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Minister for Social Security
Senator Graham Richardson

MEDIA RELEASE

Young people - and especially homeless youth - will get better access to Social Security benefits as a result of the 1991-92 Budget.

The Budget reforms to youth payments will:

- make the Young Homeless Allowance (YHA) available on a weekly basis from January, 1992. Many homeless young people do not have the skills to manage their finances on a fortnightly basis. This measure complements an initiative to reach all homeless young people with financial counselling through the Financial Information Service.
- from 20 March 1992 extend rent assistance to single people under 18 years old. For a 16 or 17 year old living away from home, this is worth up to \$62 per fortnight;
- make Special Benefit easier to get for people aged 16 to 20 years old from low income families. From October 1 this year, these young people will not have to wait the normal 13 week Education Leaver Deferment Period before they are entitled to income support.
- extend eligibility for the higher, independent rate for Job Search Allowance, Sickness Allowance and Special Benefit to State wards in foster care. This will apply from 1 January 1992 where no other allowance is paid by the relevant State authority. It will improve the prospects of 16 and 17 year olds getting foster care;

In some other measures affecting sole parent pensioners:

- a yearly \$200 Education Entry Payment will be available from 1 January 1992 to help sole parents complete their education. This payment is in addition to the \$30 pw Formal Training Allowance;
- the Pensioner Earnings Credit Scheme will be indexed. This scheme helps pensioners, and especially sole parent pensioners, who want to take up part time work. The yearly earnings credit will be indexed every July from 1992;

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WHAT'S ON

ADULT EDUCATION: SCHOOL FOR SENIORS/
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A meeting will be held in St. Helens on Sept. 5th for over-55's to discuss the possibility of forming a group to have a monthly discussion on any subject - also to attend free classes in subjects ranging from academic, arts and crafts, language, health beauty and exercise, recreational and topical subjects. No qualification to join - just interest and joy of learning - the teachers will come from you in whatever skill there is to offer.

ALSO

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If you are interested ring 725296 for more information and come to hear Stephen Coull talk on Sept. 5th - he runs the new Launceston group.

SENIOR CITIZENS TOUR

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5th SEPTEMBER

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effort with a successful afternoon tea and trade table raising \$253. "Red" Parsons is currently running a raffle for a load of wood.

RED CROSS GENERAL MEETING will be held on Monday 2nd September at 7.45 pm in the recreation room St. Marys Hospital. All members and new members welcome.

PAYMENT OF RATES

An officer from the Fingal Council will visit St. Marys on Tuesday 17th September from 9 am until 12 noon, at Mrs Maney's Rooms (Next to the Bakery).

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

St. Marys Sports Centre Inc. held in clubhouse Friday 20th September 1991 at 7.00 pm.

Business includes: Reading and confirmation of 1990 AGM minutes, Reports of officers, Treasurers Report, Election of officers, Appointment of Auditors, Honorariums of Treasurer and Secretary, Election of Life Member, General Discussion etc.

R. B. McGiveron (Secretary)

J FINGAL-PORTLAND UNITING CHURCH

Parish Services

Week	1	2	3	4	5
Fingal	9.00	9.00	--	9.00	--
St Marys	--	11.00	11.00	11.00	--
Scamander	11.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	--
St Helens	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00

Sunday School

Fingal 9.30am

Kuca Clubs (weekday Sunday School)

(after school)

Scamander & St Helens - Monday

St Marys - Thursday

Parish Youth Group ring 725 139 or

761 141

ALL WELCOME

Phone 725 139

J THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST HELENS

St Pauls Church

8.00am) Every Sunday

9.30pm) Every Sunday

7.00pm 1st, 3rd, & 5th Sundays

Sunday School

3.30pm Mondays

Pyengana

11.15am 2nd Sunday

7.30pm 4th Wednesday

Falmouth

9.45am 1st & 3rd Sundays

Scamander (Home for Tea)

10.30am 4th Tuesday

J ANGLICAN PARISH OF FINGAL VALLEY

First Sunday of Month

Fingal 8.45am FS

St Marys 10.45am MP

Avoca 6.00pm HC

Second Sunday of Month

Fingal 8.45am HC

Avoca 10.45am FS

St Marys 10.45am FS

Cornwall 3.00pm HC

Third Sunday of Month

Fingal 8.45am FS

St Marys 10.45am HC

Mangana 3.00pm HC

Avoca 6.00pm HC

Fourth Sunday of Month

Fingal 8.45am HC

St Marys 10.45am MP

Mathina 3.00pm HC

Avoca 6.00pm EP

Fifth Sunday of Month

Fingal 8.45am HC

St Marys 10.45am HC

Avoca 6.00pm HC

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J SALVATION ARMY

CORNWALL - ST. MARYS

9.30 a.m SUNDAY SCHOOL

(from 24 FEB)

11.00 a.m FAMILY WORSHIP

11.00 a.m TUESDAY LADIES FELLOWSHIP

12.30 p.m TUES-FRI PRAYER MEETING

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J CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST MARYS

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm

St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am

Fingal Sunday Mass 10.30am

Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm

St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am

Mangana Eucharistic Serv 11.00am

Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm

St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am

Fingal Sunday Mass 10.30am

Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm

St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am

Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

Swansea Sunday Mass 6.00pm

FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm

St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am

Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

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FOOTBALL NOTES

St. Marys journeyed to Swansea for the final roster game of the season, and in fine conditions ran out winners by 105 pts.

This is thought to be the biggest defeat Swansea has suffered on its home ground.

With St. Marys forwards and centre line in control, they came away in the last half to win easily.

BEST: ST. MARYS: L. Dakin, R. Salter, M. Viney, S. Miller, G. Murfett and B. Leedham.

SWANSEA: P. McShane, P. Cusick, B. Jones, M. Medhurst, C. Skeggs, A. Triffett.

GOALS: ST. MARYS: M. Viney 7, A. Viney 5, R. Hoskinson, S. Gray, R. Salter 3, J. Miles 2, S. Miller 1.

SWANSEA: B. Jones 3, A. Carpenter, A. Gamble, C. Skeggs, S. Graham, H. Graham, L. Whammond.

RESERVES St. Marys defeated Swansea in a one-sided game. Although out-classed, Swansea as always, played the game right out. Final scores: 25.14 to 53pts, a margin of 131 pts. **BEST: ST. MARYS:** Another good team effort.

GOALS: ST. MARYS: M. Duniam 14, C. Davern 3, G. Peet, M. Aulich 2, S. Aulich, L. Spilsbury, D. Berwick, M. Williams 1.

BEST AND FAIREST COUNT SUNDAY 18.

SENIORS		RESERVES	
L. DAKIN	38	M. DUNIAM	16
G. MURFETT	21	M. WILLIAMS	14
A. VINEY	18	C. DAVERN	14

NETBALL

D. MURFETT	22
K. THOMAS	16
S. COOK	10

Congratulations to Lyndon Dakin who defeated C. Pollington of Fingal by one vote in the Association best and fairest. A great effort by two top

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footballers.

AUGUST 24 St. Helens proved much too strong for Campbell Town in the first semi-final, played at St. Helens.

St. Helens forwards and rucks were winning well and with a half-back line on top, were just too good. St. Helens were best served by P. Mc-Masters, M. Davis, S. Watts, J. Leonard, D. Richard and D. Summer.

Campbell Town: P. Lawrence, C. Laskey, J. Markham, T. Clarke, G. Wickham.

RESERVES: Fingal defeated St. Helens, 10.9 to 8.6 in the Reserves semi-final. **FINGAL:** A good team effort.

ST. HELENS: T. Garrett, E. Hayes, S. Smith, C. Green, J. McKimmie.

GOALS: FINGAL: J. Woods 3, C. Couch 2, W. Gillies 2, C. Baldwin, C. Turner, P. Johnson 1.

ST. HELENS: C. Green, J. McKimmie 2, S. Smith, P. Smith, P. Garrett, C. Flint 1 **UNDER 16'S.** St. Helens proved much too strong for St. Marys in the junior game. Final scores were 10.12 - 2.4.

BEST: ST. HELENS: L. Brown, M. Haig, B. Mallinson, D. Tasker, S. Mundy, M. Vanderper.

ST. MARYS: D. Young, B. Robinson, J. Lockhart, T. Summers, M. Radford and M. Greenwood.

GOALS: ST. HELENS: M. Vanderper 3, M. Haig 3, B. Mallinson 3, S. Mallinson 1. **ST. MARYS:** J. Laycock and D. Morris 1.

This coming Saturday St. Marys and Fingal clash in the seniors second semi-final. St. Marys and Campbell Town in the Reserves and Fingal and Campbell Town in the Under 16's, so roll up and support your teams, and please stay on the right side of the fence. Best of luck to all teams.

COULD ALL THOSE WITH ASSOCIATION RAFFLE BOOKS PLEASE SELL THEM AND RETURN STUBS AND MONEY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO RELEVANT CLUB TREASURERS.

Sports Cont.

FINGAL BEST AND FAIREST COUNT
AUGUST 17SENIORS

C. Pollington	45
C. Woods	32
S. Massie	31

RESERVES

A. Webb	30
R. Parsons	23
M. Cox	20

UNDER 16'S

A. Kent	32
D. Brittain	21
A. Woods	20

ST. MARYS GOLF NOTES

by Tee Up's Mate

Not much to report this issue because of some inclement weather. The ladies commence the championships this week over 72 holes, in all grades, lets hope for good weather each day and that the event is well patronised. Good luck to all. A reminder to members that this Saturdays Comp. Stroke is to commence at 8.30 instead of 9.30 so to avoid clashing heavily with football 2nd Semi Final at the ground. The tournament entry forms are available at the moment, and an entry sheet is also on main notice board so entries can be placed early for the 13th, 14th and 15th September. Saturday September 7th is the Smokey Newman Memorial Trophy over 27 holes. A good roll up is anticipated. Just a reminder also that the Annual General Meeting is scheduled for Friday September 20th. Please notice the notification in this issue of Valley Voice. Congratulations to Leslie Burness of the recent Presidents Day in taking out the best score and the Silver Spoon, and thanks to Lady President Mary King for donating the day. Welcome back also to Kath Wright after recovering from illness. Glad to see you back Kath from all members and associates.

Congratulations to Jason Costain and May Cook in taking out the Jim Brennan Memorial Trophy in a close battle with Trevor Viney and Joyce Wines and Rod Spilsbury - Yvonne Davern.

All enjoyed the day

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	Div. 2 Nett	D. Field	81
	Div. 1 Gross	M. Cook	93
	Div. 2 Gross	L. Burness	96
Nearest Pins	Div. 1 7th	C. McGee	
	Div. 2 7th	L. Clayton	
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DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

CESSY SPORTS EXCHANGE

Cressy journeyed to St. Marys for the winter exchange on Thursday, 15th August, perhaps the coldest day of the year.

Girls' soccer, a real bloodsport, was the first of eleven clashes over the next two days. The powerful St. Marys combination gave Cressy a real "warming" winning 4-0. Amanda Pyke and Robyn Webb were best for St. Marys.

The advantage of having experience at playing indoor hockey was a significant factor in St. Marys victories in both boys' and girls' indoor hockey. The girls won 8-0 with Elissa Guy, Miranda Randall and Kristy Lynch performing well. The boys struggled to a disappointing 6-4 scoreline, Justin Ambrus and Damon Young held the team together!

Only the intervention of snow during the third quarter prevented Cressy from giving us a thrashing in football. As it was, the 15.11 (101) to 5.6 (36) score was bad enough. The last two quarters had to be shortened to ten minutes each as sub-zero temperatures were affecting both players and umpires. It was suspected that at one stage in the third quarter both umpires were too cold to respond to what all and sundry considered an obvious free kick to Justin Faulkner. It was at that stage that the numbing effect of the cold was fully realised and 'time' was called early.

Several players battled very hard for St. Marys. David Brittain showed some class at centre-half back, Mathew Radford rucked strongly, Michael Gamble was a useful goalsneak and Justin Faulkner showed courage and skill on several occasions. Overall, Cressy just had too many good players around the ground for us.

Compensating us for our loss in the football was our first win in netball for at least 5 years. This game was stopped at 3/4 time due to snow, with Cressy leading 7-6. The hour's rest must have done St. Marys good as they outscored Cressy 13-7 in the last quarter to win 19-13. Melanie Williams proved to be our outstanding player, backed up by Rebecca Burgess, Natasha Faulkner and Michelle Tarr.

Both Boys' and Girls' Volleyball teams won in convincing fashion. Marcus Greenwood and Damon Young set the standard for St. Marys boys and Natasha Faulkner, Rebecca Burgess and Karina Green were good players in our girls team.

At the end of the first day St. Marys had won 6 of the 7 sports decided and won back the winter shield for the first time in several years.

The second netball game was played on Friday and after a close struggle over the 4 x 15 min quarters, Cressy won 29-20. Even this was an improvement as we are not usually as competitive against Cressy. Elissa Guy and Melanie Hammersley played well for St. Marys.

The final two games to be decided were the boys and girls basketball. In their previous two encounters Cressy girls have thrashed St. Marys by big margins so this year's score of 41-31 in Cressy's favour was something of an improvement. Melanie Williams with 10 points was our leading scorer and best player assisted well by Michelle Tarr and Kristy Lynch.

The boys game proved a thriller, with St. Marys reversing their defeat in Term 1 by winning 36-28. Michael Gamble top-scored with 11 points and David Brittain scored 9 and along with Damon Young were the team's best players.

In a lack-lustre boys soccer clash the 2-2 score said it all!

Girls Soccer	St. M 4 def Cressy 0
Girls Hockey	St. M 8 def Cressy 0
Boys Hockey	St. M 6 def Cressy 4
Boys Volleyball	St. M 3 def Cressy 0
Girls Volleyball	St. M 3 def Cressy 0
Boys Basketball	St. M 36 def Cressy 28
Boys Soccer	St. M 2 drew with Cressy 2
Girls Netball (1)	St. M 19 def Cressy 13
Girls Netball (2)	St. M 20 lost to Cressy 29
Boys Football	St. M 36 lost to Cressy 101
Girls Basketball	St. M 31 lost to Cressy 41

A. Pickett.

REMINDER: COUNTRY DANCE
ST. MARYS HALL FRIDAY 30th AUGUST
WITH FRANK SARGENT BUSHLANDERS
Ladies a plate please



Minister for Education and the Arts

MEDIA RELEASE

MICHAEL AIRD
MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND THE ARTS
23 August 1991

The State Government will spend up to \$600,000 replacing library and other facilities destroyed in the recent St. Marys District High School fire, and in purchasing new books for the library. The work will commence this financial year and be completed by beginning of Term 111 1992.

This is in addition to a \$110,000 program of minor works which has already been approved to provide short-term solutions to the problems created by the fire.

An immediate grant of \$15,000 has been provided to the school to enable the first set of book purchases to be made.

The fire on 26 July destroyed the school's library, audio-visual equipment store, main staff room, staff studies and staff toilets.

Education Minister, Michael Aird, said today that it had been decided to convert the existing speech and drama facility to a general staffroom, convert the old hall to a speech and drama facility, and construct a new library and staff facilities, at an estimated cost of \$450,000. An amount of \$150,000 will be provided to restore the school's library collection.

In the meantime, he said, several steps were being taken to provide some short term solutions, including:

- relocating a terrapin classroom from St. Helens District High to St. Marys District High;

- improvements (including carpeting and a false ceiling) to the old hall in the main building so that it can be brought into use as a library;

- converting an area behind the stage in the old hall to staff studies, and bring into use two disused staff toilets;

- splitting a classroom in Block B to provide additional classroom space.

Mr. Aird said that in addition to book donations from other schools and the State Library, the school's library resources would be renewed to accepted national standards for school libraries.

"St. Marys will also be provided with the STARLITE computers cataloguing system to speed up the processing of book purchases," Mr. Aird said.

LIBRARY REPLACEMENT

The announcement by Mr. Aird, the Minister for Education and the Arts, that a new library will be built is good news and we look forward to its completion

Although the amount of \$150,000 granted over the next two years for the purchase of bookstock and equipment for the library will be of substantial benefit to us, the shortfall to re-stock the library to anywhere near its previous capacity will be quite considerable.

We would still be most grateful for any further assistance the community may offer.

S.M.D.H.S. PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOC. INC.

NOTICE OF MOTION

I hereby give notice of motion to rescind Motion 3 General Business, 15th May, 1990 under Section 15(b) of the Constitution at the next meeting of the St. Marys District High School Parents and Friends Association Inc. to be held on the 17th September, 1991 at 7.30 p.m.

MOTION TO BE RESCINDED - General Meeting
15th May, 1990.

GENERAL BUSINESS

3. MOTION: D. Clement/l. Fearman
"that financial policy of the canteen is to operate to recover all costs and expenses related to the canteen and not to earn profits.

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2 Teaspoons Soya Sauce
Salt and Pepper
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METHOD

Heat milk (add little water to
thicken flour) put all ingredients
then add scallops in milk, thicken
the milk don't boil as it makes
the scallops hard.

EASY PLUM PUDDING

1 Kg Mixed Fruit
3 Eggs
1 Cup Brown Sugar, firmly packed
300 ml Carton Cream
 $2\frac{1}{4}$ Cups Plain Flour
2 Tablespoons Sweet Sherry
1 Teaspoon Nutmeg
1 Teaspoon Carb of Soda

METHOD

Chop fruit and place in bowl with
Sherry. Beat eggs and sifted
brown sugar until thick and creamy
add to fruit with cream, mix well.
Boil in steamer for 3 hrs.
Serve with whipped cream or
Ice Cream or Brandy Sauce.

Recipes donated by

Mrs Gloria Holmes

We still have room for FOUR
more competitors in the \$50
Christmas Hamper competition

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ST. MARYS - ST. HELENS COUNTRY AREAS PROGRAM

1992 SUBMISSIONS

The St. Marys - St. Helens Country Education Committee invites submissions from any interested individuals or organisations for Country Areas Program funding in 1991.

The Country Areas Program is funded by the Commonwealth Government through the Department of Employment, Education and Training. The Program has been operating for the past twelve years, supporting programs in both government and non government schools throughout Australia.

The Country Areas Program is designed to assist children in the Primary, Secondary and Senior Secondary age categories. The program aims to improve the educational participation and achievement of students disadvantaged by restricted access to social, cultural and educational activities and services as a result of geographical isolation. The program also provides a framework whereby schools and isolated communities can work co-operatively to improve the educational opportunities available to country children. The Country Areas Program encourages a high community participation and attempts to capitalise on the strengths of country communities.

The basic objectives of the Program are to find ways of overcoming isolation through sharing resources, broadening students' understanding of occupational horizons, building students' self esteem, making imaginative use of the expertise of local people, providing opportunities for teachers to interact with parents and their community.

It is anticipated that our committee will focus on projects covering four main areas in 1992 - culture, sport, travel and retention.

It is important that the person responsible for the running of a program (Project Manager) is named in the project description section of the submission.

Submissions expenditure is to be itemised fully on a separate page if necessary.

For information, guidelines and submission forms, please contact the committee member in your area or Mrs. Maureen Bushing at St. Marys District High School.

St. Marys	-	Graeme Beswick, Gerald Aulich
St. Helens	-	Jim Fidler, Peter Bunker
Fingal	-	Alvin Cooke, Roxy Cowie
Avoca	-	Gary Sykes, Phillipa Tatchell
Rossarden	-	Barry LeFevre, Karen Foster
Mathinna	-	Mary Hardman, Christine Scott
Bicheno	-	Michael Seymour, Andrea Cole

All submissions should be sent to Maureen Bushing at St. Marys District High School by the closing date - 1st October, 1991.

SPORTGOLF NOTES CONT.4th ROUND SILVER SPOON

M. King 71 L. Burness 73
N. Mallinson 80

Putting M. King 33

MEMBERS FLAG

1) R. Field (11) 69 18th fairway
2) R. McGiveron (8) 69 18 fairway
3) S. Wilmot (8) 70 17th hole
4) L. Cook (14) 70 17th green
Nearest Pin 5th J. Costain
7th S. Wilmot

JIM BRENNAN MIXED FOURSOMES

J. Costain - M. Cook 66½
T. Viney - J. Wines 67
R. Spilsbury - Y. Davern 67½
Nearest Pin 7th Mem. J. Costain
7th Assoc. Y. Davern

MEMBERS ECLECTIC

D. Bain 27½ c/b
J. Haas 27½
R. Field 28½
Nearest Pin 7th R. Field

MALAHIDE GOLF CLUB

Andrew Scott (Mathinna) and Mark Johns (Fingal) have been selected to attend a Golf Camp at Port Sorell during the first week of the school holidays. The Malahide Golf Club will pay their expenses.

Bill Husband will be coaching junior golfers at Malahide on Thursday the 12th of September.

10am - 11am Beginners.
11am - 12am Advanced Juniors.
A 9 hole and a 4 hole competition will be held after the lessons. The cost of coaching will be subsidised by the Country Areas Program.
Cost per child \$2.

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PHONE 751 230.

SCAMANDER NEWS

Residents are reminded of the Garden Competition to be held over the long weekend in Nov. at Scamander.

A family games night is planned to be held at the Scamander Sports Complex on Friday 6th September at 7.30pm with table tennis, indoor bowls, darts, cards, 8 ball. Cost \$1. a family, tea and coffee provided. Ladies a plate please.

The mini chopping event held recently at the Complex was great fun although no local ladies won neither the manfern chop nor the nail driving competition held inside the Complex. Over 25 children entered the kids nail driving competition and proved to be better hits with a hammer than many of the adults!!!

Next Complex Meeting Date 12th Sept.
Next Progress Meeting 19th Sept.

The pile of mulching material at progress park is the property of the progress association. Would those removing it kindly move it only to the garden beds in the park and not to destinations unknown.

P. Biggelaar

TAX PENALTIES AND YOU

We are in the 1990's with a tax system totally different to that which existed in 1980.

Self assessment was implemented primarily as an internal re-organisation of the Taxation Office with a view to increasing efficiency and job satisfaction. The audit organisation has been restructured into three "business" areas re Complex Audits, Business Audits and Primary Audits.

The two types of audits which concern the majority of taxpayers are Business Audits and Primary Audits. These are audits of individuals, partnerships, trust and private companies involved in profit making activities. Audits of selected groups are undertaken under this programme and the Commissioner has advised the following groups of taxpayers have been targetted for audit during the 1991 year, doctors, engineers, hairdressers, miners, cleaners and teachers.

The audit programme has had very high success rate with an average of 75% of the taxpayers audited during 1988/89 being subject to adjustments.

Previously records sufficient to support the calculation of assessable income were required to be retained for seven years after the completion of the transactions, now Section 262A has reduced that record requirement to five years.

There is a wide array of penalties available for the Tax Office to levy against taxpayers who do not comply with the rules.

A summary of the penalty regime is as follows:

(1) INTEREST

Where a tax return has been lodged and an assessment has been issued or deemed to have been issued under the new self

assessment system, and an amended assessment is subsequently raised in circumstances where a false or misleading statement is not considered to have been made, then a per annum rate of 14.03% on the additional tax payable will apply.

(2) FALSE OR MISLEADING STATEMENTS

Where a false or misleading statement is considered to have been made, either in documents provided or in statements made penalties of up to a maximum of 200% of the tax avoided could apply. The penalty depends upon the degree of culpability.

(3) LATE LODGEMENT AND LATE PAYMENT

There are separate penalties covering late lodgement up to a maximum rate of 200% and late payment of tax at the rate of 20%.

(4) FAILURE TO KEEP AND PROCURE RECORDS

If a taxpayer fails to keep records and particulars to substantiate the claimed deductions the resultant penalty may in addition to the tax payable include a substantial fine.

In cases such as refusal or failure to comply with requirements of a taxation law, recklessly or knowingly making false or misleading statements and incorrectly keeping records with the intention of receiving or misleading penalties may include fines and/or terms of imprisonment.

The onus is on YOU the taxpayer to comply with rules.

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ST. MARYS TENNIS CLUB1991-92 PENNANT TEAMS

PLAYERS WHO ARE INTERESTED IN PLAYING PENNANT TENNIS IN THE 1991-92 ROSTER, EITHER AS REGULAR PLAYERS OR AS RESERVES, ARE ASKED TO REGISTER THEIR NAMES BY MONDAY, 16th SEPTEMBER.

LISTS ARE LOCATED IN THE CLUBROOMS AND AT THE HEALTH AND BEAUTY CENTRE.

FUN DAY

A FUN DAY WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY 29th SEPTEMBER TO OPEN THE NEW SEASON.

NAMES TO BE PUT ON LIST AT CLUBROOMS OR LEFT AT THE HEALTH AND BEAUTY CENTRE.
MORE DETAILS LATER.

THE FINGAL RIFLE CLUB will be holding "BINGO" every Thursday at 7.30. Two "JACKPOTS" plus BINGO tickets. Everyone is welcome.

FINGAL VALLEY NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

SCHOOL VACATION PROGRAM
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Mon 9th, Wed 11th & Fri 13th Sept.
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RETURN THANKS

TOOMBS, KATHERINE ELIZABETH
EVA

JULY 27 - 7 - 1991

The families of the late Katherine Toombs wish to sincerely thank all relatives and friends for cards, floral tributes, phone calls, prayers and personal visits on the sudden loss of our loved Mother, Mother-in-law and Nan. To all those who sent cooking and helped with the afternoon tea. Thank you to Canon Nancarrow, Daral Bailey and Son and the pall bearers. Would all please accept this as our personal thanks and appreciation.

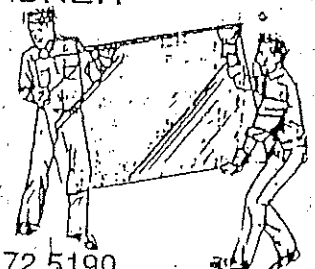
STREET STALL...outside St.Marys Shoe Shop 10.30am Thursday 26th September. St.Marys Hospital Auxiliary are raising funds for the Cardiac Unit Auxiliary in Hobart. Donations of cakes etc... much appreciated.

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**PUBLIC SPEAKING
FINGAL VALLEY - EAST COAST
SCHOOLS**

On Thursday August 8, pupils from Mathinna, St Helens and Fingal participated in a Public Speaking Competition at the Launceston Teachers Centre.

Pupils from 20 Northern Schools took part. The children from the Fingal Valley - East Coast schools acquitted themselves very well and we were extremely proud of their efforts.

REPRESENTATIVES

St Helens were represented by :

1: Haley Bunker. 2: Fleur Campbell. 3: Tamina Weeden.

These children looked confident and spoke well.

Fingal was represented by :

1: Thomas Holder. 2: Simon Rice. Thomas's speech was "All Australians are Lazy" and he used a very dramatic beginning to gain everyone's attention. Simon Rice made some excellent points in his speech.

Mathinna was represented by :

1: Nigel Turner. 2: Kirsty Phillips. 3: Monique Brittain.

The Valley/East Coast children didn't win a major prize but the Mathinna children were awarded a Highly Commendable award by St Leonards Primary School Committee and a \$50 book voucher.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT MATHINNA

Prior to the Launceston Competition Mathinna Primary School held it's own competition at the Mathinna Club on Friday August 2nd. Children from Grades 4, 5 and 6 made speeches on topics of "All Australians are Lazy", "Country children shouldn't have to Pay School Bus Fares", "All cats should be licenced", and "Trees should be cut Down and Used".

The judges were Verna Rice, Beauty Flats and Suzie and Colin Loane St Marys. About 50 people attended and formed a very appreciative audience.

The eventual winners were:

1: Nigel Turner (Trees Should Be Cut Down and Used) Equal 2nd: Kirsty Phillips (All cats should be Licenced) Monique Brittain (All Australians are Lazy)

DWYER - DAWSON WEDDING

A wedding of interest to Fingal Valley - East Coast residents at the weekend was that of former tennis star Genevieve Dwyer. Genevieve is the daughter of Kevan and Geraldine Dwyer and grand daughter of Molly Walker of St Marys. Kevan grew up at St Helens and is the son of the late Lance and Beryl Dwyer of St Helens.

Genevieve was a prominent Australian Junior Tennis player and had overseas trips to Japan and U.S.A. She gave up competitive tennis in 1987 to work for Ansett Airlines in Sydney.

This is where Genevieve met her husband Richard Dawson. Genevieve was a beautiful bride and her dress was a full skirted raw silk featuring a dropped waist line with ruched leg of mutton sleeves.

She was attended by her older sister Kathy and Sally Shepherd. The bridesmaids wore gowns made of peachy crushed ice taffeta with matching shoes and jewelled head pieces. Richard was attended by his brother Paul and Genevieve's brother in law Brendan Barry.

The brides mother Geraldine wore a beautiful slim fitting purple gown while Molly Walker looked splendid in a multi coloured low waisted dress with a pleated skirt.

The bridegrooms parents Lance and Patricia Dawson journeyed from Adelaide to attend the wedding and other guests travelled from Melbourne and Sydney.

Genevieve and Richard are honeymooning at Port Douglas in Queensland. They will then visit Tasmania for a few days.

The wedding and reception was held at Archers Manor where 50 friends and relatives helped them celebrate the happy day.



Housing Outreach Service

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RESIDENTS OF FINGAL VALLEY,

HOUSING OUTREACH SERVICE IN LAUNCESTON HAS BEEN WORKING WITH SOME RESIDENTS OF ST. MARYS AND CORNWALL CONCERNING SUB STANDARD PROPERTY AND THE LACK OF HOUSING ALTERNATIVES.

IT HAS COME TO OUR NOTICE THAT MANY PEOPLE DO NOT REGARD HOUSING DEPARTMENT HOMES AS AN OPTION...BECAUSE OF THERE BEING SO FEW PROPERTIES BELONGING TO THE HOUSING DEPARTMENT HAVING BEEN BUILT IN THIS DISTRICT.

HOWEVER, AS YOU CAN SEE FROM CORRESPONDENCE BY THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING, MS JUDY JACKSON, M.H.A., SENT TO OUR SERVICE RECENTLY THIS IS BECAUSE THEY DO NOT SEE THE NEED TO BUILD OR BUY PROPERTIES GIVEN THE NEED ...THAT IS, THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED MANY APPLICATIONS FOR HOUSING DEPARTMENT PLACES FROM THE DISTRICT TO DATE.

AS SHE POINTS OUT IN HER LETTER, SHOULD THIS SITUATION CHANGE THEY WILL HAVE TO RECONSIDER THEIR POSITION....THAT IS,

IF MORE PEOPLE FROM THE AREA SEND IN APPLICATIONS FOR HOUSING DEPARTMENT HOMES THEY WILL CONSIDER ACQUIRING LAND, BUYING OR BUILDING PROPERTIES AT SOME STAGE...THEY CANNOT CONTINUE TO DENY THE NEED IF THEY RECEIVE A LARGE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FROM THE AREA.

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO FILL IN THESE APPLICATIONS FOR HOUSING AND SEND THEM TO ... INFORMATION AND ACCESS, HOUSING SERVICES, 97 CAMERON ST., LAUNCESTON. 7250

Finally, with respect to the availability of public housing in the area, my Department has nine applications on hand for St Marys. Of these, four are for three bedroom accommodation. Given the current level of demand and need of those applicants, no construction is proposed for the 1990/91 period. Should the situation change quickly, the Department has developed residential land available for construction. Alternatively, if there are new applicants in urgent need of accommodation, a spot purchased house would be considered.

My Department is aware of the difficulties associated with rural areas and has for some time been conducting periodic small town surveys to assess latent housing needs. If you are aware of eligible individuals or families in need of public housing, I urge your Service to have them complete an application form and return it to the Launceston office.

(taken from correspondence sent to HOS by the Minister, Judy Jackson, M.H.A.)
If you require information or assistance regarding your housing situation, please call us on 003 341577.

HOUSING OUTREACH SERVICE.

(funded under the Supported Accommodation Assistance Programme)

STARDUST

CANCER June 22-July 23
 You may find yourself at odds with others over matters of convention.
 Lucky numbers 23,28,39.

LEO July 24- Aug 23
 You may feel emotionally frustrated by someone, and it could seem though supporters have deserted you. Lucky numbers 31,36,42.

VIRGO Aug 24-Sept 23
 Friendships could be made this week with exciting or off-beat people. Luck plays an important part in your week.
 Lucky numbers 1,35,43.

LIBRA Sept 24 - Oct23
 A good week for home improvements and landscaping. Some will change residence or buy an investment property. Lucky numbers 22,31,33.

SCORPIO Oct 24 - Nov22
 Many will wish to escape from day to day realities for a while. Be careful with money.
 Lucy numbers 12,34,39.

SAGITTARIUS Nov23-Dec21
 A busy social week is ahead. Romance will be a highlight and you won't be looking for excuses in your relationships.
 Lucky numbers 26,37,42.

CAPRICORN Dec22-Jan 20
 Independence and anything unusual should be valued this week as you try to break away from routine.
 Lucky numbers 15,21,43.

AQUARIUS Jan 21 -Feb 19
 Success is indicated with things outside your routine, as you will be eager for new understanding.
 Lucky numbers 13,19,31.

PISCES Feb 20-Mar20
 This is a good week to examine what is important and oflasting value in your life. Your emotions will be running high.
 Lucky numbers 8,20,30.

ARIES Mar 21 - Apr 20
 Benefits can be expected through friendships. Strike while the iron is hot especially in relation ships. Lucky numbers, 15,21,26.

TAURUS Apr 21 - May 21
 Your insights will astound others when it comes to personal and business affairs this week .
 Lucky numbers, 16,22,41

GEMINI May22 - June21
 There may be requests for wage increases, better working conditions or loans. Many Geminians will yearn for a good book or movie.
 Lucky numbers, 17,27,32.

MEALS ON WHEELS

<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	<u>ST. MARYS</u>	<u>PINGAL</u>	<u>MANGANA</u>	<u>MATHINNA</u>
SUNDAY 1	Marj Spilsbury	Lionel Rankin	Jack Miller	Kaye Turner
MONDAY 2	Dana Smith	Ruth Saunders	Les Walters	Christine Scott
TUESDAY 3	D & S Robinson	Kath Francis	Kath Francis	Max Ellis
WEDNESDAY 4	Jean Lohrey	Colleen Turner	Sutton Lowe	Cynthia Webb
THURSDAY 5	Jenny Cooke	Hetty Williams	Alan Barnes	Ian Hardman
SUNDAY 8	Karen Brown	Cheryl Rankin	Jack Miller	Kaye Turner
MONDAY 9	Claire Bean	Carole Woods	Pat Death	Christine Scott
TUESDAY 10	Helen Napier	Robyn Holder	George Francis	Max Ellis
WEDNESDAY 11	Audrey Wright	Jessie Burbury	Jessie Burbury	Cynthia Webb
THURSDAY 12	Wendy Aulich	Jack Miller	Jack Miller	Ian Hardman

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