

WELCOME TO OUR BRAND NEW

# Chamber Chat

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## A word from our President, Lisa Moore

### Gratitude for small blessings

For many businesses this is the hardest stretch of lockdown yet. Though many recognise restrictions as necessary, employers, employees and families are feeling the effects on morale, wellbeing and personal resilience. We have been blessed with small things, like an exceptionally mild winter, glorious days of 17 & 21 degrees, and last month it was the Olympics, this month, a potential end date to lockdown, and some reinstated freedoms.

### Say hello, wave goodbye

Last month we said farewell to Tiffany Murray, who was with the Chamber for 6 years. Tiffany is focusing on her business she launched earlier this year. We also said farewell to Elke Langdon, who started full time nursing, and Jayson Perinayegon who resigned from the Executive Committee due to pressing commitments. We plan to hold a farewell for them when the timing is possible.

We also welcomed Megan Petty in the role of Executive Officer. Megan is the former winner of the 2019 Chamber Business Awards. She is an extensive events specialist and business development professional. Plus, Amy Sands, marketing, content and campaign promotions expert, in the role of Admin Manager.



Megan Petty  
Executive Officer



Amy Sands  
Administration Manager

### Reformulating member value

You will soon start to see some changes in the way we are servicing member interests. We have developed products and services specific to member needs. Simply use your member login to see our new products on the Chamber website.

What are the immediate things that will help your business, especially when networking and large events may not be possible? We are interested in your ideas and trying new ways to support our members so please tell us when we next approach you.

Alternatively, you can email [membership@greaterdandenongchamber.com.au](mailto:membership@greaterdandenongchamber.com.au)

### Thank you

A brief, but heartfelt thank you to the businesses who see connection with the Chamber as a two-way opportunity, and remain with us, despite the challenging times. We want to change the conversation to the importance of thriving businesses during this pandemic.

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## WEBINARS

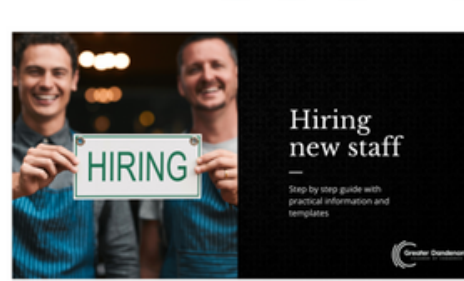


Did you know we host free webinars on our website? [Click here](#) to see our large library of videos on topics to help you and your business, from COVIDsafe business plans to accounting with Xero.

Plus, if you're a Chamber member you have exclusive access to our [member only webinars](#) - a series of topical videos with experts in their fields.

The Chamber has developed a range of helpful guides to help your business when starting out. These guides and many more handy resources are available to download for our members only and are available on our website [here](#).

## MEMBERS ONLY RESOURCES



Not a member of the Chamber yet?

[Click here to find out more and start your membership application now!](#)

Greater Dandenong Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with Victory Offices is pleased to present an Hour of Optimism webinar.



Hosted by Victor Perton from The Centre of Optimism this webinar will help deliver the materials and tools to enable you to become a more infectiously optimistic leader.

**Wednesday 6th October 2021**

**12.30pm to 1.30pm**

This is a free event for all to join!

[Click here to register your attendance >](#)

## Welcome to our newest member

Welcome to **Atticus Health**, who have joined the Chamber as a Gold membership partner.



As most of us would be well aware, increasing the rate of vaccination against COVID-19 is an important part of moving through our current situation and opening things up.

The good news is, **Atticus Health** are able to work with you to help get your workplace vaccinated by offering to book in your staff for vaccination. This can be done at their medical clinic in Bangholme, or they can come to your workplace to vaccinate on site.

[Click here to find out more and book today >](#)

## Thank you to our Platinum Members

