



GEORGE TOWN COUNCIL

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\$6.85 Million Funding announced

On the 26th March, Nationals Senator Steve Martin, Nationals Federal candidate for Bass Carl Cooper and Liberal Federal candidate for Bass Bridget Archer, announced a total of \$6.85 million to fund the construction of the George Town Mountain Bike Trail and the redevelopment of Regent Square in George Town.

The \$4.4 million George Town Mountain Bike Trail will comprise a trail network approximately 105 kilometres in length located at Mount George. Aimed at capturing the growing market of mountain bike trail enthusiasts, the project involves multiple trails that have been designed to accommodate users of various experience levels.

The \$2.45 million Regent Square redevelopment project aims to further activate the centrally located open space in the heart of George Town through the provision of purpose designed play equipment for various age groups, concrete pathways, park furniture, landscaping, plaza areas, signage celebrating the heritage of the square and a showpiece entrance feature.

Council had been advocating for both projects as a key strategic priority with Mayor Archer welcoming the funding saying “there has been strong community support for both projects to occur, this is why Council resolved to pursue funding for both projects as its number one priority”.

Economic benefits are estimated to be upwards of \$12 million to the region stemming from the mountain bike trail alone, with Mayor Archer adding “the real value in these projects is in the physical and mental health benefits gained through providing spaces for social interaction and opportunities for low cost activity”.

Mayor Archer also acknowledged “the support of the George Town Destination Action Plan leadership group and in particular the George Town Chamber of Commerce who have been persistently advocating for these projects”.

“The funds are to be provided from the commonwealth 2018/2019 budget and do not form part of any election promise which makes this announcement so exciting, as Council can continue to lobby for election commitments for a number of important projects that will require external funding to proceed” added Mayor Archer.

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From the General Manager

First impressions.....



I begin with a big thank you to the George Town community for their warm welcome to my family and me. Since we arrived in late January we have been humbled by the efforts of many to accommodate and help us integrate into and feel part of the community.

It is pleasing to see a community that is proud of its heritage and eager to be engaged and involved in shaping the future.

We will work with the community to harness this passion through a number of initiatives including the establishment of the inaugural George Town Placemaking Advisory Committee and the development of a consultation and engagement strategy which will ensure our community is well informed and involved.

I thank Council and staff in making my family and I welcome also. I am excited to be working with a group of Councillors who are genuinely committed to a healthy and prosperous community. As a business I believe our purpose is to provide a quality of life to our community. We will realise this through the delivery of Council's Strategic Objectives and with relentless pursuit of opportunities for development and growth. To achieve this we need a good team.

On this note, it has been re-assuring to observe that the organisation is well served by a committed and capable workforce, which has been strengthened through a number of recent appointments including the Youth Development Officer, Community Services Support Officer and an Assistant Accountant.

As General Manager, I am committed to investing in the development of our human capital and to continually review the way in which we conduct business and deliver services to our community. As such, I will be announcing some exciting new opportunities shortly that will assist in realising potential across our organisation, community and commercial landscapes.

While I reflect on some of the great large infrastructure projects we have completed recently including Soldier Settlement Road Upgrade, Industry Road Upgrade and Windmill Point Park Upgrade (among others), it is exciting to note that large scale works will continue. Some projects of note include:

- the installation of a roundabout at the Franklin & Victoria Street intersection which will improve road safety and traffic movements;
- the construction of modern, all abilities accessible and equitable toilet, shower and change-room facilities at the George Town Sports Complex;
- the continued redevelopment of Regent Square which will further activate the centre of George Town through the provision of purpose designed play equipment for various age groups, concrete pathways, park furniture, landscaping, plaza areas, signage celebrating the heritage of the square and a showpiece entrance feature; and of course
- the construction of the George Town Mountain Bike Trail which will comprise a trail network approximately 105 kilometres in length located at Mount George. This is an exciting project that will capitalise on the growing market of mountain bike trail enthusiasts, and also provide for alternate low cost activity for our local community.

And the good work does not stop there...

Officers are currently preparing a budget for 2019/2020 for Council's consideration with community input invited. If you would like to have your say on what may be included in next year's budget you can do so by submitting in writing addressed to the General Manager George Town Council, PO Box 161 (16-18 Anne Street) George Town TAS 7253 or via email to council@georgetown.tas.gov.au by 5.00pm Friday 12 April 2019.

Like many before me, I have been drawn to the natural beauty and lifestyle opportunities of this amazing part of the world and am grateful to call George Town home. I see the huge potential we have for a thriving community and destination of choice and I look forward to working with Council, staff and community in realising this potential.

Shane Power
GENERAL MANAGER

From the Mayor

COUNCILLORS

This has proven to be a very exciting month for the George Town area.

At the March Council meeting a development application was approved for a new rotary peel veneer mill at Bell Bay, with the potential to deliver around 110 local jobs. It is a very welcome addition to the local economy.

Speaking of jobs, we know that whilst many industries in our area have many employment opportunities, they often struggle to find suitable and/or skilled employees but paradoxically there are young people looking for work. The newly launched KEEN Partners here in George Town is aiming to bridge that gap in an innovative way. This is an exciting start up in our area, and I encourage you to drop into to the newly refurbished space in Macquarie Street to learn more.

In late March, Council was successful in securing \$6.85million dollars in Federal government funding to deliver two fantastic projects in our area - \$4.4million to fully fund over 100km of mountain bike trail network and the \$2.45million dollar redevelopment of Regent Square.

These two projects are considered to be of high strategic importance by Council and because of the high expenditure required are reliant on external funding to be able to proceed. Both projects immediately will be significant for the area. Council believes that both these projects will boost and diversify our economy, build social capacity and inclusion and create business and employment opportunities.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank the people that have been persistent advocates for these projects including George Town Chamber of Commerce, Destination Action Plan Leadership group, Regent Square Reference group and the many individuals that have championed our area and continue to do so.

"Our future is looking very bright"

Plenty to do in the month ahead. Keep your eye on Council's website for upcoming events including Easter markets and fun days in some of our coastal communities, Anzac Day commemorations, and of course Targa returns to the streets of George Town at the end of April.

If you are keen to hear more about Council activities and news: General Manager Shane Power and myself will be talking all things Council and community on Tamar FM on the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Until next time, stay safe and enjoy Autumn in our beautiful municipality!

Bridget Archer

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MAYOR



Mayor Bridget Archer



Deputy Mayor Tim Harris



Cr Heather Barwick



Cr. Greg Dawson



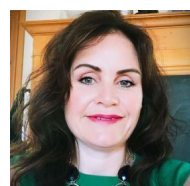
Cr. Winston Mason



Cr. Greg Keiser



Cr. Chris Barraclough



Cr. Justine Brooks



Cr. Andrew Michieletto



Your Council

Council Community Assistance Program

Round 2 of Council's Community Assistance Grants saw four grants totalling \$4,896 awarded. Congratulations to the following recipients.

- **Port Dalrymple School**
\$2,000 to assist with costs associated with their 2019 Musical Production "Getting to Know Footloose".
- **Lions Club of George Town**
\$928 to assist with costs associated with the Associations' 2019 Country Music Festival to be held in May.
- **Bass Coastal Physiotherapy**
\$468 for the purchase of Theraband Resistance Bands for use at Senior exercise classes.
- **Collective ed. George Town (Beacon Foundation)**
\$1,500 for part costs of a shared data and measurement system to build baseline data to support large-scale community impact.

In addition to the two rounds of Community Assistance Grants, throughout the year, Council provides fee remission for the use of Council Services, and through our Assistance to Individuals Grant, supports community members who have been selected to represent Tasmania.

The latest recipient of an Assistance to Individual grant of \$200 is Sophie Hills. Sophie is a multi-class swimmer, classified as S9 (with limb loss), and has been selected to represent Tasmania at the National Swimming Championships which are being held in Adelaide from the 19 - 22nd April 2019.

The events Sophie will compete in include :

- 50m and 100m Freestyle
- 50m and 100m Butterfly
- 50m and 100m Back Stroke
- 50m and 100m Breast Stroke

Council congratulates Sophie on her selection as a member of the Tasmanian Swimming Team, and wishes her all the best at the National Championships.



Sophie is pictured left with her medals won at the 2018 Schools Sports Australia Swimming Championships.

What's happening in Regent Square.....

Regent Square Playground Stage -1

The senior and disability playground area is under construction!

The installation of a 2m wide footpath, and the preparation of the base area for the installation of play equipment is nearing completion, ready for the installation of the play equipment. Council anticipates this to be commenced early April.

Council continues to work with the Regent Square Reference Group in the development of an overarching master plan for the site.



Your Council

Volunteer opportunity - Visitor Information Centre

If you know and love the George Town municipality, the perfect volunteer opportunity awaits you at the Visitor Information Centre. This is a chance for you to share your knowledge of the municipality with both visitors and locals.

Join the Visitor Centre pool of volunteers, and you won't just find a way to fill your time, you'll get a whole family! This network of people have developed friendships and close bonds with one another, as well as staff. The Visitor Centre is a very pleasant and fun place in which to work and serve our town.

Volunteers enjoy the camaraderie and relaxed atmosphere of the Visitor Centre, and have the opportunity to meet people from all walks of life from all over the country, and from overseas.

The Visitor Centre could not operate on the level of success it enjoys today without the very responsible family of Volunteers working alongside its staff members.

Volunteering at the George Town Visitor Information Centre

The Centre is open seven days a week to assist visitors and locals alike, by answering questions, giving maps, directions & brochures, sharing about the history of the area, and offering travel, dining, accommodation, attractions and entertainment information.

Volunteers are included in area familiarisation tours and gain meaningful friendships.

Volunteers are required year round as the Visitor Centre is open 7 days per week, closing only on Christmas and New Year's Day.

For further information on how you can become a volunteer and join the visitor information family, phone the Centre on 6382 1700.



Lulworth community welcomes new speed humps

The community of Lulworth have recently seen the installation of two new speed humps. The first hump is to increase the safety at the South/Hurst Street intersection, with the second hump to increase pedestrian safety while crossing the road between the walkway from Scott Street and the walkway to the Esplanade.

The Lulworth community extend their thanks to the George Town Safety Committee for not just making our community safer, but also the greater George Town Council region.

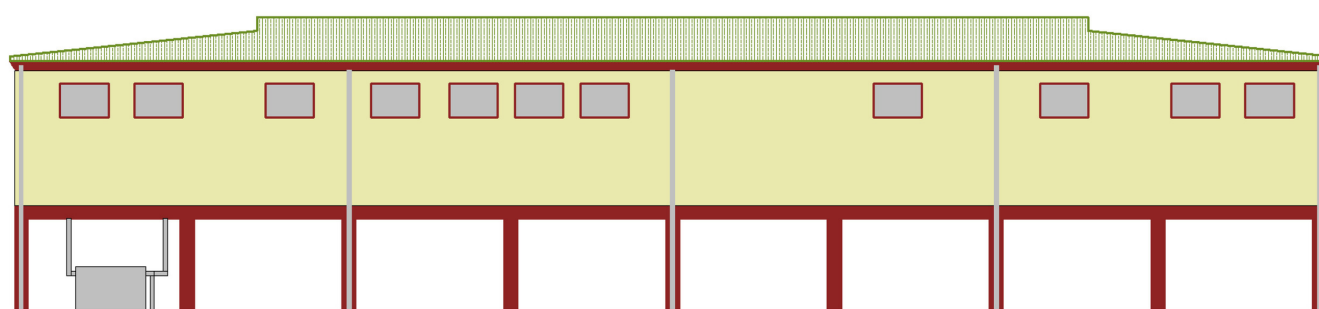


Your Council

Levelling the Playing Fields Grant - Sports Complex Upgrade

In 2018, the State Government announced an investment of \$10M over two years for the Levelling the Playing Field Grants Program designed at upgrading sports facilities to better accommodate girls and women.

Council has been successful in its application to the program to construct modern, all abilities accessible and equitable toilet, shower and change-room facilities for use by sporting clubs and their visitors, as well as events at the George Town Sports Complex. Planning is underway with works anticipated to commence in the second half of 2019.



EXISTING REAR ELEVATION OF FOOTBALL CLUBROOMS
(showing in possible finished colours for simplicity)



PROPOSED REAR ELEVATION OF FOOTBALL CLUBROOMS SHOWING CHANGE ROOMS

Temporary Food Licence

Did you know that if you are selling food, either at a Council owned facility, or privately owned property, you are required to have a valid food licence, and notify Council of your intent to sell food.

If you are planning to operate a temporary food stall, we recommend you contact Council's Environmental Health Officer (EHO), as you may need to register. While the temporary nature of an event means you don't have to meet all the legal requirements, certain minimum requirements are still necessary.

This is to ensure Tasmanians are eating food that has been safely stored, prepared, cooked and served.

Council's Temporary Food Standards guide has been developed for individuals, businesses, charities and community organisations that operate temporary food stalls. It clearly sets out what you have to do to comply with the Food Act 2003 and the relevant provisions of the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code, a copy of which can be found on Council's website.

What is a Temporary Food Stall?

A temporary food stall is a temporary arrangement of equipment and appliances from which food is sold, and which is set up for a specific, occasional event lasting no more than 10 consecutive days. A stall may be a booth, tent, marquee or other temporary equipment. It may also be a fundraising barbecue or stall that operates from an existing building, such as community centre or hall. It is essential that all event organiser liaise with Council's EHO for compliance information.

Around the Community...

East Tamar Landcare

East Tamar Landcare Group have had a busy month. We held a postponed AGM and said farewell to our outgoing President Ian Sauer who takes up a new position as Chairman of Tasmanian Government Weed Advisory Group, and welcome Jason Orr as our new President. The treasurer Brian Baxter and secretary Diana Targett did not change.

We followed this with a Saturday working bee on the boardwalk at the interpretation center on Baxter's Road from 9.00- 1.00. We had 10 people who did a wonderful job at designing and building the extension and platform at the end of the boardwalk. Some of the timber had twisted which will now be used for steps. Morning tea, using a tree stump as a table, was provided by one of our members and some pizzas from The Bay of Fires Winery was enjoyed by all.

Clearing the area of weeds and keeping grass under control until plantings take over is a regular maintenance issue. ETLC members regularly do working bees but we do thank Community Service providers, the Green Army and other disbanded groups for their past contributions.

Tasmanian Landcare is 25 years old this year and events are being organised both north and south so save the date for "Fun Food Fact & Fancy" Sunday 30 June 2019 at Lilydale Tavern.



LOW HEAD PILOT STATION MUSEUM

The Pilot Station Museum is open daily from 10am – 4pm

Admission

\$5 – Adults; \$4 – Concession; \$3 – Children;
Groups (booked): \$3 Adults; \$1 – Children

Over the last few weeks of term, ten groups from 3 Launceston Primary schools visited the Pilot Station Maritime Museum where they learnt plenty about northern Tasmania's history - especially the Tamar River. Groups also visited the Low Head Lighthouse and Foghorn and the Bass & Flinders Centre.

If you have yet to visit the museum, come along and talk to one of the dedicated volunteers. They love telling you the maritime history of the Pilot Station.



Around the Community...

parkrun GEORGE TOWN

Celebrating its 2nd Anniversary on the 6th April

Get fit for FREE!

Free, weekly, 5km timed run/walk for all ages and abilities.

Start/Finish: River end of Elizabeth Street, George Town (beside Pier Hotel)

9.00am
Every Saturday

STEP 1 Register for **FREE** at www.parkrun.com.au/register

STEP 2 Print out your unique barcode

STEP 3 Turn up with your barcode, run or walk and have fun!

Don't want to run or walk?
Why not help others by volunteering?

For further details, phone 0459 245 890 or visit our website



WELLINGTON STREET SEWAGE PUMP STATION WORKS

Major works proposed for the TasWater Wellington Street Sewage Pump Station which were communicated late last year have now been deferred. TasWater received little interest from the market during the tender process when seeking a contractor to complete the project and therefore the majority of the works will be carried out at a later date.

TasWater will still be doing some minor upgrades in the coming months, however these works will be completed within the boundary of the pump station site and will ensure the site remains safe for TasWater staff to continue operation. There will not be any restricted access to the walking path or surrounds while these works are completed.

TasWater will keep the community informed when the major works are rescheduled.

George Town Council 2019 Volunteer of the Year

Do you know someone who gives their time to make our community a better place?

Perhaps they run the canteen or coach at your sports club, offer their skills to tutor others, care for the environment, assist with emergency services, or assist in the day to day operations of a charity or organisation: whether that's tourism, heritage and the arts; administration; maintenance; or community services.

Recognise these people by nominating them for a Volunteer Recognition Award and let us acknowledge and celebrate their contributions to our community!

George Town Council celebrates the valued volunteers in our community during National Volunteer Week, held in May each year.

For a nominee to be recognised at the 2019 National Volunteer Recognition Awards, the nomination must be received no later than Friday the 19th of April. Nominations received after this date will be collated for the 2020 awards. Self nominations are also accepted.

A Volunteer Recognition Function will be held in the Memorial Hall on Thursday 23rd May, to recognise all community volunteers and to announce this year's Volunteer of the Year.

For more information or assistance nominating, please contact our Community Development Officer on 03 6382 8812, email rhondao@georgetown.tas.gov.au



Around the Community...

2019 International Women's Day



Soroptimist International of George Town held their inaugural International Women's Day breakfast on Tuesday 5th March in the Memorial Hall.

Congratulations to the members of Soroptimist International George Town, and all volunteers who helped to make this morning's International Women's Day inaugural breakfast, a huge success.

140 community members enjoyed a great breakfast catered for by Lodge Lauriston, and were inspired by guest speaker Jo Palmer.

This year's theme was #BalanceforBetter, recognising the social, economic, cultural and political accomplishments of women across the globe.

Soroptimist International announced the recipient of the inaugural Woman of the Year, Simone Lowe. Well done Simone, a very worthy recipient.



THURSDAY 25TH APRIL 2019

ANZAC DAY

Municipal Commemorations

GEORGE TOWN

Dawn Service

5.50am at the Macquarie Street Cenotaph.

11.00am Service

March will commence at the Macquarie Street Cenotaph through to the Max Harris Reserve, Anzac Drive.

HILLWOOD

Dawn Service

6.00am at the Hillwood Fire Station, cnr Jetty Road & Hillwood Main Road.

Full English Community Breakfast will be held following the service, at the Hillwood Memorial Hall, commencing at 7.00am.

Entertainment provided by the Launceston Men's Choir, and a Fundraising raffle will be held on the day with many great prizes showcasing local producers and businesses.

All Welcome ! For enquiries, phone Anzac Day Committee members Nancy on 6394 8140, or Kathryn on 0408 095 850.

**FOR THOSE BRAVE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES SO WE COULD LIVE OURS.
WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.**



Anzac Day Road Closures

5.50am to 6.45am

Macquarie Street from Anne Street to Bathurst Street Roundabout

10.00am to 11.00am:

Macquarie Street from Bathurst Street Roundabout to junction of Goulburn Street Roundabout

10.00am to 12.15pm

Goulburn Street Roundabout to junction of Friend Street

10.00pm through to 12.15pm

Anzac Drive : Junction of Main Road George Town to junction of Friend St.

veneer, plywood AND WOODCHIP MILL APPROVED

The George Town Council has approved the planning application for a veneer, plywood and woodchip mill to be built at Bell Bay.

The \$54 million mill will be built on an existing industrial site at 17 Bell Bay Road, with modifications being added to the site including log cutting lines, a shredder, rotary peeling lathes and wood chipper.

The building of the mill has also been approved by the Environmental Protection Authority of Tasmania.

The mill is expected to produce about 80,000 tonnes of wood chips and 93,000 cubic metres of veneer and plywood



Around the Community...

Targa Tasmania comes to George Town, Monday 29th April

Targa Tasmania is a world class international motorsport event about to enter its 28th Event. See all the action of the George Town Super Stage on Monday 29th April. At 11.00am, the vehicles will commence the stage from York Cove, making their way down to Regent Square where spectators will have the opportunity of viewing the cars, and talking to their competitors about their Targa experiences.

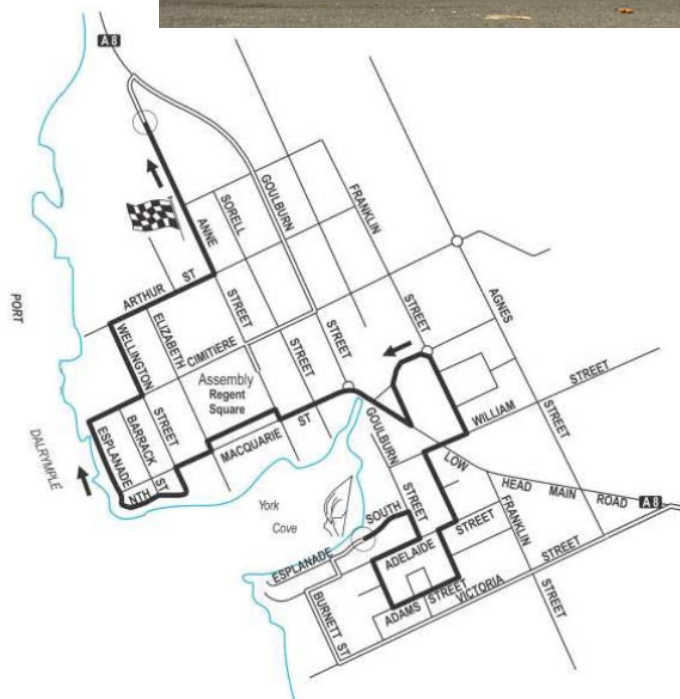
'GEORGE TOWN SUPER STAGE'

ROAD CLOSED:

South
Goulburn Street
Adelaide Street
Andrew Street
Adam Street
Adelaide Street
Friend Street
William Street
Franklin Street
Anzac Drive
Friend Street
Head Main Road
Macquarie Street
Wellington Street
Esplanade North
Cimitiere Street
Wellington Street
Arthur Street
Anne Street

Road Closure: 11.00 – 15.30

BETWEEN FOLLOWING ROADS: Esplanade
Edgar Street and Goulburn Street
Esplanade South Street to Adelaide Street
Goulburn Street to Andrew Street
Adelaide Street to Adam Street
Andrew Street to Adelaide Street
Adams Street to Friend Street
Adelaide Street to William Street
Friend Street to Franklin Street
Williams Street to Anzac Drive
Franklin Street to Friend Street
Anzac Drive to Low Head Main Road
Low Friend Street to Macquarie Street
Low Head Main Road to Wellington Street
Macquarie Street to Esplanade North
Wellington Street to Cimitiere Street
Esplanade North to Wellington Street
Cimitiere Street to Arthur Street
Wellington to Anne Street
Arthur Street to Low Head Main Road



Students learn of George Town's role in 'global' companies

Ben Bowring, lead of skills organisation, Collective ed, George Town, has indicated that 30% of young people in George Town are unemployed, compared to 16% statewide.

Ben is working to connect the region's young people with the many businesses in George Town. On Thursday 28th March, Ben hosted a careers opportunity panel discussion between Bell Bay Advanced Manufacturing Zone businesses and Port Dalrymple high school students.

Ben said that many Bell Bay manufacturers are crying out for more workers, and with new businesses such as the proposed Patriarch and Sons timber mill, there will be an increase in demand.

Yesterday, representatives from Bell Bay Aluminium, South32 Temco, Timberlink, Forico, Kempe Engineering, and CAD Project Engineering attended a forum, and answered the students' questions about job opportunities which are right on their doorstep. KEEN (Key Employment and Education Network) Partners is the project of respected businessman Ray Mostogl, and other business leaders of the Bell Bay Advanced Manufacturing Zone.

The students were made aware of how much global exposure these local companies have, and that you only have to drive five minutes down the road and pick up a job there and you're part of a global company.

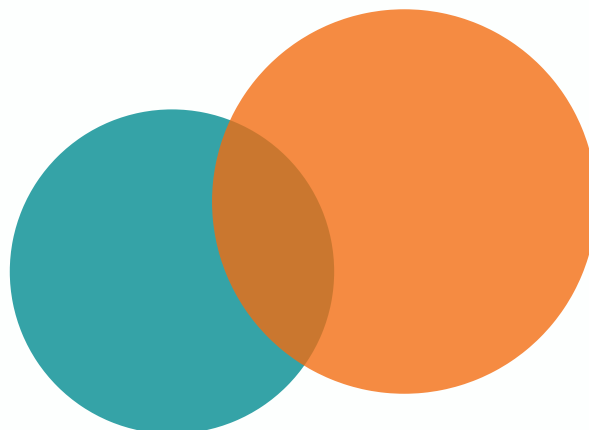
Pictured bottom right : Dylan Bannon – Port Dalrymple School, Roger Aalbrecht – Branch Manager, Kempe Engineering and Chair, KEEN Partners, Mitchell Paine – Port Dalrymple School, Anna-May Fauconnier – Vice President Operations, South32 TEMCO



Community Events

April to May

MONTH	DATE	EVENT DETAILS
APRIL	Friday 5 th Bee Bop Dance Studio	6.30pm to 10.00pm Trivia Night – Memorial Hall Fundraising event for 2020 USA Trip.
	Sunday 7 th Bee Bop Dance Studio	10.00am to 2.00pm Family Fun Day – Graham Fairless Centre Fundraising event for 2020 USA Trip. Face painting, jumping castle, bbq, dance workshops in Memorial Hall.
	Thur 18 – Sat 20	Collins' Amusements Easter Family Fun Fair Regent Square Thursday : 4 – 8pm Friday : 4 – 8pm Saturday : 11am – 3pm
	Thursday 18 th Cycling Tasmania	Let's Ride George Town School Holiday Program 10.00am to 1.00pm Regent Square, George Town
	Saturday 20 th	Beechford Community Association Easter Fun Day and official opening of community hub. 9.45am to 3.00pm
	Saturday 20 th	Weymouth Progress Association Easter Market 9am to 1pm – Sturdee Street, Weymouth
	Tuesday 23 rd Cycling Tasmania	Let's Ride George Town School Holiday Program 10.00am to 1.00pm George Town Sports Complex – Cycling Track
	Thursday 25 th	ANZAC Day Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5.50am – Dawn Service – Macquarie St. Cenotaph 11.00am Service. Commencing at Macquarie St. Cenotaph through to Anzac Drive. Appropriate road closures will apply.
	Monday 29 th	Targa Tasmania Racing will commence at 11.00am from York Cove, will all cars finishing in Regent Square.
MAY	Friday 17 th	Cancer Council Biggest Morning Tea 10.00am to 12.00 noon Memorial Hall \$5.00
	Thursday 23 rd	George Town Volunteer Recognition Function 6.00pm Memorial Hall
	Sunday 26 th	Lions Club Country Music Festival 12.30pm – Memorial Hall



Community Events

Lighthouse Regional Arts presents:

Captured Moments...

A PHOTOGRAPHY COLLECTION BY JENNIE TIMMINS AND SUE DOHERTY

VENUE: Watch House Gallery, Macquarie St, George Town.

FROM: Tues: 19th March until Mon. 29th April

ADMISSION: \$3 single entry. OR \$5 for an annual pass.

10am-4pm weekdays
1-3pm Sat and Sun.

BEE BOP DANCE STUDIO

FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY 7 APRIL 2019

CHOCOLATE WHEEL, JUMPING CASTLE, FACE PAINTING, KIOSK, BBQ, CAKE STALL, FREE ACTIVITIES!

Free Entry

10.00am to 3.00pm

GEORGE TOWN MEMORIAL HALL

for more information call 0418 339 616

LET'S RIDE GEORGE TOWN SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Thursday 18th April & Tuesday 23rd April

Are you wondering what to do this school holidays? Ph: 0498 882 389

Wonder no more! Whether you have experience riding a bike or not, the Let's Ride George Town School Holiday program will cater for participants while keeping them active and engaged in their time away from school.

Let's Ride is delivered in a fun, safe and supporting environment, led by qualified and experienced coaches.

Children will explore bike and road safety, while they learn the basic skills of starting and stopping, extend themselves in cornering, braking and riding in a group.

Please register to secure a spot in the program. shellie.wakefield@cycling.org.au

PROGRAM DETAILS

Thursday 18th April
Time : 10.00am to 1.00pm
Regent Square, George Town

Tuesday 23rd April
Time : 10.00am to 1.00pm
George Town Sports Complex

What to Bring
A snack, drink, suitable clothing and footwear. Bring your bike and helmet, or we have one you can borrow.

The project is delivered by Cycling Tasmania made possible by the George Town Council.

FAMILY FUN FAIR

GEORGE TOWN
Regent Square

THU. 18 APR. – SAT. 20 APR. 2019

RIDES Dodgems *NEW* Hurricane Gee Whizzer 2 Giant Slides/Jumping Castles Inflatable Worm Cup and Saucer Paw Patrol Car Ride	OPENING TIMES 4.00pm - 8.00pm Thu. 18th 4.00pm - 8.00pm Fri. 19th 11.00am - 3.00pm Sat. 20th Free Entry Ride tickets and wristbands available on site every day. Wristbands, 4hrs: \$30 all rides.	GAMES Catch-a-Duck Laughing Clowns Lucky Numbers Tooth Smash Pull-a-String Showbags Dagwood dogs, hot chips, fairy floss, donuts.
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Find us on [facebook](#). **George Town Family Fun Fair**

If you are organising a community event, let Council assist you in advertising it on our website, and through our social media pages.

Please email information to Council@georgetown.tas.gov.au

LEARN NEW BIKE CONTROL SKILLS

BUILD CONFIDENCE & KNOWLEDGE

EMPOWERING OUR KIDS TO RIDE SAFELY!

LET'S RIDE

Community Events

Beechford Easter



Saturday 20 April 2019

10 am to 3 pm

Recreation Reserve, Proctor Street, Beechford

9.45	Official Community Hub Opening by Cr Bridget Archer
10 - 1	Face Painting
11 - 11.30	Beebop Dance Performance
12 - 1.30	Games
12 - 2	Painting Demonstration
1.30 - 2	Easter Egg Hunt
2 - 2.15	Raffle Draw
2.15 - 2.30	Lolly Scramble

All Day

BBQ & Drinks

Cake & Biscuit Stall

Car Boot Sale

Devil Coffee Van

Lucky Dip

Chocolate Wheel

Egg painting & Decoration

Jumping Castle

..... and lots lots more



**2019 Easter
Community Program
Saturday 20th April & Sunday 21st April**



2 Days of fun, entertainment & activity in & around
Weymouth, Lulworth & Tam O'Shanter communities:

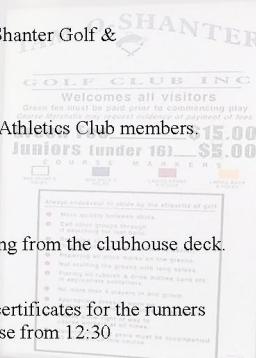
Saturday 20 April, * Weymouth fair & market at the hall grounds, 9:30 to 12noon
* 9 Hole Golf game - 2:00pm start at the TO'SG&C Club

Sunday 21 April, * 9 Holes of Golf & a Family Easter Fun Program @ Tam O'Shanter Golf & Community Club, 19 Fairway Avenue, TamO'Shanter.
- 10:00am 9 Holes of Golf followed by:
- 12:00noon Junior Running & Activities.
- 12:45pm 5km Golf Course Run in conjunction with Newstead Athletics Club members.
- 1:15pm Easter Bunny
- 1:30pm Music on the Deck by "Under Par"
- 1:45pm 2.5km Fun Run for all participants

All activities on the safety of the enclosed golf course, with spectator viewing from the clubhouse deck.
WALK, RUN, HOP, SKIP OR JUMP.

- Participation and encouragement awards for the children, trophies & certificates for the runners
- Ongoing BBQ & refreshments available from the clubhouse from 12:30

- **Open to visitors, guests & members of all ages**
- **Active participation welcomed & encouraged for all above events**



Community Events

LIONS CLUB OF GEORGE TOWN



COUNTRY MUSIC FESTIVAL

George Town Memorial Hall
May 2019, commencing at 1.00pm
Large variety of entertainers
Food and Refreshments available

Australia's
**Biggest
Morning
Tea**



You are invited to attend

**The George Town 2019
Cancer Council Biggest Morning Tea**

FRIDAY 17 MAY 2019

10.00am to 11.30pm
Graham Fairless Centre, Memorial Hall Complex
Macquarie Street George Town

Extensive Morning Tea, lucky door prizes,
raffles, trade tables

all proceeds go to the Cancer Council of Tasmania



**GEORGE TOWN'S
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**SHEAR
THE BEARD**

Help well known
community member
Peter Parkes raise
\$1,000 and he will
shave his signature
beard, with funds going
towards the Cancer Council
of Tasmania.

The bucket is half full already with a very generous donation by Cr.
Greg Dawson of \$500 !! Let's get behind this great fundraising event
and see Peter undergo the shave at this year's Biggest Morning Tea.

Peter will undergo the shave and lose his beard at the 2019 George Town Cancer
Council Biggest Morning Tea : Friday 17th May in the Graham Fairless Centre

Morning Tea will commence at 10.00am, with the shave to take place at 11.00am.
Come along and support Peter and this year's morning tea event.

Tickets are \$5.00, available from George Town Council, Dry Cleaners, or
you may pay on the day.



Pledge your donation now, and help us raise \$1000 for the Cancer Council.
Donations can be made at the George Town Council, George Town Community Hub,
or can be made on the day of the shave. Let's do this !