



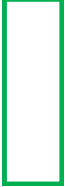
Photo of Palm Beach Sanctuary Point NSW on a clear day... Photo taken by the Editor Dennis Williams.

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**Completion of the Bay & Basin Police Station only weeks away and on track to be fully operational by the end of April 2019. Congratulations Shelley Hancock MP, NSW Government, NSW Police Force and the Construction Company BGIS. It just goes to show...
When we try together and don't give up,
we can achieve almost anything!**



**It's
Looking
Good!**

**Really
Good**



**Very
Good!**

**And even
better!**





The Hon. Shelley Hancock MP
Speaker of the NSW Legislative Assembly
Member for South Coast

MEDIA RELEASE

**BAY AND BASIN POLICE STATION COMPLETION WEEKS AWAY,
HUSKISSON STATION RETAINED**

Construction of the new \$5 million Bay and Basin Police Station is on track to wrap up in the coming weeks with the community and local officers set to soon reap the benefits.

Member for South Coast Shelley Hancock was joined by Minister for Police Troy Grant to inspect progress at the station this morning.

Mrs Hancock said the new station was a big win for the community and would enhance operational efficiency for police by incorporating investigative and exhibit storage, custody and general duty rooms, as well as a meal room, lockers and other amenities to support officers.

"It was fantastic to visit the site and check out the latest progress. Construction is set to complete imminently and the station is on track to be fully operational by the end of April," Mrs Hancock said.

"The Liberals & Nationals Government are ensuring our police have the modern facilities, infrastructure and resources they need to do what they do best – safeguard our communities.

"The original intention following completion of the new Bay and Basin Police Station was to close the Huskisson facility. Following consultation with local Police and the community, Huskisson Police Station will remain open and fully staffed.

"The Huskisson station will continue to operate in conjunction with the Bay and Basin station and support local police and the Central Shoalhaven communities they serve.

"And we're not just delivering when it comes to local stations – we've also committed \$583 million to deliver a record 1,500 extra police over the next four years.

"That means more police doing more important jobs in places like the South Coast to not only address crime but proactively target emerging crime trends head-on as well," Mrs Hancock said.

Mr Grant said the Bay and Basin base was one of many police stations across the state undergoing construction or upgrades.

"Just last week the Liberals & Nationals Government announced another \$100 million to build new and upgraded stations across NSW, as well as a new training facility," Mr Grant said.

"It's an incredibly exciting time for the NSW Police Force – they've undergone a historic re-engineering process, we're delivering a historic amount of extra police, and there's more and more new stations like the Bay and Basin being built to support their vital work."

Final construction activities currently underway include concreting, external brickwork and external storm-water connections, with furniture for the interior fit-out starting to arrive too.

Construction was fast-tracked thanks to an innovative pre-built system that allowed the main building to be constructed offsite and assembled on the station's Kerry Street address.

Vision:

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On the 10th February 2019 The new Coordinators of the Code C Benefit Nights and the founding Coordinator Mr Richard (Dick)



Manwarring of the Code C Benefit Nights, organised the Xmas Luncheon, at the Country Club St Georges Basin, for the dedicated and wonderful Volunteer Drivers



of the Bay & Basin Patient Transport Service Bus, who safely pick up and convey patients to and from the Shoalhaven Cancer Care Centre in comfort...



Bay and Basin Cancer Support Group

ABN: 84 056 901 368



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We meet 2nd Thursday of the month between 10.00 to 12.00 am... Please contact our President or Secretary and say Hello to us!



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Premier of NSW

Andrew Constance

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Member for Bega

Melinda Pavey

Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight

MEDIA RELEASE

Wednesday, 6 March 2019

MAJOR BOOST TO DUPLICATION OF THE PRINCES HIGHWAY

The NSW Liberals & Nationals Government will invest another \$960 million upgrading more of the Princes Highway - making the road safer and bringing new jobs and investment to the South Coast. In the next term of government, the NSW Liberals & Nationals will:

- Duplicate sections of the Princes Highway from Jervis Bay Road to Sussex Inlet Road;
- Build the Moruya Bypass; and
- Start detailed planning work for the Milton and Ulladulla Bypass and upgrades for the Princes Highway from Burrill Lake to Batemans Bay.

The NSW Government already has \$1.5 billion of work underway on the Princes Highway and today's announcement will increase that total to more than \$2.4 billion. "Only the NSW Liberals & Nationals can deliver this type of major investment for the South Coast, thanks to our careful handling of the economy and the budget," Ms Berejiklian said.

"Upgrading the Princes Highway will improve safety, improve journey times and more efficient freighting will further boost our already strong state economy." The NSW Liberals & Nationals Government has already made massive investments in upgrading the Princes Highway between Wollongong and Nowra. Upgrades have been completed at Gerringong, and the Foxground and Berry Bypass has recently opened – both projects Labor promised in government, and failed to deliver.

A further \$1.5 billion of work is proceeding now, including the Albion Park Rail Bypass, the Berry to Bomaderry Upgrade and Nowra Bridge project. As well as improving safety for ordinary motorists, Minister for Transport and Infrastructure Andrew Constance said the upgrade work will improve freight times. "Upgrading the Princes Highway will be a major driver of economic development," Mr Constance said.

"We are already delivering major road upgrades for the South Coast and our work in the next term of Government will continue those major investments." Minister for Roads Melinda Pavey said the program of works will also generate tens of thousands of jobs, primarily in construction and engineering but also will boost local economies by providing opportunities for suppliers and services that will be required to support such an enormous enterprise.

"The successful training hub program in place as part of the Berry to Bomaderry Princes Highway upgrade will be replicated right along the NSW South Coast,

providing locals with priceless jobs and training opportunities that will transform communities for generations to come,” Ms Pavey said.

Ultimately, the NSW Liberals & Nationals Government is committed to duplicating the entire Princes Highway between Nowra and the Victorian border. It is expected the investment will be more than \$15 billion across the next 20 years to upgrade the Princes Highway. Between July 2012 and June 2017 there were 1494 crashes on the Princes Highway from Jervis Bay Road to the Victorian Border, resulting in 30 fatalities and 350 serious injuries. Between December 2017 and June 2018, eight more people lost their lives on the Princes Highway south of Nowra.

The steady reduction in deaths on the Pacific Highway in the 20 years since the full duplication project started provided a strong case for similar work on the Princes Highway. “This commitment is the result of the strong advocacy and persistence of South Coast MP Shelley Hancock, Kiama MP Gareth Ward and Bega MP Andrew Constance,” Mrs Pavey added. “This program is on top of our record investment in highways across the state including the Pacific Motorway, the Newell Highway, the Kings Highway – we’re building them all.”

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 don't give up, we can
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Web Site at:

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

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Mondays 8.30am. - 3.30 pm. Wednesdays 8.30 am. - 3.30 pm.

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Council Drainage System Between 90 & 92 Paradise Beach Road Sanctuary Point 2nd Mar 2019

My Apology to Shoalhaven City Council for my long time lobbying for proper maintenance of Council Assets in Sanctuary Point, namely Ray Brooks Reserve, Palm Beach, The Basin Walking Track, The One Handed Rail Stair with 30 steps from Red Head Point to Ray Brooks Reserve, the sunlight exposed barbeque, the Shabby Old and Deteriorating Ramp from Greville Avenue, the miserable children's facilities, Overgrown Lomandra Grass, Dead and Dying Trees, Gum Trees, Shea Oaks, with falling limbs and branches and lack of the disable to use the walking track around the cliff face to the Sanctuary Point Boat Ramp to end their journey along the Basin Walking Track.

From the following photos I took on the 2nd Mar 2019 it must be plain for everyone to see that if Shoalhaven City Council can not properly maintain this small amount of drainage system and keep this neat and tidy for the homes alongside of this out of control overgrowth being fed by the council drainage system, which would appear to be adding to the noxious growth of Cassia Trees alongside of the golf course... Then why should I have the audacity to expect this council would be capable to maintain a reserve and Water Wonderland to invite Locals and Tourists to enjoy!



**JUST AS
A REMINDER
AND
EVERYTHING
ELSE IS
JUST AS
GROSE!!!**



From the Office of the Hon Shelley Hancock MP - Ph: (02)4421 0222

**Photo attached* 5 March 2019

MORE PRESCHOOL OPTIONS FOR FAMILIES ON THE SOUTH COAST

Families in the South Coast electorate will have more options when it comes to the early childhood education of their children, thanks to an investment from the NSW Government to establish an additional mobile preschool venue.

Minister for Early Childhood Education Sarah Mitchell announced during a visit to Callala Beach yesterday that Central Shoalhaven Mobile Preschool will be able to operate an additional service thanks to a \$60,000 grant from the Liberals & Nationals.



“Central Shoalhaven Mobile Preschool, which already provides a quality early childhood education to many kids in the South Coast electorate, will now be able to operate an additional mobile preschool service to give more children the opportunity to attend,” Ms Mitchell said.

“This Government recognises the importance of providing a quality early childhood education to all children, so this investment was a no-brainer.”

Member for the South Coast Shelley Hancock said she is proud the NSW Government is doing the heavy lifting when it comes to giving the electorate’s youngest learners the best possible opportunities.

“It is the Liberals & Nationals who are doing the hard work when it comes to giving our kids the best start to their educational journeys as possible,” Mrs Hancock said.

“The South Coast’s future doctors, lawyers and teachers are being shaped in our schools and early childhood settings as we speak, so it’s crucial to continue to support them as much as we can.”

Mrs Hancock said this funding is one of a number of early childhood initiatives being rolled out in the region.

“Six preschools on the South Coast are currently rolling out their share of \$131,700 in Preschool Drought Relief funding, and four are upgrading their service thanks to a share of \$50,000 in Quality Learning Environment grants – amongst other initiatives,” she said.

Through the Quality Learning Environments programme, this service has been awarded \$15,000 to fund the ‘Let’s Make Noise Early Childhood Music Program.’ This is on top of \$12,676 last financial year for a soft gym set and a portable sun shade.

“Early childhood education is front-and-centre in our electorate and I look forward to seeing more families benefiting from this government’s ongoing commitment to our region,” Mrs Hancock said.

Other South Coast preschools to receive funding under the latest round of the Quality Learning Environment programme:

- Shoalhaven Community Pre-School - \$8,400 for an AFL program and bush tucker learning space;
- Milton Ulladulla Pre-School - \$11,831 for construction of an outdoor shed and performances;
- Lyrebird Pre-School Kindergarten - \$15,000 for the renovation of the children’s bathroom.

For more information on NSW Government Early Childhood Education grants, visit the

[Department of Education Website.](#)

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with Senior Constable Anthony Jory

Security around your Car

A gentle reminder about security - especially around your car.

Two cars have been stolen locally in the last week. One from a private residence and one from a business.

In the off chance of sounding like a broken record, please be aware of car security. Not that this was the case in these two instances but ensure your car is locked when you're not using it. Even when it's parked in your garage.

Also a reminder when you are out and about to remove your valuables, don't leave your purse, wallet or mobile phone in your car - it is just making it an easy target!

Don't leave the car keys in the ignition and the door unlocked (yes it happens). Crooks are always on the look out for an easy opportunity to take your valuables.

Dob in a Dealer - Also a reminder the local Dob in a Dealer program is underway in the South Coast Police District. South Coast is one of 14 locations across NSW, aimed at mobilising members of the public in the fight against illicit drugs, aimed at stopping the supply of illicit drugs including methylamphetamine (ice), cocaine, MDMA, heroin and cannabis.

The campaign is designed to encourage members of the public to come forward with any information that can assist us in identifying any drug networks, any people selling, supplying or manufacturing drugs in the area.

Any information, no matter how small you might think it is, could be the missing piece of the puzzle officers have been looking for.

If you have information about someone in your community who is manufacturing or supplying drugs, it's simple - call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000. All information is confidential.

Remember: Do not Drink and Drive and you can Dob in a Druggie any time you like, by contacting Nowra Police or ringing Crime Stoppers.

As always, in case of emergency, call (000)

Non Emergencies contact Police Assistance Line on 131444 or your local Police to provide anonymous information call crime stoppers on 1800 333 000 Shoalhaven Domestic Violence Officers Email shoaldvlo@police.nsw.gov.au

Don't forget. Cops are tops.

Information provided by On The Beat & Inserted by the Editor as a Community Service for Shoalhaven LAC

Log on to the NSW Police Web Site for the “Tell us what you want SURVEY!”.

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|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------|
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| Sussex Inlet Police Station | Sussex Inlet | 02 44412665 |
| Nowra Police Station | Nowra – Main switch | 02 44219699 |
| Crime Prevention Officer | Nowra Police Station | 02 44219619 |

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| Police Assistance Line | PAL | 131444 |
| Police Assistance Line (PAL) Hearing / speech impaired only | PAL TTY | 02 92113776 |
| Crime Stoppers | Crime Stoppers | 1800333000 |

NSW POLICE FORCE website address - www.police.nsw.gov.au

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<https://www.facebook.com/ShoalhavenLac>

Where no emergency exists and immediate investigation by a Police officer is not necessary, registered community members can now create online reports such as Lost Property, Intentional Damage or Graffiti and Theft, in their own time anywhere where an internet connection is present, using devices of today's technology.

NSW Police Community PORTAL — Check it out for yourself

http://www.police.nsw.gov.au/community_portal/about-the-portal

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EMERGENCY ... 000 and ask for Police. For Life Threatening or Immediate Attention Required.

CRIME STOPPERS ... 1800 333 000 Anonymous Information.

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

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