

HEALTH CRISIS ACCOMMODATION

**AT A TIME WHEN WE NEEDED IT THE MOST,
WE WERE GREETED AND TREATED WITH
KINDNESS AND CARING BY THE STAFF AT
MARILLAC HOUSE. MY HUSBAND RECEIVED
A TERMINAL CANCER DIAGNOSIS RECENTLY
AND WE REALLY NEEDED THAT KINDNESS.**

- Kaye & Doug, Tulendeena

**YOU ARE ALL LOVELY. I WOULD HAVE BEEN LOST
WITHOUT THIS ACCOMMODATION. IN FUTURE,
I WILL TELL OTHERS ABOUT THE MARILLAC
HOUSE AND YOU WILL SEE ME NEXT YEAR.
THANK YOU EVERYONE.**

- Vicki, Branxholm



THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The St Vincent de Paul Society was founded in Paris, France in 1833 by a 20-year old Italian student, Frederic Ozanam. Today, the Society operates in 153 countries and has over 800,000 members. Australia has over 60,000 members, dedicated to assisting people in need and combating social injustice. The Society started in Tasmania in 1899 when founders established a Conference in Launceston. From humble beginnings, the Society has grown to 25 Conferences within three Regional Councils across Tasmania. Each Conference undertakes a variety of good works aimed at assisting the most vulnerable people living in our communities.

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Situated at the quiet end of Brisbane Street, close to City Park, Marillac House provides supported accommodation for families travelling from afar to Launceston for medical purposes.

Marillac House has nine comfortable rooms, including singles, double or twin-share, and family suites. All rooms are appointed like a home away from home. They have private facilities, heating, televisions, appliances for making tea and coffee, as well as a fridge and a microwave.

Located in the Launceston CBD, close to amenities, Marillac House is no more than a 10 minute drive to all the local hospitals. It is also only a two minute walk to the city centre, restaurants, shopping, and the beautiful City Park – one of Australia's oldest parks – established in 1820.

Although open to anyone travelling for health-related purposes, Marillac House primarily offers accommodation to individuals, families, and carers travelling long distances from places including, King Island, Flinders Island, Tasmania's West Coast, the Northwest and East Coast of Tasmania.



THE WARM WELCOME BY STAFF BROUGHT SUCH PEACE AND COMFORT DURING A STRESSFUL TIME. THANK YOU.

- Laya. St. Helens

In what can sometimes be a stressful time, Marillac House is an oasis and a peaceful retreat for anyone in need.

Marillac House first opened its doors to guests in October 2007. In recent years, Marillac House has been a home away from home for over 1,200 people on an annual basis, with almost 400 people being new referrals to the service.

Society members and the community first recognised that there was a need in Launceston for a haven to provide accommodation and comfortable surroundings at a minimal cost to support patients, their families, and carers using the city's hospitals.



DONATE

Please consider donating to Marillac House so we can continue offering our services to people in need. Simply scan the QR code to get started. Thank you.

Being a guest at Marillac House has the advantage of having access to assistance and support, which is provided in a respectful and compassionate manner; with the emphasis on individual needs in keeping with St Vincent de Paul's philosophy of caring.

Marillac House works closely with the local hospitals and allied health services. It offers a comprehensive and compassionate service to all of our guests; supported by a number of volunteers who dedicate their time to help us to maintain the service and upkeep of the home.

THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING THIS FABULOUS SERVICE, PARTICULARLY IN THESE TREACHEROUS PANDEMIC TIMES. I APPRECIATE YOUR ACCESSIBILITY AND CONSISTENCY. I HAVE ACCESSED YOUR SERVICE AS A PATIENT AND THIS TIME AS A SUPPORT PERSON. THANKS AGAIN FOR NOT TAKING ADVANTAGE OF PEOPLE EXPERIENCING DIFFICULT AND CHALLENGING TIMES.

- Kate. Moorleah

