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Dear Business Operator,

Please find the May 2017 edition of Business Matters in Wyndham below which aims to provide useful and interesting information to the Wyndham business community.

If you require further details please feel free to contact Wyndham City's Economic Growth, Industry Facilitation & Tourism Unit on 9742 0788 or business@wyndham.vic.gov.au.

2017 Wyndham Business Awards – Entries Open!



With some exciting new categories this year, Wyndham City encourages all

businesses to consider entering or nominating someone for the Business Person of the Year or inaugural Young Entrepreneur of the Year award.

If you would like some tips on the entry process, [register](#) for our free workshop this Friday, 5 May from 10.00am to 11.30am.

Wyndham Business Award entries close Friday 16th June.



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Events, Training & Networking Opportunities

[2017 Business Training Calendar](#)

Wyndham City Council provides free business training and events for the local business community.

Most events are held at the Wyndham City Council's Civic Centre at 45 Princes Highway, Werribee. Places are limited and online [registration](#) is required.

For a list of the events proposed for 2017 click [here](#).

[National Manufacturing Week – 9 to 12 May](#)



The largest gathering of Australian manufacturing industry decision-makers under one roof. A wide range of workshops, presentations, live demonstrations and networking opportunities will be on offer.

Date: Tuesday 9 May to Friday 12 May

Where: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Cost: Free

Visitor Registration: Click [here](#)

[Austech 2017 Expo – 9 to 12 May](#)



Advanced precision manufacturing and machine tool exhibition part of National Manufacturing Week.

Date: Tuesday 9 May to Friday 12 May

Where: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Cost: Free

Visitor Registration: Click [here](#)

[Wyndham BizNet Dinner Seminar – 9 May](#)



Date: Tuesday 9 May

Time: 6.30pm

Where: The Brook, Sneydes Road, Point Cook

Presenter: Justin Giddings, CEO, Avalon Airport & Keelie Hamilton, Director of Industry Engagement, The Gordon

Cost: \$50 member/\$65 non-member

Bookings: Click [here](#)

[Tips on Submitting a Tender at Wyndham City - 11 May](#)

Date: Thursday 11 May

Time: 7.15am to 8.45am

Where: Wyndham City Council, 45 Princes Highway, Werribee

Presenter: Wyndham City

Cost: Free (includes light breakfast)

Bookings: Click [here](#)

[Successful Local Business - 11 May](#)

Learn from entrepreneurs in Wyndham Vale about how they make their business work in your local area.

Date: Thursday 11 May

Time: 6.30pm - 8.00pm

Venue: Wyndham Vale Community Learning Centre
86 Manor Lakes Blvd, Wyndham Vale

Cost: Free

Bookings: Click [here](#)

More information:

enterprise@cmy.net.au

ph: 9340 3735

Bookings essential

[Enterprising Wyndham Vale Information Session - 18 May](#)

Enterprising Wyndham Vale is a business start-up intensive program that helps build your business knowledge, skills and confidence. Find out if you're eligible and what the program involves at this information session.

Date: Thursday 18 May

Time: 6.30pm - 8.00pm

Where: Wyndham Vale Community Learning Centre
86 Manor Lakes Blvd, Wyndham Vale

Cost: Free

Bookings: Click [here](#)

More information:

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Bookings essential

[Committee for Wyndham – Victorian State Budget Breakfast – 26 May](#)



Date: Friday 26 May

Time: 7.00am to 9.00am

Where: The Park Hotel, 12 Watton St, Werribee

Presenter: Victorian State Treasurer - the Hon Tim Pallas MP

Cost: \$65 members, \$75 non-members

Bookings: Click [here](#) - RSVP by 19 May

[Boost Business with Social Media – 14 June](#)

Date: Wednesday 14 June

Time: 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Where: Wyndham City Council, 45 Princes Highway, Werribee

Presenter: Wyndham City

Cost: Free

Bookings: Click [here](#)

Tips, Resources & Business Opportunities

[ATO Small Business Support in one place](#)

Answer a few simple questions about your business and the Australian Taxation Office's website will find the measures and support relevant to your small business.

[Free Business Counselling](#)



Would you like to discuss any issues about starting your business?

Wyndham City offers a free and confidential one-one-one 45 minute session with an experienced business counsellor from the Kangan Institute's Business Enterprise Centre.

General business advice and referrals can be obtained at the session.

Where: Werribee Development Centre, 10 Watton St, Werribee

When: By appointment from 9.30am, every second Tuesday of the month

Bookings: phone 9094 3008

Appointments are essential.

Tenders, EOIs and Quotes

Invitation to Tender

[Contract No. C1870/17 - Mossfiel Reserve Sports Pavilion construction](#)

[Contract No. C1881/17 - Caravan Park Management Services](#)

Grants & financial assistance

[New Enterprise Incentive Scheme \(NEIS\)](#)

If you are a job seeker who is interested in running a small business, you may be eligible to participate in the New Enterprise Incentive Scheme (NEIS).

NEIS provides training, mentoring and income support for job seekers who

want to start a business.

Wyndham City hosts free NEIS information sessions (details below):

Where: Werribee Development Centre, 10 Watton St, Werribee

When: At 2.00pm every second Tuesday of the month

Bookings are not necessary

Higher Education and TAFE Programs

Online Short Courses at The Gordon



The Gordon now offers more than 100 online short courses. You can choose the time and place of your study, while still having the support of an industry expert trainer.

A new course starts every month and runs for 6 weeks.

More information

Ph: 5225 0800

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If you have any comments or suggestions on topics you would like to hear about please [email](#) us as we would welcome your feedback.

Kind regards,

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