

# Our Glenorchy



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### Did you know?

Approximately  
48 thousand people  
live in the Glenorchy  
municipality

## A new planning scheme for Glenorchy

The **Tasmanian Planning Scheme - Glenorchy** has been approved to replace the *Glenorchy Interim Planning Scheme 2015*. The new scheme is online at [iplan.tas.gov.au](http://iplan.tas.gov.au).

The new scheme introduces a single set of planning rules that apply consistently across Tasmania through the Tasmanian Planning Scheme. Achieving State-wide consistency in planning schemes is a key policy of the Tasmanian Government.

The **Tasmanian Planning Scheme - Glenorchy** comprises zone and overlay maps and locally unique planning rules. This local content protects our heritage and environment and includes specific rules for special areas such as

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Glenorchy CBD, Claremont and Wilkinsons Point.

The new scheme has been written based on the former scheme, but using the new template of zones and

planning rules set by the Tasmanian Planning Scheme.

With the new scheme in place, strategic citywide projects, such as the Greater Glenorchy Plan can develop and flourish. Council is focused on supporting the need for greater housing diversity and density along the Northern Suburbs Transit Corridor. The new Planning scheme supports a consistent approach to development for our state and our local areas.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Head to the Council's website [gcc.tas.gov.au](http://gcc.tas.gov.au) or contact the Planning Department 6216 6800



# Have you seen the news?

Can you believe it has been a year since we launched our first quarterly Council newsletter? We enjoy sharing what's going on in our city and keeping you informed of upcoming events, activities and works.

To ensure this newsletter continues to be accessible to everyone and to keep you in the loop into the future, we're making some key changes.

From September, we're moving our newsletter online to reduce the amount of paper we use for each edition. This also lets us extend our reach to a wider audience of community members and ratepayers who don't necessarily live in our city but are invested in our growth.

You will be able to subscribe for free or view each edition online at your leisure on our Council website.

For the many residents who may have difficulty or choose not to access the online option we will still be printing paper copies available for collection at Council Chambers (374 Main Road, Glenorchy) or the Moonah Arts Centre (23-27 Albert Road, Moonah).

We understand that there are also many people who experience difficulty in attending venues in person so, if you or someone you know, would like a mailed copy please contact our Customer Service team to arrange this.

## Why the change?

We're making these changes after listening to your feedback. You've told us that you want to see us reducing the amount of waste we create, and reduce the costs of printing and delivering the newsletter to our community. It's important that we make sustainable changes to ensure that we can still talk to our community regularly into the future. Don't forget that we still have our website and social media, where we share content daily with our audience.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Subscribe through our Council website [gcc.tas.gov.au](http://gcc.tas.gov.au) or contact via 6216 6800 or [gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au](mailto:gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au) for more information.



## Get your Rates notice online

There are many benefits to receiving your Council rates notice and instalment reminders online. It can help you organise your payments and reduce your household paper wastage.

- You can subscribe on our website to opt in for electronic notices. This means you won't receive a paper version in the mail.
- Electronic notices appear instantly to your nominated inbox which saves time waiting for the posted version.
- You can instantly reduce your paper wastage and avoid searching for notices around the house!

Keeping your information and contact details up to date with us is important. If you've recently changed address or phone number you can easily update these details on our website or, if you prefer, speak to our Customer Service team via phone 6216 6800 or email [gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au](mailto:gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au)

Reminder - dates for upcoming rates payments if you pay by instalment:

- Instalment two: 15 October 2021
- Instalment three: 14 January 2022
- Instalment four: 15 March 2022

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

[gcc.tas.gov.au/residents/rates](http://gcc.tas.gov.au/residents/rates)

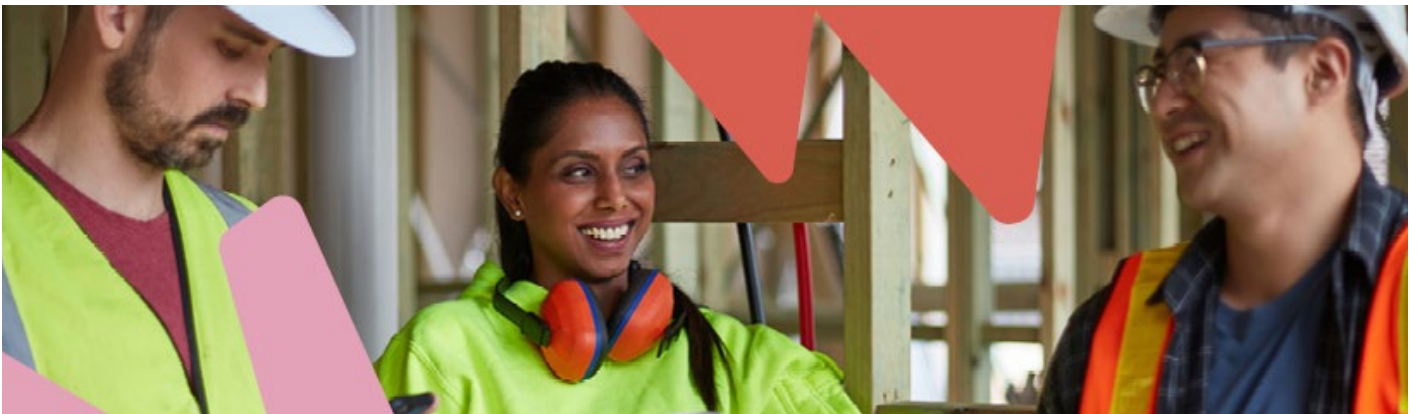
## Council meetings back in Chambers

We are happy to announce, following upgrades to our Council Chambers room, we can invite members of the public to join us in person again at monthly Council meetings. Attendees must register online prior to the meeting and follow COVID safe check in rules. Meetings will still be livestreamed online. For more information head to our Council meeting page on our website.



### At the Jobs Hub you can:

- Get assistance with your resume, cover letters and applications
- Speak to our experienced Job Coaches about job pathways or discover what jobs you can do by matching your skills and interests
- Get coaching to nail that next interview whether its via video call, in person or phone
- Gain assistance with finding the right training to get your ideal job
- Get connected to support services such as literacy/numeracy support programs, job ready fund and other supports to help your transition into work
- Connect local job seekers to local employers
- Match local employers to local people to fill roles in their business



## Glenorchy Jobs Hub – Matching Local People with Local Jobs

The Glenorchy Jobs Hub is a free service to help people in our city to connect with Glenorchy businesses and boost our local job economy.

The Hub, based at St Matthews Church in the heart of the Glenorchy CBD, is open for anyone seeking help and advice to find work. Onsite job coaches specialise in key employment areas in our City and will work one-on-one to help jobseekers get job ready and match them with suitable employment opportunities.

The Hub also works closely with Glenorchy employers to make

meaningful, lasting connections with future workers, training and support. Three local businesses have already signed up for a Glenorchy Jobs Pledge to support our community to access key training, work experience, placements and employment.

The Glenorchy Jobs Hub has free online resources to book an appointment with a Jobs Coach, post a job advertisement, search jobs in Glenorchy or see what training is on offer to refine or re-direct your skills.

The Glenorchy Jobs Hub is a Glenorchy City Council initiative

working in partnership with STEPS and supported by the Tasmanian Government.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Visit the Jobs Hub website or check out the Glenorchy Jobs Hub Facebook page.

- Phone: 1300 084 307
- Email: [jhg@stepsgroup.com.au](mailto:jhg@stepsgroup.com.au)
- Web: [jobshubglenorchy.com.au](http://jobshubglenorchy.com.au)

### Top tips for job seekers

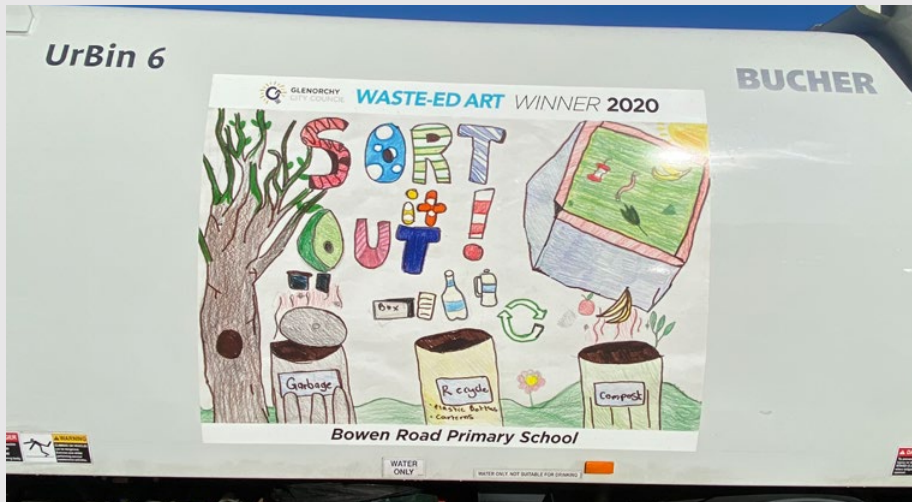
- Make sure you have an updated resume (Jobs Hub coaches can help with this)
- Research the business where you are applying to get a better understanding of their workplace
- Keep your phone on and regularly check your emails so you don't miss an interview invite
- Get help with interview practice with the Glenorchy Jobs Hub Coaches
- The day before an interview check the location and travel time to where you need to be and plan to be a few minutes early.



We regularly update details of current works in your area on our Council website. For more information please visit [gcc.tas.gov.au/services/works/works-in-progress](http://gcc.tas.gov.au/services/works/works-in-progress)



# Upcoming Works and Waste Update



## WASTE EDUCATION

Local schools have been getting creative for our 2021 Waste-Ed Art competition. The theme this year is “Hey Mate! Don’t Contaminate!” and the announcement of the winning school will be streamed on Facebook on Wednesday, 15 September at 10am. The winning school will have their artwork made into a sticker to be adhered to the side of Council’s litter truck. All artwork will be on display at the Moonah Arts Centre from Tuesday, 14 September to Tuesday, 12 October. Vote online or in person for the People’s Choice Award. Head to [moonahartscentre.org.au](http://moonahartscentre.org.au) or the Moonah Arts Centre Facebook page.

## NO TRUCKS OVER FIVE-TONNE (5T) BRENT STREET, GLENORCHY

Due to the poor condition of a retaining wall in Brent Street new signage preventing trucks over five tonne has been put in place to prevent further damage.

Under Section 41 of the *Local Government (Highways) Act 1982*, Brent Street between Chapel Street and Lonergan Street in Glenorchy will have a ‘No Trucks Over 5t’ sign imposed as per Tasmania Road Rules 104.

Further queries can be directed to Emily Burch, Transport Engineer on 6216 6475.

## NO SPRAY REGISTER

Glenorchy residents can now opt to join the Council’s No Spray Register and have the public areas close to their property excluded from the city’s ongoing weed maintenance program. Residents can submit their property

address along with a plan for how they will manage the maintenance of the areas adjacent to their properties. Successful registration will be valid for two years with residents required to submit a renewal if they wish to continue on the register.

For more information please visit our website or contact us on 6216 6800.

## PLAYSPACES AFFECTED BY THE PANDEMIC

At its August meeting, Council voted to seek a change in the Federal funding agreement for the planned regional playspaces at Montrose Foreshore and Giblins Reserve, Goodwood. Due to a shortage of contractors, materials and labour caused by the COVID-19 stimulus, and other unforeseen costs, Council will request permission from the Australian Government to invest all the grant funds in a single Play Space at Giblins Reserve, rather than two smaller Play Spaces. For more information, please see the full statement on our website.

## FREE WASTE WEEKEND FOR GLENORCHY RESIDENTS

We’re offering all Glenorchy residents FREE ENTRY to the Jackson Street Waste Management Centre in October (keep an eye on our socials and our website for final dates!).

To verify you are a Glenorchy resident and gain free entry, just show your driver’s licence to the tollbooth operator. Only domestic quantities of waste will be accepted, such as a standard ute load or box trailer. Free entry does not apply to waste such as tyres, paints, chemicals, mattresses, asbestos or other hazardous waste. We’ll be sharing information on the GCC Facebook page and the Council website [gcc.tas.gov.au](http://gcc.tas.gov.au).

Did you know, all year round, you can also drop off recyclables at the Jackson St Recycling Centre located before the tollbooth entrance (on the left). Unwanted but good condition items can be dropped at the Recovery Shop (on the right). Check first what items are accepted on our interactive waste map [wastestartswithu.com.au/waste-map](http://wastestartswithu.com.au/waste-map) or contact the Waste team at Council.



## Celebrating our community spirit

The Glenorchy Community Awards are back! It's time to nominate individuals and groups doing amazing things in our community.

Awards will be presented in the following categories: Citizen of the Year, Young Citizen of the Year, Community Group of the Year, School Group of the Year, Sports Achievement Award and All Abilities Award.

Nominations for all awards are open from Friday, 17 September 2021 to Friday, 12 November 2021.

A special awards presentation will be held in the week prior to Australia Day 2022 where all award nominees and recipients will be celebrated.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** please visit: [gcc.tas.gov.au/discover-glenorchy/events/awards-and-ceremonies](https://gcc.tas.gov.au/discover-glenorchy/events/awards-and-ceremonies) or contact the Community Planning & Engagement team on 03 6216 6800 or [gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au](mailto:gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au)



## Glenorchy Carols is coming to Claremont Village Green in 2021!

Join us Friday, 10 December for a festive Friday evening with all your favourites!

Santa and the Not So Silent Choir are excited to once again entertain the community this Christmas.

**Venue:** Claremont Village Green

**Date:** Friday, 10 December 2021

**Time:** 6:30pm-8:30pm

This will be a COVID-19 safe event.

Stay tuned to the Facebook page [facebook.com/glenorchycarols](https://facebook.com/glenorchycarols) for all event information and safety measures as they are announced.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** [events@gcc.tas.gov.au](mailto:events@gcc.tas.gov.au)  
6216 6800



## Glenorchy Youth Open 2021

Back by popular demand, the Glenorchy Youth Open exhibition will return to Moonah Arts Centre (MAC) this December!

This exhibition celebrates the creativity of our younger community members.

School-aged artists (Primary, Secondary and College) who live in, attend school in, or have a strong connection to Glenorchy are invited to enter one artwork for inclusion in the exhibition.

Entries are due Friday, 26 November.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** visit [moonahartscentre.org.au](https://moonahartscentre.org.au) and download an entry form or call 03 6216 6316.

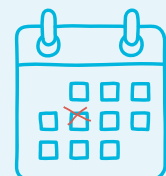


## MACabaret 2021

Join us, Saturday, 30 October for an exciting line up of performers at MACabaret 2021. Moonah Arts Centre will host a night of unforgettable acts, visual spectacles and comedy.

Tickets for audience members will soon be available for MACabaret via the MAC website. You can also sign up to the MAC E-Newsletter via the website and follow us on Instagram and Facebook to stay informed about what's happening at MAC.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** and to apply visit [moonahartscentre.org.au](https://moonahartscentre.org.au) or call 03 6216 6316.



## Save the Date!

- **Sunday, 12 September**  
Expression of Interest for food operators and performers at Glenorchy Carols closes
- **Tuesday, 21 September**  
Glenorchy Citizenship Ceremony (invite only)
- **Tuesday, 16 November**  
Glenorchy Citizenship Ceremony (invite only)
- **Friday, 3 December**  
International Day of People with a Disability on Council lawns
- **Friday, 10 December**  
Glenorchy Carols on Claremont Green



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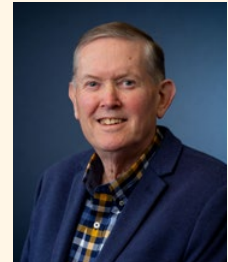
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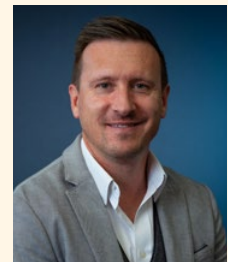
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We'd love to hear your thoughts and feedback on how we can best serve our community. Stay connected with your Council.

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