



**Monthly Newsletter** 

October 2024



Lockyer Community Centre 14 Crescent Street Gatton Qld. P: 07 5462 3355 E: info@lockyercc.com.au



## Celebrate getting older in our community during Seniors Month.

Entry: \$5.00 adult \$2.00 child under 5 free inc. light supper

Live Entertainment by:



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Enquiries P: 5462 3355







## 5-13 October 2024

Connect for mental health







SELF

COMMUNITY

NATURE

## **Community BBQ**

OTHERS

- When: Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of OCTOBER
- Where: Lockyer Community Centre 14 Crescent Street, Gatton
- Details: Come on down and join us for a free BBQ and a friendly chat from 11.30am until 12.30 everyone welcome...







The Glenore Grove QCWA ladies would like to invite you to

our next Tombola which will be held

Glenore Grove Community Hall

THURSDAY 10th October at 9.30 for 10am start.

Wheelchair access

## Tombola

## Come and join us for Morning Tea -\$5

### Lucky door and Raffles

Looking forward to seeing you on the day

Rsvp very much appreciated

Dot 0419 642 913



# Community Wellbeing ART + CRAFT





# Get creative, share some laughs, connect & build networks.

Thursday 10th October Wednesday 30th October Wednesday 13th November Wednesday 27th November



12:00 pm - 2.30 pm Lockyer Community Centre 14 Crescent St. Gatton LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL Ph: 5462 3355 \$5.00 Contribution







Our Operations Manager recently had the pleasure of attending the AGM for Gatton Seniors Centre.

Welcome to the newly elected committee members.

We would like to say a massive thank you to both Irma and Lorelle for the dedication and work both these ladies do for the seniors in our community.

They are true gems of our community.

Local community groups like the Seniors Centre and our own Community Centre heavily rely on local community members to step up and give a little of their time to help ensure these vital community organisations continue to operate and provide a wide range of services and activities in our community.

Gatton Seniors Centre is currently seeking some more people to provide hands on assistance especially with delivering their regular social days and activities. If you can give a few hours a week or a month please contact Lorelle at Gatton Seniors. P: 0439 030 677

## Many hands make light work



## LOCKYER VALLEY SENIORS EXPO 2024



## Friday 11 October 2024

## 9.30am to 1pm

## The Gatton Shire Hall

Workshops, Local Entertainment, Morning Tea, Disaster Preparedness Information Session from the University of Southern Queensland's West Moreton Seniors Collaborative, Chat with many Seniors Service Providers

**Multiple Lucky Door Prizes** 

Lunch available for purchase from Gatton Seniors

### **Registration required by Friday 27 September**

Thanks to the support of the Lockyer Valley Regional Council and

the Lockyer Community Centre

Presented by Cuppa PLUS Inc.

cuppaplus@gmail.com

0427 001 668

## TELEPHONE COUNSELLING AUSTRALIA

### **100% BULK BILLED**

Trauma-informed counselling via phone, text, email, or online, free with a Mental Health Care Plan from a GP.

Flexible hours and weekends available.

### WE ALSO OFFER:

NDIS counselling

NDIS support coordination

Dept. Veteran's Affairs

**EAP Employee Assist** 

National Redress Scheme

**Clinical Supervision** 

#### FOR INFORMATION AND BOOKINGS:

Karen Angel Accredited Mental Health Clinician (38 years' experience)

0418 181 711 🕓

ndis

telephonecounsellingaustralia@gmail.com 🌐

Anywhere that suits you! 📀

medicare

#### **FREE** low-intensity mental health support

### **LIME PROGRAM**

Feeling overwhelmed? Facing big life changes? Need support to regain your zest for life?

### We're here to help!

WHO FOR? **People aged** 

12 +





FREE

#### Through the Low Intensity Mental Empowerment (LIME) Program, you can receive five free counselling



sessions to support your mental wellbeing.

Our compassionate and experienced mental health clinicians offer one-on-one support. They will help you discover practical ways to cope with stress from various aspects of life, so you can thrive now and in the future.

#### HOW DO I ACCESS THE PROGRAM?

In addition to on-site sessions in Warwick, Dalby, Gatton, and Kingaroy, the Lives Lived Well team also offers telehealth services, extending coverage throughout the Darling Downs and West Moreton PHN catchments, as well as in the Western Queensland PHN catchment.

#### HOW TO GET STARTED

Self-referral: You can refer yourself anytime! Just give us a call at 1300 727 957, or complete the referral form on our website, and we'll help you get started.

Referrals from other services: If you're linked with a GP, psychologist, or other service provider, they can refer you as well. This helps us understand how to best support you.







For enquiries please contact us: 1300 727 957 lime@liveslivedwell.org.au www.liveslivedwell.org.au



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## COMMUNITY SENSORY GARDEN

A welcoming community garden. A safe, vibrant and quirky space, delivering various sensory experiences.

All welcome!

14 Crescent St, Gatton **OPEN 7 DAYS** 







## Helping to Build Better Connections

- Struggling to stay connected with your community, friends, family?
- Need help with accessing health, government, online services?
- Do you want to feel empowered in the digital world?

Lockyer Community Centre provides FREE support session to assist, enhance your tech skills to build better connections, self resilience, future self-sustainability through sharing of skills and knowledge.

## Wednesdays by appointment.

To book or for more information: Phone: 5462 3355 Lockyer Community Centre 14 Crescent St. Gatton

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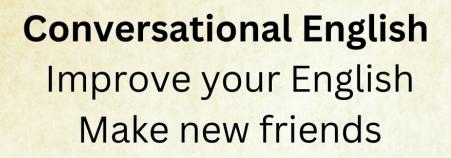








## LOCKYER VALLEY CAMS PROGRAM



## FRIDAYS 2.15pm - 3.15pm LOCKYER COMMUNITY CENTRE 14 Crescent St. Gatton For more information call Hassan 0455 251 591











## **FREE Workshop**

## How to build your own household Emergency Kit inc. access to disaster resources.

## Tuesday 26th November 6:00pm -8:00pm Lockyer Community Centre 14 Crescent St. Gatton

Light Refreshments provided.

Giveaway kit to one lucky attendee. Worth \$120

## IS YOUR HOUSEHOLD PREPARED?

Sometimes, nature doesn't call first. Now is the time to start thinking about how you and your household can be better prepared for future disaster events.







IT'S TIME TO TAKE ACTION

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE CONTACT US: PP: 5462 3355 E: INFO@LOCKYERCC.COM.AU

## Local and Regional Support Services

#### Seventh Day Adventist Gatton

49 North Street Gatton TEXT: 0494 145 597 \$ 35 Food Hampers & Distribution Thursdays 11:00 am – 2:00pm Shower facilities available upon request

#### Food Assist

148 Campbell street Toowoomba \$30 food parcels Mon-Fri 9am-4pm 4638 1939 or 4634 1157 With retail site - Heavily reduced items www.actscare.au/foodassist

#### Laidley Community Centre

13 Mary St. LAIDLEY 5465 1889 Emergency Relief Program Monday – Friday 9.00 am - 3.00 pm www.laidleycommunitycentre.org.au

> St Vincent De Paul Cnr Mill & Byrne St. GATTON, 54622644

Salvation Army – Doorways 5 Railway St. GATTON 1300 371 288

#### Harvest Angels Lowood

Food Hampers Small \$30 or Large \$50 0478 028 983 or via Facebook page www.facebook.com/harvestangelsinc **OR** at door Wednesday & Friday 10am – 12pm Homeless Helpline 1800 474 753

Homestyle Lodge Laidley 5462 3427 or 0450 590 331

Laidley Crisis Care 5318 6811 or 1300 920 865

St. Vincent de Paul Toowoomba 1800 846 643

**GRANTHAM LODGE** 3114 7449

FAMILY HOUSING SUPPORT 3230 3410

WOMEN + MEN refuge 3832 1491 Women's Only 3832 6073

MEN'S hostel 1800 846 663

Place 2 stay Toowoomba 4638 4050

STARH Ipswich 1800 448 448 or 3281 3644

Yellow Bridge Toowoomba 1300 882 764

Toowoomba Crisis Accommodation 4639 1998

## New Men's Support Networking now coming to Gatton



TOMNET is a not for profit organisation. They provide Peer Support for men who have retired, or are thinking about retiring, to assist them through the hidden hardships of this new phase of their life.

Through rediscovering fulfilling lives, TOMNET men regain purpose, and the ability to connect, and contribute to the community.

TOMNET are now holding regular sessions at Lockyer Community Centre so if you know any older men that may be looking for some support and mateship be sure to connect with TOMNET about attending a session in Gatton.

Ph: 4638 9080 Web: https://tomnet.org.au/ Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/TOMNETinc/

## THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS, PARTNERS AND LOCAL SUPPLIERS







### Lockyer Valley Ford











LOCKYER SOILS

## SPANO'S SUPA



14 CRESCENT STREET, GATTON 4343

OPENING HOURS: MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9:00M - 3:30PM EXCLUDING PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

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Coming Soon!

• Community Check-In Day Wed. 6th Nov. 10.30—12.30pm Lockyer Community Centre

• CAMS Social Sausage Sizzle Thurs. 21st Nov. 4.30—6.30pm Littleton Park Gatton

 Disaster Kit Workshop Tues. 26th Nov. 6—8pm Lockyer Community Centre

Festival Parcel Sale
 Thurs. 5th Dec. 9am

. Ten Days of Giving Mon. 2nd Dec—Fri. 13th Dec.