



Albany Community Bank® Branch Great Southern Regional Sports Talent Association (GSSTA).

Albany, Mt Barker and Cranbrook **Community Bank®** branches recently announced a major sponsorship partnership with The Great Southern Sports Talent Association (GSSTA) for the next two years. Albany **Community Bank®** Branch is proud to support talented junior athletes and coaches from the community.

The Great Southern Sports Talent Association (GSSTA) is an initiative of the Department of Sport and Recreation. The Great Southern region has received \$160,000 of Royalties for Regions funding to be allocated over a two year period to develop a Regional Talent Development Network.

To determine how to spend the money, the Great Southern Sports Talent Association (GSSTA) was formed in April 2014. The GSSTA is driven by local community members that have a wealth of experience at playing, coaching and administering across a number of sports. In addition to community members, other members of GSSTA include representatives from Local Government, education, business leaders, DSR and the Great Southern Development Commission.

Some of its activities will include scholarship and funding opportunities for talented athletes aged between 13 and 21, support



for coaches and regional sporting associations and establishing executive support services.

The key aims of GSSTA include helping assist selected athletes and coaches from the Great Southern to progress from a sub-elite to an elite performance level, identify opportunities to promote, educate and financially assist talented athletes and coaches and advise and assist sporting associations in implementing high performance pathways within the region.

Student banking.



We are pleased to say we have successfully completed a semester of Student Banking at Albany Primary School (APS).

After developing a strong relationship with APS P&C

we were honoured to be invited to have a sausage sizzle cook up at APS at their Annual Arts Night to raise funds for APS P & C.

What a wonderful afternoon it was, great performances by the children were enjoyed.

Congratulations!

Are in order to our Customer Relationship Manager, Melanie.

In September Melanie won Bendigo and Adelaide Bank's State Award for a 'Being Bigger and Better moment' for excellent customer service.

This lets the rest of WA know how wonderful Melanie's daily customer service is.

Well done Melanie.



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Albany Community Bank® Branch at the Annual Albany Agricultural Show!



Langely and Ellie on the lookout for royalty!



Sabine loving the balloons.



Melissa, Sabine and Langley enjoying the sunshine.

Goodbye!

We are sad to report that we are saying goodbye to three of our staff members

Shantelle Copes – is moving to Kununurra

Melissa Sims – is having a baby! Due in January

Melanie Argent – is also having a baby! Due in February

Good luck girls!

Welcome!

We are also welcoming two new staff members to our Team, Courtney Douglas and Fran Fuller.

We are excited to have you both on board and looking forward to 2016.

Albany Community Bank® Branch 2015/16 sponsorships.

- Art & Craft Trail
 - GSSTA
 - Albany Triathlon Club
 - Albany Surf Life Saving Club – Junior Competition
- Now accepting new applications!**

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