

NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2015

Dennes Point Heritage Trail

The Dennes Point Heritage Trail, centered around the Jetty Beach area, is progressing well. With a grant of \$5,000 from Kingborough Council and \$4,000 from Bruny Island Community Association we are aiming to have the 14 panels installed by November this year.

Erosion of Bank on Nebraska Road near Jetty Beach

Kingborough Council are giving this their full attention and have advised that they are seeking expert advice on how best to repair the road in the long-term. They are committed to discussing the findings with us before any action is taken. In the mean time, they intend to put in a short-term solution to stablise the bank before the next summer season.

North Bruny Strategic Management Plan

Kingborough Council have said they are now in a position to continue working with us to develop the North Bruny Stragtegic Management Plan. Kristine Ancher will be seeking further input electronically from all of us over the next 6 months. The Plan is expected to take 12 months from now to completed.

As a first step I am attaching the Council's notes from the meeting held last November.

It is important that we have wide input to our Plan through this process so please feel free to send this information on to anyone you know who would want to be involved.

Rat Bay Guard Rail

Following concerns from residents the Council has advised that they are looking at shortening the rail to allow access to the beach via a path. Given the narrow road, FONB will also consider seeking a 60km per hour speed limit in this area. Council has also agreed to investigate whether signage to indicate that the road to used by walkers, cyclists AND motorists will assist.

Overnight Parking for Mobile Homes

Council have indicated they are investigating the potential for a minimum service overnight parking facility for mobile homes on the land adjacent to the North Bruny Fire Brigade Station and the CWA. Part of this will depend on finding an organisation to oversee the parking area.

Play Equipment at Community Centre

Attached is a flyer from Krissie Ancher (Kingborough Council) which shows some play equipment which Krissie thinks may work well at the Community Centre. Krissie says it provides a number of play experiences and allows for a range of age groups to use it. Please email Krissie direct with any comments you have on this suggestion (kancher@kingborough.tas.gov.au).

FONB Management Group

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The next Management Committee is 25 August 2015.

If you have any issues that you want FONB to consider please contact one of the Executive Group!