

Spring
2023



Newsletter

Community Bank · Casey-Cardinia

Lang Lang
Pearcedale
Koo Wee Rup
Narre Warren South
Tooradin & Coastal Villages
Bunyip & District

Welcome to Spring. We have had a busy few months with our community investment program, hosting presentation evenings for our local clubs and groups.

We are also excited to announce we have appointed a new Senior Manager to our company to oversee the management and operations of our six branches.

Michelle Clarke comes to us with 34 years of experience in senior roles with Westpac and is already making a great impact with the recruitment of several new staff including a new manager for our Narre Warren South branch, Husan Suleyman.

October sees us celebrate 25 years of Community Banking. Our first branch Community Bank Lang Lang opened its doors on 28 October 1998, we look forward to celebrating with customers, directors, shareholders and staff over the next few months.

It's a boy!

Congratulations to our executive officer Laura and husband Brandon on the arrival of Leroy John. he was born Friday 21 July weighing 9lb 7oz. Mum and Dad are loving life with their little man.



Laura and Brandon's new baby, Leroy John.



Meet your new branch manager

We caught up with your new branch manager at Community Bank Narre Warren South, Hus Suleyman for a quick Q&A.

Who is your hero?

My grandfather, his decision to leave his home country for a better life in Australia inspires me. His courage to embrace change and seek a brighter future is truly admirable.

What is your proudest accomplishment? I have a fear of heights, which I tackled by going skydiving.

Can you tell us about a book, movie, or TV show that has had a significant impact on you? Rocky. It inspired me with its story of determination and resilience, showing how storytelling can motivate us to overcome challenges and strive for success.

Favourite sports team? Richmond, Arsenal.

Where is your favourite destination? Turkey, however I would like to experience Bora Bora.

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2023 Community investment program

We recently held our 2023 community investment program presentation evenings distributing \$234,061 out to our local clubs and groups in our Lang Lang, Pearcedale, Koo Wee Rup, Narre Warren South and Tooradin & Coastal Villages communities.

This funding is only made possible by our customers supporting us with their banking at one of our six Community Bank branches.

We would like to extend our gratitude to our customers, shareholders, staff and community board of directors for their support. Banking with us has a big impact on our communities.

We look forward to hosting a similar community investment program in Bunyip early in the new year.



Community Bank
Lang Lang



COME & CELEBRATE
25 YEARS OF COMMUNITY
BANKING IN LANG LANG

Lang Lang branch is turning 25! To commemorate this special occasion, we invite you to join us in celebrating. Join us in branch from 10am and enjoy a coffee and egg & bacon roll on us.

When Friday 27 October
Time From 10AM
Where Community Bank Lang Lang
29 Westport Rd, Lang Lang VIC 3984

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Bunyip fun fact... The Koo Wee Rup and Bunyip areas are considered to be places of importance to Aboriginal people in Victoria, particularly the Bunurong people of the Kulin nation, the traditional owners of the area, from whom the word Bunyeep is derived. They believe the Bunyip is a spiritual being which lives near water and preys on humans who come too near.

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It's a win-win when you bank with us.

Bendigo Bank 2023 awards

Congratulations to our exceptional team at Lang Lang who took out the following three awards for the Melbourne–South East region at Bendigo Bank's recent regional awards night: Branch of the year, Operational excellence and General insurance. We also congratulate our Koo Wee Rup team who won the award for Wealth in the Melbourne–South East region. These awards are an acknowledgment of the passion, hard work and dedication our teams put in every day to serve our customers and community.



Congratulations to our award-winning teams from Lang Lang (above) and Koo Wee Rup (below).



Proud sponsors

Community Bank Bunyip are proud to be sponsors for Bunyip Football Netball Club for their 2023 season.



Bunyip Football Netball Club's U11 netball girls.

Magic moments for local students

This year we sponsored five local students to attend the 2023 Magic Moments Youth Leadership summit in Sydney. Koo Wee Rup Secondary College students Taj, Summer and Millie shared some of their favourite moments with us which included a team building exercise of having to pitch a concept idea for an app. Their team won the project, they will now be provided with the resources to help create their app and a scholarship to return to the summit next year. Our branches are so proud to enable these students to attend. It's a great investment in our community's future.



Our Magic Moments students from Koo Wee Rup Secondary College.

Applications open

Applications are now open for our 2024 Community Bank scholarship program. It provides support to students attending university or TAFE for the first time in 2024.

Scholarships are awarded to cover costs associated with education, such as course fees, rent, purchasing computers, books, equipment or other resources required.

Want to find out more? Contact us at one of our branches (see back page for details) or go to www.bendigbank.com.au/scholarships

Applications close Monday 29 January 2024.



Our 2023 scholarship recipients.

Talk to us today

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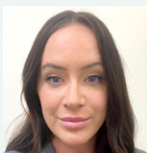
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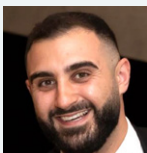
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Bunyip operating hours

Monday – Friday 10:00am – 4:00pm

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Farewell

We recently said farewell to our Branch Managers Liz Wade (Community Bank Koo Wee Rup) and Sunny Chittajallu (Community Bank Narre Warren South) who have both moved on to new career opportunities. We thank them both for their service to our company and communities and wish them both all the very best in their new endeavours.

Shareholder update

Our 2023 Annual General Meeting will be held on Thursday 26 October at the Lang Lang Bowls Club. The 2023 Annual Report, including financial statements, can be viewed at: bendigobank.com.au/lang-lang
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