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Pinewood Community Bank Branch



## Pinewood Community Bank Branch Newsletter - December 2019

Welcome to our second 'e-newsletter' for Pinewood Community Bank Branch of Bendigo Bank! We hope you find it informative and we will try to keep you up to date with what has been happening here at the branch and with our Board of Directors.

Many of you may already follow us on our social media platforms; LinkedIn, Facebook and Instagram - if you don't we encourage you to click on the icons at the foot of this newsletter, follow the link and 'like' or 'follow' us there.



### Meet the Board

Behind the scenes we have a very professional and dedicated group of people on our Board who assist us so that we can focus on our customers!

In this edition we would like to introduce you to our Director and Community Engagement Committee Chair - Merv Ericson. He also sits on the HR Committee so all in all we keep him very busy!

Many of you may already be familiar with Merv as he was our inaugural Branch Manager when the branch opened in 2002 - we feel very lucky to have him on the Board as he brings a wealth of experience, knowledge and enthusiasm with him. Merv retired as Branch Manager in July 2013, but always harboured a desire to join the Pinewood Board of Directors, to continue his involvement in this fantastic company.



### Meet the Team

We'd like to introduce you to Indu Angamma, our Branch Manager

Indu Angamma has worked at the branch for over 3 years in her role as Branch Manager.

Indu loves the Pinewood community because it is such a multi-cultural society and it is wonderful to meet people from different backgrounds on a daily basis. There are also plenty of things to do here

## Community Pitch Night 2019

Our Community Pitch Night was held at the Mulgrave Country Club on 13th November and was an outstanding success! We were very proud to be able to give away a grand total of \$60,000 in conjunction with our Pitch Partners which was distributed among the finalists!

We had 15 Community Groups from the Monash area who presented on the night - it was inspiring hearing about their projects and the creative and heartfelt way in which many 'pitched' for their share of the funds within their allocated 4 minute time slot. Groups included Radio Lollipop Monash, Encore Theatre Company, Friends of the Children Foundation Inc, History Monash, 1st West Waverley Scout Groups and more. Everyone was extremely happy with the results achieved and here are a few pictures from the night.



Our Board members: left to right; Shruti, Sharyn, Anna, Sue, Rob, Merv, Ivy and Charles



Our Chairman; Robert Davies begins the night with a warm welcome





Cheeky monkeys at the Radio Lollipop presentation table



Right: Our friendly team! Left to right: Lai, Suraj, Paul, Cathy, Sue (Director), Indu and Emily



1st West Waverley Scouts are presented with this cheque and are very happy with the result!



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# Merry Christmas

From all of us at Pinewood Community Bank Branch, best wishes for the holiday season and thank you for your loyalty and support.

**Hope to see you soon for all your banking needs at Pinewood Shopping Centre, 65 Centreway, Mt Waverley or phone 9886 6477.**

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your local Senior Business  
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