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Newsletter Christmas 2014

Dear San Remo resident,

Merry Christmas from your volunteer San Remo Foreshore Committee of Management.
We thought it may be timely to update you on the various projects we have been working on.

Philip Island Road Support Project



This project is now complete and it was great to see so many from our local community come along to help us plant some 6000 trees and bushes along this beautiful piece of coastline. Effectively this has given San Remo a new piece of north facing coastal parkland looking over Western Port Bay. As part of this work we were able to extend the walking path at the base of the embankment. When funding is available, we plan to build a set of stairs to connect this to the upper walking track into San Remo proper.

New Pelican Feeding Wall

As you may have noted, the existing seawall near the pelican feeding area has failed near the jetty area. Great news is that substantial funding is now becoming available to build a new structure far more suitable for the large numbers of tourists who visit this area every day. This will include a disabled access to the beach.

Better Beach Access - Woolamai Grove and Bore Beach Steps

Just recently we received a grant towards improving access to Bore Beach, which is at the base of rugged coastline at the end of Potters Hill Road. We plan to combine this project with installing new steps to the beach at the end of Woolamai Grove. And of course, all of this takes careful consideration of how best to spend our limited resources.

Return of the Christmas Lights!

Isn't it great to see our iconic pine tree in the middle of the town lit again as an important community focal point. There is lovely history here, as past generations of committee volunteers climbed the tree to set up the lights each Christmas, until it was deemed unsafe. Now it is all 'high-tech' and our committee was pleased to be able to supply funding for this project in partnership with Bass Coast Council and others.

Please feel free to call me on 0407996763 to discuss ideas on improving our Foreshore or write to us at the addresses at the top of this letter.

Cheers!
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Chairman