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Macandrew Bay Library

I was thrilled recently to hear of a local 5 year old about to go to primary school. When asked what special treat she would like to celebrate her leaving the Play Centre, she requested a visit to the Macandrew Bay Library. What a clever girl she must be!

So the library was specially opened to receive a few young visitors. They all enjoyed their time and we look forward to more Play Centre visits.

Anne Pentecost, Librarian

Our hours are:
Wednesdays 5.30 to 7.30pm
Fridays 2.30 to 4.30pm
and last Sunday every month 4.00 to 5.00pm

As a newcomer to Company Bay, and having just enrolled at the wonderful Macandrew Bay Library, I have been asked to write a few words on my mother, New Zealand author Essie Summers. Essie and my father, Bill Flett, lived in Belleknoves for twenty years. She loved Dunedin, and Otago, which featured in many of her novels, and at least one, "The Smoke and the Fire," was partly set near Portobello.

A potted biography of Essie's career would be as follows: she wrote 56 romance novels, plus her autobiography, from 1957 to 1997, the year before she died. An estimated 19 million copies were printed, in 25 languages, and sold in 105 countries. All but four were published by Mills and Boon. She wrote under her maiden name as she had already become an established freelance writer before her marriage. Essie's books quickly became so popular that publisher Alan Boon waived the usual word limit to allow her to include the history and descriptions of her settings, which drew countless fans to New Zealand, a fact that delighted my mother...it was, as she said, an unexpected bonus from writing of the country she loved.



Essie was warm and outgoing, with a great sense of humour, but also essentially modest. She would have been amazed to know that a retirement village in Christchurch, the city of her birth, bears her name, as does their Writers' Walk, and that Dunedin has similarly honoured her with a beautiful plaque in the Octagon, at the foot of the statue of poet Robbie Burns, whom she often quoted. She would also be astonished, but enchanted, that her books are now being published electronically on Amazon, by an American fan, Ken Pierce, who includes photos of the areas where the books are set, and the covers of which are designed by his son in America and my son, Essie's grandson, in Macandrew Bay.

Elizabeth Jack

Ten members of the Macandrew Bay Garden Club recently visited three gardens in Palmerston.

All were begun from scratch within the last four years, but already boasted well established, colourful borders and flourishing raised vegetable gardens, soil and climate combining to make ideal growing conditions. A magnificent border of dahlias in one garden kept our cameras busy.



We invited members of the Palmerston Garden Circle to visit some of our local

gardens, including Glenfalloch. They were happy to pencil in a day in November, which will give us the opportunity to reciprocate, having enjoyed our day in Palmerston and their kind hospitality.

New members of the Macandrew Bay Garden Club are always welcome. If you are interested you could call either Linda Seddon on 476 1799 or Polly Higham on 476 1056.

Did You Know?

A Centennial Regatta will be held on Saturday 1st April to celebrate 100 years of the Macandrew Bay Boating Club.

Portobello Presbyterian Church

(Sundays 10am)

5th March—Jane Cox—Church Svc
 19th March—TBA—Study Group
 9th April—TBA—Communion
 23rd April—TBA—Study Group
 7th May—Jane Cox—Church Svc
 21st May—TBA—Study Group



All are welcome at our small Church on the hill next to the Portobello Cemetery, Harrington Point Rd, Portobello

Macandrew Bay Playcentre is back into the swing of things for 2023. We opened our new Thursday session a couple of weeks ago and we are excited that our roll numbers are already growing for Thursdays. We have welcomed a handful of new whānau into our centre in the last couple of months and we can see they are settling in well. We cannot wait for the new relationships and different learning experiences these whānau will bring us.

Our tamariki have already been on some exciting outings this year, including out to Pūrākanui to celebrate Scotty's last day of Playcentre before heading away to school. We have also made some friends at the Dunedin Public Library with the Bilingual Storytime, including a traveling storyteller who is going to come visit us. We look forward to having them share their love of books with us.

Best wishes to Hemi, Anyah and Scotty who have left us now and are off to school. Congratulations to Fer for gaining her Playcentre Introductory Award qualification and helping us to keep our quality of education standard high.

We are now open from 9am to 1pm Monday through Friday. Please get in touch with us if your whānau are interested in visiting or joining our Playcentre. We have plenty of space in our roll to welcome more families and we have three free visits before you enrol. You can get in touch with us via our email or through our Facebook page.

Email: macandrewbay@playcentre.org.nz
Whānau tupu ngā tahi — Families growing together

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We are arranging training in the use of the defibrillator to be given in the Macandrew Bay Hall by staff of St John's Ambulance, hopefully in June, and probably on a Sunday. There is a cost for the training session which we hope will be covered by a koha on the day. The Bay Views Newsletter is happy to subsidise this if necessary.

Be sure to check the next Bay Views for confirmation of the date and time.



Macandrew Bay Scout Group

We're having a great start to the New Year and are currently running two groups at the Scout Hall:

A Scout group for boys and girls aged 11 to 14. Mondays
6.00pm to 8.00pm

A Venturers group for boys and girls aged 14-18.
Wednesdays **6.30pm to 8.30pm**

We are hoping to start two more groups as soon as numbers allow:

Keas for boys and girls aged 5 to 8.

Cubs for boys and girls aged 8 to 11.

Note: as the numbers are too low at the moment to run Keas and Cub age group, we are allowing 8 to 11-year-olds to join in with the Scout group, with increased parent supervision.

Both Scout and Venturers are running well and have exciting activities planned for the first term. It would be great to have more parents involved, as it brings a greater amount of diversity and experiences to the group.

Our aim at the Macandrew Bay Scout Group is to provide a safe environment for young people to come together to socialise, learn new skills and rise to challenges. Being a Venturer/Scout/Cub/Kea helps to develop independence, leadership, team skills and positive relationships. Our young people learn to care and respect the environment and explore the great Kiwi outdoors .

The Macandrew Bay Scout Group offers many different activities throughout the year. There are opportunities to have a go at sailing, rowing, cross-country skiing, community service helping some of our local Peninsula community, gardening, bushcraft, first aid, arts and craft, photography, performing arts, cooking, team building sports, camping and tramping, outdoors safety, map reading and more. It is possible to earn badges for a lot of these activities.

The history of the Macandrew Bay Scout Group dates back to 1957. The first leader, Mr Ken Davie, was a teacher at Macandrew Bay School. Scout group meetings were held in the old schoolhouse where the swimming pool is now located. Later as the numbers grew, they were able to acquire the current Scout Hall in the early 1960's from the Roxburgh Dam site, where it was used for holding explosives. We have since cleared the Hall of all explosives!

If you have a child or young person interested in giving one of our Scout groups a try, please don't hesitate to give us a call or email. You and your young person are welcome to come along just for a look.

So come and enjoy the fun and challenges offered at the Macandrew Bay Scout Group.

The Scout Hall is located by the Macandrew Bay Bowling club just behind the school (sign-posted off Portobello Road by Marion Street intersection).

Contact details

Email: macbayscouts@gmail.com

Web site: <https://macbayscouts.wixsite.com/macandrewbay>

Mike McCaw, Leader Ph 027 958 2000



Your Knowledge and Skills can Make a Difference.

Young whānau are facing new and increasing challenges and sometimes need a helping hand to get them through difficult times. Plunket's Home Help service aims to lighten the load through our volunteer-based programme. If you love little people and helping strengthen your community, and have a spare few hours a week up your sleeve, we would love to hear from you.

Home Help volunteers provide practical assistance to families with six 1—2 hour visits over six weeks, helping with things like laundry, vacuuming, dishes or meal preparation. A kind and compassionate ear is also appreciated by our clients. The service is invaluable to our clients, and our volunteers find the role very rewarding. Volunteer Jordan says, "I'm really enjoying my work as a Home Help volunteer. It's a great way to get out into the community, and it's really rewarding to get to build a connection with the family I'm helping".

Making sure we have volunteers all over Dunedin ensures we can support all families that are referred to us. We currently have a shortage of volunteers in the Macandrew Bay area and would love to welcome some more people to our friendly team and support young whanau in the community.

If you would like to chat about volunteering, or think your family could benefit from receiving this service, contact

Josie Garner, Home Help Coordinator,
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Autumn is upon us! With Summer almost behind, we are ready to watch our beautiful garden transform yet again.

Our Summer wedding season is coming to an end, and the focus now is on Autumn weddings. There is nothing more beautiful than the contrast of gold and green to have your special day photographed.

We have also been lucky enough to host a few private events and special functions over the last few months. From anniversaries, corporate events, team building days, special birthdays, school balls and engagement parties, to fundraising and special events such as Centenary club celebrations. There are a lot of reasons to get in touch.

If you think we can help you out with your special something, give us a call on 03 476 1006 or send an email to restaurants@glenfalloch.org.nz

Congratulations to -

- ⇒ Richard Higham of Company Bay who has been awarded a QSM in the New Year Honours List. Leadership in rugby, long service to the University of the Third Age (U3A) and support for the Dunedin Symphony Orchestra has been recognised. Richard, is a Director of the New Ventures Programme at the University of Otago.
- ⇒ Dylan Thomas who has been named in the New Zealand indoor hockey team competing in the world cup in South Africa this month.
- ⇒ Dimitri Latton was the senior winner of the Institute of Registered Music Teachers NZ Otago Branch Composition competition with a composition inspired by the character Ollivander from the *Harry Potter* series.
- ⇒ Tallulah Wilson Brown and the Cutting Edge Synchronised Ice-Skating Team of Dunedin were placed fifth in the Britannia Cup in Nottingham in early February.
- ⇒ Catherine Lund has again excelled at the world cross-country championships in Bathurst recently.

Macandrew Bay School

Simply the Best for our Children

The new school year started on Monday 30th January. It has been great to see everyone back at school and connecting as a community of learners for the start of 2023.

We have been making the most of the good weather and getting outside for lots of fun learning and activities as well as making good use of our school pool.

Nā tō rourou, nā taku rourou ka ora ai te iwi
(With your food basket and my food basket
the people will thrive).

The whakataukī above supports the overarching concept of what we are learning about this year: Manaakitanga.

Our question for this term is: How can we, as members of the Macandrew Bay School community, help our local community feel connected, supported and included?

The children will explore the Technology curriculum. We are hoping that the children will come up with some fun and innovative ways to answer our driving question above. This year we have are introducing a new initiative of having Science weeks each term, starting off in Week 7 with Physical and Chemical change. The focus for these weeks is to give our tamariki hands on, useful and inspiring science opportunities.

Emily Plew our school community officer will be teaching all classes the Kia Kaha programme this term too. Kia Kaha enables students to develop strategies for respectful relationships where bullying behaviours are not tolerated. We are looking forward to a great year of learning!

Nic Brown
Tumuaki/Principal

The Macandrew Bay School has recently set up a Pataka Kai, a community pantry. Our motto is "Take what you need and leave what you can".



The food pantry (Pataka Kai) is set up by the entrance to Macandrew Bay School. It is there for anyone in the community to leave excess produce they may have. Likewise it is there for people to take anything that appeals. It is not just for people "in need". It is just a way of helping people share excess fresh food for others to enjoy.

It has only been up and running for two weeks and has had great support. Cabbage, beans and plums from the school gardens have been shared and the community has been generous in donating rhubarb, plums, apples, greengages, cauliflower, tomatoes, zucchinis, bay leaves and rosemary. We also have cabbage tree leaves for fire starters. Food seems to come in and go out very quickly.

Bags are there for people who would like to use the produce. Don't be shy, please take and enjoy whatever catches your eye.



As we approach autumn after our long warm dry summer, any Chilean Flame Creeper (CFC) that flowered this season is now covered in rapidly ripening dark purple berries ready for the birds to gobble up and spread. We focussed on this weed over summer around the Pukehiki area and we hope to have prevented any seeds forming this year. Fortunately, CFC does not seem to be present yet in Macandrew Bay. Good surveillance is key to spotting a new pest plant before it has a chance to spread. So if you spot some CFC while out and about, please email us at SWATweeds@gmail.com



We have also been working with some of the landowners who border Colinswood Bush, an important stand of privately owned bush located behind Howard Street. Colinswood is protected by a DOC covenant. Bomarea and Banana Passionfruit vines, which were threatening the health of the bush, have been progressively removed from the area and we are now working with neighbouring properties to eliminate these same pest plants. If you have a property in this vicinity and need some advice about controlling these weeds, please get in touch with us via our email address below.

Have you any invasive weed questions for us? Seen something suss and weedy on your block?

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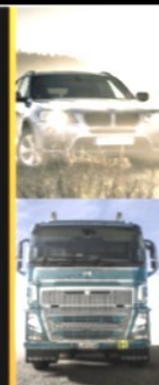
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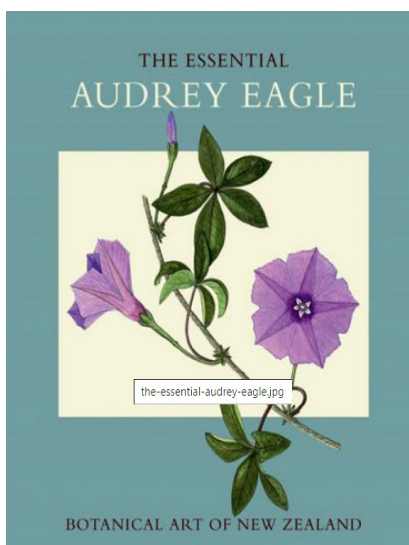
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Audrey Lily Eagle CNZM (nee Brodey)

30 October 1925 – 27 November 2022

Audrey Eagle was a Macandrew Bay identity for fourteen years of her life. Although she was born in Timaru in 1925, she grew up in England. Her interest in observing and drawing plants was formed during her schooldays and her father took some of her early botanical paintings to Kew Gardens where he was told that Audrey would have to study for a botanical degree to go further in the subject. It was WWII and Audrey was one of four children so she studied engineering and drafting instead. She did attend Banbury Art School for a while.

In 1949 Audrey married Harold Eagle and soon after they came to New Zealand. Audrey was quoted in 2006 as saying “ I had to return to New Zealand, because there was something there I felt I had to do”. Their first home was in Hamilton where



Audrey worked in the State Hydro Electricity Department in the drafting office. Privately, she began to collect, draw and paint botanical specimens collected on numerous family and botanical society outings over a period of fifty-plus years. Her passion for Aotearoa New Zealand's native plants enabled a number of publications but her '*Complete Trees and Shrubs of New Zealand*' is her masterpiece. This was published in 2006 as a two

volume set and has her original colour illustrations and written descriptions of more than 800 species, varieties and some unnamed native trees. Fittingly, the book won the Montana Medal for Non-Fiction in 2007 and the Illustrative section of Montana New Zealand Book Awards. The paintings are stored at the Alexander Turnbull Library, which means her works of botanical art will be cared for and treasured.

In 2013, Te Papa Press issued a new edition containing 163 plates of Audrey's work called '*The Essential Audrey Eagle*' which contained details of her life's work. Audrey herself described her success as “I thought if I looked at a plant long enough to paint it, I would remember both how it looked and what it was called”. An amazingly dedicated life.

Awards and Publications

- 1976 Nature Conservation Council Citation
- 1976 3rd prize in Watties Book of the Year Awards for '*Trees and Shrubs of New Zealand*'
- 1983 2nd prize in Watties Book of the Year Awards for '*Trees and Shrubs of New Zealand*' second series.

- 1985 Loder Cup - To encourage and honour those who work to investigate, promote, retain and Cherish the indigenous flora of Aotearoa New Zealand
- 1985 Distinguished Life member – Forest and Bird New Zealand
- 2001 Companion of the New Zealand Order of Merit Queen's Birthday Honours for services to botanical art.
- 2007 Montana Medal for Non-Fiction in 2007 and the Illustrative section of Montana New Zealand Book Awards for the 2006 publication '*Complete Trees and Shrubs of New Zealand*'.
- 2013 University of Otago Honourary Doctor of Science
- 2017 Selected as one of the Royal Society Te Aparangi's '150 women in 150 words' celebrating the contribution of women to knowledge in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Protection for Rutherford's Bush

Thanks to generous contributors, more native bush on the Hereweka Harbour Cone block is now protected. In January this year 5.7 ha of forest on a steep slope and the adjacent shrub land were enclosed by a one kilometre fence.



The forest, informally known as Rutherford's Bush, is one of the few remaining old forests on the Otago Peninsula and has a high diversity of native plants. 31 tree and shrub species, 22 ferns and 11 climbers represent a significant seed source. In the absence of grazing by farm stock, young plants will thrive and natural regeneration will ensure the survival and long term health of the bush.

Rutherford's Bush can be seen from the walking track to the ruins of the old Rutherford's farmstead, located in a group of macrocarpa trees. From Highcliff Road, it's a short walk following the yellow marker posts.

You are welcome to explore the native bush. There is a stile for access where the fence drops down into the gully.

The team at AllFencingSolutions undertook the difficult job of fencing on the steep, rocky terrain.

Funding for this worthwhile project was contributed by:

Dunedin City Council Biodiversity Fund, Save the Otago Peninsula Inc (STOP), Hereweka Harbour Cone Trust and Otago Regional Council EcoFund.

Moira Parker, Project Co-ordinator



Tena Koutou everyone

I am sure you will agree that our hearts go out to those up north affected by cyclone Gabrielle recently. The loss and devastation is heart breaking. Some of the pictures coming through are hard to comprehend.

We are well into the first term of school, and I have been monitoring our schools at drop-off and pick-up times. A big thanks to the majority of parents. I like what I have seen in relation to taking care, not parking in compromised positions and the general safety of our tamariki. Good job, keep it up.

There are some issues on the school bus over the past few weeks. I am getting reports of older children vaping, bullying, and generally playing up. If your child takes the bus, please remind them that this is a privilege and great asset to have to get to and from school. It certainly takes a lot of pressure off parents in the mornings. Any nonsense will not be tolerated and will be dealt with accordingly in conjunction with the service-provider and police (if it warrants our intervention). This may mean taking away the privilege of using this service if it is warranted. If you have reports or concerns around some of these behaviours I would like to know please.

I am hearing a few concerns again around cyclists' behaviour on the shared pathway. There should be a common sense approach here. If you are a cyclist and use the share path, please be courteous and don't put others in danger. A shout out as you approach other users is a good thing and a bell ring if you have one, even better. We don't want any injuries. On the flip side, if you are a walker, please be vigilant and keep the young ones close. You are always going to get some idiots who are self-centred and quite frankly don't think! To those cyclists who are awesome in relation their care and attention I thank you.

Speed and impatient drivers continue to come to my attention. I'm not going to say much here apart from, take personal responsibility for your actions. I can categorically tell you that my finger wagging days and flicking my lights in certain circumstances has finished.

Regularly when I travel into town in my personal car, I am overtaken by someone who is on their way to a fire, I guess, and yet I pull up beside you on Portsmouth Drive at the lights. Doesn't make a lot of sense. To the two people whom I contacted recently and ticketed, I make no apologies. I'm well over this type of craziness. There is no excuse for it, and you are putting other road users in danger. To the majority who have accepted the new speed limits and stick to them, I again thank you.

Remember if something is happening now and requires immediate police attendance call **111**. If something has already happened and is not so urgent call **105** to make a report.

Until next time take care of each other and remember my door is always open for advice or just for a cuppa and a chat. Let's have a really good year.

Snr Constable Aaron Smith

Fruit trees, possums and....dog detection

It is that time of year when possums will start to look for fruit. They love the sweetness of a ripe plum, apple or pear and they will seek these out once they are ripe. For the Peninsula residents that live between Portobello and Harington Point your fruit will be safe, as well as your roses. We are becoming more and more confident that we are down to an extremely low number of possums.



Last month we had a specialist dog detector and trainer scout out possums from Portobello to the Headland and over to Papanui and Cape Saunders. They found 9 spots where there were one or two possums and shot 6.

There haven't been many possums caught in and around Macandrew Bay over the summer, but we have caught quite a few closer to town. We are tracking well but need to be vigilant with trapping as they can still move into areas from further down the Peninsula, especially if you have fruit trees. So please set your traps. Get in touch if you need lure for your traps and let us know if you see or hear a possum.

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The OPCB has had its first meeting for 2023. We are preparing our submissions for this years tinstalled near the beach. We will consult with the community to have the path/ cycleway developed appropriately from the Boat Club around to the road crossing opposite the hall. This is an ongoing issue and we will not give up until we have achieved what is needed. We will soon be having our Community meetings to hear what you want or are happy with in your area. Dates will be publicised as they become available.



We have had a great run of summer weather in the south, and this has seen the harbourside beach areas and shared cycle path being well used. It is great to have these amenities available for all of us. We do

encourage everyone to be respectful of others when enjoying their recreational activities.

A reminder to you all: we have funding available for Otago Peninsula high school students who may need assistance to participate in extramural activities, and local organisations who may require some funding to help with sports, building or similar needs. Application forms are on the DCC website, under Otago Peninsula Community Board.

If you have any operational problems or concerns, e.g. potholes, burst pipes, overgrown vegetation etc, please phone the DCC Customer Services Agency on 03 477 4000 or email dcc@dcc.govt.nz

We look forward to working with you throughout this year to improve our environment for both residents and visitors.

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Otago Peninsula Anglican Parish



Our parish is looking forward with much pleasure to the arrival of our recently appointed Priest in Charge, the Reverend Michael Holdaway. Bishop Steven Benford will formally install Michael on Sunday 30th April at St Michael and All Angels, our parish church in Elliot Street in Andersons Bay. Rev Michael and his wife, the Reverend Mary Jo Holdaway, come to us from the joint parishes of Rakaia and Methven in South Canterbury.

Since our congregations came together last year at the newly refurbished St Michael's, our parish has been enjoying having larger numbers attending services and helping with the many tasks and activities that make a parish flourish.

Our regular services are at 10.00am on Sundays and Wednesdays each week, and all are welcome. We also have a House Group that meets at 10.00am on Tuesday mornings in Macandrew Bay. On Thursday mornings during school term-time our parish runs a very popular Music and Playgroup for toddlers and babies and their parents at the St Philip's Church complex in Belford Street, Waverley.

Currently there are three study groups meeting in the parish during Lent, and anyone interested is most welcome to join a group. These all meet on Wednesdays each at a different time – the first at St Michael's in Andersons Bay after the 10.00am service, then at 2pm in St Kilda, and finally at 7.30pm in Macandrew Bay.

For more information about our parish, its services and activities, please contact Elizabeth Purdie (phone 476 1650).

Save the Otago Peninsula (STOP)

News



The tree growth has been amazing during the last few months despite the dry weather. Do visit the Future Forest Walk starting from the first gate off the Bacon Track, at the end of the No Exit end of Bacon St in Turnbells Bay and see how it has changed since your last visit.

Unfortunately the grass growth has also been spectacular! Volunteers are now turning their attention to releasing trees planted in previous years to maximise their survival rate. This involves cutting away the grass that is blocking the light to the plant and digging out any grass roots that are competing with the plant for nutrition. Some volunteers are also cutting patches of currently flowering gorse that threaten to overtake plantings.

Regular working bees with any necessary tools provided, meet at the end of Bacon St in Turnbells Bay (the next bay past Broad Bay) every Tuesday and Sunday at 9.30am.

If you have a special birthday or anniversary coming up this year and would like to donate some trees to commemorate it (or invite your friends to contribute a tree), ask for information on how to do this.

Contact: Email stopincsoc@gmail.com or text (only) Lala 027 8756 020.



The Barden Party returns to Larnach Castle!

Much Ado About Nothing

24th of March—6pm

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The Bard + Garden Party = The Barden Party is coming back to Larnach Castle this March with another piece of Shakespearean magic like you've never seen before. The Barden Party, a vintage troupe of travelling troubadours, presents a musical, raucous 'rockabilly retelling' of William Shakespeare's '*Much Ado About Nothing*'.

The professional travelling Shakespearean theatre company was born in Director Laura Irish's backyard in New Zealand and became a sell-out sensation across the country, picking up awards and accolades along its 50-show season. That includes the Excellence Award at last year's Dunedin Fringe Festival for its sell-out show at Larnach Castle. Now, the portable modern Shakespeare show is coming to towns and cities across New Zealand this summer.

Bring your own blankets, chairs, cushions, picnics, and soft drinks. A selection of wine, beer and juice will be available to purchase from the Larnach Castle bar. Due to our licence there can be no BYO alcoholic beverages. This event will take place outside in the grounds of Larnach Castle Garden. If we are unable to proceed due to extreme weather, we will move to the Larnach Castle Ballroom.

For more information visit www.thebardenparty.com

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Otago Peninsula Museum News

Otago Peninsula Museum & Historical Society Inc
17 Harington Point Road, Portobello, Dunedin, 9014

Another year is upon us and no doubt there will be plenty of work to be done around the Museum grounds, at the weekly working bee and in the office.

We always get handed some Peninsula treasures from families, which is great. All items must have a Peninsula connection. We keep cuttings from the ODT of anything local to put in scrapbooks. We also keep funeral service sheets for any local people, which is another record for us. Recently we have had visitors from up north researching the Clark family and from Christchurch researching the Grainger family. Both these families settled on the Peninsula in the early days and married into many other local families. All very fascinating. It is these visits that provide the Museum with a lot more information for future visitors looking for relative connections.

Our new Sunday roster is out and many thanks to everyone who helps out with this and to our two new volunteers. The Museum is open Sundays 12.30-3.30 and at other times by appointment.

\$2 entry and children are free. You are welcome to visit at other times and look at the outside exhibits. It's very sheltered, so bring a picnic. If you want to contact us please email:

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Local Contacts in Macandrew Bay

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Churches

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Parish Office [454 4724](tel:4544724)

Gardening Club

Tel: Linda Seddon [476 1799](tel:4761799)
Polly Higham [476 1056](tel:4761056)

Hall Bookings

Tel: Colleen Bond [476 1551](tel:4761551)

Justice of the Peace

Tel: Lyn Dowsett [476 1260](tel:4761260) / [021 144 7329](tel:0211447329)
John Price [021 636 533](tel:021636533)

Marriage Celebrant

Rev Alison Latton [476 1168](tel:4761168)

Playcentre

Email: macandrewbay@playcentre.org.nz

Public Library

Tel: Anne Pentecost [027 671 6297](tel:0276716297)

School Office

Tel: [476 1004](tel:4761004)

Otago Peninsula Lions Club

Tel: Paul Bernard [027 437 6929](tel:0274376929)

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Ready Reference Numbers

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NZ Police, Fire or Ambulance - [111](tel:111)

Non-Emergency Police Reporting - [105](tel:105)

You can also report online: 105.police.govt.nz

Alcohol and Drug Helpline - [0800 787 797](tel:0800787797)

Covid—19 if you have symptoms - [0800 358 3453](tel:08003583453)

Crimestoppers - Report anonymously - [0800 555 111](tel:0800555111)

Civil Defence Emergency - [0800 474 082](tel:0800474082)

Citizens Advice Bureau - [0800 367 222](tel:0800367222)

Dunedin City Council - [03 477 4000](tel:034774000)

Family Violence Helpline - [0800 456 450](tel:0800456450)

Highway information - [03 951 3009](tel:039513009) or [0800 44 44 49](tel:0800444449)

Healthline - [0800 611 116](tel:0800611116) or health.govt.nz

Mental Health - Call or text [1737](tel:1737) free anytime

National Poisons Centre - [0800 764 766](tel:0800764766)

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Otago Regional Council - [0800 474 082](tel:0800474082)

Rural Support Trust - [0800 787 254](tel:0800787254)

Seniorline - Advice for older people - [0800 725 463](tel:0800725463)

SPCA - [03 473 8252](tel:034738252)

Tenancy Services - [0800 836 262](tel:0800836262) or tenancy.govt.nz

Youthline - Free call [0800 376 6333](tel:08003766333) | Free text [234](tel:234)

Victim Support - [0800 842 846](tel:0800842846)

Women's Refuge - [0800 733 843](tel:0800733843)

Otepoti Collective Against Sexual Abuse - [0800 88 33 00](tel:0800883300)
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