



**FOCUS ON
MERIMBULA**
(& surrounding areas)

Thur 10th Nov

6pm - 8pm

Club Sapphire, Merimbula

ALL WELCOME

Session 3

Following the success of the last two community meetings, the Merimbula Chamber of Commerce is excited moving full steam ahead to now prioritise the ideas brought forward. Ranging from better town planning, tourism & events to future educational facilities the ideas are diverse, all aimed to develop and enhance the future of Merimbula. If you haven't made it to the last meetings it's not too late to bring your ideas to the table, we look forward to seeing you this Thursday. Remember all opinions matter, everybody matters!

Facilitated by Orit Karny Winters, the Regional President of Capital Far South Coast NSW Business Chamber & Our Merimbula Executive Committee

COME AND HAVE YOUR SAY – HELP US TO HELP YOU

Our Merimbula Newsletter



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Santa Photos in Dec.

Santa Photos are being arranged in Merimbula & Tura Beach by the Chamber of Commerce. Sat 10th & 17th from 10.00am to 12.00 midday



in Merimbula (location to be finalised)

Then Sun 11th & 18th from 10.00am to 12.00 midday in Tura Beach Shopping Center.

Stay tuned on our FB page and website for final details closer to December.

Merimbula Chamber News

Late Night Shopping

The Merimbula Chamber together with our local retail committee groups is proud to be running a Christmas late night shopping event on Saturday 17th, 3pm - 7:30pm. We are encouraging all local businesses to keep their doors open and help spread the Christmas cheer.



The chamber will be closing a section of beach street, with jumping castle, face painting, street performers and live music as well as the major draw for the Christmas hamper giveaway!

We hope that you will all join in to make this a night a great success.

Christmas Hamper

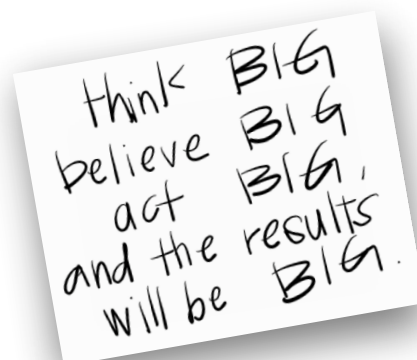
Our retail committee will be visiting you soon for donations and gifts to go towards this year's Christmas Hamper giveaway!!



All participating businesses will become a part of the promotion and receive ticket booklets to give their customers a chance to win the hamper!

Drawn Saturday 17th of December.

Thank you for your participation.



Upcoming Meeting Dates

Social Drinks and Open Meeting Dates are as follows. For a full calendar of events please visit our [EVENTS CALENDAR](#)

- ***Focus on Merimbula** Thurs. 10th Nov
- ***Focus on Merimbula** Thurs. 24th Nov
- **Social Drinks** Fri 25th Nov - Dulcies
- **Open Meeting** Tue 6th Dec – Club Sapphire

Check out upcoming events on:
<https://ourmerimbula.tidyhq.com>

*Focus on Merimbula

6.00pm – 8:00 THURSDAY 10-11-2016
Club Sapphire, Merimbula

Week 3 – Let us prioritise your ideas.

- Recap and form future programs and ideas that will promote the Merimbula

are in moving forward

- Everyone of all ages are welcome to come and have your say, business or residential
- Doesn't matter whether you have been to the last two meetings or not – ALL WELCOME.

Week 4 – Who is on board to help us achieve these goals & ideas?

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Merimbula Retailers Meeting

08:00 – 09:00 TUESDAY 06-12-2016
BOARDWALK GELATERIA, 4 MARKET STREET MERIMBULA

BREAKFAST MENU AVAILABLE:

- bacon and egg wraps
- fruit & nut loaf
- sourdough toast with jam
- muesli with yoghurt and berries

AGENDA

- Christmas late night shopping.
- Christmas window decoration

ALL RETAILERS ARE WELCOME



What's happening?

Merimbula Parking Spaces

70+ all day car spaces available in CBD!

With peak season just around the corner the Merimbula Chamber would like to remind all local businesses of the 70 + un-restricted time car spaces now available. Located off



Main Street behind the squash courts (old library) and next to Top Fun, the car parks are right in the centre of town and we encourage you to promote this to staff as plausible alternative, leaving car spaces closer to your businesses available for your paying customers!

Sapphire Coast Business Women - Update

SCBW have updated their business name to **Sapphire Coast Business NETWORKING (SCBNetworking)**.



This update will open up some of their events to not only Business Women but now the Business **MEN** will also be able to come along and network. **SCBNetworking** will be celebrating **NOVEMBER** and asking men to come along and join in the **NOVEMBER** breakfasts and tell us about their businesses. For more information check out the website. www.scbnetworking.com.au

BOOKtique re-opens

4-10 Market Street Merimbula NSW 2548

I was walking the Camino Santiago in Spain earlier this year mulling over whether to proceed with buying Booktique. Having owned the Bookshop previously, I had never entertained returning to the business. Over thirty years of bookselling had surely given me my fill. I was pulled back to the future however and am now delighted to be back in business in Merimbula.

I love books, love dealing with the public and am falling in love with the coffee and tea



business. I am extremely lucky to have the talented Claudia in the coffee shop to teach me some of her skills. A few days in and there are no regrets. I will be giving this 100 % and look forward to a bright future for Booktique where extremely well priced books, coffee, fine chocolate and selected gifts will be on offer.

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