



Cornerstone Contact Centre Gazette October 2023

Cornerstone's New Defibrillator



Cornerstone board member Gloria and volunteer Neil show off the new defibrillator

Hi friends,

With the support of the Federal Government of Australia, Cornerstone has been able to purchase a defibrillator. With many disadvantaged community members who suffer poor health regularly attending our programs, this vital equipment could well save a life one day. Along with recent Overdose Response training, the Cornerstone Contact Centre team will soon undertake first-aid and CPR training, ensuring that the team are equipped and ready to handle any medical emergencies.

Investing in first-aid equipment and training ensures that the Cornerstone team are equipped and ready to handle any medical emergencies

As the weather improves, we have been really pleased to host several community BBQs out in the garden, sponsored by the City of Greater Dandenong Council. This has been a great opportunity to enjoy the sunshine, and to make use of the beautiful community garden. See below for photos.

As Christmas approaches, we are inundated with requests for support from locals who are struggling to make ends meet. Can you help us reach our annual donations target? Please consider supporting the work of Cornerstone with a regular or one-off donation. You can give via the "Donate" button below.

Thank you for your ongoing support, prayers and involvement. Your care for the disadvantaged continues to inspire and encourage our team.

*Naomi Paterson
CEO, Cornerstone Contact Centre*

Will you help us meet our annual fundraising target? Every dollar helps locals in need.

Donate



Volunteers from Deloitte joined the Cornerstone team on their recent Impact Day (above).

Team members from Deloitte help out with meal prep (below).



Get in touch to arrange a corporate volunteer day!

City of Greater Dandenong Council support community BBQs at Cornerstone



Our recent community BBQs have been provided by the City of Greater Dandenong Council. This has been a real treat for disadvantaged locals as we enjoy the Spring sunshine.



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Set up regular donations here

Regular Cornerstone meals and programs:

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Tuesdays:

Breakfast toasties served from 9am
Orange Sky mobile laundry service, 9.30am - 12.30pm
Gardening Club 10am - 12noon

Cornerstone regular lunch program 12noon
Fresh food parcels from 10am

Thursdays:

Dinner 5.30pm, 1st, 2nd and 3rd week of the month
(Thursday dinners provided by partner agencies Noel Social Services, and the
Lion's Club Supper Club)

Fridays:

Breakfast toasties served from 9am
Cornerstone regular lunch program 12noon
Second and Fourth Friday in month, ATO Breakfast 7.30am - 9am
Fresh food parcels from 10am
Orange Sky mobile laundry service, 9.30am - 12.30pm every Friday
One Voice shower van 10am - 1pm every Friday
The Avalon Centre clothing, 2nd Friday of the month

Meal programs are held at Dandenong Baptist Church, 25-27 James Street
Dandenong

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