

Small Biz Bus to visit West Wyalong

Member for Cootamundra and Parliamentary Secretary for Southern NSW, Katrina Hodgkinson is encouraging local small businesses to take advantage of the expert business advice on offer when the Small Biz Bus visits West Wyalong next week.

"With the Small Biz Bus visiting, business operators will have a great opportunity to get high quality advice and find out what services are available to assist them in the future," Ms Hodgkinson said.

"Speaking with an advisor can assist a business operator to take the next step forward, whether they're just starting out, wanting to ensure their business is sustainable or planning on growth."

The Bus will be located in Main Street, West Wyalong (outside Kristy's Cottage), on Wednesday 5 August from 9am to 3pm.

Small Business owners can access one on one support from expert advisers on the Small Biz Bus free of charge. Further to this initial visit, small business owners can engage these expert advisers on an ongoing basis.

"The Small Biz Bus is one of the key initiatives that I put in place when I held the portfolio of Minister for Small Business," Ms Hodgkinson said.

"Since then, the program has been an outstanding success and there are now two buses bringing high-quality, face-to-face advisory services to regional small businesses.

"I am really pleased that we have this service available to help ensure our

small businesses get the support they need to thrive, which is essential to keeping the local economy strong.

"I would like to thank Central NSW Business Enterprise Centre and the Bland Shire Council for their assistance and for hosting the Small Biz Bus."

The Small Biz Bus is supported by Council as part of its commitment to economic development and local business.

To book an appointment on the Bus or to speak to a Small Biz Connect advisor, people are asked to the call Southern Business Enterprise Centre on 1300 134 359 or visit www.smallbusiness.nsw.gov.au/hop-on-the-small-biz-bus



PUBLIC NOTICES

A PROPOSED VISITORS INFORMATION CENTRE WORKING GROUP

Council is currently calling for expressions of interest to establish a Visitors Information Centre Working Group and nominations are invited.

At the Council meeting held on Tuesday 21 July 2015, council resolved to establish a Visitors Information Centre Working Group together with members of Council to investigate a suitable venue for a Visitors Information Centre in Wyalong/West Wyalong.

Details of the Draft Visitors Information Centre Working Group scope, membership, objectives and a nomination Form are available from Council's website: www.blandshire.nsw.gov.au or at the Council Office.

Nominations close on Friday, 14 August 2015

For more information please contact Ray Smith on 6972 2266 or email council@blandshire.nsw.gov.au

Council wishes to advise that a section of Clear Ridge Road, between Bodells Lane and Lonergans Lane, is closed until further notice due to the unsafe condition of a concrete causeway in this vicinity
Council is organising repairs as a priority and apologises for any inconvenience caused by this closure

NOTICE OF MEETINGS

BLAND SHIRE COUNCIL MEETING NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that the following meeting will be held during August 2015 in the Council Chambers, Shire Street West Wyalong:

Ordinary Council Meeting – Tuesday 18 August commencing at 6.30pm

Business Papers may be inspected at Council's Office and in the Library for the Ordinary Council meeting from Friday 14 August 2015. A copy of the Business Paper will also be available on Council's website - www.blandshire.nsw.gov.au

The Council meetings are open to the public and members of the public are invited to address the Council on any Local Government issue. Persons interested in addressing Council during the Public Forum Session are to be in the meeting room 15 minutes prior to the commencement of the meeting and must convey to the General Manager their wish to address the Council and of the particular issue before the meeting begins. Each address is to be for a maximum of three (3) minutes in length with the total time allowed for the Public Forum session being fifteen (15) minutes. Refer to Council's website for a full copy of the Public Forum Guidelines.

Notice is hereby given that the following meeting will be held on 11 August 2015 in the Council Chambers, Shire Street West Wyalong:

Economic Development, Visitor Economy & Tourism Advisory Committee of the Whole (EDVETACW) - Tuesday 11 August 2015 commencing at 6.00pm

Members of the public are invited to submit items for the EDVETACW agenda in accordance with the committee's Terms of Reference. Please send items to Marina Uys by e-mail - muys@blandshire.nsw.gov.au or delivery to Council's office no later than 5pm, Tuesday 4 August 2015.

The agenda may be inspected at Council's Office and in the Library for the EDVETACW meeting from Friday 7 August 2015. A copy will also be available on Council's website - www.blandshire.nsw.gov.au.

Members of the public shall have the opportunity to address the Committee on any relevant issue at the commencement of the meeting during the Public Forum session. The agenda will include an open session to provide an opportunity for specific agenda items to be openly discussed with members of the public gallery. Refer to Council's website for a full copy of the EDVETACW Terms of Reference.

POSITIONS VACANT

Position	Closing Date	Salary Range
Accounting and Financial Assets Officer—Full time	Monday 3 August 2015	\$35.6017 per hour

To apply for a vacancy at Bland Shire Council please apply electronically and complete the online application form. A Position Description, Information Package and further information about Bland Shire is available on Council's website

www.blandshire.nsw.gov.au

or from Human Resources, 10 Shire Street, West Wyalong.

For your application to be considered you must:

Adequately address the selection criteria listed in the position description. Failure to do so will result in your application not being considered. You should list each selection criteria separately and then describe how your skills, qualifications and experience allow you to fulfil each requirement.

Office Hours: 8.30am - 5pm Monday to Friday

Library Hours: 10am-5pm Monday to Friday & 8.30am - 12noon Saturday

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