

Broad Bay Community Centre

Local News – October 2018

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Wonderful events coming up: a book sale, school fair, community BBQ, yoga, and much more!

A Meeting with Treats!

You are very welcome to our AGM – as an extra treat we will be having **FREE SAMPLES OF AFRICAN FOOD** from Shukuru and **ARTISAN BREAD** from Peter (both of whom regularly prepare food at the Hall). Tea and coffee too. **For catering purposes please RSVP:** Peter ph [0221990989](tel:0221990989). Shukuru will also talk about connecting Peninsula schools with children from her village in Africa.

BROAD BAY COMMUNITY CENTRE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Monday 19 November, 7pm

Agenda: Minutes of last AGM; President's report; Annual accounts; Election of committee; general. Want to join the committee? More help always welcome! Ph. Rolien [021765436](tel:021765436).

AFRICAN FOOD AT THE HALL Shukuru is back preparing African food at the Hall on Fridays – to be picked up from the Hall on Fridays from 5-7pm. All orders must be in before Friday 12:00 noon (for information and bookings, phone/text Shukuru 0273845052). Tables and chairs are set up, so you can eat and chat there or takeaway (or play table tennis too) – either way PLEASE bring your own bowls/cutlery. Free coffee & tea with meals.

ZUMBA/AFRICAN DANCE AT THE HALL Thursday nights 7-8pm, \$5 each, bring a water bottle. Contact Shukuru if you have any questions, 0273845052. Minimum of 5 people.

CHARLIEBROWNS ARTISAN BAKER

Freshly baked bread available every Friday down The Bay!
Ciabatta, bread buns & rolls - wholemeal, cheese and white flour options, iced fruit buns etc. Breads made traditionally by hand. No added gluten, no preservatives and made with minimal salt and sugar. Pick up or delivery available. To place an order please phone 4780 023 or 0221990989. Please place your order by Wednesday.

ALSO USING THE HALL KITCHEN FOR PREPARING TREATS ...



Betty Rose Vintage High Tea Service is Dunedin's only mobile High Tea service, we come to your venue and create a beautiful vintage high tea just for you! We offer a selection of delicate savoury and sweet treats and set your table with pretty china and embroidered tablecloths. I grew up down the bay and Betty Rose Vintage High tea was born from a love of all things vintage and named after my Mum, Betty who inspires me every day. 021765436, www.bettyrose.co.nz, Instagram: [bettyrose_dunedin](https://www.instagram.com/bettyrose_dunedin).

SEWING ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS at Broad Bay:

Phone Maria, 4780437 or 02102287571

BOOK RUMMAGE!! BROAD BAY SCHOOL

Thursday 25 October 5pm–8pm

Books plus CDs, magazines, plants, BBQ, soup, face-painting, bake-sale, op-shop and more!

New! BROAD BAY YOGA

At the Community Centre Hall. Yang class Wednesdays 7pm & Thursdays 9.30am

Yin class on Sundays 4pm. Everyone welcome \$10 p/p

Contact Chels for further info at chelseagawron@gmail.com

POWERHOOP offers a class every Thursday 1pm at the Broad Bay Community Hall. Come along to enjoy a full body workout with a focus on core strengthening and heaps of fun! \$12 for those with own hoop and \$15 if you require a hoop hire. Limited spaces available, bookings essential. Text Lee on 027HOOPERS to attend - 1st class is complimentary!

BROAD BAY FOOD CO-OP We are looking for new members! We buy fresh food (including organic and sprayfree) from the Farmers' Market every Saturday morning. Members receive the Market Newsletter and have easy, 24-hour access to fresh fruit, vegetables and free range eggs, and even North Island organic avocados and citrus fruit, from the co-op building (opposite the Hall, Clearwater St) in quantities they choose. Future proof your sustainable lifestyle and reduce your petrol consumption, by ensuring you belong to a local distribution hub. Contact: Lala Frazer 478-0339 or Fran Bolgar 478-0049

TABLE TENNIS AT THE HALL at this time of the year there is no regular night of table tennis set aside at the Hall, but the equipment is always available to be used year-round just by hiring the Hall as usual (\$11 per hour – or use any free hours you have from paying subs).

HALLOWEEN COMMUNITY BBQ

Latham Park/Coronation Hall in Portobello on Saturday, 27 October, between 1:00-3:30

Halloween games, Trick-or-Treating, fancy dress, good food, live music!

It's a great chance to meet your peninsula neighbours and have a bit of fun. Kid-friendly, too. Come rain or shine. This is a Potluck BBQ: burgers, sausages and some beverages provided, in addition to your bringing a plate for all to share. Feel free to come dressed up in your best Halloween costumes. We'll be having a best dressed contest for adults and kids. Please bring Trick-or-Treat bags for your kiddies to fill with Halloween goodies. The exceptional local band, Soul Deep will be there, so wear comfy shoes if you want to get up and boogie! More info on Facebook: Otago Peninsula Buy Nothing page or Otago Peninsula Community page

BROAD BAY BOATING CLUB

Thanks to the terrific local support on our Open Day. Mayor Cull officially opened the Rebuild Fundraising Launch, and there was a festive atmosphere with flags and bunting and local musicians playing, home baking, and boats on display. It was encouraging to get such a huge crowd and a positive response to the rebuild displays, model and plans. About \$600 was made from the sale of calendars, club badges, and people were impressed by the professional approach to the planning and promotion of the Rebuild Project.. Thanks to all those who contributed, including TMC Ltd who sponsored the traffic management.

More information on how to make a donation on our Givealittle page.

MEDITATION GROUP continues in November and early December, every 2nd and 4th Monday at 7pm in Room 4 at Broad Bay school (12th and 26th November, 10th December). Please bring a gold coin koha for the school, a cushion to sit on or there are chairs available. The group is open to everyone whether you're just wanting to try meditation or you have meditated before and would like to practice with others. We follow the Insight meditation tradition which is a very simple approach nurturing calmness of mind and body. To find out more about Insight meditation check out www.southern-insight.org.nz. For more info about the group and our meditation practice, please contact Lucy Atkinson on 0273341778, 4780848, or lucyinthebay@gmail.com.

ROAD CLOSURE

Highcliff Road from Seaton Road to Sandymount Road will be closed for slip repairs to through traffic until 6pm on Friday 26th October.

FRIDAY PLAYGROUP AT BROAD BAY SCHOOL

Looking for warm conversation and a hot coffee (and a little bit of playful chaos)? Broad Bay School makes Rm 4 available to host a playgroup every term-time Friday morning. It's a casual gathering providing social free-play for children (no age restriction) and companionship for adults. Anytime from around 9:30/10am to about 12pm. Gold coin donation for tea/coffee and biscuits. Contact: Renee Wainwright, 4780671, 022-0105264, reneeerna@gmail.com.

STOP News

STOP volunteers have completed planting for the year at Smiths Creek, the NGL and the Portobello Peninsula Millenium Reserve (only Broad Bay School plants have not yet gone in).

The Darwins barberry project (directed by Moira Parker) aims to eliminate this plant north of Pukehiki. Local landowners have been very supportive. It's an attractive plant with orange flowers and prickly leaves (photo) and is REALLY OBVIOUS now. But it's lethal for both pasture and bush remnants where it suppresses natives. Please remove it from your gardens.



Working bees continue (weather permitting) at Smiths Creek (meet at end of Bacon St) every Tuesday 9.30am

-12.30 and Sundays 10am – 1pm, for releasing, gorse work, track maintenance. Every Thursday the “War on Weeds” Group has also been organising combined working bees for Darwins barberry and gorse. More volunteers always very welcome. Email STOP stopincsoc@gmail.com or contact Lala Frazer (Ph 478 0339, Text 027 8756 020).

Monthly meeting in Broad Bay Community Centre Meeting Room behind the Hall in Clearwater St on the first Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm. All welcome.

READ THE MACANDREW BAY AND PORTOBELLO NEWSLETTERS ONLINE:

www.macandrewbaynews.org.nz www.portobello.org.nz

MACANDREW BAY SCHOOL'S BIENNIAL FAIR- Sunday November 4th 11am

We'd be very happy to receive things from the Peninsula community to sell at our fair. Books, toys, good quality clothing, plants, and household items for the white elephant stall all gratefully accepted. Items can be dropped to school in the 3 weeks after the school holidays (15 Oct up to the weekend of the Fair). It would be really helpful if we could have items sorted into bags or cardboard boxes when you drop them off. Thank you! We're hoping to see lots of Peninsula people at the Fair – always a great community event!

BROAD BAY COMMUNITY GARDEN

It is wonderful to have spring underway and the garden responding. Broad beans are in full flower and there has been a great crop of purple sprouting broccoli this year. Monthly working bees are a good chance to meet other locals in an informal way. If you would like to be added to the email list, let me know; I send out reminders a few days before the next working bee.

Orma Bradfield - Coordinator Community Garden Ph 478 0560 Email ormab73@gmail.com

CASELBERG TRUST

Feedback from Justin Spiers's: "The Pet Photo Booth Project exceeded my expectations for community involvement and interest. The number of participants and their enthusiasm for the project was overwhelming. The Residency resulted in an intensive period of portrait sessions that allowed me to create over 100 new works. The Project will proceed around NZ and develop towards a book. An exhibition from the Dunedin Portrait sessions will be held at the Wallace Pah Gallery, Auckland Feb 2019. The project will hopefully be presented at the Adelaide and Melbourne International Arts Festivals."

A very big thank you to Donald and Stella Cullington for hosting a wonderful concert in their home in Company Bay in September. Donald Cullington, (piano) with Sydney Mannovitz (violin) and Lois Johnston (soprano) delighted the audience with classical works including Torua by Caselberg Patron Dame Gillian Whitehead.

2019 Caselberg Creative Connections Residency announced end of this month.

International Caselberg Poetry Competition: 5.30pm, Thursday 29th Nov, UBS, join us to celebrate the winner and runners-up reading their work. Judge David Eggleton. The winner receives \$500, has the poem published in Landfall and earns a week at the Caselberg House.

REMINDER – get local news by email

Like to be emailed about Broad Bay news and events? [e.g. Civil Defence and road work notices, Market Days, arts and music.] An email list is maintained by Lala Frazer. People are listed by street so that some notices (eg. lost and found animals) are better targeted. If you'd like your name added to the list, please contact Lala: lala.frazer@gmail.com. Your email address is not made public. You can ask to be removed any time. And if you have local news to share, please contact Lala.

PENINSULA PLAYCENTRE

30 Harrington Point Road, Portobello. Email: peninsula@playcentre.org.nz

Open Monday and Wednesday, 9.30am – 12.30pm.

Early Childhood Education for children aged 0-6yrs.

OTAGO PENINSULA BIODIVERSITY GROUP – Volunteer Update

With the help of our volunteers we've kept traplines clear for operations by cutting and maintaining tracks at Sandfly Bay and Sandymount. We also established a permanent trapline in Sector 5 which the Guardians have monitored: since August they've caught over 30 possums!

Our spring/summer chew card programme has started: monitoring possum activity in key areas. After we've established what pests are there we follow up with trapping. There is also still track cutting to be done at Sandymount. If you're keen on doing either chew-carding, trapping or track cutting, please contact Kate volunteers@opbg.nz

OPBG Volunteer Events Schedule October – November 2018

Date	Time	Location	Activity
Wednesday 24 October	9am – 3pm	Te Rauone & Ōtākou Cliffs	Chew Card Monitoring
Thursday 25 October	9am – 2pm	Camp Rd / Larnach Castle surrounds	Chew Card Monitoring
Thursday 01 November	9am – 3pm	Sandymount	Track Cutting
Thursday 08 November	9am – 3pm	Sandymount	Track Cutting
Thursday 15 November	9am – 3pm	Sandymount	Track Cutting

Transport available upon prior arrangement

Public Meeting

We're hosting a public meeting on **Wednesday 24 Oct at Macandrew Bay Hall 7 – 9pm.**

Come along to get an update on our operations, learn about our involvement with Predator Free Dunedin and much more! All welcome, child friendly event.

Check out our new website <https://www.predatorfreepeninsula.nz/>

and follow us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/predatorfreepeninsula/>

OTAGO PENINSULA COMMUNITY BOARD NEWS

School buses: After months of submissions and deliberations, Otago Regional Council have agreed to the change in route, and added afternoon service and a timetable change. Congratulations to our Peninsula communities for their persistence.

Book Bus service: A recent report on the Book Bus shows that the five peninsula stops are some of the busiest and the only route requiring two librarians. The buses also provide access to wi-fi which customers can use to download ebooks. Staff have a tablet and smart phone on board and can demonstrate access to the Library's digital collections and apps. The Book Bus visits the Peninsula on Wednesdays and is at Broad Bay School from 11.15 to 12.00 noon.

Broad Bay pontoon and ramp have been returned and installed. A minor addition will allow the Coast Guard vessel to be docked on either side of the pontoon. This docking will be trialed during the summer holidays, so that the boat will already be in the water in the event of a call out.

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/pencomboard/> for more information on community issues.

Graham McArthur – Otago Peninsula Community Board member

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PORTOBELLO LIBRARY: Did you know there is a very well-stocked library in the Portobello Hall? The Library is open Thursdays 11-1pm. Membership is one-off \$5 a family and no charge thereafter. Books cost 20c to get out. With the cost of petrol of going to town why not pop down and check it out instead.

STEADY AS YOU GO® classes at Portobello Bowling Club

Strength & balance exercise class - Mondays 10 am

Tai Chi Classes - Mondays & Thursdays 1.30 pm. Enquires: Margaret Dando 477-1040 Ext 702

OTAGO PENINSULA MUSEUM NEWS

We had a well attended AGM in August with 2 new members on our Committee. The meeting was shown old photos of Portobello and Broad Bay and our President took groups down to the Barn area to show them what has been done. Each Tuesday morning the Committee and several members of the community are working away on odd jobs and making a lot of difference. The morning tea and good banter seem to be popular as well. We have invited the Committee from the Taieri Historical Museum in Outram to visit us. It is always good to exchange ideas.

BROAD BAY COMMUNITY CENTRE

Do you have a notice for future newsletters? Please contact Jane Ashman: 4780440, 02102710950, jane.ashman@otago.ac.nz

Thank you to the Otago Peninsula Community Board for funding towards the newsletter, and to the wonderful volunteer deliverers.

HALL HIRE The basic rate is \$11 per hour for the Hall or the Etheridge room (behind the hall, with a grass area) – contact us for rates for longer periods of hire. Equipment (tables, chairs, crockery, cutlery) is available for members to borrow, and a donation will be negotiated.

BONUS! Community Centre members don't pay a bond and also get **1 free hour** hire (single membership) and **2 free hours** (household membership); or combine free hours with others.

HALL BOOKINGS: Contact Chris Obbeek ph. 4780 584. Or if Chris is unavailable, please contact Peter 4780 023 or 0221990989.

Support Broad Bay – Community Centre Membership

Unlike many other local halls, our hall is not owned by the DCC. Membership subscriptions enable us to keep the cost of hire as low as possible and help cover rates, insurance, cleaning, etc. Subscriptions are now due for the 1.7.2018/19 year.

Subscription Form

Subscriptions for 1.7.2018/19 can be paid by:

- Cheque made payable to "Broad Bay Community Centre"
- Direct credit to 03 0903 0380753 00 Please ensure "Subs" and "Your Name(s)" are entered in the fields.

Either way, complete & return this form to: Kim & Matt Morgan, 691 Portobello Rd

(please leave envelopes in post box at the gate).

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Amount paid: (\$7.50/person or \$15/household per year. Donations welcome)

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