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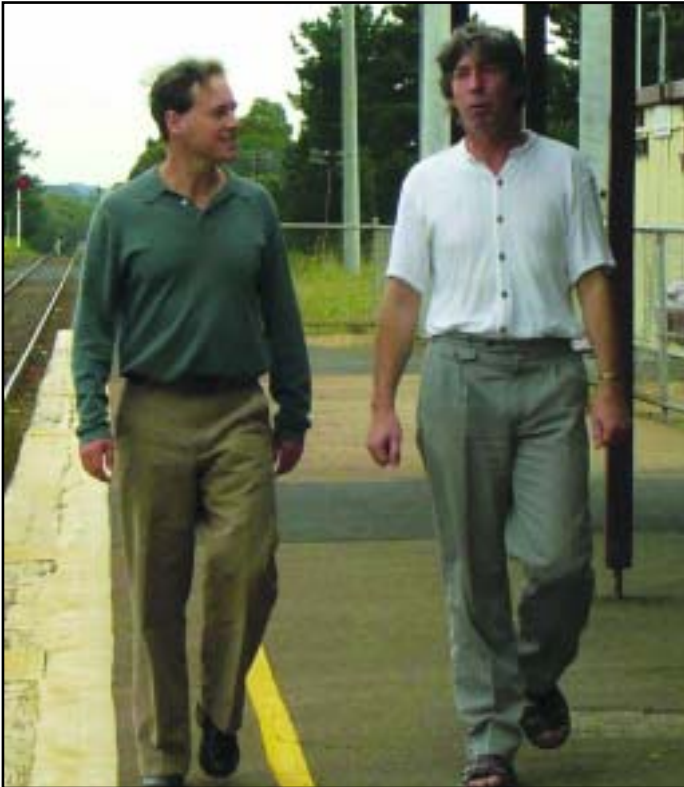
FEDERAL MEMBER FOR FLINDERS

Working for our Community



Western Port Region Highlights

REVITALISING THE HASTINGS RAILWAY STATION



Greg with Garry Mitchell, working to beautify the Hastings railway station and transfer it to the community under the Stationeer's Program.

Hastings railway station provides a first impression to many visitors to the area and unfortunately that impression is no longer the thriving and endearing symbol it used to be.

However, the railway station has great potential. Located right in the heart of Hastings, it is surrounded by approximately 3 hectares of vacant land that is owned by the railway company. With a little vision and hard work I believe that it can be turned into a wonderful community asset such as perhaps a park, public market or nursery/market garden for primary and secondary students.

That is why I am working with Connex through the Stationeers Program to transfer the management of the station and surrounding land to the community. This will help revitalise the community and I am interested in your ideas. In particular, there is also space for any new buildings such as a Community Health Centre.

TWO NEW DOCTORS FOR SOMERVILLE

I am pleased to announce the extension of the Outer Metropolitan Doctors incentive program to 30 June 2006, and to welcome two new doctors to **Somerville** who will benefit from the scheme.

Already the extension to the Outer Metropolitan Doctors incentive program has helped to encourage two new doctors to Somerville's Eramosa Family Medical Centre which is now able to offer increased hours.

We have already had new doctors come to the Peninsula under the Scheme and others are currently making enquiries about moving to areas such as Pearcedale, Flinders and Cranbourne as well.

NEW MEDICARE CENTRE FOR CRANBOURNE

I am delighted to announce that the new Medicare office for Cranbourne will open within the next few months.

Elderly residents, along with young families throughout **Cranbourne, Devon Meadows, Clyde, Junction Village** and the **Coastal Villages** will now be able to conveniently access Medicare services in Cranbourne. This is a fantastic outcome for the local community.

MORE FUNDING FOR PEARCEDALE PRIMARY

Students and staff at **Pearcedale Primary** will benefit from \$650,000 in Federal funding for new buildings and facilities.

The funding will help with the construction of general purpose classrooms, a library and deaf facilities.

These new facilities will greatly assist the school to provide the best possible learning environment for students in Pearcedale and the surrounding region. I congratulate the school and staff for all their wonderful work and dedication.

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Community Meeting Dates



I try to spend as much time as possible getting out and about in the local community to listen to the concerns of locals and I will be holding community meetings in the following towns over the coming months and would be delighted to meet with you. Please come along to a local meeting near you.

Town	Date	Time	Place
Rosebud Central	19 April 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside Rosebud Medicare Office
Rosebud	19 April 2005	10:10 - 11:10am	Outside the Rosebud Library
Rosebud	19 April 2005	11:20 - 12:20pm	Outside the Post Office at Port Phillip Plaza
Waterfall Gully	19 April 2005	1:00 - 2:00pm	Outside Waterfall Gully Milk Bar in Rosebud South
Rosebud West & Boneo	19 April 2005	2:15 - 3:15pm	Outside Rosebud West Post Office
Tootgarook	19 April 2005	3:30 - 4:30pm	Outside the General Store on the Corner of Carmichael and Pt Nepean Roads
Rye	20 April 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside the Rye Safeway
St Andrews Beach	20 April 2005	10:20 - 11:20am	Outside the Dunes Milk Bar/General Store on Dundas Street
Blairgowrie	20 April 2005	11:40 - 12:40pm	Outside the Blairgowrie Post Office
Sorrento	20 April 2005	1:00 - 2:00pm	Outside the Sorrento Post Office
Portsea	20 April 2005	2:40 - 3:40pm	Outside the Portsea Hotel
Rosebud	20 April 2005	4:30 - 5:00pm	Village Glen Retirement Village in the Club House
Cranbourne South & Devon Meadows	21 April 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside the Cranbourne South General Store
Five Ways	21 April 2005	10:15 - 11:15am	Outside the Fiveways General Store
Clyde	21 April 2005	11:30 - 12:30pm	Outside the Clyde General Store
Cardinia	21 April 2005	12:45 - 1:45pm	Outside the Cardinia General Store
Tooradin	21 April 2005	3:15 - 4:15pm	Outside the Tooradin Post Office
Blind Bight	22 April 2005	9:30 - 10:30am	Outside the Blind Bight General Store
Warneet	22 April 2005	10:45 - 11:45am	Outside the Warneet General Store
Cannons Creek	22 April 2005	12:00 - 1:00pm	Outside Cannons Creek General Store
Koo Wee Rup & Dalmore	26 April 2005	9:30 - 10:30am	Outside the Koo Wee Rup Newsagent and Post Office
Bayles	26 April 2005	10:45 - 11:45am	Outside the Bayles General Store
Catani	26 April 2005	12:00 - 1:00pm	Outside Catani Football Club Rooms
Lang Lang	26 April 2005	1:30 - 2:30pm	Outside the Lang Lang Bendigo Bank
Grantville & The Gurdies	26 April 2005	3:00 - 4:00pm	Outside the Grantville Shire Information Office (New Rural Transaction Centre)
Kernot	26 April 2005	4:30 - 5:30pm	Outside the Kernot General Store
Pearcedale	27 June 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside Ron Whitney's Pharmacy in Pearcedale
Baxter	27 June 2005	10:15 - 11:15am	Outside the Baxter Post Office
Somerville	27 June 2005	11:30 - 12:30pm	Outside the Somerville Safeway
Somerville	27 June 2005	12:40 - 1:40pm	Outside the Somerville Fruit & Vegetable Shop on Eramosa Road East
Tyabb	27 June 2005	1:55 - 2:55pm	Outside the Tyabb Post Office
Hastings	27 June 2005	3:15 - 4:15pm	Outside the Hastings Post Office
Hastings Westpark	27 June 2005	4:25 - 5:25pm	Outside the Hastings Westpark General Store
Bittern	28 June 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside the Bittern General Store
Crib Point	28 June 2005	10:10 - 11:10am	Outside the Crib Point Milk Bar in Disney Street
Balnarring	28 June 2005	11:20 - 12:20pm	Outside the new Balnarring IGA Supermarket
Somers	28 June 2005	12:30 - 1:30pm	Outside the Somers Post Office/General Store
Merricks	28 June 2005	1:40 - 2:40pm	Outside the Merricks General Store
Shoreham & Point Leo	28 June 2005	2:50 - 3:50pm	Outside the Shoreham Post Office
Flinders	28 June 2005	4:10 - 5:10pm	Outside the Flinders General Store
Mount Martha	29 June 2005	9:00 - 10:00am	Outside the Post Office at Bentons Square
Mount Martha	29 June 2005	10:10 - 11:10am	Outside Foodworks Mt Martha
Safety Beach	29 June 2005	11:30 - 12:30pm	Outside La Marina Plaza General Store/Service Station
Dromana	29 June 2005	12:40 - 1:40pm	Outside the entrance to the Dromana Hub
McCrae	29 June 2005	2:00 - 3:00pm	Outside the McCrae General Store/Newsagent
Smiths Beach	29 August 2005	9:30 - 10:30am	Outside the Smiths Beach General Store
Sunderland Bay	29 August 2005	11:00 - 12:00pm	Outside the Sunderland Bay General Store
Kilcunda	29 August 2005	12:30 - 1:30pm	Outside the Kilcunda General Store
Moorooduc	29 August 2005	3:00 - 4:00pm	Outside the Moorooduc CFA
Red Hill & Main Ridge	29 August 2005	4:15 - 5:15pm	Outside the Red Hill South Post Office
Glen Forbes	30 August 2005	9:30 - 10:30am	Outside the Glen Forbes General Store
Corinella & Tenby Point	30 August 2005	10:50 - 11:50am	Outside the Corinella General Store
Coronet Bay	30 August 2005	12:00 - 1:00pm	Outside the Coronet Bay General Store
Bass	30 August 2005	1:20 - 1:40pm	Outside the George Bass Hotel
Archies Creek	30 August 2005	2:00 - 3:00pm	Outside the Archies Creek Hotel
Dalyston	30 August 2005	3:30 - 4:30pm	Outside the Dalyston General Store
San Remo	31 August 2005	10:00 - 11:00am	Outside the Food-Rite Supermarket San Remo
Newhaven & Cape Woolamai	31 August 2005	11:10 - 12:10pm	Outside the New Haven General Store
Rhyll	31 August 2005	12:30 - 1:30pm	Outside the Rhyll General Store
Cowes	31 August 2005	1:50 - 3:20pm	Outside the Cowes Post Office
Ventnor	31 August 2005	3:50 - 4:20pm	Outside the Ventnor General Store

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