

Seize the Day Educational Scholarships - Open NOW

When a young person or someone they love is diagnosed with cancer, it can affect every area of their life including emotional wellbeing, financial stability and educational opportunities. Cancer Council Tasmania supports young people impacted by cancer through our Seize the Day Educational Scholarships, providing practical support when it is most needed. Young Tasmanians can apply for assistance with post-secondary education and training costs such as textbooks, course equipment, travel, school fees, uniforms and computers.

Eligibility Criteria for Applicants

- aged between **16 - 25** years
- permanent resident of Tasmania
- impacted by cancer diagnosis of self or immediate family member OR bereaved by cancer
- engaged in post-secondary education or training in 2019 including university, TAFE, VET or an apprenticeship

Applications for 2019 open on 1st November 2018 and close on 1st March 2019. Please contact Sarah on 6169 1900 for more information.



DON'T FORGET !

We now have a Transport to Treatment (t2t) service, Launceston based, for Northern Tasmania !

A no cost service for patients who otherwise could not get to cancer treatment. This service is made possible by our dedicated and caring volunteer drivers who undertake appropriate training.

Bookings essential as places are limited

Enquire through your Social Worker or Health Professional for referral



Centrelink - NOW twice a month

centrelink Appointments for people with a cancer diagnosis on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each Month!

Offering a range of advice, payments and services for people with a cancer diagnosis. Call us if you would like to arrange an appointment in our friendly, welcoming environment.

Next available: **7th November**

Contact Ros to make an appointment

Office Space available at the Centre

Due to the relocation of a tenant to Hobart, we currently have a small office available for lease, suitable for administration purposes only.

The applicant would need to be aligned closely to the CCT mission, "to minimise the incident and impact of cancer on all Tasmanians".

If you would like any further information please contact the Operations Manager, Georgina Wylde, at gwyld@cantas.org.au

November 2018

Programs and Activities

Cancer Support Group

A generic cancer support group open to men and women and their partners. The group will meet on the third Friday of every second month.

Next meeting: November 16th

Contact Megan 61779 1100

Young Women's Support Group

Open to all young women affected by cancer. Held on the last Saturday of the month.

Next meeting: 24th November

Contact Megan 6779 1100

Therapeutic Massage

We have appointments currently available for those with a current cancer diagnosis who might benefit from a relaxing massage.

For an appointment please contact Ros or Megan 6779 1100

Wig Service

Our **free** service is available to Tasmanians experiencing hair loss as a result of their cancer treatment. Pop in anytime and choose a suitable wig from our extensive range. New wigs arrive regularly.

Prostamates (Men's Cancer Support Group)

A supportive, educative group for men diagnosed with prostate cancer (and their partners). Group meets on the second Thursday of alternate months.

Next meeting : Thursday 13th December

Gynaecological Cancer Support Group

A chance to share your story and gain helpful support from people who understand. Group meets on the third Thursday of each month.

Next meeting: 15th November

Contact Megan 6779 1100

Coffee and Craft Group

Why not join this casual, friendly fortnightly get together. Bring your own project or learn something new. Group meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month.

Next get together : **Thursday 8th**

All welcome!

Gynaecological Cancer Workshop (Us and Cancer)



An evening for women diagnosed with gynaecological cancer and their partners .

Share in a workshop full of opportunity to talk with others.

Listen to Ed talk of his own experience supporting his partner through her cancer experience.



Thursday November 15th

To register contact Megan or Ros 6779 1100



What's on in November

Thursday	1	Breast & Gynaecological Cancer Support Group
Monday	5	Centre Closed– Recreation Day Holiday
Tuesday	6	BCNA meeting
Wednesday	7	Centrelink Unicorn Foundation
Thursday	8	Coffee & Craft Group
Wednesday	14	HACC Forum
Thursday	15	Gynaecological Cancer Support Group Gynaecological Cancer Workshop (Us and Cancer)
Friday	16	Cancer Support Group
Wednesday	21	Centrelink
Thursday	22	Coffee & Craft
Saturday	24	Young Women's Support Group
Friday	30	Mindfulness Self Compassion Retreat

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Please don't hesitate to call the Centre on 6779 1100 or pop into 69 Howick street Launceston if you'd like any further information on any of the services provided by Cancer Council Tasmania.

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