

InHouse our newsletter

a publication for workers and supporters of Pottsville Beach Neighbourhood Centre

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Volunteer appreciation evening appreciated!



Ryl and Drew share a moment

According to feedback from volunteers, PBNC's volunteer appreciation evening on May 12 was one of the best yet. Everyone enjoyed the evening, with the spectacular food being a highlight.

A very special thank you to La'cious Patisserie for the scrumptious carrot cake given to PBNC at a discounted rate for volunteers.

With so many good friends and wonderful people working at PBNC, it's no wonder our neighbourhood centre is such a big part of the community.

If you are interested in pictures from the evening, they can be bought from the Tech Centre on a CD for \$1.

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New administration building takes shape

Our new building is taking shape quickly.

The old admin building (pictured on right) met its end in April. Since then, we have gone from a big hole in the ground in May to a bare skeleton in June, and now to a structure with walls and a roof.

Every day brings something new to look at and as it emerges, everyone is getting more and more excited.

We welcome everyone to come down and check out its rapid progress.

Among the crowd were Don, Pat and Glen



Masterchef Maxwell adds finishing touches



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Admin building stages



9th April, 2011



31st July, 2011



22nd June, 2011



22nd May, 2011

Let's make this newsletter about us!

We are always on the lookout for items for the upcoming edition of **InHouse**. If you have any items or information that would be of interest to our wonderful and willing workers (unpaid and paid) and supporters, leave it at the office for Julie or Lily.

InHouse

Tax Help 2010/11

Are your tax affairs simple?

Do you earn less than \$50,000?

You could be eligible for **FREE** help with your tax return.

PBNC's Dave is available to help people with their tax returns until the end of October.

If you are interested in getting help from Dave, ring PBNC on 6676 4555 to find out more or make a booking.

Centrelink Agency & PBNC Admin Office

Monday to Friday
8:30am - 1:30pm

Opp Shop

Monday 9am - 4pm
Tuesday 9am - 1pm
Wednesday 9am - 1pm
Thursday 9am - 1pm
Friday 9am - 4pm
Saturday 9am - 1pm
Market Sundays 7am - 1pm

Toy Library (Free)

Monday to Friday
9:30am - 12:30pm

PBNC Technology Centre Computer Lessons & Internet Access

Monday 9am - 1pm
Tuesday 9am - 5pm
Wednesday 9am - 6pm
Thursday 9am - 5pm
Friday 9am - 5pm

Contact Administration Office for more details or bookings (02) 6676 4555.

Membership now due

To remain a financial member of the centre for 2011/2012, visit the Admin office to pay your \$2 membership fee. If you wish to apply for membership, ask the staff for an application form. **New members are always welcome!**

what's on at the centre

Activities for ASD families

Do you know any families with children on the autism spectrum who would like to attend a free information/resource day?

Resources for ASD families is a free seminar made possible by Pottsville Beach Neighbourhood Centre.

The seminar will be held on Wednesday, 19th October from 9am to 3:30pm in the Sandbar Room at PBNC, 12A Elizabeth St, Pottsville Beach.

Various speakers will talk on topics such as ASD art, home schooling and available services. Morning and afternoon tea will be provided.

Spaces are limited so please ring PBNC on 6676 4555 to book your place.

ASD families may also be interested in **Side by Side**, a social support group for children and young people with Aspergers.

The group meets during school terms from 1pm on the first Saturday of each month for combined primary & secondary school age, and the third Saturday each month for teens.

Contact Debbie or Terry on 6676 0483.

Monday

Technology Centre
9am - 1pm

Pottsville Playgroup in Sandbar Room
10am - 12pm

Tuesday

Technology Centre
9am - 5pm

Light Aerobics with Vera Sandbar Room
9:15 - 10:15am

Pottsville Playgroup in Sandbar Room
10:30am - 12:30pm

Toy Library
9:30am - 12:30pm

Wednesday

Technology Centre
9am - 6pm

Diabetes Support Group with Ruth (1st Wednesday of each month)
Sandbar Room, 2pm - 4pm

Thursday

Technology Centre
9am - 5pm

Pottsville Playgroup Sandbar Room
10am - 12pm

Toy Library
9:30am - 12:30pm

Friday

Technology Centre
9am - 5pm

Light Aerobics with Vera Sandbar Room
9:15 - 10:15am

Toy Library
9:30am - 12:30pm

Pottsville Toddler Tunes & Stories
Sandbar Room
10:30 - 12pm
(during school term)

Friday (cont.)

Richmond Tweed Mobile Library Service
9:45am-12 noon & 1pm-3pm
(02) 6625 1415

Saturday

Opp Shop 9am - 1pm

Sunday

Pottsville Beach Markets, Opp Shop & Community Barbeque
1st and 3rd Sunday morning of the month

Market dates:

August: 21st
September: 4th & 18th
October: 2nd & 16th
November: 6th & 20th
December: 4th & 18th