



*Welcome to my
SANCTUARY
POINT
CONCERNED
CITIZEN
NEWSLETTER
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*I am but a simple, Concerned
Citizen, But! I can also be
concerned, at what Ms Julia
Gillard, our Prime Minister! Of
the current Federal Labour
Government of Australia,
attempted to Pull Off! ... In my
opinion! The Gagging of
Freedom of Speech! In this
great land... We all should
be calling... HOME!*



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When you are boating on the St Georges Basin Log On & Off With
Marine Rescue Sussex Inlet for SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEAPage 10

Freedom of Speech

America has the right to bear arms! Written into their Bill of Rights. The Bill of Rights plays a key role in American law and government and remains a vital symbol of the freedoms and culture of the nation.

In Australia, I thought we had something similar called the Constitution and somewhere in that, I would have thought, would have been written our right to Freedom of Speech and if our Australian Media is to be gagged of that! What remains? Perhaps, what I would consider to be, the cess pit of Parliament, that has been broadcasted across our television (Media), as a cheap form of entertainment, where Politicians seem to act out their foolish rolls of "Tit for Tat," for what I believe, is a very expensive cost against our living standards!

If we start to lose our freedom, speech being the first, what comes next?

Australians are free, within the bounds of the law, to say or write what we think privately or publicly, about the government, or about any topic. We do not censor the media and may criticise the government without fear of arrest. Free speech comes from facts, not rumours, and the intention must be constructive, not to do harm. There are laws to protect a person's good name and integrity against false information. There are laws against saying or writing things to incite hatred against others because of their culture, ethnicity or background. Freedom of speech is not an excuse to harm others.

If this is not written into our Constitution — perhaps it should be!

This is an extract taken from the Web Page of the
Australian Government Department of Immigration and Citizenship
Freedom of speech

I believe if you have a Decayed Tooth, it is time for a DENTIST!

I believe if you are suffering a Heart Attack, it is time for a DOCTOR!

So! When you want the News....Who do you put your faith in?

The MEDIA... or ... The Politicians?

Ann Sudmalis says ...

“WE NEED CCTV CAMERAS ...at the Sanctuary Point Shops”

“The Coalition has promised specific funding for CCTV Cameras. If elected, I will make sure that we get our fair share of this funding for the Sanctuary Point community.”

Ann Sudmalis,  Candidate for Gilmore, February 2013



Ann Sudmalis LIBERAL CANDIDATE FOR GILMORE

Get to know Ann...

- ✦ Born in Milton, educated in Sydney and Canberra, Ann chose to raise her family on the South Coast and has **lived locally for the past 25 years.**
- ✦ Having worked as a science teacher for 10 years, Ann is passionate about **improving education opportunities for young people** in our region.
- ✦ Ann owned and operated a small local manufacturing business for 17 years, which she grew into a successful export business, employing 40 people. Ann understands the need for a **strong economy to help create jobs.**
- ✦ For more than two decades Ann has been a **dedicated advocate for our local community.** In addition to her work with retiring local member Jo Gash, she has served on Kiama Council, was a member of the Illawarra Regional Development Board, and has been active in the local chambers of commerce and in promoting local tourism.
- ✦ Ann has developed a reputation for getting things done. As part of Tony Abbott's Liberal team, **Ann will work hard to deliver for Gilmore.**



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WHO IS ANN SUDMALIS?

Quite frankly my dear, I don't give a damn!,,, But if this wonderful person can win the seat of Gilmore at the next Federal Election and get us CCTV at the Sanctuary Point shops, I can promise you, this will be one very fine lady, I will want to know a lot more of...just think about it!... CCTV at Sanctuary Point and you may very well say... Long overdue! But what a gutsy effort if she can pull it off. I have been asking... no! Begging for CCTV for the last two years and all of the Kings horses and all of the Kings Men and Women, who I have been lobbying could never put CCTV together at the Sanctuary Point shops!... So who is this Ann Sudmalis? Perhaps it is time that we all find out!...WHO IS ANN SUDMALIS?

And when we do!.....ANN SUDMALIS!

SANCTUARY POINT WILL HOLD YOU TO YOUR PROMISE!

I know I will!

UNPAID TAX COLLECTORS

Phillip J. Kennedy is on the war path with the Federal Government, for a better deal, for all of the Small Business “Unpaid Tax Collectors.” of this “AAA,” credit rated land of ours. It’s no wonder our “Credit” can keep being rated as AAA when the small business owners have to provide the funding to pay for the collections of the Federal Government Small Business Tax.



The following Media Release was issued on the 25th March 2013 and although the Media Release makes comment that he has had no response from his contact with the federal candidates of Gilmore, he has told me, he is hopeful of their response over the next couple of weeks.



C'mon Mate!

Phil Kennedy is asking for your support, by signing up to his Facebook page — Launch Internet and type in **Phil is taking the fight for small business to Canberra.**



PHILLIP J. KENNEDY
CPA B.Acc J.P.



*** IMMEDIATE MEDIA RELEASE ***

UNPAID TAX COLLECTORS

Small Business accountant Phil Kennedy today announced the start of a campaign to get acknowledgement and compensation for the army of small businesses who act as Unpaid Tax Collectors.

“For too long, small business have collected, calculated and remitted GST. What have they got to show for it?—nothing!”

“I have asked for a response from the federal candidates of Gilmore and got the same – nothing!”

“Clearly we need not just one voice but we need to shout out loud. Today I announce the launch of a social media campaign to right this wrong and we have begun with a Facebook page of ‘Unpaid tax Collectors (UTC)’”.

Phil Kennedy said that to register your support all you have to do is:

- ‘Like’ the Unpaid Tax Collectors (UTC) page and/or
- Fill out the online petition that is going straight to Canberra.

“I have a number of possible solutions, one which would be a big winner for business, the party that adopts it and the treasury coffers. It’s a win-win-win situation”

For further enquiries please call Phil Kennedy on (02) 4443 9700.

Australian and New Zealand Army Corp **ANZAC 1915-2013**

On the anniversary day of the WWI ANZAC this Thursday 25th April 2013 you are invited to attend one of the many solemn day of remembrance celebrations.

ANZAC Day is the solemn day of remembrance of those Australian and New Zealand Army Corps soldiers who fought and died at Gallipoli in 1915. It is also a day of remembrance for all soldiers who died while fighting for their country. It is celebrated on 25 April each year, regardless of on which day it falls.

May all of those who fight for the freedom of others, be blessed for eternity, as they are the purest of heart! - Lest We Forget



Some of the First Australian Imperial Force who made up the ANZAC



1st New Zealand Expeditionary Force — New Zealand soldiers encampment at Anzac Cove in 1915

Sanctuary Point Men's Shed

The Sanctuary Point Men's Shed can be contacted by calling the President : Alex Paton on 02 4443 4281 or going on line at www.sanctuarypointmenshed.org



To view their wonderful Carpentry and Wrought Ironwork, you can call into the SANCTUARY POINT MEN'S SHED, at 20A WOOLAMIA ROAD, FALLS CREEK NSW (Short distant in from Jervis Bay Road.)

Hours of Business: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 0900—1600 (9-4)

Both the metal and wood working, is located on private property at Falls Creek and it is time to bring back this registered charity to "SANCTUARY POINT," where it belongs. Clifton Park would make a wonderful home, together with COMMUNITY GARDENS and a great BICYCLE TRACK for the recreation of the whole community to enjoy.

Sanctuary Point Men's Shed is a Registered Charity and they need your Support— They are an Asset of our town SANCTUARY POINT a COASTAL VILLAGE of the SHOALHAVEN

We build many and varied things in our shed and hope this gives you some insight into these items.

Wrought Ironwork
One off carpentry work
Welding **Childrens Playhouse**
Minor Restoration
Outdoor Settings
Blanket /Toy boxes
Rocking Cow
Turned Wooden items: Bowls, Plates and etc.
Planter boxes
Rocking Horses
Rocking motorbike

SANCTUARY POINT MENS SHED IS A FULLY INCORPORATED, REGISTERED CHARITY
ALL DONATIONS OVER \$2.00 MADE TO SPMS ARE TAX DEDUCTABLE

<http://www.sanctuarypointmenshed.org/>

7/12/2012

The above advertisement, is Inserted by the Editor as a Community Service .

When you read this current issue and if you would like a copy of previous issues, I can not send you a hard copy, however, If you have an e-mail address and telephone me with your details, I would be pleased to e-mail you a copy of past and future issues - telephone: (02) 4443 3394. Dennis.

SHOALHAVEN CITY COUNCIL - Media Releases

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-  [September 2011 \(34\)](#)
-  [August 2011 \(49\)](#)
-  [July 2011 \(36\)](#)

On the 1st March 2013 I was emailed by the Media Manager from Shoalhaven City Council and asked if I would like to be included on the Council's Media Release List... Of course I said "Yes please three bags full!" And to their word the next day I was receiving Media Releases, which I am very grateful to receive in my inbox, which allows me to download information directly into my Newsletter,, Permission given to me from Council!

Since the 1st March I have received over 17 Media Releases and as my newsletter is only distributed once a month, some of the releases are too late for my newsletter. However, it does show that, contrary to some of the belief that Council does not communicate with the people of the Shoalhaven, I have extracted a copy of the archived media releases on the council web site, that , if you do not have a computer, you can log onto at any of the council library's, type in Shoalhaven City Council Media Releases and read up on the numerous releases, as the Month listing on the left of this text will present to you. That myth seems to me, a bit dead in the water now, thanks Richard!

Councillor Joanna Gash, Mayor of Shoalhaven City Council and Federal MP Member for Gilmore, when I thanked Council for sending me the Media Releases, also sent me an email, where Mayor Gash said it was "First part of better communications" and that other village and towns newsletters will also be added to the Media Release listing! I believe from little things... big things grow, I also believe, that from "communication," to "better communication," big things have grown!

Here a few for you to check out!

1. 1st March 2013 Larmer Avenue Sanctuary Point Restoration \$440,000 Thank you for the up-grade to the approach to Sanctuary Point, but! You do know that this stretch of Larmer Avenue is in the border of Worrowing Heights, not Sanctuary Point, as Sanctuary Point Larmer Avenue starts at the other side of Cockrow Creek, on the Park Drive side, I did check this with council and was directed to their interactive boundaries maps!
2. 15th March 2013 Draft Community Strategic Plan Shoalhaven 2013 on exhibition until the 10th April 2013.
3. 18th March 2013 Illegal dumping + a couple of photos.
4. 26th March 2013 Councillors take round the bay walk site inspection + photo.
5. 27th March 2013 Cassia Noxious weed to be eradicated from the Shoalhaven + photo.

6. **27th March 2013 Draft Shoalhaven Arts Centre Strategic Plan 2020 on exhibition until the 22nd of April on the Shoalhaven City Council Web Site.**

Media Release: 18th March Illegal Dumping:

Shoalhaven City Council Mayor, Joanna Gash has praised the Nowra Aboriginal Land Council (NALC) following their commitment in assisting Council Rangers fight illegal dumping.

Council Rangers were notified of substantial amounts of building waste, household furniture, children's play equipment and general rubbish that had been illegally dumped within NALC controlled bush land at Mundamia in early 2013.

Before:



After:



Media Release

27 March 2013

Council encourages local residents to remove environmental weeds

Shoalhaven City Council is encouraging local residents to identify and remove the environmental weed, Cassia from local properties.

Originating from South America, Cassia (*Senna pendula*) was originally brought to Australia as an ornamental horticultural plant.

Local residents will recognise the weed from its bright yellow buttercup flowers which are currently in bloom. Cassia thrives in all conditions and can be found along the area's beaches, creeks and roadsides.

Mayor, Joanna Gash said Cassia was an incredibly invasive weed, out competing many of the area's native plants for nutrients and sunlight.

"While the flowers may appear quite alluring, make no mistake, Cassia is a serious environmental weed that needs to be eradicated from the Shoalhaven," said Cllr Gash.

"Many of the area's 65 Bushcare Groups already spend countless hours controlling and removing this invasive plant from our bushland reserves, however more needs to be done."

"Council is calling on the local community to identify and remove any outbreaks of Cassia from within private property."

"Small plants, under knee high, are able to be removed by simply pulling out the shrub from the roots while larger weeds may need to be sawn or cut at the base of the trunk and the stump painted with a small amount of undiluted Glyphosate."

"Left unattended, Cassia will continue to reduce biodiversity in our natural bushland by outcompeting our native plants and creating an unwanted mono-culture."

Mayor Gash said any local residents looking for more information on Cassia or any other serious weeds can use the resources found on Council's website at www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/Environment/Weedmanagement.aspx or by downloading a copy of Grow Me Instead by visiting <http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/weeds/index.asp>.

Residents wanting a hard copy of the Grow Me Instead Booklet can phone Council on 4429 3111 or email Council@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au to receive a copy.

CONTACT: Mayor, Joanna Gash - 0427 160 172

27th March





The year of getting things done!

A joint project between the South Coast Register and Dennis Williams, the Editor of the Sanctuary Point Concerned Citizen Newsletter has commenced by Damian McGill from the South Coast Register.

- On Friday 1st March 2013 The first issue covering Law and Order was ran on page 14 of the Bay & Basin Extra section of the South Coast Register.
- On Friday 8th March 2013 The second issue covering Job Creation Schemes was ran on page 16 of the Bay & Basin Extra section of the South Coast Register.
- On Friday 15h March 2013 The third issue covering Local Roads Need Some Work was ran on page 16 of the Bay & Basin Extra section of the South Coast Register.
- On Friday 22nd March 2013 The fourth issue covering Call For Security Cameras was ran on page 17 of the Bay & Basin Extra section of the South Coast Register.
- On Friday 5th April 2013 The fifth issue covering a call for the Need for people and businesses to be fined for Not Maintaining Their Blocks and creating visual eyesores and fire risks, will be run in the Bay & Basin Extra section of the South Coast Register.

To Mr Damian McGill of the South Coast Register and to the Editor Mr John Hanscombe of the South Coast Register... **THANK YOU BOTH!** Kate and I both appreciate the wonderful coverage you have given our Newsletter and the five issues that has been accurately reported by Damian McGill, to highlight our Sanctuary Point Concerned Citizen's recommendations, to be achieved in **The year of getting things done! 2013.**

The Bay & Basin Cancer Support Group

ABN: 84 056 901 368

This is Your INVITATION
To
THE WORLD'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA



At the
St Georges Basin Country Club
11 Paradise Beach Road
Sanctuary Point NSW 2540
Phone: 02 4443 0666

Wednesday
8th May 2013
10.00 am.

All proceeds from the Biggest Morning Tea will go to the Cancer Council of NSW and proceeds from the Craft Table and Chocolate Wheel will go to the Bay and Basin Cancer Support Group.

Dianne Dummett
President (02) 4443 3275

I am including the following information, within my Newsletter, as a community service. If you think something is Wrong, phone it in on the POLICE ASSISTANCE LINE ... call 131 444 It will be recorded as an Incident and passed on to the appropriate Police Station to follow up ... It will also become a Statistic and they can be used for the allocation of Police in your Local Police Precincts.

If it is an EMERGENCY ... call 000 and ask for Police.
 or
 CRIME STOPPERS ... call 1800 333 000

Dob in a Wrong! ... You Know it's Right!

When you have had enough! ... Remember ... If you want to stop Crime ... I mean ... You really want to stop Crime ... Commit yourself to a SIGNED STATEMENT and you will REALLY give your POLICE something to WORK WITH!

MARINE RESCUE JERVIS BAY - Major raffle to be drawn at Huskisson Bowling Club 9th June 2013

Purchase Tickets at the Marine Rescue Jervis Bay watch House in Voyager Park Huskisson



Tickets \$1.00 each

1st Prize Aglapro model MR 384, Seating 2 x boxed athwart seats fully sealed for flotation chamber, Floor Carpeted flat centre floor, Engine Suzuki 9.9 HP 4 Stroke, Electronic ignition, Pull start, Trailer Dumbier 4 MHW, Single axle, Wind down jockey wheel, LED lights Safety Pack :1 x pair aluminium oars c/w rowlocks, 2 x Life jackets, 1 x Waterproof Torch, 1 x V Sheet, 1 x Anchor c/w 2 m chain, 1 x Bailer kit, 1 x Hand held horn
 Alternatively, \$5,000 in cash paid to the winner if the vessel is not required.

2nd Prize 1x Family pass for Jervis Bay Eco Adventure, donated by Dolphin Wild cruises
 3rd Prize 2x Fishing Charter gift: Certificates Fishing Reef& Bay, donated by Jervis Bay Fishing Charter
 4th Prize 1x Pair of the latest Visionary Compact Binoculars, donated by Nature Lodge Optics

Drawn 7.30 pm Sunday June 9th at Huskisson Bowling Club.

The following advertisement, is Inserted by the Editor as a Community Service for the SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA
 When you are going on the waters, of the ST GEORGES BASIN ... Don't forget to log on and off with Marine Rescue Sussex Inlet, for the safety of your life on the water. (27 Mhz Chn: 88 VHF Chn: 16)
 Telephone: 4441 3555. For

