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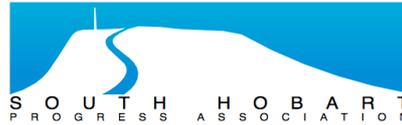


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NEXT SHPA MEETING

Our next regular General Meeting will be held on **Wednesday 10th October, 2012** in *The D'Arcy Street Community Hall*, 42 D'Arcy Street, commencing at **7:30pm**. All residents are welcome to attend - especially those new to the suburb. The Association reminds residents that **membership** of the SHPA Inc. is only \$2 per annum, payable at the Post Office or at any meeting.

HISTORY WALK

South Hobart Bushcare will be meeting again on Sunday 21st October, 2012 at 10:00 am for a **History Walk** conducted by local historian, Kevin Wilson. There will be a free plant give-away between 12 midday and 12:30 pm. We will meet at the Ingram Street side of *Wellesley Park*. All welcome.

PRIZES TO BE WON

The SHPA Inc. aims to stimulate interest in its commissioned *History of South Hobart* to be written by Dr Alison Alexander. This will be an all-encompassing quality hardback coffee table book, incorporating copious illustrations and photographs, many of historical significance, and the stories South Hobartians have to tell about their vibrant suburb. The Association is offering two copies of Dr Alexander's most recent book *"The Southern Midlands: A History"* valued at \$70 each as prizes to the two most interesting stories or anecdotes of South Hobart's past. They could be about interesting houses, businesses, tales, people or events. Your short articles should be sent to Malcolm Saltmarsh by **1st November, 2012**. They can be emailed to saltyros@hotmail.com or posted to **91 Wentworth Street South Hobart 7004**. Please include your name, telephone, email and street address so the author can award these two substantial prizes and contact the contributors at a later date. In addition, anyone who would like to be interviewed by the author should send their details to Malcolm Saltmarsh. **NOTE:** Due to a computer glitch in the September Newsletter some letters of support may not have been received and should be re-directed to saltyros@hotmail.com.

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TASMANIAN LAND CONSERVANCY

Founding member and former CEO of *Tasmanian Land Conservancy*, Nathan Males, retired recently after ten years at the helm. On his retirement, Nathan said, "that since 2001 the TLC had achieved much for conservation in Tasmania". He believes that Tasmania had an important global role to play. "Tasmanians have one of the most diverse and beautiful islands as well as one of the world's most advanced reserve systems. With careful additions, like the reserves established by the TLC, Tasmania can be a living example of how to properly balance protection of the environment with production and economic activity. It is really important to have a non-political, science-based, community-owned conservation organisation like the TLC to work towards that goal" The TLC has already preserved, for all time, many important natural places in the State, including *Long Point*, the *Vale of Belvoir*, and *Skullbone Plains*. If you would like to know more about the TLC or make a donation, contact: *Tasmanian Land Conservancy*, PO Box 2112, Lower Sandy Bay TAS 7005. The website is <http://www.tasland.org.au>.

SHPA INC. ANNUAL STREETScape AWARDS

Entries for the *Annual Streetscape Competition* have now closed. The winners of the twelfth Annual Streetscape Awards will be announced in the November issue of the Newsletter. Awards will be made in both the Residential and Commercial sections. A big thanks to all who nominated properties whether their own or a neighbour's. The competition was tough this year.



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Private Security Tasmania operates from South Hobart and maintains both residential and local business security patrols in your area. Properties are checked regularly and evidence is provided to clients for patrols undertaken in a timely and professional manner. The majority of patrols are completed via electric patrol bicycles, which are kinder on the environment whilst being discreet and alleviating traffic congestion. Peace of mind is offered in the knowledge that *Private Security Tasmania* guards come from military backgrounds or have previously proven themselves in the security industry within Tasmania. Please contact us for all your security needs on **0435 519 142**, or email us info@PrivateSecurityTasmania.com.au or visit us on the web at www.PrivateSecurityTasmania.com.au [Licence No. 15639.]

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