



BULLETIN

*Wishing everyone a safe and happy Christmas.
We look forward to sharing an amazing year with you again in 2012!*



THE PCP OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED OVER CHRISTMAS AND WILL REOPEN ON
TUESDAY 10TH JANUARY 2012.

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE FUNDING ASSISTANCE

MAJOR EVENTS FUNDING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Southern Grampians Shire Council is calling on event organisers holding Major Events between **1 July - 31 December 2012**, to submit funding applications prior to **1 February 2012**.

The Major Events Funding Assistance Program is designed to attract, develop and promote new events and conferences and to assist with the promotion of existing events and conferences. The event needs to demonstrate the potential to generate significant visitation and economic benefits for the Southern Grampians Shire. Funding is available for amounts up to \$2000.

MINOR EVENTS FUNDING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Council is calling for event organisers to submit funding applications prior to **1 February 2012** for minor and community events held between **1 April and 30 June 2012**.

The aim of the Minor Events Funding Assistance Program is to assist community event organisers to attract, develop and promote minor community events which have the potential to generate significant community and promotional benefits with up to \$500 available.

Event funding can be used for promotion and advertising, product development and arts and cultural development.

For guidelines, application forms and further information please contact Council's Events Marketing & Development Officer, Kathy Annett on 5573 0239 or kannett@sthgrampians.vic.gov.au.

Application forms are available at http://www.visitsoutherngrampians.com.au/events/events_assistance.html

COMMON RISK ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORK TRAINING 2012

Tentative dates have been provided in relation to the roll out of the Family Violence "Common Risk Assessment Framework" training.

Dates available for the Barwon and South Western Regions are as follows:

28th February 2012. Family Violence Risk Assessment

29th February, 2012. Risk Assessment for Specialist Family Violence Workers

The training listed will be taking place in the Barwon and South Western Region. Venue to be announced.

Further information will be included in later editions of the PCP Bulletin.

BSW INTEGRATED FAMILY VIOLENCE TRAINING "TRAIN THE TRAINER" MODEL

Participants **sought** to become accredited 'Recognise and Respond to Family Violence' Program (R&RFV)" trainers.

Commitment:

- 6 full days of training, broken up into 4 consecutive days, followed soon after by 2 consecutive days.
- Following the training, a commitment to present at least 2 training sessions throughout a 12 month period, of one day each. There will be additional preparation time and follow up group supervision time with DVRC.
- The entire 6 days will be \$390 if SAAP funded, and \$550 if non SAAP. A further subsidy may be negotiated for smaller NFP organisations.

Benefits for participants:

- Increased knowledge and skills in both FV area, and training delivery experience
- Access to group supervision by DVRC post training delivery
- Full support from the Regional Integrated Family Violence Coordinator
- Nationally Accredited Statement of Attainment for two domestic violence Units

Don't miss this great opportunity – places limited.

To register your interest, please contact Merrilyn Glynn on 52276006 or email mglynn@comconnect.com.au

BY WEDNESDAY 11TH JANUARY, 2012

SCHOLARSHIPS TO ENHANCE WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP

Applications are now open for the Victorian Women's Governance Scholarship – a joint initiative of the Victorian Government and the Australian Institute of Company Directors which will provide 34 women with training in corporate governance through the Company Directors' Course. Scholarships are available to women who are current board members of community not-for-profit organisations in receipt of state government funding. For further information visit: <http://www.companydirectors.com.au/>. The closing date for applications is AEST 5.00 pm, 10 February 2012.



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