# Grantville Business & Community Association Newsletter August 2022

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#### Grantville's 150th Birthday Celebrations

Join us in celebrating Grantville's 150th year! Saturday 1st October

There will be activities and entertainment at the Memorial Park and at the Grantville Library. Events on the day include music, face painting, animal nursery, jumping castle and food and drinks stalls.

New Grantville history boards will be unveiled on the foreshore and events at the library. We encourage you to dress up in 1870's themed dress and join us for a family fun day. The Waterline Library is working with The Bass Valley Children's Centre organising a colour-in competition to be judged by a children's author

### **The Great Witch Hunt**

The Great Witch Hunt will run for the entire month of October. Eighty witches will be out on display at businesses throughout the Bass Coast Shire region. Great prizes to be won, including a \$500 accommodation voucher to Ingenia Holidays on Phillip Island.

Neroli from the GBCA is currently researching the option of taking the Great Witch Hunt digital, she is looking at an online digital ticket system for this year's Great Witch Hunt event.

GBCA Business members have the option to host a witch at no cost. If your business is in Bass Coast region and would like to be involved in this fun event please contact Neroli by email at thegbca1@gmail.com to find out more.



Grantville is turning 150 years old! Step up for a silly selfie or jump on the jumping castle, dress up in 1870; costume & come and celebrate with us : 11.30 - 3pm at the Grantville Memorial Park Jumping Castle, the Park, Plarm, Plarm,

#### **BCSC Update**

BCSC councilors reported on the Neighborhood Character report which is open for community input. Currently the government is wanting to limit Grantville's zone boundary and stop the expansion of the industrial zone.

- Shirley Egan has provided various designs for the amphitheatre shelter. These designs are currently being discussed by the GBCA Executive. A suggestion of including solar panels on the roof was also put forward..
- Lucy Dewhurst from BCSC Business Support is looking into a new Business Representative for GBCA.
- Proposed Supermarket development with specialty shop, petrol station etc. has Town Planning approval. Developers will now submit detailed drawings for building approval.
- TGG to complete car park and access road as per Regional Roads Victoria conditions before BCSC can approve permit.
- BCSC suggested flags be displayed on the highway in Grantville for the "blessing of the bikes" event in October since Grantville is the gateway to the Bass Coast. BCSC will follow up on the flags

#### **Membership Update**

The membership prospectus for both business and community membership have been updated and can be found on our website.

There are currently 24 business memberships and 22 community memberships that will shortly receive the prospectus along with their renewal invoices.

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a member please contact the GBCA by email: thegbca1@gmail.com

#### Upcoming Events - Save the Date

- Social Gathering and AGM The AGM has been scheduled for Friday the 14th Oct. at Grantville Hall. GBCA will
  approach Food Business Members to tender for the catering of this event.
- Waterline Expo This event has been scheduled for Sunday 6th November at the Corinella Hall & Park. If you are a
  business or a local community group looking to get involved please contact the GBCA.
- Grantville Christmas Carols This event has been scheduled for Sunday 11th December. GBCA will begin preparing for this event shortly.
- Next Executive Meeting Thursday 15th September, 6.30pm at Maru

President: Helen Zervopoulos Vice President: Neroli Heffer Secretary: Christopher Nagle Treasurer: Leonie Potter Website Officer: Sandra Lyle Membership Secretary: Marita Flockhart Committee Members: Kathy Power & Mark Holmes

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GBCA have a website

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