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## **Community banking is branching out**

Balwyn, a community that almost had everything a suburb could want. Great shops, good schools, fantastic sporting facilities and friendly, caring residents but, they knew they were missing something!

But not anymore!

With the opening of the Balwyn Community Bank® Branch of Bendigo Bank on 18 November 2011, Balwyn can proudly boast that it 'has it all'!

The Balwyn Community Bank® Branch joins the Canterbury, Ashburton and Surrey Hills (CASH) Community Bank® Branches and locals are enthusiastically embracing the huge choice of banking products plus the enjoyable experience of genuinely friendly local staff led by Manager Lorelle Richter.

The 'CASH' group has given almost \$2million to local community groups with Balwyn organisations such as Belmore Special School, EDAR, Balwyn Football and Cricket Clubs and Balwyn schools and kindergartens already benefitting. So not only will you win when you bank at the Balwyn Community Bank® Branch, but the local Balwyn Community will become an even better place to live, work and play.

## .....and the trend is catching!

The Hawthorn community is working towards establishing their own Community Bank® Branch of Bendigo Bank and becoming part of the 'CASH' Family. Hawthorn West Traders are taking an active role in signing up pledges and informing the local community as to how Community Banking helps everyone.







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## PICTURE THIS....

The 'art of being discovered' is to have your work displayed at Camberwell Rotary Art Show. Now in its 27th year, the show is famous for starting many well-known, Victorian artists on their way to fame and fortune. Canterbury and Surrey Hills Community Bank® Branches have again sponsored this prestigious event providing art collectors with the opportunity to invest seriously

or just brighten their lives with beautiful artworks.

This year's Camberwell Rotary Art Show was opened at the historic Hawthorn Town Hall on Friday 23 March. Over 1,500 paintings were on display and a number of well-known artists also demonstrated their techniques. Well done, Camberwell Rotary!





### STEAMING 'BACK TO THE FUTURE' -

### **Ashburton Community Festival**

The romance of the steam era was experienced by Ashburton, Camberwell, Glen Iris and Burwood residents on Sunday 26 February, when two Steam Rail Victoria engines chugged from Camberwell to Ashburton and back for the day.

Thousands of families also enjoyed Thomas the trackless train, a DeLorean (Back to the Future movie car), farmyard animals, snakes and sporting activities.

The Ashburton Community Bank® Branch of Bendigo Bank was again a major sponsor, helping provide spectacular entertainment including performances by Victoria Police Showband, Bananas in Pyjamas and Glen Iris Primary's junior rock bands.



## **Community Banking**

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## **HOWZZATT!!!!**

Will Papua New Guinea join the World Cup Cricket Circuit? Manager of Surrey Hills Community Bank® Branch, Aaron Knott (who plays for Bulleen Cricket Club) thinks they have a chance. Sponsored by the CASH Community Bank® branches, Hawthorn cricket team played the PNG Barramundis in a Charity Challenge at Rathmines Reserve on 29 January and the outcome was close enough to inspire the PNG players to aim for the World Cup.

Ranked 19th in the world, PNG won a thriller match by one run, denying Hawthorn in the final over. Captain Jack Vare thanked the Hawthorn Cricket Club for promoting the event and putting so much work into the day including the donations of cricket gear collected for the 116,000 kids in Cricket PNG development programs. PNG has been voted the Best Cricket Developing nation in the world by the ICC.

#### THE CHALLENGE IS ON!

Basketball is BIG in Boroondara and the CASH Community Bank® Branches have introduced the Challenge Cup Shield to really fire up a friendly rivalry between Division 1 teams Hawthorn Magic and Camberwell Dragons. Camberwell Dragons won the first clash of the 2012 season, but on May 6, Hawthorn Magic shot the winning basket right on the buzzer. To see the Challenge Cup that these clubs are fighting for, call in to the Balwyn Community Bank® Branch of Bendigo Bank. Watch this space for season updates!





#### **COMMUNITY COLLABORATIONS**

Supporting Our Community is what we do best



Hawthorn Amateur Football Club sing their victory song



Fiona, Ruby & Sonia and their special friend visit Ashburton Primary School Fete



Victorious Hawthorn Magic

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## **Recent Sponsorships**

Ashburton Bowls Club

**Ashburton Community Centre** 

**Ashburton Traders Association** 

**Ashburton Willows Cricket Club** 

Ashburton Women's Soccer Club

**Atoms Basketball Club** 

**Auburn Bowls Club** 

**Balwyn Cricket Club** 

**Balwyn Primary School** 

**Balwyn Traders Association** 

**Bass Care** 

Boroondara Hawks Junior Football Club

**Boroondara Netball Association** 

Box Hill/Whitehorse Hockey Club

**Burwood Traders Association** 

Camberwell Dragons Basketball

**Camberwell Hockey Club** 

Camberwell Lacrosse Club

**Camberwell South Netball Club** 

**Canterbury Junior Chess Club** 

Eastern Disability Access Resource (EDAR)

**Eastern Lions Soccer Club** 

First Balwyn Scout Group

Florence Road Pre School

**Hawthorn Amateur Football Club** 

**Hawthorn Basketball Association** 

**Maling Road Traders Association** 

North Balwyn Tennis Club

Playstation Inc.

Power Neighbourhood House Inc

Riversdale Soccer Club

**Rotary Club of Box Hill** 

**Rotary Club of Camberwell** 

Rotary Club of Glenferrie

**Rowan Street Kindergarten** 

**Surrey Park Swimming Club** 

**Waverley Hockey Club** 

#### AN AUTUMN GIFT FOR YOU

Sponsored groups – Remind your members to take their \$5 voucher to Canterbury, Ashburton, Surrey Hills or Balwyn Community Bank® Branch and our staff will open a free bank account with \$5 or go in and open a new account, mention your organisation and \$5 will be donated to your club/organisation. For more information email: nick.coker@bendigobank.com.au.

Senior Manager, Nick Coker

## We're Here for You

Successful communities just don't appear out of nowhere. At Canterbury, Ashburton, Surrey Hills & Balwyn Community Bank® branches we know that to help a community become a success, we must first help the members of the local community.

When you bring your banking to one of our four branches, you enable us to give back to the community that supports us.

To find out more, call into your local branch listed below



# Canterbury, Ashburton, Surrey Hills & Balwyn Community Bank® Branches

Senior Manager: Nick Coker

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## Ashburton Community Bank® Branch

241 High Street, Ashburton, 3147

Phone: (03) 9885 2666

Opening times: Mon-Fri. 9.00am - 5.00pm

Sat. 9.00am - 12 noon Manager: Fiona Kerr



### Balwyn **Community Bank**® Branch

411 Whitehorse Road, Balwyn, 3103

Phone: (03) 9836 8029

Opening times: Mon-Fri. 9.00am - 5.00pm

Sat. 9.00am - 12 noon

Manager: Lorelle Richter



## Canterbury Community Bank® Branch

Shop 2, 143 Maling Road, Canterbury, 3126

Phone: (03) 9836 9466

Opening times: Mon-Fri. 9.00am - 5.00pm

Sat. 9.00am - 12 noon Manager: Craig Pitt



### Surrey Hills Community Bank® Branch

107 Union Road, Surrey Hills, 312

Phone: (03) 9890 7188

Opening times: Mon-Fri. 9.00am - 5.00pm

Sat. 9.00am - 12 noon Manager: Aaron Knott