Message from the Mayor

"We are excited to deliver this rich program of workshops and events to celebrate Small Business Month. These events are designed to help strengthen and grow local businesses - from making your business more inclusive and accessible, to helping you gain a better understanding of what it means to be 'digital ready'. Small Business Month is all about celebrating the critical role small business plays in our economy, and providing opportunities for owners and operators to network with one another and develop their offering. It's all part of our focus on making business growth easier in Port Stephens. We hope you get along to as many events as you can!"

– Mayor Ryan Palmer

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Small Business Month

October 2018

Port Stephen Council in partnership with the NSW Government is excited to deliver a series of events in the local area to help strengthen and grow business as part of Small Business Month 2018.



Small Business Month October

Digital Bootcamp

Date: Wednesday 3 October 2018 Venue: Medowie Sports & Business Centre Time: 8.30am to 6.30pm (morning, afternoon tea and lunch included) Cost: \$49 Provider: NetStripes

Accessible and Inclusive Business Workshop

Date: Monday 8 October 2018 Venue: Raymond Terrace Bowling Club Time: 5 to 7pm (light supper included) Cost: FREE Provider: Port Stephens Council

NDIS Information Session

Date: Wednesday 10 October 2018 Venue: Spark CoWork, Salamander Bay Time: 5.30 to 7.30pm Cost: \$25 Provider: The Business Centre

Marketing Strategy for Creative Business

Date: Thursday 18 October 2018 Venue: Murrook Cultural Centre, Williamtown Time: 5.30 to 7.30pm (light supper included) Cost: \$25 Provider: Creative Business Plus

Spark Small Business Open Day

Date: Saturday 20 October 2018 Venue: Spark CoWork, Salamander Bay Time: 10am to 2pm Cost: FREE Provider: Spark CoWork

Finding Funding Workshop

Date: Monday 22 October 2018 Venue: Port Stephens Council Committee Room Time: 4.30 to 6pm Cost: FREE Provider: AusIndustry – Tim Cotter

Port Stephens Women in Business

Date: Wednesday 24 October 2018 Venue: Tomaree Peninsula TBC Time: 5 to 7pm (light supper included) Cost: Members FREE; guests \$26.50 Provider: Port Stephens Women in Business

Talk Business for Tradies

Date: Tuesday 30 October 2018 Venue: Nelson Bay Golf Club Time: 4 to 6pm Cost: FREE Provider: YinYang Consulting

"Give Me Five" Speed Networking Night

Date: Tuesday 30 October 2018 Venue: Port Stephens Visitor Information Centre Time: 5.30 to 7.30pm (light supper included) Cost: FREE Provider: Destination Port Stephens

Accessible Tourism Workshop – Creating inclusive products and experiences

Date: Tuesday 9 October 2018 Venue: Nelson Bay Golf Club Time: 10am to 12 noon (morning tea included) Cost: FREE Provider: Port Stephens Council

For more information or to book: www.portstephens.nsw.gov.au/smallbusinessmonth Port Stephens Council -Economic Development and Tourism

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