



Picturesque views while running the 'Peaks & Trails' of Dunkeld.

On what was a perfect day to run through the picturesque Grampians, over 100 eager competitors ventured to Dunkeld to participate in the 'Peaks & Trails' running events.

The tracks ran across the beautiful terrain of the Wannon River and three Mountains situated on the southern edge of Dunkeld which was a highlight of the event for many of the competitors. There was an event for every fitness level, consisting of the Ultra 50km, 26km and 22km, 11km, 6.4km or the 1km kid's dash.

Dunkeld & District **Community Bank®** Branch happily assisted by contributing \$500 towards the cost of running a large successful event such as this.



Penshurst RSL unveil avenue of honour.



The Penshurst RSL and community gathered together on 17 August for the official ceremony to unveil the plaque and plant a victory tree and peace tree. Fifty plus locals came together to show their respects. The Dunkeld & District **Community Bank®** Branch were happy to support this event, giving the Penshurst RSL \$600 to help with the cost of the afternoon tea.

AGM just around the corner.

A friendly reminder to all that our Annual General Meeting will be held this year at the Dunkeld Community Centre on the 9 November 2016. Come along for nibbles, witness highlights of activities which have taken place during the year and have all your **Community Bank®** company questions answered.

Penshurst bowls annual tournament rolls on.

On what could only be described as a picture perfect June day, the Penshurst Bowls Club conducted its June 'Open Triples' Tournament. With a maximum possible field of 16 teams representing clubs from all across the region, all competitors looked forward to a good day of bowls. Teams involved came from Ararat, Coleraine, Dunkeld, Hamilton, Macarthur, Penshurst, Port Fairy, Portland and Warrnambool. Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch proudly sponsored this successful event.



'Steak Night' for the Rams.



The staff at Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch love being a part of the community. Offering their time on a Thursday night to serve dinner to a local football/netball club is just one example of how they support their local community. The girls ventured out to Glenthompson to serve up a delicious 'Steak Night' to the Rams footballers and netballers. We are a proud sponsor of this club and wish them the best going into finals. Events like this cannot happen without the wonderful support from the individuals of the town.

If you would like to be a part of this and would like to discuss switching your banking over, please come in and see the friendly staff or contact our Branch Manager, Anna Watson on 5577 2488.

Sheepvention draws a large crowd once again.

The wintery cold weather of the South West District didn't stop the eager crowd wanting to see what Sheepvention had on offer this year. There were many people who braved the cold weather on both the Monday and Tuesday.

This year saw many different stalls with something that interested all ages. When the Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch were approached and asked to sponsor 'Bubble Muffin', a program for kids to learn how to cook incorporating healthy choices, we were delighted to be able to support this. With our help, this program was offered for free to the children that were at Sheepvention on both the Monday and Tuesday.



Staff profile - Belinda Palmer.



Belinda Palmer has been with Bendigo Bank since November 2015, specialising in Rural Insurance but also has the ability to quote Business and Personal Insurance. Belinda is committed to the Bendigo Bank with **Community Bank**® branches benefiting from all insurance that is written with either CGU Insurance or NAS Insurance Brokers. She brings over 10 years' experience with her from previous insurance positions. Belinda realises

that your time is valuable so if an appointment at the branch doesn't suit you, she will happily come to your house and speak to you about all your insurance needs. If you would like to make an appointment to speak to Belinda, please call the Branch on 5577 2488 and they will be able to assist you.

Community involvement: Communications Officer for Tarrington Rural Fire Brigade, Chief Scorer for Hamilton Motorcycle Club (Motocross).

Interests: Involvement in my two boys sports, gardening, helping to run our family livestock truck business, camping, spending time with family and friends.

Favourite meal: Anything with a bit of heat in it.

Favourite holiday: Anywhere with my family that gives us peace and quiet away from the hustle and bustle of general life.

Contributions.

Over 127,000 in community contributions so far. Recent recipients include:

Cavendish Townscape	Dunkeld Museum
Three Peaks Festival	Grampians Cricket Club
Dunkeld Consolidated School	Cavendish Primary School
Monivae College	Advance Penshurst
Cavendish Chronicle	Penshurst RSL
Penshurst Show	Glenthompson-Dunkeld FNC

If you are seeking funding for a project or event coming up please fill out an application form, which can be found on the Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**® Branch website:

www.bendigobank.com.au/dunkeld

Click on the 'Sponsorships & Grants' link, download and fill out the form and submit it to our Branch Manager Anna Watson.



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Cavendish basketball team slam dunk in style.

Cavendish are now looking more stylish on the basketball court than ever before thanks to the Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch. We were approached by the Primary School who were seeking funding for the purchase of brand new reversible basketball tops. Dunkeld & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch were pleased to contribute \$500 towards a project that encourages exercise and health in our younger generation. The girls at the branch would like to wish the best of luck to the new team and hope they can now win in style!



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