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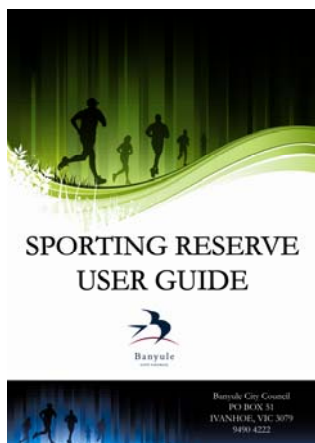
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WELCOME

Welcome to Banyule City Council's Sport & Leisure Newsletter. We will be circulating this newsletter once a month with any up to date information in relation to sports and leisure programs, developments, funding and information. You can also stay up to date by 'Liking' us on our new Facebook page. Just look up Banyule City Council Sports & Leisure. You can also like our Arts & Culture page to keep up to date about festivals and events.

Training Courses for Not-for-profit sector

Our Community has recently released our training program for community organisations for the next 6 months. With short courses in *grant application writing, fundraising, boards & governance* and *women's leadership*, as well as nationally recognised Certificate and Diploma level courses, we're sure there's something for everybody. So we thought now would be a good time to let you know about some of the training that we have coming up in the near future.

Upcoming short courses include:

2 March

Morning: Strategies for Sustainable Funding Seminar (9.30am to 1.00pm) - [Further details...](#)

Afternoon: Introduction to Writing Winning Grant Applications (1.30am to 4.30pm) - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Angliss Conference Centre, Building A, Level 5, 555 La Trobe Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$145 per session

9 March

Course: Advanced Grant Writing Seminar (10.00am to 3.00pm) - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Karstens, Level 11, 123 Queen Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$245

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16 March

Course: Secrets of Successful Boards Seminar (10.00am to 3.00pm) - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Angliss Conference Centre, Building A, Level 5, 555 La Trobe Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$245

1 May

Course: Women Achieving And Flourishing (9.30am to 1.00pm) - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Karstens, Level 12, 123 Queen Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$145



2 May

Course: Women Leaders - Taking the Next Steps (9.30am to 1.00pm) - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Karstens, Level 12, 123 Queen Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$145

In addition to the above short courses, you may also be interested in attending and completing one of our nationally recognised qualifications:

20 to 23 February

Course: Certificate IV in Governance - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Karstens, Level 11, 123 Queen Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$1995

19 to 23 March

Course: Diploma of Management - [Further details...](#)

Venue: Karstens, Level 11, 123 Queen Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Cost: \$2995



If you don't see a date that suits your needs, you may want to check out our [scheduled training calendar](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Alan Matic by telephone 03 9320 6805 or email alanm@ourcommunity.com.au.

Best regards,

The Our Community Team

PS: For the third year running CBB Consulting is conducting an Executive Salary Survey aimed at Executives working within the not-for-profit sector. [Click here](#) to complete the survey and help the sector better understand this hot topic.

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Bears join FIDA competition

The Lower Plenty Football Club will this season field a team in the FIDA competition. FIDA (Football Integration Development Association) will encourage males and females from 15yrs to 40yrs to come along and be involved in the new team. FIDA runs an organized competition throughout Victoria for people with an intellectual disability. The Bears will field a team in Division 3.

The season begins in April and a come & try and registration day will be held at the club on Sunday March 4th at 10am. The team will train on Fridays at 6.30pm.



This is a great opportunity for individuals with and intellectual disability and their families to get involved in a sporting team. So come along and meet new people, learn new skills and learn about what it's like to be involved in a sporting club.

Friends and family are welcome – so please come along and see what it's all about at the Bears.

For more information please contact Grant Barden on 0419 230 831

Monty FC to get girls on the Field



The Montmorency Football Club will this year field a team in the Victorian Youth Girls Competition.

This competition encourages girls from 13yrs to 18yrs to become involved in the great game of AFL and caters for all skill levels.

Come along to the launch on Monday 20th February at 7.15pm to be held at the Monty club rooms, Para Road, Montmorency.



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3 on 3 (pickup) Men's Basketball @ Malahang Reserve half basketball court



Banyule City Council and the Macleod YMCA have started a new 3 on 3 (pickup) casual basketball games at Malahang reserve on Wednesday nights from 30 November.

Don't worry you don't need to know the rules or wear a uniform; you don't even have to be part of a team. You simply need to register and then turn up on the evening.

It's for men over the age of 20 who are interested in having fun and getting active.

So join us for some court side action.

When: Every Wednesday 2012 (during daylight savings)
Where: Malahang Reserve, Southern Road, West Heidelberg.
Time: 6:00pm to 7:30pm
Cost: Free

To register your interest go to www.banyule.vic.gov.au/Leisure and for further information please contact Council.



Cultural Diversity Week March 17- 25

This week celebrates our Cultural, linguistic and religious diversity. This also gives us the opportunity to celebrate the rich diversity within the Banyule community and to promote the inclusivity of all community groups and organisations.

Community groups and organisations are invited to apply for a mini-grant (up to \$250) to fund an activity promoting our diverse community during Cultural Diversity Week. Activities should include the broader community rather than targeting the existing membership and should celebrate diversity.

Application forms are available by downloading it from our website.

Applications close Friday 15th March 2012

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Sports Traineeship

The MSAC Institute of Training is a state of the art training centre for the sport and recreation industry. The MSAC Institute of Training specialises in the provision of aquatic, sport and recreation training courses.

An initiative of the State Sport Centres Trust (SSCT) and MSAC Institute of Training, the Sportfutures traineeship program is designed to increase your knowledge and experience of the sport and recreation industry thereby increasing your employability through a flexible program of workplace based training at MSAC.

Throughout the year we offer up to 50 traineeships in our business.

You will gain a nationally recognised qualification, learn new skills and earn money as you move through an education pathway within the sporting industry. Traineeships can be undertaken as employment opportunities arise in roles such as:

- Membership Service and Sales
- Sport Retail
- Lifeguarding
- Swim School
- Fitness

For more information about the courses available and to view a sample of the traineeship positions we have on offer please visit:

www.msacinstitute.com.au/traineeships

Or contact Rosy Waldron on
03 9926 1328

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GET THE INSIDE EDGE STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR CRICKET CLUBS

Following the constructive and positive **Northern Regional Cricket Forum** held in October 2011, it was identified that there is a **real need to better understand strategic planning** for cricket clubs.

Based on issues raised at the previous forum and issues faced by a variety of clubs at all levels of competition – it is interesting to note that those **clubs that perform well have a formalised strategic or business plan in place** and they implement it successfully. On the other hand, **clubs that struggle tend to have no plan in place** and seem to go around in circles season after season.

To combat this trend and to **give our clubs the advantage** we have enlisted the help of leading sport and leisure planning consultants **insideEDGE Sport and Leisure Planning** (www.ieslp.com.au) to conduct a presentation and workshop aimed at **breaking down the barriers between clubs and strategic planning**.

The workshop will include:

- o Successful club planning case studies
- o Sports club relationship model
- o The elements and benefits of good planning
- o The strategic planning process
- o The funding timeline
- o Cricket Victoria and other available resources
- o Workshop exercise focusing on local club issues
- o A 'Club Health Check' opportunity, and
- o How you can use good planning to get the inside edge for your club.

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NORTHERN REGION CRICKET CLUB WORKSHOP

DATE: MONDAY 27TH FEB 2012

TIME: 6:30PM REGISTRATION

VENUE: WHATMOUGH PARK PAVILLION
2 KALPARRIN AVENUE
GREENSBOROUGH, VICTORIA
MELWAY REF 20 J1

RSVP: FRIDAY 20TH FEB 2012

NOTE: MAX. 2 PLACES PER CLUB

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Picnic and Games at Warrigal Parklands Regional Play Space

Sunday April 1st

10.30am to 1pm
Warrigal Parklands

Beverley road,
Heidelberg

Melway Reference: 32 C4

Come along and join in the fun at Warrigal Parklands and come and play in the new regional playspace for a picnic, there will be entertainment from Vardos a three piece gypsy band. Vardos play gypsy and traditional music learnt from Roma (gypsy) musicians during their travels in Eastern Europe.

There will also be life size board games for all the family to play. Families could win a \$100 gift voucher for "The Best Picnic Hamper" and many other prizes.

Bike Ride and Maintenance and Safety Check

Sunday 15th April 2012

Rosanna Parklands
Lower Plenty Road,
Rosanna

10am – 11.30am: Free Maintenance & Safety Check

10.30am start: Bike Ride every half hour till 12.30pm

Melway reference: 20 A12

Parking available corner Ellesmere Parade and Lower Plenty
Now is the time to get on your bikes and join in a ride along the Rosanna Parklands Bike path.

The ride will start at Rosanna Parklands just near the Railway line (near Ellesmere and Lower Plenty Roads) and continue along the path for the 2kms circuit.

Before our ride begins, the Banyule Bicycle User Group (BBUG) will undertake free maintenance and safety check on your bike from 10am to 11.30am (maximum 20 people)

When you register for this event you will go in the draw to win one of five \$70 bike kit prizes (bike Speedo, bag and repair kit and bike lock). This will be drawn on the day. Also bicycle accessories give-a-aways. So leave your cars at home and ride in or car parking is available at either Ellesmere parade or Council's car park in Turnham Avenue.

To register and book for the Bike Ride please go to:

www.surveymonkey.com/s/bikeride or call Banyule Council on 9490 4222

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