### Community stories.

## **2017 Wantirna Community Bank® Branch Dance** Grand Slam Competition.

The MarShere Dance Studios Group conducted its 2017 Wantirna **Community Bank®** Branch Dance Grand Slam Competition on Sunday 6 August at the Kingston City Hall in Moorabbin (pictured above).

The competition was proudly supported by the naming rights sponsor, The Wantirna **Community Bank®** Branch with Simon Vu and Kelly Willis seen here, presenting one of the winning couples on the day.

A successful and fun day was had by all who attended. The event itself, which attracted close to 800 people, was the coming together of all 15 MarShere Dance Studios from Greater Melbourne and Regional Victoria including Bendigo, where people came together to meet fellow pupils and compete in a fun and friendly family environment.

Director Mark O'Donoghue said, "It's terrific having the Wantirna **Community Bank**® Branch support. The event would not have been possible without that involvement. Our aim of the Dance Competition is simple, it brings families and the community together, by way of offering Ballroom Dancing to the average person in the street. My thanks to Simon and his team for their community support."

#### Play Is The Way Program.

Regency Park Primary School has implemented a wellbeing program that serves to promote appropriate behaviours and positive attitudes towards others. We are indebted to Wantirna Community Bank® Branch who have provided funds for our Play Is The Way program. The program is centred around students playing games three times a week and then discussing the ways that students can work



Play Is The Way Program.

together to bring about improved attitudes and behaviours. The money from the Wantirna **Community Bank**® Branch will help to purchase supplies to sustain the program across the whole school. The many benefit from the program spreads across all curriculum areas and teachers are noticing positive changes in students.

Richard Cutler Vice Principal Regency Park Primary School

#### Regent Calisthenics.

Regent Calisthenics is a local calisthenics club steeped in tradition and history dating back to 1939. With classes held in Heatherdale Road Ringwood, each year we provide approximately 120 girls with the opportunity to pursue their love of calisthenics.

Calisthenics is uniquely Australian and promotes teamwork, discipline and self-confidence whilst developing an appreciation for music, dance, strength, flexibility, co-ordination and performance skills. People of all ages enjoy this wonderful sport and thrive on the variety of challenges offered.

Regent Calisthenics is delighted to be a recipient of a Wantirna **Community Bank®** Branch sponsorship for 2017.



Regent Calisthenics.

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### Scoresby Magpies Juniors (SMJ) Presentation Day 2017.

Scoresby Magpies Juniors Presentation Day began with blue skies and sunshine, and continued on to be a great day in the club's calendar. Over 300 supporters, families and players of all ages, including Auskick, came together to have fun and celebrate the club's achievements, both on and off the field, in Season 2017.

We congratulate the Under 17s team for reaching the finals in their division. This was a very fitting end to their time in junior football, and we wish the boys every success as they move on into the senior club. SMJ was once again represented in

the Eastern Football League (EFL) interleague sides, with two players from the Under 15s team being selected to play in squads competing against other leagues in Victoria.

The club was delighted to begin a new initiative this year, presenting milestone jumpers to those players reaching 100 games.

The trophies and awards presented in Season 2017 were sponsored by Wantirna **Community Bank**® Branch. We are grateful to them





for their generous support of the club and for attending the event to present a section of the awards. We look forward to a long and fruitful relationship with them moving forward into the future.

Kate Potter
President
Scoresby Magpies Juniors

# Message from Charmaine.

Our team have been working hard to keep in touch with our existing customers to continue to support and offer assistance with their goals. This has been very well received and very much appreciated by our customers, as not just calling when there's an issue but genuinely calling to assist.

Not only do we support our community Groups but also our local retail and homebased businesses with our vast array of business products and services and ongoing personal service to assist with business growth.

For personal, business or club banking please call us as we would love the opportunity to assist to tailor your banking to your needs. Not only will your community benefit but most importantly you will benefit from our great products and caring, friendly service.

**Customer Relationship Officer Charmaine Jeffery** 

# Sponsorship rewards - your banking supporting your community organisation.

Our support in terms of sponsorships to local not for profit organisations is a direct result of customer support and the banking business they have with us. Our Sponsorship Rewards Program is a way of thanking clubs/groups/schools whose members have brought new business to our branch.

Congratulations to Bridges Connecting Communities Ltd which received \$120 worth of Sponsorship Rewards. Thank you for supporting your local **Community Bank®** branch.

We have provided over \$4,000 so far to clubs/schools through this program. It's a great way of rewarding the organisations/schools that our customers hold close to their hearts. Drop into the branch and find out how your club/school/organisation can benefit from your banking.



#### Shares available.

There are currently interested parties looking to sell shares in

Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited through the company's low volume market.

To register your interest in purchasing shares please contact

Chelsea Fletcher at executive@wantirnacommuitybank.com.au for further details.

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