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January 2021 - Edition 21

Wow what a week! Australia Day Awards and Citizenship Ceremony, Tidal.20, Kelly Slater's Exhibition - *This River* public exhibition displayed on Formby Road, and many families in our community preparing for the new school year!

We didn't expect to bring you two newsletters this week, but in the last few days we have;

- new events listed in Council's What's on in Devonport website page,
- a new scavenger hunt,
- received notification that the Breast Screen Tasmania mobile service is returning to Devonport,

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and a whole lot more.... scroll and take a look.

We would love for you to share the information or Newsletter with your friends, networks and community groups. You can subscribe by using the subscription button on the Council Website [here](#).

Media Releases

The latest news and media releases are available on the Council website [here](#).

27 Jan 2021 - [Diamonds of Devonport awards celebrate women](#)



Flat rocks at Don Heads. Image Credit: Jai Moyle

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DON'T MISS THE BUS!

Devonport

22 February - 28 May 2021

Devonport Recreation Centre Carpark

34 Forbes Street, Devonport

**CALL 13 20 50
to make your
FREE appointment**



More information is available on the BreastScreen Tasmania website:
www.ths.tas.gov.au/cancerscreening

TASMANIAN
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Population Screening and Cancer Prevention

Tasmanian goal: Be the healthiest population in Australia by 2025

Learn how you can help achieve this goal by exploring the series of free online resources and making a few changes to your current routine.

Each 90-minute session in this six part series explores how you and your organisation can help Tasmanians live longer and healthier lives.

Each session includes:

- local insights from specialist presenters
- question and answer sessions
- in-depth group discussions
- practical ideas you can use to promote health and wellbeing.

[Listen and Learn Series](#) | [Department of Health](#)



Tasmanian Volunteering Awards 2021

Tasmanians are being urged to show support and nominate in one of ten Tasmanian Volunteering Award categories:

- Lifetime Achievement Volunteer Award,
- Youth Volunteer Award,
- Arts, Heritage, Tourism and Events Volunteer Award,
- Community Care and Health Volunteer Award,
- Education, Science and Technology Volunteer Award,
- Emergency Services Volunteer Award,
- Environment, Animal Care and Conservation Volunteer Award,
- Sport, Recreation and Service Groups Volunteer Award,
- Best Practice in Volunteer Management Award
- Volunteer Group or Program Award.

Nominations close Monday, 15 March 2021.

Tell us how we can make Tasmania
the best place for all children
and young people.



Wellbeing.tas.gov.au

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How will you be #MakingTime this summer?

#MakingTime can make a difference to our mental health and wellbeing. The [National Mental Health Commission](#) has created #MakingTime as an easy way for those living with mental illness, those who care for them, and those who are experiencing mental distress, to share their daily experiences and the benefits to them of making time over the summer period. Everyone is welcome to get involved find more information [here](#).

2021 Highways and Byways Small Grants Program is closing soon.

In recognition of the impact of the 2020 bushfires, ongoing drought in many parts of the country, and the consequences of the global Covid-19 pandemic, the 2021 Highways and Byways Small Grants Program theme is Healing the Land - Healing Ourselves - Together.

Funding up to \$3,000 is available to community organisations for projects that

Applications close 9 February 2021, find more details [here](#).

Council's Financial Assistance Scheme

Major and Minor Grants.

Accepting applications until 28 February 2021.

[Eligibility, guidelines, co-funding information and application form.](#)

COVID-19 Impact Assistance Grants

Accepting new applications until 28 February 2021.

[Eligibility, guidelines and application form.](#)



Delve into the Don - Scavenger Hunt

Explore Don and have fun with your family and friends with our latest scavenger hunt.



Diamonds of Devonport

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Devonport Food and Wine March 2021

[Devonport Regional Gallery Exhibitions](#)

[tidal.20](#)

Main and Upper Gallery

5 December 2020 - 30 January 2021

Portal tidal.20

paranaple arts centre foyer

18 January - 23 February 2021

Upcoming Exhibitions

Home Is Where The 'Art Is

Little Gallery

30 January - 13 March 2021

Terra Incognita: A duck-billed what?

Milan Milojevic - 2020 Solo Commission

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ReCollections

Upper Gallery

6 February - 1 May 2021

Town Hall Theatre Devonport

[World of Musicals](#) - 31 March 2021

[Australian Bee Gees Show](#) - 15 April 2021

[Rockin' Through the Ages](#) - 15 July 2021

more details available on the [paranaple arts centre website](#).

Wildcare Friends of Devonport Reserves

[Wildcare Friends of Devonport Reserves](#) are a small group of passionate volunteers from diverse backgrounds who assist in caring for the reserves in Devonport Municipality. Find out more about Wildcare Friends of Devonport Reserves [here](#).

Friends of Don Reserve

[Friends of the Don Reserve](#) meet twice each month to assist in improving the biodiversity of Don Reserve.

This is a [Devonport City Council Volunteering Opportunity](#).

When: Second and last Tuesday of each month. 2-4pm

Meeting places will vary from week to week. Contact Phil at Council to find out more information. Phone: 6424 0511 Email: Council@devonport.tas.gov.au

Commuter Café

Free nutritious breakfast for cycling commuters at the [Commuter Café](#), thanks to Devonport City Council and [Healthy Tasmania](#)

The [Commuter Café](#) will return from Wednesday, 3 February 2021, and run every second Wednesday until 3 March 2021, at Pinctada Kitchen, shop 1

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To secure your spot, please register through [Eventbrite](#).

Walking Group

A low impact walking group designed to encourage movement and socialising for Senior Citizens.

Sessions include 30-45 minutes of stretching, walking and morning tea.

Wear sun-smart comfortable clothing, and bring a bottle of water.

When: Fridays 10am

Meeting places will vary from week to week, contact the Devonport Recreation Centre to find out more information. Phone: 6424 4109 Email:

REC@devonport.tas.gov.au

Cost: Gold Coin Donation

Ageing Stronger Active Longer and Tai Chi for Health

Resuming from Tuesday, 9 February 2021

[Ageing Stronger, Active Longer](#)

Current sessions are:

- Tuesdays, 1-2pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#)
- Wednesday, 11.30am-12.30pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#)
- Thursdays, 12-1pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#)

Gold coin donation per session.

[Tai Chi](#)

Cost \$2 per session, find out more [here](#). Current classes are;

- Wednesdays, 1-2pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#) (Beginners Class)
- Wednesdays, 2-3pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#)
- Thursdays, 1-2pm at [Devonport Recreation Centre](#)

Call the Devonport Recreation Centre for further details: 03 6424 4109

The [Devonport Recreation Centre](#) is open for casual use 9.30am-2.30pm

Monday through to Friday.

Events and Activities

If you have an online or in-person event to share, send the information through to marketingandpromotions@devonport.tas.gov.au and we will add your event to the [website](#)!

Looking to plan an event? Check out the [Planning a Community Event page](#) on the Council website for hints, tips and an event application pack.

Are you interested in Busking in Rooke Street Mall, or hosting a Promotion in Market Square?

Find the conditions and Mall/Market Square Permit application form [here](#).



Council Meetings

Council meetings are held on the fourth Monday of each month, in our Council Chambers In the Aberdeen Room, level 2, paranapple centre, 137 Rooke Street Devonport, starting at 5.30pm. Meetings will continue to be livestreamed on [Council's YouTube channel](#) for those who are unable to attend the meeting, and a link will be available the following day on [Council's website](#).

Next Council Meeting: Monday, 22 February 2021 live-streamed [here](#).

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Meetings with Council Officers

Council Officers are observing stage 3 restrictions, with some still working from home. Phone and online meetings are the preferred method of contact, however in person meetings can be scheduled.

Note: if meeting in a parnaple centre meeting room it assists to know the total number of participants in advance, to ensure social distancing measures are met.

Council's Customer Service or Community Services Departments can be contacted via;

Email: council@devonport.tas.gov.au

Phone: 03 6424 0511

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