



Norlane Community Centre

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Office Hours: 9am-5pm Monday to Friday

BRACE says goodbye

In August, the SEE (Skills, Education & Employment) class said goodbye to the folk at the Norlane Community Centre.

All the students cooked something from their own countries, so marvellous food was enjoyed. This included spiced chicken wings, fried rice, hokkien noodles, papaya salad, other noodles, vegetable rolls, curry puffs with satay sauce and sushi. Everyone from NCC came, including the Gordon TAFE class, Munch 'n' Crunch, Northern Futures and New Horizons/Ostara to enjoy the fare. Some speeches were made, cards given.

Manami and her electric keyboard accompanied the singing of We are Australian, Yesterday and I Still Call Australia Home.

We will all miss the Norlane Community Centre and everyone there. The venue has been wonderful with a community garden, kitchen facilities and lots of



Norlane Community Centre's Liz Winning and BRACE teacher Jenny Dean.

support from the staff, other groups, and the volunteers.

In particular, the garden crew has been great in conducting propagation classes for plants, worm farm and compost talks, and generally talking gardening with the students. Bill (B1) also talked to my students about maintaining their cars. The Art Group welcomed us and provided materials and tuition for

drawing and painting.

This has been invaluable for the integration of the multicultural group into their local community so, goodbye Norlane, and we will welcome the new class members at our new premises at

Leisuretime.
Jenny Dean,
SEE Teacher, BRACE,

Computers at Norlane

Community use is free for one hour on Friday and \$2 per hour at other times, unless computer classes are being held.

Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Photocopying, laminating and faxes

Norlane Community Centre can photocopy, laminate or send faxes for a minimum cost.

Call in to the centre Monday to Friday for more information.

Neighbourhood Watch

Are you interested in crime and safety in your area? Neighbourhood Watch meets on the third Wednesday of every month at 7.30pm. It is for local residents who are interested in crime and safety in the community.

Contact Rob, phone 5275-3939, for more details.

www.norlanecommunitycenter.org.au



Northern Futures Work and Learning Centre

Northern Futures is running four courses:

1. Logistical Supply Chain Course.
2. Getting Ahead Program.
3. Certificate 3 in Aged Care, Home and

Community Services.
4. Business Administration Course.

For further details phone 0437-655-360 or email:
helen.northernfutures@gmail.com.

Munch 'n' Crunch



Munch 'n' Crunch

Munch 'n' Crunch Catering (MnC) provides healthy, gourmet food to customers, while being a hospitality training venue for Encompass Community Services participants.

Munch 'n' Crunch is committed to tailoring its products and services to the needs of customers. They understand that every function is different and that

people may have special dietary needs. Visit their website to find out more on www.encompass-cs.org.au/mnc.

To place an order or to discuss your specific requirements, call one of their friendly staff members on 5274 2242, or email them on mnc@encompass-cs.org.au. Munch 'n' Crunch is open Monday to Friday from 8am until 2pm.



Mental health counselling

The Barwon Medicare Local program provides free, short-term mental health counselling to people who have been referred by their GP.

Priority is given to people who are

Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, refugee, children under 12, or people on a low income. For more information phone Barwon Medicare Local on 5229-1922 or go to www.barwonml.com.au.



Support in job search

New Horizons, in partnership with Ostara, and with the support of Commonwealth funding, offer job seekers extensive, specialised support to find and maintain employment, preferably in their local area.

New Horizons can assist jobseekers to access relevant training including White Card, Forklift Licenses, First Aid and OH&S training, which can make all the

difference when looking for work.

The service is available to anyone who may be concerned about their mental health.

Employment Consultant Barbara Ryan is available 9am to 5pm, Monday-Friday

For appointments and information call Barbara, 0418-834-364.

PROGRAMS AND GROUPS AT NORLANE

Tai Chi for all abilities

This group is for beginners and those who have had previous experience of Tai Chi.

Classes are held Tuesday 10am-11.30am
Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes.

The group also maintains garden beds for members to grow their own vegetables, which are shared amongst the group. Contact Monika on 5275-0005 or Maureen 5275-3939 for more information.

Tuesday Art Group

Would you like to paint in a friendly, comfortable self help group? This group meets every Tuesday from 9am until 1pm. The cost is \$4.

Artist of all mediums are invited to join

or just call in for a cuppa and a chat. Members also have a garden plot for growing their own fresh vegies.

Craft and Friendship

Come and enjoy afternoon tea and a laugh with a group of talented people of all ages.

This is an opportunity to share your craft ideas or learn something new. Bring your own materials. Cost \$1 and the group meets every Friday from 1-3pm.

Norlane Community Fruit, Herb and Vegetable Garden

Norlane Community Fruit, Herb and Vegetable Garden is self-managed by residents of all ages, cultures and

abilities, to grow fresh healthy fruit and vegetables for their own use.

If you are interested in your own vegie patch, contact Liz on 5275-8124.

Tool Pool

Need to mow the lawn but can't afford the cost of a mower or hiring someone?

Become a member of Norlane Community Centre Tool Pool and you can hire a lawnmower for a \$5 yearly Tool Pool membership and \$5 mower hire fee.

There are some hand tools and wheelbarrows that are free to borrow. The Tool Pool operates on Tuesday and Friday from 9am to noon. Inquiries 5275-8124.

You're invited to the

CAREERS FAIR

WEDNESDAY 15TH OCTOBER 10-2pm

Find out about the opportunities in your area!

At the Norlane Community Centre, Windsor Park, Rose Avenue, Norlane

