



Kingston agency.



We are delighted to announce the opening of the new agency in Kingston with a soft opening on 31 August, followed by the official opening on 4 September. Special mention must go to our Manager, Paul Bobridge, who has worked tirelessly for many months to see this project through. The Naracoorte agency, which has operated through the Robe & Districts **Community Bank**[®] Branch for several years, is now under the auspices of the Penola & District **Community Bank**[®] Branch.

Staff.



Lauren Walter.

There have been more changes in the staffing of the branch. Emma Brooks began maternity leave from October, so Tracey Long has moved to the position of Customer Relations Officer (CRO). Lauren Walter has been appointed to the Customer Service Officer (CSO) Angela Tymmons remains in her position, as does Paul Bobridge, as our Manager.

The team has been working extremely hard, in somewhat trying times, and achieving great results for our branch, and ultimately for our community. We were delighted to receive notification at the end of July that the Robe & Districts **Community Bank**[®] Branch came 1st out of 42 branches in SA/NT for overall performance.

Well done Paul and staff!

Scholarships.

As in previous years, the Board is pleased to announce that it will offer the Robe Lions Education Award for a Robe student currently in year 12 and wanting to attend



university in 2016. The Award is valued at \$2,000 which can be used to support the student in their tertiary education.

In a new initiative, in collaboration with the Kingston Lions Club, we will offer a similar award to a Kingston student in year 12. The Award, valued at \$1,000, is to assist the student with their tertiary studies. These awards will be advertised soon.

In conjunction with the Lucindale Lions Club and following on from the successful 2014 Award, we will again offer scholarships for up to two students currently in Year 10. The aim of these scholarships is to enable the students to study at Lucindale Area School.

Crows mascots.

Bendigo Bank has a partnership with the Adelaide Crows which enabled our local children to be the Crows' mascots for a day. Robe & Districts **Community Bank**[®] Branch again participated with four lucky locals attending a Crows game in Adelaide.



Upcoming dates.

AGM – Monday 30 November at the Golf Club at 7.30pm. All shareholders and interested locals are invited to attend our Annual General Meeting. We would love to attract more Board members, so if you want to help support your local **Community Bank**[®] branch in this way, ask any of the staff or current Board members for more information.

Current Board members are Mark Baker, Annie Matthews, Geoff Saunders, Lyn Schinckel and Adrian Johns.

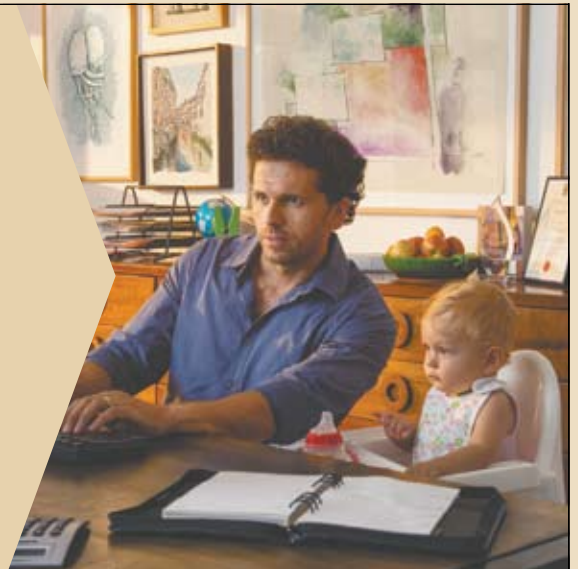
Sponsorship.

The new pergola for the Robe Netball and Tennis Club has been well utilised this winter and tennis users will soon enjoy the benefits of this shelter, proudly supported by the Robe & Districts **Community Bank**[®] Branch. Sponsorship has been approved recently to assist the Robe Aviators Society with maintenance of the perimeter of the airfield. Ongoing support is valued by the Robe Football Club and the Robe Yacht Club with the Learn to Sail campaign and the Robe Sailing Challenge. We are again supporting the Robe Fishing and Boat Show and the Lucindale Campdraft. Kingston locals have also received sponsorship for the Kingston Golf Club, Kingston Triathlon in 2015/16 and Kingston Mental Health Group in 2015/16.

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