

WARATAH-WYNYARD COUNCIL



**MAYOR'S WEEKLY MESSAGE
by MAYOR Robby Walsh
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It was great recently to attend the reopening of the Hellyer Mine. Although the mine is in the Waratah-Wynyard municipality, the employment opportunities and spin offs with contractors will be an enormous benefit to our coastal region and I wish the mining venture all the best for a bright future.

It was wonderful to hear that Council received some great positive feedback in regards to the school holiday programs offered by our staff. Together with a group from Circular Head, the kids went to laser tag and the movies in Burnie and to Hollybank Tree Top Adventures. Great to hear those who attended enjoyed these events and well done to the staff involved.

Don't forget this Sunday there will be an event to mark the official opening of the new Inglis River Pedestrian bridge and reopening of the walking track. From 1pm there will be a 6km walk will starting at Wynyard Point, near the Table Cape Bridge and include a free barbecue and fruit at the end of the walk. It looks like there has been lots of interest in this event, so hopefully there's a good turnout and some nice weather for the day.

Another event you might want to put in the calendar is the Winter Bonfire, which will be held at the East Wynyard Foreshore on Saturday 18 August. This is a free event organised by the Waratah Wynyard Youth Leaders to raise money for the Project Christmas Child. There will be lots of food, coffee and live music on offer, so rug up and come along from 5pm-9.30pm and warm up by the fire!