

Newsletter July 2019

The Okines Food Co-Op What's happening this month?

New Items:

<u>Ginger glow tea</u> mix; ginger, lemon grass, calendula, hibiscus

New Flours: As Callington Mill has closed, we are now trialling Wholegrain Millers brand organic Bread/Bakers flours. Bread makers; please give us your feedback. We can also get their sustainable range as a cheaper non-organic but ethical alternative if demand warrants

We will continue to have organic Tassie Kindred Spelt flours for non-bread baking.

Muesli Toasted: base: oats, coconut, apple, sultanas

Hazelnuts: roasted organic nuts from Cygnet

<u>Local Huon Valley Apple Cider Vinegar</u>: organic from Wattle Grove

Documents and Downloads:

Find our current pricelist, order forms and up to date stock info here on our website.

Location and Opening Hours:

540 Old Forcett Road, Dodges Ferry (in the community garden)

Open Tuesdays 2pm-5pm and Sundays 9.30am-12noon (10.00am-12noon July-September)

We also open on garden tucker days every first Monday of the month from 12.00noon-2pm.

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News:

Honey Bottling: 2nd week in July. Leave named containers by Tues 9th if you want your own filled

No more of Lizzy's Soap as she is closing her business. **Do you know of another local natural soap maker?**

No more Clean Conscience Laundry Powder as Tracy can no longer source soapnuts, the basis of her brew. Do you have any recommendations of an environmentally friendly product we can stock for you in bulk? We hope to have a substitute wash and some Sodium percarbonate (laundry soaker for stains, nappies, etc.) in stock soon.

Clean Conscience Closing: sadly this business has now closed. However, Tracy will endeavour to supply us with her products in bulk where possible or help us to source the best ethical alternatives. Thank You Trace for all your conscientious products that you have provided for so long. All the best for any future venture you may pursue!

Needed:

- Old golf buggy wheels or similar (need to be solid) to replace the constantly deflated ones on our trolley.
- 2. Jars, preferably small to medium size. Clean without labels please.

Thankyou for the SOLSTICE FESTIVAL LANTERN PARADE

3. Thanks to all who contributed on the night for the co-op and all other staff and vollies in the Okines Hub who made this such a busy and fun night despite the woolly weather.

Feedback:

We would love to hear from you about any comments and wishes! If you have any product preferences, you know about possible suppliers, have enquiries about events, your **membership** or just want to make general comments on the shop, Please feel free to talk to Jill, our cashiers, or send an email to: okines.food.coop@ gmail.com

