



*Welcome to my **SANCTUARY  
POINT CONCERNED  
CITIZEN NEWSLETTER**  
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*Code C Fancy Dress  
Benefit Night ~ "How  
**GREAT** thou art."*

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Wrong ...  
You Know  
it's Right!**

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

## It's A SELL OUT

The Code C Fancy Dress Benefit Night on the 8th October 2011 will be held in **SANCTUARY POINT** at the St Georges Basin Country Club.

By the time you receive this Newsletter, it will be too late for you to obtain a seat in the beautiful auditorium of the St Georges Basin Country Club at **SANCTUARY POINT**, unless there are some cancellations! The Code **C** 2011 Fancy Dress Benefit Night is the Brain Wave of the Coordinator, a wonderful gentleman named ... Richard Manwarring ... more lovingly known as “**Dick**” and Last



The photo insert is of a Linear Accelerator ... not necessarily of the one expected in the Shoalhaven, but! Will give you some appreciation of the equipment and facilities that are desperately needed here ... NOW!

year, Dick raised \$18,500 for the Bay & Basin Cancer Support Group, who hope to receive more than \$45,000 over three years, from Dick's past, present and future benefit nights, These funds will be held in trust for the Shoalhaven Linear Accelerator Funding Project, that one day, should see the development of wide-ranging cancer care facilities in the Shoalhaven area and the installation of a Linear Accelerator to ease the burden of cancer patients from the Shoalhaven and other adjoining councils. Currently they have to cramp into the small buses or other private or public transport, to convey themselves to Wollongong, or a two hour or more, tiring trip, to Sydney Hospitals, so that they may receive treatment, for their various life threatening forms of cancer.

“**How Great thou Art,**” and rightly so! This wonderful fund raising event is being hosted by **SANCTUARY POINT** at the St Georges Basin Country Club. Local and other Supporters, as far apart as Merimbula on the South Coast and Sydney in the North, have thrown their all into ensuring that this year, the Benefit Night will prove to be a wonderful night, filled with good entertainment, an assortment of Fancy Dress ( although optional, ) will be worn by many of the guests on the night and there will be many wonderful prizes, that have been graciously donated, to make this night a success. These donated items will be won in the Raffles, and Auction sales on the night ... “**Bring your Money with you!**”

**SANCTUARY POINT** can take pride in holding this wonderful night ... AND to Mr Richard ... Dick Manwarring and his lovely wife Joan ... all I can say is

“**How Great thou Art.**”



**Nowra City Youth has come to SANCTUARY POINT.**

**( PLEASE NOTE THE NEW LOCATION and TIME)**

Nowra City Church has commenced a New Youth Program in Sanctuary Point and every Friday night, they will send out a team to run the same program, that they run in Nowra on Friday night's.

The program is for school year 6 - 12 youth and will now be held at the **Sanctuary Point Youth & Community Centre, at 34 Paradise Beach Road, Sanctuary Point, from 6.00 pm to 8.30 pm** every Friday night, except school holidays. On the last Friday of each month, a bus will be sent out to the **Sanctuary Point Youth & Community Centre** that will pick up youth from the **Community Centre** entrance at 5.30 pm and return there at 9.30 pm, to bring youth into the Nowra Campus for a massive combined night. The bus will cost \$2 return and Parent or guardians permission will be required on a form to be supplied, for anyone using the bus. This is a fully supervised program with adult security and it is drug and alcohol free. If you need any more information or have any questions, then please call Simon Clegg, who is the Youth Pastor, on 0422 262 669 ... Sounds like a great time to be had by all!

**If you Never Ever Try, you will Never Ever Know!**

inserted by the editor, as a community service for NCC

I am including the following information, within my Newsletter, as a community service, instead of a bipartisan agreement between our Local Police Force and the small contribution, that my Newsletter was hoped to contribute.

If you think something is Wrong, phone it In on the Police Assistance Line

**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**

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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!

**Another Month!**

**And still no start on the Car Park at the Sanctuary Point Shopping Centre ... Shame on the Business Fraternity and Shop Owners! Where is "Your" Community Pride? when your Community needs "You"!**

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**And where is the Sanctuary Point Chamber of Commerce? when obviously ... "You" need them!**

**When the North East Wind is upon the Basin ... the Wind Surfers find it exhilarating to launch their boards, on the Western side of the John Williams Boat ramp, at**



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**Making  
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**Shoalhaven Council is serious, in their commitment to Eliminate Graffiti from the Shoalhaven!** ... Apart from Graffiti Day now being incorporated with Clean-up Australia day, when the community gets together with Council to clean-up rubbish and Graffiti, around and upon Council Assets, Graffiti is illegal and comes under the Graffiti Control Act 2008, which is being amended with the Graffiti Control Amendment Bill 2011 that introduces some very strong sentencing when caught illegally placing Graffiti on public or private property.

In a speech in the NSW State Parliament Legislative Council on the 10th August 2011 the Minister for Police and Emergency services, had this and other comments to say about the amendment Bill.

**GRAFFITI LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2011 Second Reading 10th Aug 2011**

**The Hon. MICHAEL GALLACHER:** (Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council) [4.15 p.m.]: Government members are excited about this legislation. I thank them for their support for this important piece of legislation. It sends a message to young offenders that we are serious about assisting them in breaking the cycle of offending. For many young people, graffiti vandalism is the starting point of offending. The approach taken by the previous Government led to many young offenders being in a never-ending cycle of cautions and warnings and incrementally working their way through to committing more serious crimes. Under this legislation they will be appear before a court so that they understand that the community and the Parliament view graffiti vandalism as a serious crime. We also have ensured follow-up measures. As young offenders clean up their own mess or the mess of others they will get a clear signal that the community will not tolerate this crime any further. The community has had enough.

**Why would anyone, want to have a Criminal Record for Life?**

**Before**

**The Wool Lane Complex**

**Before**



**After**

**After**



Many improvements have been made to Sanctuary Point and we can thank those in positions that have the best expertise and resources to make the changes ...  
**Thank You!**

When Kate and myself started this Newsletter, it was to be non-political and was basically to be a voice for the concerned citizens of Sanctuary Point to bring back Pride and Dignity to our Town, through the engagement of our Local, State and Federal representatives, all who have a wealth of expertise and ... quite frankly ...  
**CLOUT!**

We believe! That to have a Safe and Dignified Community, we all become Deputies ... albeit, Clayton ones only! And look out for our neighbours and what is going on in our town, if you see something that looks wrong to you, telephone your local Police and have a talk with them ... they are the Front Line, they are there to assist us to stop crime ... they are on our side! ... Unless you are on the wrong side!

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In my travels around Sanctuary Point and adjoining towns, I have spoken to and have been approached by many concerned people, who have told me of the concerns they are experiencing. I am not in a position to solve their problems ... I wish I was! I am only the messenger and in many of the cases, they themselves, need to put on their Deputy Badges, take matters into their own hands and contact the authority who can best assist them in their concern ... If it is Criminal issue, the Police ... if it is a Local issue, your Shoalhaven Council ... if it is a State issue, Shelley Hancock MP, or if it is a Federal issue Joanna Gash MP.

One resident of Sanctuary Point, told me of his suggestion to Councillor Bob Proudfoot, that a light should be put in place to shine down on the new Sanctuary Point Entrance Signage, as being done at Vincentia ... I fully support that endorsement and would recommend that it be kept in vogue, with Solar Power and perhaps the placement of a CCTV as an introduction to our town Sanctuary Point.

**Our SANCTUARY POINT ~The place that we call HOME!**



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**

