



Heidelberg and East Ivanhoe Community Bank branches Spring 2019 update.

Heidelberg Community Pitch – Oh what a night!

The Heidelberg and East Ivanhoe Community Bank branches recently joined forces with 10 local businesses to host the inaugural Heidelberg Community Pitch night. A total of \$73,200 was distributed to 15 local community groups after they each gave a three-minute snapshot of their project or cause. The event was more than just an opportunity to contribute financial support, but also a night to build connections and collaborate to make our community a better place for everyone.

Projects included Araluen's Chancez Café at Possum Hollow, the Banyule Toy Library's Full Steam Ahead project to purchase sustainable and interactive educational toys, a Podiatry Material Aid Centre for Footscape, as well as Olympic Adult Education's Alice House Home and Garden Care social enterprise. The 10th Ivanhoe Scout Group, 3081 Angels, the Heidelberg Allstars, Big Group Hug, Heidelberg Occasional Care and Open House were also happy recipients of the funding.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the local businesses that supported this project by contributing pitch dollars to distribute to community groups at the event:

- Miles Real Estate
- Banyule City Council
- Training Now
- Ivanhoe Grammar School
- East Ivanhoe Grocers
- David Caple & Associates
- Rotary Club of Ivanhoe
- SNAP Heidelberg
- The Coote Family
- Heidelberg Golf Club.



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SALT partnership strengthens.

We have long been supporters of the amazing work that SALT (Sport and Life Training) do in building resilience and strengthening culture in sporting clubs, and this year we were thrilled to join with 15 other Community Bank branches across Melbourne to become SALT's Foundation Partner. We also announced an offer to all local sporting clubs throughout our region in Banyule that our branches will cover the cost of two SALT sessions for their club each year. To find out more take a look at the SALT website at www.sportandlifetraining.com.au or contact our branches to find out how to access the free sessions.



Introducing our new management team.

We have some new faces across our branches, although they are not new to the banking sector. Pooja Nayar joins us as our East Ivanhoe Branch Manager after many years with another bank institution. Our Heidelberg Branch Manager Haylee Doering has moved to us from the Preston Bendigo Bank branch, and Relationship Manager Ashley Wijey joins us from the Deakin University Community Bank Branch. They are all keen to hear from you to assist you with all of your banking and insurance needs.



Sounds like Club Spirit!



Earlier this year we supported the Parkside Netball Club's inaugural Club Spirit event, where they hosted Australian Diamond and Melbourne Vixen superstar Tegan Philip. The club has grown to 200 playing members in its short five year history and there was much to celebrate with several premierships and a thriving NetSetGo Junior Development program.

First home buyer seminars.

Relationship Manager Ashley Wijey is hosting a series of workshops to assist people in entering the property market for the first time. In the session Ashley covers everything from getting on the property ladder, from eligibility and buying tips, to methods on boosting your savings. The events are free. To find out more check out our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/EastIvanhoeHeidelbergCommunityBankBranches



Supporting Griefline through the Razorride.

We proudly support Griefline Community and Family Services – a telephone and online counselling service

available for anyone dealing with loss, grief and bereavement who would like to chat. To raise further funds and awareness for this important cause, a team of dedicated cyclists headed by 'Razor' Ray Chamberlain took off on a trek across Victoria, taking breaks at Community Bank branches throughout their route.



Supporting youth empowerment.

Earlier this year we supported the grade 5 and 6 students of East Ivanhoe Primary School with a youth empowerment project. Students worked in groups to put together a proposal for infrastructure that would improve their school environment. East Ivanhoe Branch Manager Pooja Nayar and Director John Nelson, along with Piggy, were welcomed at the school assembly where the winning students were awarded a cheque for \$5,000 for their canteen upgrade project.



Heidelberg turns 10!



In September we celebrated 10 years since our Heidelberg Community Bank branch opened. Throughout this time our team have helped thousands of new customers with their banking needs as well as provided much-needed funding to many sporting clubs and community groups. The Community Room adjacent to the branch hosts many committee meetings and annual events each year.

Happy birthday Heidelberg Community Bank branch!

Youth Foundation update.

Now in it's 13th year, the Youth Foundation 3081 Program continues to thrive, supporting youth-led projects across our community.

A snapshot of these projects include:

- An Aboriginal Youth Forum showcasing some cultural dance events and opportunities to share stories and experiences
- Production of the "We Can" film, a warm, intelligent and uplifting film made in collaboration with students and staff at Waratah Special Development School in Bellfield. The film was recently acknowledged by the Victorian Equal Opportunity and Human Rights Commission who stated – "A charming film that gives voice to an underrepresented group in our school communities and showcases the care, professionalism and ethos of the school staff"
- VCAL students from the Northern College of Arts and Technology are running sessions on literacy through reading and book-making.



The Youth Foundation Parkville College program offers the same opportunities within Victoria's Juvenile Justice System, where further inspiring projects have been created including:

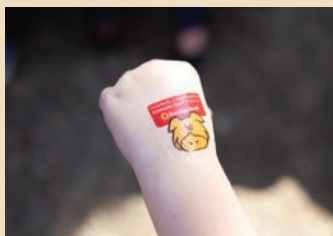
- Jewellery, t-shirt design and self-care sessions with local First Nations business women
- Cultural cooking and understanding of bush tucker with local Aboriginal elders

All of these projects will be shared and celebrated at the Annual Youth Foundation Celebration, to be held at Latrobe University at 11.00am on Tuesday 22 October 2019. For further details check out www.facebook.com/EastIvanhoeHeidelbergCommunityBankBranches

Banyule gets festive!

Our team was out in force at this year's Banyule Festival as we were once again proudly joined by over 40 of the local sporting clubs and community groups that we support through our Sponsorship & Grants programs, as we walked down Burgundy Street for the Arty Farty Festival Grand Parade.

We offered plenty to do at our stall throughout the festival, making thousands of badges, keyrings and magnets, as well as thousands of 'Piggy tattoos' for the kids.



Over \$3.5 million invested back into the Heidelberg, East Ivanhoe and surrounding communities.

Thanks to the loyal customers of the Heidelberg and East Ivanhoe Community Bank branches, we have proudly invested over \$3.5 million in local community organisations, including the following:

1st Eaglemont Scout Group	\$2,812	Edmund Rice Camps	\$8,960	Mary Immaculate Primary School	\$13,100
1st Ivanhoe Sea Scouts	\$21,050	E-Focus	\$25,900	North Alphington Cricket Club	\$20,500
10th Ivanhoe Scout Group	\$12,400	Fairfield Primary School	\$51,780	Old Ivanhoe Grammarians Football Club	\$37,600
96.5 Inner North East Community Radio	\$22,850	Fairy Hills Kindergarten	\$17,500	Olympic Adult Education	\$35,631
ARCappella	\$10,700	Heidelberg Allstars	\$14,600	Olympic Village Preschool	\$10,000
ARC Theatre Group	\$8,250	Heidelberg Football Club	\$29,118	Olympic Village Exodus Community	\$57,214
Alphington Bowling Club	\$77,800	Heidelberg Historical Society	\$16,976	OLMC Heidelberg	\$19,300
Araluen Centre	\$29,880	Heidelberg Orchestras	\$28,500	Open House	\$134,718
Austin Health	\$19,000	Heidelberg Preschool	\$19,768	Parkside Junior Football Club	\$11,000
Banksia Palliative Care	\$55,698	Ivanhoe Bowling Club	\$32,636	Parkside Netball Club	\$9,000
Banyule City Soccer Club	\$26,500	Ivanhoe Cricket Club	\$5,000	Rosanna Bowling Club	\$22,350
Banyule Community Health	\$74,124	Ivanhoe Diamond Valley Centre	\$33,000	Rosanna Golf Links Primary School	\$30,100
Banyule Housing Support Group	\$62,260	Ivanhoe Knights Basketball Club	\$41,000	SPX Waterdale Players	\$24,333
Banyule Junior Football Club	\$32,955	Ivanhoe Netball Club	\$43,000	St Bernadette's Primary School	\$12,314
Banyule Support & Information Centre	\$29,241	Ivanhoe Junior Football Club	\$7,080	St George's Anglican Church	\$16,750
Banyule Toy Library	\$21,050	Ivanhoe Park Croquet Club	\$10,400	St John's Ambulance – Banyule Division	\$8,838
Big Group Hug	\$31,102	Ivanhoe Photographic Society	\$15,000	St John's Primary School	\$9,280
Catholic Parish of Ivanhoe	\$18,688	Ivanhoe Uniting Church Kindergarten	\$3,760	St John's Tennis Club Heidelberg	\$17,606
Children's Protection Society	\$12,244	Latrobe Golf Club	\$12,500	The SALT Foundation	\$12,000
Defib your Club for Life	\$59,895	Latrobe University Football Club	\$14,750	Warringal Conservation Society	\$7,075
Eaglemont Tennis Club	\$28,500	Lower Plenty Cricket Club	\$43,000	West Ivanhoe Sporting Club	\$9,000
East Ivanhoe Bowling Club	\$18,628	Lower Plenty Dance Group	\$15,500	Viewbank Tennis Club	\$13,000
East Ivanhoe Preschool	\$26,550	Livingstone Community Centre	\$21,141	Volunteers of Banyule	\$11,207
East Ivanhoe Primary School	\$231,700	Macleod College	\$11,600	Yarra Valley Hockey Club	\$20,480
East Ivanhoe Traders Association	\$18,000	Macleod Football Club	\$59,000	Youth Foundation 3081	\$503,000
East Ivanhoe Uniting Church	\$11,000	Macleod Junior Football Club	\$15,200		

Heidelberg and East Ivanhoe Community Bank branches

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