



Share the Joy – thank you.



Knox Infolink along with its 10 other partners, wish to thank the many businesses, organisations and individuals who have so generously donated towards the 2019 Knox Community Christmas Support (KCCS), 'Share the Joy' project. Once again, we have been

able to make Christmas a little more joyous for those doing it tough in Knox.

"Without the ongoing support of organisations like the Wantirna Community Bank Branch, we would not be able to reach so many people in Knox and spread a little joy at Christmas time," said Denise Budge, Centre Manager.

It takes an enormous effort from hundreds of volunteers, businesses and organisations to contact businesses for their support, distribute collection boxes for toys and food donations and then collect and deliver to the Salvation Army warehouse in Rowville. Then the thousands of food and gift items are sorted and packed into hampers and toys sorted into age groups. Only to have another team of volunteers transfer the packed boxes and toys to four different pickup points in Knox. The Salvation Army Rowville has been a partner for many years providing the free warehouse space which unfortunately will no longer be available in 2020.

It is all about the community coming together to support those in need each year and remind ourselves that the joy of Christmas is about giving not receiving.

Denise Budge, Centre Manager of Knox Infolink said, "the generosity of the community is heart-warming and reminds us that a small donation makes so much difference in the lives of those that are struggling."

Knox Infolink, on behalf of the KCCS project would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the hundreds of businesses and individuals that support KCCS each year and would encourage you to dig a little deeper next year so they can stretch their resources that much further.

To get more information about Knox Infolink and their many programs go to www.knoxinfolink.org.au or donate directly to www.givenow.com.au/knoxsharethejoy

If you know of any warehouse space that would be free for two weeks in December please contact the project worker, Wayne Guest on 9761 1325.

Denise Budge
Centre Manager, Knox Infolink

Shares available.

There are currently interested parties looking to sell shares in Wantirna Community Financial Services Ltd through the company's low volume market.

To register your interest in purchasing shares please contact Chelsea Fletcher at executive@wantirnacommunitybank.com.au for further details.

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Council Community Thank You Reception.



Stephen Yin, Belinda Wan, Marie Lockwood, Cr Peter Lockwood – Baird Ward and Chair, Cr Tony Holland – Friberg Ward and Wendy van Horssen – Director Wantirna Community Bank Branch, members of the Multicultural Advisory Committee attending the Council Community Thank You Reception on 7 November 2019 at Knox Civic Centre.

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Message from Branch Manager.

Happy new year to all our customers, shareholders, and community partners! It really is hard to believe that it is 2020! A new decade to embrace and to look forward to.

With every new year comes fresh opportunity, and for many of us a time to reflect. We often joke about new year's resolutions however it is healthy to set goals for the coming year, or a few years ahead. The great thing about banking is that together we get to help you achieve those goals and dreams. At the Wantirna Community Bank Branch we can help you with every part of your financial journey, whether it be from your first savings account, buying your first car through to buying a home, an investment property or even for those of us on the wrong side of 50, starting to plan for retirement. We can help you through every stage of life and would be more than happy to spend some time with you to see what we can do about helping you achieve those goals and dreams.

At Wantirna Community Bank Branch, we are passionate about helping our community become stronger. We take a lot of pride in building relationships with our valued customers. Our passion is in helping our customers achieve their financial goals. Every day customers tell me how much of a delight it is to bank with us and how friendly the team is. To help us make our branch stronger, those of you that have a home loan, an account or insurance product with another financial institution, we are more competitive than ever before so I encourage you to call me and arrange a time to meet and talk about what is important to you.

My message for you is to continue to get involved, support your Community Bank branch by choosing to bank with us, be a positive influence and always seize opportunities to advocate our point of difference to family, friends and associates.

On behalf of the staff and Board of the Wantirna Community Bank Branch, I wish you, your family and friends a happy and healthy new year.

John Tiganis
Branch Manager

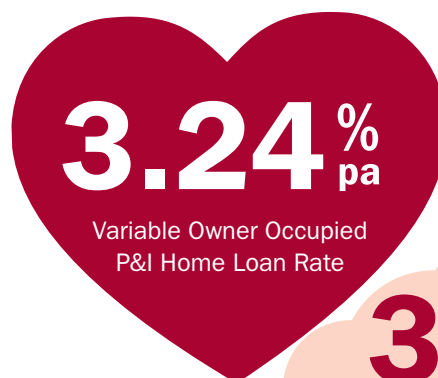


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Knox City Cricket Club.



Knox City Cricket Club was lucky enough to have the Wantirna Community Bank Branch commit to our Bronze Sponsorship Package for season 2019/20.

With this sponsorship, we were able to put it towards a coach for this season. This has helped us in having someone with the skills required to teach some of our younger players to learn new skills to better themselves as cricketers.

This sponsorship, however, isn't one sided. With our Bronze Sponsorship Package, Wantirna Community Bank Branch receives an advertising sign in our clubrooms, a link on our Facebook page for their business homepage and an invitation to our sponsors day.

Knox City Cricket Club greatly appreciates the support shown by the Wantirna Community Bank Branch in helping not only our club, but also the greater community in general.

We look forward to hopefully having the continued support in future years to come.

Bart Hoggett
Secretary, Knox City Cricket Club

St Andrews Cricket Club T20 win.

St Andrews Cricket Club continue to be fortunate to have a strong partnership with Wantirna Community Bank Branch. John and the team have assisted our playing and non-playing members and their companies in their banking needs for more than five years.



To update the community, we are having another strong season in the RDCA with 24 teams, which include 15 junior teams, four of which are all girl teams (double the amount of any other club in the RDCA). Excitingly, in the under 12 Girls competition our three under 12 girls teams occupy first, second and third on the ladder! We still have spots open at under 12 and under 10 level for both girls and boys that are keen for a game of cricket this summer. Please get in touch!

Finally, we were excited to win the Power, Strength & Vulnerability Newey Plate T20 Premiership in a closely fought win against Croydon North. A great reward for the commitment to cricket shown by our youthful 1st XI and hopefully a sign of more flags to come. Go Saints!

Ben Morris
St Andrews Cricket Club

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