

Join in the FUN with...

FRIDAY SOCIAL DRINKS

29TH JULY AT
PAMBULA / MERIMBULA GOLF CLUB

Everyone is welcome to come along



LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH – SOCIAL DRINKS – ALL WELCOME

Our Merimbula Newsletter


www.ourmerimbula.com.au

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Merimbula Chamber News

MAD HATTER'S DAY, Friday 19th August.

As part of the winter promotion the Chamber is running a Mad Hatter's Day on the 19th Aug. A chance for local businesses to have a



bit of fun by wearing a hat, beanie or wig to work. Orchid Festival will be on in Twyford Hall – so a floral theme would

be great. **PRIZE:** \$100 WLT Gift Voucher to the best participating shop/businesses. Come for tea/coffee and win a prize. Gold coin donations will go to Rotary.

Our Merimbula AGM & Open Meeting

Please make note our upcoming annual general meeting of the Our Merimbula. The details of this meeting are as follows:

Date: 23rd August 2016

Time: 6.00 pm

Place: Tasman Room at Club Sapphire, 119 Main St, Merimbula NSW 2548

All local business people are welcome to attend. Come along and see what is



happening in your local area. Bega Council will have an update for you.

Nominations must be called for from the floor for - President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, Publicity Officer- and Committee members.

For more information please call:
James Smith – 0408 567 841
or check out our website:

www.ourmerimbula.com.au

**FIRST LEARN
THEN REMOVE "L"**



Business Master Class Series

Open to ALL Business Men & Women.

- **1st Aug** - Financial Master Class – Peter Mann from Kothes Accounting
Jan Pearce from Debt Alleviation
- **15th Aug** - Marketing Master Class - Natasha Berta from Natasha Berta Media
- **29th Aug** - Social Media Master Class – Kat Smith from Feisty Cat Social
- **12th Sept** - Systems Master Class - Angelica Vega Labarana from Bizcania
- **26th Sept** - Team Master Class – Julie Nagle from Aus Coaching
- **10th Oct** - Thinking Goals & Time Master Class – Peter Gordon from Business Enterprise Center
- 24th Oct** - Sales Master Class – Leeanne Manariti from Nutrimerics

Check out www.scbw.com.au for more details or to make a booking. Discounts for financial members are available.

Dates to remember

Upcoming Meeting Dates

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

- **Social Drinks** Fri 29th July at 5.30 Pambula/Merimbula Golf Club
 - **Retailers Meeting** 2nd Aug 8am Boardwalk Gelateria
 - **Hat Day** 19th Aug
 - **AGM Meeting** 23rd Aug
 - **Social Drinks** Fri 26th Aug
 - **Retailers Meeting** 6th Sept
 - **Social Drinks** Fri 30th Sept
 - **Open Meeting** Tue 4th Oct
 - **Social Drinks** Fri 28th Oct
 - **Social Drinks** Fri 25th Nov
 - **Open Meeting** Tue 6th Dec
- Check out upcoming events on: <https://ourmerimbula.tidyhq.com>

Spring into Merimbula

The Merimbula Chamber is looking for sponsorship of the annual family fun day 'Spring into Merimbula'. The promotion will be a one day event with jumping castle, face painting, street performers and local music all to welcome the beautiful warmer weather. Your business has the opportunity to help make this day a success with sponsors logos included on promotional material which will be advertised heavily locally and in regional areas. Please contact James Smith for more information. james@ourmerimbula.com.au



Merimbula Retailers Meeting

08:00 – 09:00 TUESDAY 02-08-2016
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

- Feedback on Winter sale day in July
- Winter wonderland promotion continues for August
- Mad Hatters day Thursday the 19th August – come for tea/coffee win a prize donation to Rotary
- Spring into spring Promotion Thursday 29th September
- Christmas window decorations

ALL RETAILERS ARE WELCOME

Shop Local, Eat Local, Win Local

Winter Wonderland Winners

The Winter Wonderland Promotion has kicked off to a great start with the Merimbula Jazz Festival, with the sunshine came the music and the crowds. The extra buskers around town were proudly organised by the Chamber and we hope to work with the Jazz Committee in the years to come to help the continual growth of the festival!



Congratulations to Kellie Evans, the lucky winner of the 2nd fortnight's \$250 Why Leave Town gift card! Donna Guy of Harris Scarfe proudly congratulates Kellie who entered into the draw whilst shopping in store. Simply by supporting local business you too could be the lucky winner!

Remember to **PROMOTE** the competition and encourage local shoppers to **ENTER!**

Please jump online to see all participating businesses at www.ourmerimbula.com.au

Boxes are located outside:

- Sails Real Estate (53 Market Street Merimbula)
- Harris Scarf Merimbula (Shops 10 & 11 Corner Market & Monaro Street)
- Smarty Pants (Shop 10 The Promenade Market Street)
- HelloWorld Travel (6 Merimbula Drive)

Sale Day Fun

Despite the weather the Chamber is still receiving good feedback from a spike in sales during our Winter Wonderland sale day! Twyford Hall was the main centre of action with the jumping castle and face painting proving to be very appealing to the children. Braving the weather we the Chamber would also like to thank 'The Wobbles' and Lachy Marsden for putting on an excellent live music performance!

All events were organised by the Chamber and Retailers Sub-Committee. We would appreciate any feedback and ideas to make future events even better!



Winter Wonderland at Twyford Hall

OUR MERIMBULA COMMITTEE

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