

June 2023

Hello, Penola!

Community Bank · Penola & District

Happy Birthday to Us!

After 5 years of countless hours of volunteer work, the Penola & District Financial Services Ltd directors proudly opened Community Bank Penola & District on 26 June 2014.

Now, 9 years on, the branch is strongly embedded into the local community. With 4 local staff members, proudly representing the branch within the community. And currently, 8 volunteer directors guiding and supporting the business. The outlook for the branch has never been stronger!

Please pop into the branch on Monday 26 June 2023 for a little treat to celebrate the branch having 9 years providing financial services to the local community as well as being involved in over 200 grants and sponsorships to local groups and organisations!



Time to Celebrate...

We have 300,000 reasons to celebrate and we want you to be involved!

Community Bank Penola & District, has currently spent \$299,112 in the Penola and surrounding areas; and we want you to let us know what we should spend our 300,000th dollar on!

We are offering a \$1,000 grant which tip us over the 300,000 mark, all you need to do is submit what you think we should spend it on, either via email to tara.batt@bendigoadelaide.com.au or in person at the branch.

Nominations of events, groups, clubs, organisations, projects, signage, the list is endless open 10.00am Monday 26 June 2023 and close 3.00pm Monday 10 July 2023. The winner will be announced on Friday 14 July 2023. Terms and conditions apply.

We look forward to hearing your thoughts on where we should spend our 300,000th dollar!

2023 Grants & Sponsorships

Penola & District Community Rodeo, Penola High School
- Artist in Residence, Coonawarra Vignerons Association
- Vignerons Cup, Penola Football & Netball Club, SE Field Days - Yard Dog Trials, Naracoorte Horse Trials, Penola Coonawarra Acoustic Music Gathering, Kowree Naracoorte Tatiara Football League, Kalangadoo Primary School, Naracoorte Racing Club, Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival

School Essentials Program covering Penola High School, Penola Primary School, Mary Mackillop Memorial School, Mckay Children's Centre, Nangwarry Primary School, Kalangadoo Primary School



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Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival

From 18 to 21 May 2023, Penola and Coonawarra came alive with a wide range of artistic displays, performances, exhibitions and workshops!

It was fabulous to see the retail community all decorate their shop fronts for the Greenscape Streetscape competition. With Koonara Wines taking out the judges vote and Moss & Wild receiving the people's choice votes!

Once again, Sunday Down the Lane bought out the families for entertainment, market stalls, food and music, a wonderful day was had by all!

Congratulations to the hardworking committee of the 2023 Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival, a fantastic event showcasing our beautiful part of the world, whilst bringing amazing talents to our doorstep for us to enjoy!