable for



South Arm and Opossum Bay. Travelling time to the city from the wharf at Opossum Bay is only 15 minutes! Many of you will remember that the idea was trialled some years ago in 2007 but failed to be sustainable with only 15 regular users. So what is different now? This time the ferry seats 24, is faster and only needs 15 regulars to make it viable. Here is the company's proposal which — with support - will start from **1 November** and run over the summer as a pilot:

DEPARTURES

South Arm wharf at 7.10am Opossum Bay wharf 7.20am.

Hobart at 5.30pm. The service would run from Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays).

FARES

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> Childs 10 trips: \$65.00, 20 trips \$120.00.

If you would like to discuss the proposal or register your interest please call Managing Director Rod Howard on 0407 036 268. Visit www.hobartwatertaxis.com.au for more general information on the company.

THE 'AVENUE' STARTS TO FLOWER

SAPRA and the community wish to thank Richard Vaughan for his vision, determination and persistence to bring the 'Avenue' to fruition. Richard Vaughan had a vision for South Arm...an 'avenue' of Red Flowering Gums from The Neck to Opossum 🔤



The project was launched on World Environment Day, 5 June 2010 and the trees were planted by members of the community in four separate working bees from South Arm to Opossum Bay. Each tree has been 'adopted' by a resident who cares for and waters it during its first two years of life. The fifth and final stage was between South Arm Shop and The Neck, predominantly planted by landowners, was finished this year, 2013. CONTINED PAGE 5.



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A DRY FITNESS GYM IN SOUTH ARM?

Local South Arm resident — Bethamy Nader - is undertaking market research to find out how many local residents want to improve their health and fitness levels by attending and using equipment housed in a Gym in South Arm. The proposed dry gym would house treadmills, rowing machines, cross trainers and exercise bikes for customers to use, and weekly low impact aerobics classes to improve the general fitness of all community would be offered.

Bethamy will be collecting opinions from local peninsula residents, market goers, holiday makers and business owners over the next eight weeks. If you would use such a facility get in touch with Bethamy — she can be contacted at treewitch3@yahoo.com.au.





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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.

Guidelines for all contributions are available from the editor: Annaliese Caney on 6248 8441 | annaliesecaney@hotmail.com. Space is provided for advertising, contact Kerry Scambler on 6248 9302 | kerry@smsaccounting.com.au.

CLOSING DATE: Contributions for the next issue are due WEDNES-DAY 20 NOVEMBER 2013.

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HELP GIVE NOAH A VOICE

We have reached our target and we can now order Noah's device. I wish I had the words to tell you all how very grateful and how overwhelming it is to have so many people rally around and support my little man Noah. With all my heart, Thank you XX. Each and every one of you have made a huge difference to a perfect baby boys life (and mine). We will be eternally grateful. **Thank you, Tanika, Emily and Noah xxxxx**

As Noah's grandparents, both Tony and myself would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped and supported us in our efforts to raise funds for Noah. Words simply cannot express what this means to not just Tony and myself but to Tanika, Emily and especially Noah. Thanks also to Kelly Innis, without who none of this would have been possible. I have to make mention of the South Arm and surrounding communities and all who live here. This is the most amazing place to live.

Thankyou one and all — Judy & Tony Alexander xx

CONGRATULATIONS

The raffle for Noah was drawn at the South Arm Community Market in September. Many thanks to those who participated... the winners are as follows:

1st Prize; Louise Goss 2nd Prize; Tracey Southwell 3rd Prize; Michael Beams 4th Prize; Kylie Millerchip 5th Prize; Nick Jongenelen 6th Prize; Tamara Grattige 7th Prize; Tamara Grattige 8th Prize; Sarah Stops

Congratulations to all winners.

GRAPHIC DESIGN/ ARTISTIC TALENT REQUIRED!

I would love to give the front page title banner of this newsletter a face lift. I am happy enough to put pen to paper but my talents definitely do not extend into graphic design! I have a few ideas but need someone skilled to make them come to life. If you could spare a few hours and are happy to donate your time please get in touch:

ANNALIESE CANEY | Editor 6248 8441

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SOUTH ARM RSL SUB BRANCH INC

REMEMBRANCE DAY COMMEMORATIVE SERVICE

MONDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2013 **COMMENCING AT 10:28 AM**

At the South Arm RSL Sub Branch's

"WALL OF REMEMBRANCE" (located within the grounds of the South Arm RSL & Community Club)

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SEAFARERS' FESTIVAL 2013

From Ricky Ponting to Princess Mary, Tasmanians are rightly proud of our famous exports. Errol Flynn belongs in the list of notable locals for his work on screen, but he's less often recognised for his achievements as a seafarer. In his youth he circumnavigated Australia with his father Theodore and wrote the book Beams End about the experience. In his early adult life he sailed to New Guinea, managing a tobacco plantation and a copper mining venture where he commissioned his ship The Sirocco. The Seafarers' Festival 2013 is presenting a special focus on 'Errol Flynn the Seafarer' featuring The Sirocco, stage performances of Robin Hood and with demonstration battles by the University of Tasmania Fencing Society.

The festival includes stage and water activities, fine food and introducing a new side-show alley, the Seafarers' Festival is a free family festival on 27 October. For more information visit www.ccc.tas.gov.au/seafarers



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HISTORY & HERITAGE

My story this month is a request for information on a past member of the South Arm R S L Mr Collis Watson who lived in South Arm from around 1950. He and his wife Jean first rented the small cottage opposite the R S L & Community Club while he was employed by the Clarence City Council. They later moved to a house near the South Arm Store. At that time they were very good friends of the late John and Marge Morgan & Robert, and many others in South Arm. As the Old R S L Club developed there was need for a Bar Manager and Collis held this position for several years before he retired. Collis enlisted in the army 19/2/1942 at Geelong, Victoria. At that time he was living in Warrion a suburb of Colac. Collis had a brother and the last time he saw Collis was on the train when they both returned to Victoria after the war. They always thought he had gone to Queensland so his brother spent many years looking for him in that state. Just recently following a phone call by his niece Sonia Mendoza who has been trying to locate Collis discovered he had been living in South Arm from postal records. She is keen to receive any information about him to fill the gap in their family history. The South Arm people who knew Collis and Jean, she passed away in 1976 and when Collis retired he moved to Newtown, in Hobart, Collis died in 1998 in Hobart. Over the years there have been many people who have taken photos of people within the very first R S L Club at South Arm so I would very much like to get a copy of any photos of Collis and Jean to pass on to Sonia. Yes I have spoken with several South Arm people who knew them well but apart from the information I still have not been able to obtain a photo. Collis was discharged 4/12/1945 and his home address is recorded as Beeac. There is a Statutory Declaration on his military records dated 4/7/1946 where it states his address is Cororooke. He still appeared on the electoral roll living there in 1949. From that point on it has always been a mystery to his relatives on what happened to Collis plus they never knew he had married Jean, (her maiden name we never knew) I hope that someone can help with a photo or a story of their own and I will pass it on to Sonia.

MAURICE POTTER | maurice.potter@bigpond.com



CHILLI JAM



- I kg ripe Roma tomatoes, coarsely chopped
- 2 1/4 cups (500g) castor sugar
- 1/3 cup (80ml) white vinegar
- 1/4 cup (60ml) lemon juice
- 6 fresh long red chillies, sliced thinly
- 2 small red Thai chillies, sliced thinly
- 4cm piece ginger, grated
- 3 cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 tablespoons fish sauce
- 1 teaspoon coarse cooking salt

Stir ingredients in a saucepan over high heat, without boiling, until sugar dissolves. Bring to the boil, reduce heat. Simmer, uncovered, stirring occasionally, for about 1 1/4 hours or until jam is thick. Cool 15 mins.

Blend or process chilli mixture until smooth. Pour into hot, sterilised jars; seal immediately.

Store jam in a cool, dark place for up to 3 months. Refrigerate after opening.

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THE 'AVENUE' STARTS TO FLOWER...Continued p.1

Richard conducted numerous negotiations with the Council, DIER, Telstra and Aurora over this period. He has organised the purchase and transport of trees, soil for planting, initial





watering, co-ordination of the planting, fertilising, replanted where necessary and followed-up each of his 'babies'. In all, over 250 Red Flowering Gums are planted.

He would be the first to thank the Council and SAPRA for funding and promotion, and local groups (Coastcare, the Garden Club, and the Fire Brigade) who gave time and supplies, Lazenby Sand who provided soil for planting and community members who have embraced the idea and cared for trees. But without Richard's drive, determination and time-consuming commitment, this project would not have been possible. What a marvellous legacy for the community and one that will be enjoyed by all for many years to come.

It is anticipated that quite a few will be flowering this year, keep an eye out for them and remember all you have to do is give your tree a good soak with a bucket of water once a week (or a 2 litre bottle twice a week as a bar minimum) in the hot weather.

PICTURED 4th stage planting Richard (right) with Phil and granddaughter Clare.

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COASTCARE



PIPE CLAY

Pipe Clay Coastcare have been steadily working on a couple projects over the last few months. The corner of Cremorne Ave and Frederick Henry Parade has been our main focus. We carried out similar work just around the corner a few years ago with great success. Firstly the weeds were eradicated, then planted out with Tasmanian natives and mulched. As with all areas we have revegetated, we plan to monitor the site and weed and plant as needed.

An area along Pipe Clay Esplanade was identified as having a high density of weeds which were in danger of encroaching further along the lagoon. In the hope of reducing this possibility, we had the area professionally sprayed and have begun to replant. This area will also need to be continually monitored as already the weeds are beginning to repopulate.

Our August working bee was well attended and we were able to help the Crow/ Goyenne farm to create a wildlife corridor in their paddocks along Cremorne Ave (you will have noticed all the tree guards as you drive in).

Most recently we completed some maintenance along the spit track, removing tree guards, trimming some of the plants and planting some more natives. Anyone who has walked along the track will notice the huge difference that has been made to the area. Thanks to everyone involved in the project. The track was primarily completed to help protect the fragile dune system as well as provide access to the beach and lagoon at all times. Please help to protect the dunes by sticking to the path as much as possible.

We're continuing to seek funding for Serrated Tussock control on Calverts Hill and will hear back soon as to whether we have been successful. We are also a nominee for the Coastcare award at this year's Landcare conference, so fingers crossed we are successful – ether way it's a great way to showcase all of our work. Next month (Sunday 20 October at 10am) will involve us cleaning tools and doing some general maintenance on our new trailer. If you'd like to join us please send me an email <u>rachelviney@hotmail.com</u> or phone 0458 015 183 and I can include you on our mailing list. There are loads of ways you can help out, even if you are not able to come along to our regular working bees.

We usually have a break over the summer months so will end the year with a BBQ to say thanks to everyone who has helped out over the year.

RACHEL VINEY | COORDINATOR

SOUTH ARM

Although we are having a little 'rest' from official working bees, things are still happening. We continue to remove Boneseed; Halfmoon Bay is tackling the problem of garden waste in the reserve areas; locals continue to pick up litter; and Greg Ramsay is still negotiating his golf course.

On the latter (the golf course); Greg Ramsay has promised another community forum towards the end of this year, keep an eye out for posters. There is going to be a slow/cool burn to remove some of the tussocks to try and identify any aboriginal sites and to protect the plantings by school, coastcare and environmental groups, they have slashed wide firebreaks. Some of these firebreaks coincide beautifully with our walking tracks, so you can enjoy the Arm again for a while. Check it out ... and check out the growth on the plantings the school did. There will be a mini-forest there before you know it.

RAE CALVERT | COORDINATOR



Coastcare is community volunteers caring for their coast. Coast care volunteers identify local environmental problems and work together to achieve practical solutions. There are currently 2,000 Coastcare groups all around the country. www.coastcare.com.au **SOUTH ARM COMMUNITY CENTRE: Can you help make our Centre a vibrant place?** Join a working group (not a Committee!) and give the benefit of your experience and ideas. Date for a workshop will be announced at the AGM. If you're interested, please leave your name and contact details in the SAPRA box at the South Arm Shop.

CREMORNE BOWLS & COMMUNITY CLUB

The name of the club has changed to reflect the changing nature of the membership of the club. We are still primarily a facility that provides the chance for the people of this area to participate in the sport of Bowls but we now also provide a Community meeting place and facility for those other Members who are not necessarily interested in the game of bowls.

The Indoor Bowls season has been completed and congratulations to all on a successful season organised by Maria Ray. The singles champion is Ralph Tieman who defeated a young future champion in Andrew Dyson. The winners of the Di Hoggett shield for 2013 is The Tunnack Warriors who won the final by one shot. A well-deserved win largely set up by the play of Ralph who often saved the day with his last bowl. Congratulations to John Webster, Glenn Bremner, Paul Young and Ralph Tieman. The winners of the "B" Grade final are also to be congratulated and encouraged to do even better next year and make the Open Finals. Once again the community of Cremorne and surrounds have pulled together to provide a fun filled evening for the winter months. Pennant Bowls and Barefoot Bowls start with daylight savings and we are keen to expand our talent pool. Any one is welcome to come and try this sport. It is unique in that anyone can participate. There is no minimum or maximum age and both males and females are welcome. If you would like to be in-



cluded in a team for the barefoot bowls on a Thursday evening contact the Club on 62489856 or Don McVilly on 0418489064. There is only space for 12 teams so make sure you do not miss out. For the more competitive Cremorne has three pennant teams; men Division 2Reserve and Division 5 and women in Division 3 so all standards can be accommodated.

Pictured above: Open Champions "Tunnack Warriors" John Webster, Paul Young, Glenn Bremner and Ralph Tieman.



PUBLIC NOTICE



Fuel reduction burn at Gellibrand Point

The Parks and Wildlife Service (PWS) is planning a 77 hectare fuel reduction burn for Gellibrand Point Nature Recreation Area at Opossum Bay.

The purpose of the burn is to expose the ground to allow a survey for Aboriginal heritage as part of the assessment and approval process for the Arm End Multi-purpose Public Recreation and Golf Links proposal. The burn is also intended to reduce the fuel load to provide protection from bushfire for the Opossum Bay community. The burn will be undertaken in spring 2013 as weather and fuel conditions permit.

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BLESSINGTON RESERVE

Recommendations from the *Blessing*ton Coastal Reserve Activity Plan 2013 -18 are currently being investigated. These include the drafting of a track options report namely 'South Arm Track Investigation' which proposes three options for the alignment of the track linking Spring Beach to St. Johns Beach.

PLEASE NOTE: This is a Council proposal not one generated by SAPRA or one that SAPRA as a group has a position on. SAPRA members may individually support the proposal — or not — in much the same way that the community itself has diverse opinions. The consultation will have closed by the time this newsletter goes to print but if you have any questions or concerns contact either:

MARY MCPARLAND or PHIL WATSON on 6245 8600

COMMUNITY MARKET

Well what a turn out there was for the "Father's Day Market" in September. Thanks to Judy Alexander and friends for bringing down the "OLD CARS" it was the biggest market we have had in many a day, with perfect weather, so glad everyone had a good time. See you on the first Sunday of the month — 6 October and again on 3 November — 9:00am to 1:00pm at the South Arm Community Centre.

PAM LARKINS | Market Coordinator

COMPETION WINNERS: SOLAR HOUSE NUMBERS

SAPRA ran a competition in September for residents of the peninsular to win solar house numbers. The winners are:

- S Quinn Opossum Bay
- R Smith Sandford
- M McIntyre Opossum Bay
- J Yaxley Sandford

Thanks to all those who participated.



WATERWISE GARDENING

An invitation is extended to all to join Garden Club Members at an interesting talk on **Monday 4 November, 7pm** at the Community Centre, South Arm. Jonah Gouldthorpe of Still Gardening will be speaking on *Waterwise Gardening*. Now there's a subject pertinent to all gardeners on our peninsula.

Jonah says:

Our Waterwise Gardening talk is about cutting down on the amount of time, effort and money we need to spend watering the garden. Key message are:

- Water mostly leaves the soil through plants
- Group plants according to their water needs
- Take time to establish plants with strong root systems
- Using mulch and compost might cut down on the time and money you spend watering.

Still Gardening is a project which aims to help older people and their carers to live independently. "Still Gardening" speakers talk with community groups about the health benefits of gardening and ideas for making gardening easier as we age.

CONTACT RAE 6239 9342

CREMORNE PLAYGROUP

With warmer days approaching we're having more outdoor play – hopefully this will mean some last Mondays of the month either in the park or at the beach. Make sure to bring your hat. Please feel free to give us a call (details on back) to find out more about our group. Even if you can't make it we have a group email you may wish to join to keep up with what is going on. Hope to see you at one of our sessions – new members or just casual visitors most welcome.

Thanks Jodie (see listing page 12)

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STOP BY CREMORNE IN OCTOBER

The Cremorne Community Group is marking the 54th anniversary of the naming of Cremorne at the now annual Long Table Lunch on the 13 October from 12.30pm at the Cremorne Beach Reserve. Further information is available on



the Cremorne website at www.cremorne.tas.au. This event is jointly funded by the Clarence City Council community grants program and our Group.

On 29 September the CCG Inc will hold its AGM and we look forward to working with a new committee and are hoping that we can continue to increase our membership so that we can be responsive to the needs of the community. Membership renewals are now due and new members are encouraged to join. The membership fee is \$5.00 annually and can be paid at the Cremorne Bowls & Community Club during opening hours of by bank transfer citing CCG Membership; BSB: 037 014 Account No: 227619

With funding from the Clarence City Council community grants program, we will also celebrate the arrival of the Summer Solstice at the community BBQ and Christmas Tree decoration with the children to receive a visit from Santa Claus, on Friday 20 December.

The Cremorne Community group meets on a regular basis and the meetings are publicised on the notice board. If you would like to join or find out what the Group is doing, you can read about us on the website.

VICKI PEARCE | President Cremorne Community Group Inc



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CALVERTON HALL

We have been having problems with the stove in the Hall. It had been there for about 20 years and wasn't new to start with. The Calverton Hall Committee decided to purchase a new stove. Those of you who use the hall will notice how nice it looks. It has a flat top and should be better for use. We would ask that any spills be wiped off immediately and the inside be give a wipe over. It will be used for the first time at the September Soup and Sandwich.

JOAN GRIFFITHS

PRESIDENT CALVERTON HALL COMMITTEE

.SOUP & SANDWICH

A reminder that the Soup & Sandwich Lunch will be on Monday 21 October, followed by a general meeting. Monday 18 November is the date of the Christmas Party for our guests from various nursing homes. See page 12 for more information and contact details.

SAPRA AGM — NOVEMBER

SAPRA AGM will be held in November, keep an eye out at local shops for details. Nominations for the Committee are also invited from anyone willing to help at any level. Forms now in shops. Any gueries, please contact a Committee Member. We're a small group but achieve a lot, how much more could be achieved for the community with your help?

ROBERT GOYNE Area Specialist

Now in my 26th year as a real estate consultant living and working in the area and my wife Maryse runs the Iron Pot Coffee Lounge. Fall Real Estate have three offices to display your home plus all the technology to showcase your property. However, it's good advertising, local networking, and 7 day availability that makes me the Paradise Peninsula real estate specialist that you need to have working on your property.

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SPRING BABIES

Spring, with its new life, will shortly see young fledglings leaving the nest on their first flights. Some are a bit too eager and fall to the ground. If you find a youngster on the ground, appearing crippled, the best thing to do is to walk away. The parents know it's there, even if you can't see them. It's only a matter of hours, perhaps a day, before it can fly with its parents. It's traumatic for the youngster to be handled and taken from its surroundings. Assess the situation with common sense and only intervene if it is directly threatened by man, cars or domestic animals.

Please be careful of nesting birdlife on The Neck. A couple of Pied Oyster Catchers will undoubtedly nest there again and now we have the addition of a goose. She seems to be sitting on the verge near the South Arm End of The Neck. Goslings will hatch in about a month. Drive a little slower and be alert until the end of spring.

If you have a query contact: Wildlife Rescue and Bush Babies—emergency mobile 0467 233 064 (24 hours a day!). Follow on Facebook: www.facebook.com/pages/Wildlife-Snake-Rescue-Bush-Babies-Refuge/472687859453384



IN THE GARDEN

It's all on in the garden in October, but don't plant frost tender plants till mid October.

Seeds in pots: Cucumber, zucchini, pumpkin, tomato and capsicum.

Seeds in ground: Beetroot, carrots, climbing beans, parsley, coriander, lettuce, mizuna, parsnip, radish, white turnip, squash, potatoes, corn.



Seedlings: Spring onions, silver beet, brassicas.

Fruit: Citrus need feeding now, blood and bone at the dripline and watered in.

Ornamental: Most annuals, seeds and seedlings can be planted. Prune trees and shrubs as they finish flowering.

Hints: Pumpkins and sweet corn grow well together as the pumpkin keeps the soil cool and conserves water for which the corn will be grateful. Plant tomatoes (mid Oct), capsicum, parsley and strawberries in a bed to which old pine bark has been added, as they all like a slightly acid soil.

Interested in joining the Garden Club?

The Club meet to discuss gardening successes and problems relevant to the peninsula; visit local gardens and travel further afield to visit Open Gardens or interesting nurseries. All the details you need are on page 12.

LOCAL SERVICES

ACCOMMODATION

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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

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 **Digital TV antenna**

& Set Top Boxes, TV, Telephone outlets Free quotes Lewis Mitchelmore 6248 6655 or 0419 990 959

Fencing Decks and Pergolas

Accredited Builder, specialising in decks, pergolas and individualised residential fencing.

Ph 0400 532 491 or www.fdap.com.au

Flat Pack Furniture Assembly Contact Ian on 0418 138 090

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 on 0450 417 061

Outdoor Furniture

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

Phil's Water-0419 190 648 Plasterer

LOCAL SERVICES (continued)

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

Property Consultant

Wendy Bryant - Raine & Horne Eastern Shore, 6244 8338 | 0419 969 707 | wendy.bryant@rhtas.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

Slashing

Blocks slashed. Ph: Ian on 0418 138 090

Simon Savs—Lawns & Gardens

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

SPECIAL INTEREST

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

Family Portraits

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

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 9:30am 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-cityairport, will meet at airport. Bookings only - 7 days. Bob 0408 887 389



COMMUNITY MEETINGS, CLASSES & EVENTS

REMINDER!

Don't forget to check that the details of your community meetings, classes or event listings are up to date. Please get in touch with the editorial team and email updates or revisions to either:

kerry@smsaccounting.com.au annaliesecaney@hotmail.com

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

Fridays 10.30am at St Barnabas Hall. Contact Jane Beavan 6239 9244.

Monday evenings, 7:00pm. Non denominational Bible discussion. Phone Paul & Wendy Fenton 6239 9234

Bridge

Tuesday, 7:30pm. Ph: Noela 6239 9172

Church Events

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

Church Services

St Barnabas, South Arm, Sundays at 5:00pm with a weekly children's program. Meal following every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.

St Martins, Sandford, Sundays at 8:00am. **St Matthews,** Rokeby, Sundays at 10:00am. Contact Ross 6223 8843 or Jane Beavan 6239 9244.

Clifton Beach Surf Life Saving Club

Membership, sponsorship & clubhouse inquiries: President-Craig Sly, Sandford, 0418 136 470; Vice President- Maree van Galen, Clifton Beach, 6248 8465; Denise & Ron Kelly, South Arm, 6239 9283; Shayne Clark, Sandford, 6248 9101 or visit www.cliftonbeach@slst.asn.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 Crt, 9:00am approx at Half Moon Bay. 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, 7:30pm. Ring Barbara 6239 9897 or Dot 6239 9190.

Heartmoves

Gentle Exercise, Wednesdays, 2pm at 1544 South Arm Road, Sandford. Contact Jenny 6248 9125 | 0417 489 145

Indoor Bowls

Watch this space! Ph: Sue 6239 9237

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 & Medita-

tion 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 or Helen Richardson 6239 9874 | 0448 915 684.

South Arm RSL Sub-Branch Inc.

General Meeting 4pm on the 2nd Thursday of each month at the RSL. Contact Terry Roe 0400 140 870 or email troey1@bigpond.com

Tai Chi @ South Arm

Commencing again soon! Contact: Marigold 6239 9541

Yoga—with Atmashakti

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

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For all emergencies ALWAYS CALL 000 do NOT call members of the Community Emergency Response Team or Fire Brigade. This could result in unnecessary delays and stress for all.