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## **Regular update: Driving tips and Fuel Saver's cheapest fuel locations**

With many Tasmanians making the journey home from shacks and camping trips to return to work this week, RACT's Chief Customer Experience Officer, Stacey Pennicott, has urged drivers to avoid the fatal five.

"Sadly, we've already seen the first road fatality in Tasmania for 2021 and the RACT is encouraging Tasmanians to stay safe," Ms Pennicott said.

"Research shows that there are five main contributing factors to fatalities on our roads –

- Speeding
- Inattention
- Not wearing seatbelts
- Fatigue
- Drink/drug driving

"Please avoid the fatal five this holiday period and drive to survive."

Ms Pennicott also encouraged drivers to stay up-to-date with information on fuel prices. Ms Pennicott said that prices varied around the State and people should shop around. Prices\* include:

Hobart – United Brighton: 115.9 cents per litre (109.9 cents per litre for RACT Rewards members)

Launceston – Independent Tas Petroleum (Goderich Street): 115.9 cents per litre

Burnie – Shell (River Road, Wivenhoe): 117.9 cents per litre

St Helens – United St Helens: 119.9 cents per litre (113.9 cents per litre for RACT Rewards members)

Queenstown – Bob's Servo: 131.1 cents per litre

"To find out where the cheapest fuel prices are near you, download the RACT's free Fuel Saver app."

Ms Pennicott said for more information visit - <https://www.ract.com.au/cars-and-driving/fuel-saver-app>

\*correct as at 9.30am, 6 January 2021