

# Omaru Hostel

1968 – c. 1974

## Details

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Omaru Hostel opened in Launceston in 1968. It provided accommodation for about three older boys who had started paid work. The Hostel closed in the mid 1970s.

Omaru Hostel was in the same building as the former Omaru Receiving Home.

A married couple ran Omaru Hostel in exchange for free accommodation. The boys paid them board.

## More info

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### Chronology

- Omaru Receiving Home (1910? - 1968)
  - **Omaru Hostel (1968 – c. 1974)**
    - Omaru Community Youth Centre (1977 - c. 1995)

### Related Entries

#### Run by

- [Child Welfare Division \(c. 1953 - 1980\)](#)

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