

Above: Artists impression of our new branch in Rosebud.

Branch news

Rye & Districts **Community Bank**® Branch was the first community bank to open on the Mornington Peninsula in 2001 and the 44th in Australia. In 2007, a second Dromana branch was the 200th **Community Bank**® branch in Australia to open, and between them they continue to grow. Through the support of the local community moving their banking, these two branches have managed to give back over \$4 million to groups, associations, sporting clubs and worthy causes on the Mornington Peninsula.

For the last five years, the community has received funding support averaging over \$500,000 every year.

Now a third branch in Rosebud is well under construction and scheduled to open on 21 October 2013. The Board purchased a property at 1087-1089 Point Nepean Road Rosebud, which will be the home of our newest branch. This will provide additional banking services to existing Rosebud customers and the opportunity for all Rosebud residents and businesses to benefit from the **Community Bank®**

All three branches operate under Rye & District Community Financial Services Ltd.

The opening of this new branch will greatly enhance the already excellent customer service offered by the existing branches and will give customers another ATM outlet as well as a state of the art new banking facility customised to meet their banking needs. As the Rosebud branch grows its business from the community moving its banking so will the ability of our community company to increase funding worthwhile community needs.

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Above: The start of a new Branch: Senior Manager Gary Sanford, Contracting builder Trevor Lloyd and site manager Steve.

You too can play a part in growing and strengthening your local community simply by moving your banking across to your local **Community Bank®** branch where profits will be used to benefit your local schools, clubs and associations.

Please contact Julie Nolo, Rosebud Branch Manager on 0439 859 753 for an appointment.

Supporting our community through grants, donations and sponsorship

2271 Point Nepean Road, Rye VIC 3941 ABN 67 095 766 895



We've celebrated birthdays!

Rye

We celebrated both branch birthdays in June. At Rye, our first branch to open, it was the 12th birthday and celebrations included a free sausage sizzle for customers provided by the local Rye Lions Club. Our four original members of staff and Board cut the birthday cake. Pictured are: Chairman of the Board Shane McCarthy, Branch Manager Julie Nolo, Treasurer Pat Tonks and Senior Manager Gary Sanford.



Dromana

Celebrating six successful years Dromana also had a cake and sausage sizzle to mark their day.

Cutting the cake from left to right: Senior Manager Gary Sanford, Anne, Liz, Branch Manager Bronwyn Ralph, Christine and Chris.





School banking

Our school banking program has gone from strength to strength this year. We now have seven schools participating in the program – Rye PS, Eastbourne PS, Tootgarook PS, Boneo PS, Dromana PS, Red Hill Consolidated and Dromana Special Development School.

Melissa Bosomworth attends assemblies regularly at these schools, handing out prizes for the most consistent savers and other awards. It's a great incentive to get the children thinking about banking and interested in saving.

We are about to start a colouring competition with the theme 'Draw What You Are Saving For'. There are almost \$500 worth of prizes available, with the top three entries across each of three age categories winning a prize. This competition will run throughout August/September, with the winners announced around the time of our new Rosebud branch opening in October. All of the entries will then be on display in each of our three branches for everyone to see.





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Rosebud coming soon!

1087 Point Nepean Road, Rosebud

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Opening hours:

Monday to Friday 9.00am – 5.00pm and Saturday mornings 9.00am – 12noon.

