

Ararat Neighbourhood House



araratneighbourhoodhouse.com.au



ABOUT US:

Ararat Neighbourhood House is a non-profit organization providing a friendly environment for locals.

WELCOME TO TERM 4 2025

**Let us make our future now, and
let us make our dreams
tomorrows reality.**

Malala Yousafzai

THE LOCATION

56 Campbell Street,
Ararat VIC 3377



Ararat Neighbourhood House

Upcoming programs:

Ararat Neighbourhood House

Knit Together: Join Our Knitting Group!

Are you passionate about knitting or want to learn?

Join our welcoming community of knitters - beginners to experts!

When: Every Wednesday from 10am to 3pm
Where: Ararat Neighbourhood House

What to Bring:

- Your favorite yarn
- knitting needles
- Any ongoing projects
- A positive attitude!

Why Join Us?

- Share ideas and tips
- Learn new techniques
- Make new friends
- Participate in fun challenges

Bring Your Creativity and let's knit together!

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03 5352 1551

BYO Lunch



Responsible Service of Alcohol

Your Commitment to Safety and Enjoyment!

What is Responsible Service of Alcohol?

Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) refers to serving alcohol in a way that promotes safe consumption and prevents alcohol related harm.

1. Understand the Law
 - know the legal drinking age.
2. Monitor Guests' intake
 - Observe guests for signs of intoxication.
3. Be Proactive
 - Refuse service to intoxicated guests kindly but firmly.
4. Training and Education
 - Ensure staff are RSA certified.
5. Promote Safe Drinking Habits
 - Help guests make informed choices.

USI is required

Date: Monday, 10th of November
Time: 4pm - 10pm
Cost: \$105 upfront

Reserve your spot today!
Call 03 5352 1551 or email
reception@araratnh.com to register

LIQUOR CONTROL VICTORIA Approved RSA Provider



Learn English as a Second Language

Instructors: Barb Shannon and Verne Simmions

Who is this course for:

- beginners to advanced learners
- Those looking to improve their English or everyday communication

FREE

Location: Ararat Neighbourhood House, Each week on Friday Time: 2pm - 4pm

Please bring a notepad/pen

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Join Our Fun and Creative Sewing Class!

Unleash Your Inner Designer!

What you will Learn:

- Basic sewing techniques
- Fabric selection and preparing
- How to use a sewing Machine
- Bring in your own projects to complete

When: from the 22/01/2025 every Wednesday.
Time: 4.00pm - 6.00pm
Where: Ararat Neighbourhood House
56 Campbell Street, Ararat VIC 3377
Cost: \$5 per person per week

For more information contact us on
Phone: 03 5352 1551
Email: reception@araratnh.com



Ararat Neighbourhood House PRESENTS: BASIC COMPUTER CLASS

Unlock the Digital World!

Course Details:

- Start Date: Friday 14th of Feb 2025
- Duration: 12 Months
- Location: Ararat Neighbourhood House
- Time: Friday from 11am to 1pm

Course Highlights:

- Introduction to computers
- Basic internet skills
- Word Processing (Microsoft Word)
- Spreadsheets (Microsoft Excel)
- Online Safety & Security
- Hands-on - Practice & Support

Who should Attend?

- Beginners with little or no computer experience
- Anyone looking to enhance their basic computer skills

Fee: \$10 a class

REGISTER NOW!

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Ararat Neighbourhood House Food Safety Training

Why get certified?

- Enhance your knowledge of food safety practice
- Improve your job opportunities in the food industry
- Ensure compliance with local health regulations

What you'll learn:

- Safe food preparation and storage methods
- Proper hygiene practices
- Hazard Analysis and critical control points (HACCP)

Who should attend?

- Restaurant staff
- Food service workers
- Everyone welcome

USI is required

Certificate issued upon completion
Register now! 03 5352 1551 or
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Date: Tuesday, 11th November
Time: 9am - 5pm
Cost: \$145 upfront



Book Chat at Ararat Neighbourhood House

Join Us for a wonderful gathering!

Explore your passion for books with fellow enthusiasts.

Details:

- When: Starting February 6th, 2025. Continues every 1st Tuesday of the month
- Time: 7pm - 8pm
- Where: 56 Campbell Street, Ararat Vic 3377
- Cost: \$5 per person/session

What to expect:

A friendly atmosphere filled with discussions, opportunity to share thoughts, and discover new reads. We have plenty of books to choose from, or feel free to bring your own!

All book lover's welcome!

Phone: Margaret 0427 522 629
Phone: 03 5352 1551



No Interest Loans

For school essentials you need now.
No fees. No interest. Ever.

Borrow up to \$2000. Pay back what you borrow.



Join our Social Walking Group!

Where: Alexander Gardens
When: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
Time: from 8.15Am

Collaborating with Ararat YMCA Walking Group

Free Event!

Come make new friends and enjoy a refreshing walk around the lake.

Everyone is Welcome!

For more information, contact:
reception@araratnh.com



Ararat Neighbourhood House

Ararat neighbourhood house Justice of the peace

Statutory Declarations

- Legal documentation services
- Confidential and secure processing

Location:
56 Campbell Street, Ararat VIC 3377
Hours of Operation:
10am - 12pm

Why Choose Us?

- Professional and experienced service
- Fast turnaround times
- Friendly assistance

Contact today for your statutory declaration needs!



Every Wednesday

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ARARAT NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

Art Group

Join us every Thursday

Time: 10AM - 12PM

Cost: \$5 per session

Materials Provided

Booking Essential

Walk-ins Accepted!

Unleash your creativity and make new friends!
For more information, contact: 03 5352 1551



JOIN US FOR A CHATTY CAFE FOR "CUPPA & CONNECT"!



Make new friends over a warm cup of tea or coffee!

Location: 56 Campbell Street Ararat VIC 3377

Phone:

Every Tuesday from 10am - 11.30am

What to Expect:

- Warm Beverages: Enjoy a coffee or tea
- Friendly Faces: Meet new people in a cozy environment
- Casual Chats: Share stories, ideas, and laughs

Let's Create Connections! Join our vibrant community and make lasting friendships!

Sip, Chat, and Make Memories!

We can't wait to see you there!

03 5352 1551

Gold Coin donation accepted.



ARARAT NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

We offer Photocopying, printing and laminating available for the community at competitive rates.

Contact the office on 03 5352 1551

If you need this service

Price List:

Printing:

B&W A4 - 20c

B&W A3 - 35c

Colour A4 - 90c

Colour A3 - \$1.80

Laminating:

A4 size paper - \$2.00

A3 size paper - \$3.00

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Ararat Neighbourhood House CRAFT GROUP - EVERY FRIDAY

Join Us for a Fun and Creative Experience!

Who: All skill levels welcome!
What: Bring your favorite craft supplies, or try something new!

BYO: Lunch

- Highlights:
- Relaxed, friendly atmosphere
 - Share ideas and techniques
 - Make new friends

Contact:
For more information, contact at
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56 CAMPBELL STREET,
ARARAT VIC 3377



Legal Services

Ararat Neighbourhood House

We will be hosting FREE and confidential legal services for our community in collaboration with Ballarat & Grampians Community Legal Services. APPOINTMENTS Only will provide all legal services

Date's:

Thursday - 09/10/2025 from 10.30 am - 1.30 pm

Thursday - 04/12/2025 from 10.30 am - 1.30 pm

Walk-ins will be accepted from 10:30 am from 11:30 am for every session.



Contact Us

03 5331 5999

Free Call: 1800 466 488



ARARAT NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

GET YOUR WHITE CARD WITH ACPCWH51001!

PREPARE TO WORK SAFELY IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY (VIC)

Price: \$195 Includes certificate and white card!

Key Course Details:

- Validation: No renewal required
- Time: Courses run from 9am to 3pm
- Location: Training Room, 1 Ugar Street (Corner of Ugar and Barkly Street)
- Frequency: Every 1st Tuesday of the month

Important information:

- ✓ Bring valid photographic identification on the day of the course
- ✓ No online inputs necessary - Our courses are comprehensive!
- ✓ Expect an email from Allen's Training (no action required)

Don't miss out! Secure your spot today!

Contact Us

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Training and Assessment Delivered on Behalf of



UNLEASH YOUR CREATIVITY!



CREATIVE WRITING

BRING YOUR PEN, PAPER AND PASSION!

Join Us For a Creative writing Session!
Are you ready to share your stories with others?
(Discover your unique voice and express your imagination on paper)

- What to Expect:
- Engage in inspiring writing prompts
 - Share your work in a supportive environment
 - Receive constructive feedback
 - Connect with fellow writers

When: January 21st, 2025

10am to 12pm Every Tuesday

Where: Ararat Neighbourhood House

Who: Open to all skill levels!

for more information, contact

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Gold coin Donation accepted.



Help is here!

Ararat Neighbourhood House

Now Registered for Work and Development Permit Schemes

Are you facing fines and struggling to pay them?
We can help!

What We Offer:

- Assistance with Work and Development permit applications
- Opportunities to work off your fines
- Support and guidance throughout the process

Who Can Apply:

- Individuals with outstanding fines
- Anyone looking for a way to manage their financial obligations

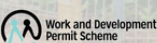
Why Choose Us?

- Friendly and supportive staff
- Community - focused services
- A safe space to get the help you need

Contact Us Today! Visit us at 56 Campbell Street Ararat 3377

Call us at: 03 5352 1551

Email: reception@araratnh.com



SMALL FIXES & CUSTOM BUILDS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

Do you need Help?

Services Offered:

- Maintenance and small Repairs
- Custom Builds for your home
- Bookshelves
- Tables
- Chairs
- Cabinets

What we DON'T Do:

- No Electrical Repairs or Equipment

CONTACT US

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Make an appointment with

RECONNECT

You can receive Reconnect support at Ararat Neighbourhood House on

Wednesday
30th April

Speak with Teli to register your interest:

Ph: 5352 1551 Mob: 0417 418 405
manager@araratnh.com

WE CAN HELP WITH

- Personal, study and employment goals
- Exploring accredited training options
- Additional supports during study
- short courses, volunteer work and preparing for employment
- Assistance with personal barriers and links to specialist support services

AM I ELIGIBLE

- Aged 17-64
- Not currently enrolled in education or training
- Employed less than 8 hours per week



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BARISTA COURSE

Join our hands-on "Barista Basics" course, learn to make café-style coffee, use an espresso machine, and master milk texturing. Perfect for beginners and coffee lovers!

REGISTER NOW

Cost: \$230

Date: Wednesday, the 6th of August

From: 9am - 4.30pm

Where: 86 High St, Ararat

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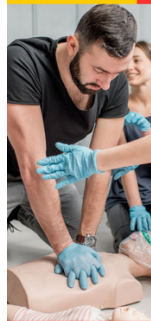
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HOW TO DONATE TO US VIA THE CDS VIC WEST APP

- 1 Open the app (available here) & login. Look us up under "Charities" and press **Set as Payout** to get ready to donate your 10c refunds
 - 2 Scan your App barcode at your local TOMRA Cleanaway machine
Visiting our depot or over the counter? Ask our friendly staff for assistance
 - 3 Insert your eligible bottles or cans
 - 4 Press "TRANSFER" on the screen to confirm your donation
- 100% of the refunds will be donated to us
Thanks for your support!
- Find your nearest machine on the CDS VIC West app or visit www.cdsvic.org.au

TOMRA CLEANAWAY CDS VIC VICTORIA

FIRST AID & CPR TRAINING



First Aid (HLTAID011) \$180
From 09.00am - 3.00pm
CPR (HLTAID009) \$80
From 9.00am - 11.00am
Emergency First Aid response in on Education or care setting (HLTAID012) \$250
from 9.00am - 4.00pm

**OCT 6TH
NOV 3RD
NOV 17TH
DEC 3RD
DEC 17TH**

CONTACT US

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CHRONIC ILLNESS SOCIAL GROUP (C.I.S.G)

C.I.S.G INCL Cancer Survivors
And or Carers Past And Present
Meet And Greet
Ararat Neighbourhood House
for conversation and a Cuppa

When: Every Thursday

Where: 56 Campbell Street Ararat Vic 3377

Time: 12.30pm to 2.30pm
Cost: Gold coin donation

Phone: (03)5352 1551



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Do you need support?

Someone....
to talk to?
who will listen?
to guide you through challenging situations?

Ararat Neighbourhood House is here for you.

we have a support worker who can help you.

Ph: (03) 5352 155

& ask for an appointment with our support worker, Kylie.

Kylie can assist you with:

Addiction Issues Anxiety / Depression
Sexual Assault Domestic Violence
Victims of Crime PTSD/C - PTSD

Eating Disorders



ROOM HIRE

\$20 per hour



Room Hire is available 24 hours 7 days a week

Call us: (03) 5352 1551

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RITCHIES IGA LIQUOR

NOMINATE US TODAY
AS PART OF THE RITCHIES
COMMUNITY BENEFIT PROGRAM
and help us generate extra funds.

Ararat Neighbourhood House Inc.



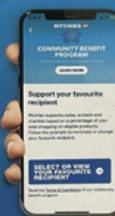
1 Download or update the Ritchies Card App



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Operating Hours

By appointment only

Tuesday.....12-2pm
Wednesday.....12-2pm
Thursday.....12-2pm
Friday.....12-2pm

Ararat Neighbourhood House

Mental Health craft

BYO: Lunch

Who: All skill levels welcome
What: Bring your favorite craft supplies, or try something new!

Fridays
from
11.00am -
1.00pm

Highlights:
Relaxed, friendly atmosphere
Share ideas and techniques
Make new friends

Contact:

For more information, contact at

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\$100! POWER SAVING BONUS

FOR ELIGIBLE CONCESSION CARD HOLDERS

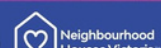
VISIT ARARAT NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE FOR ASSISTANCE



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FIND OUT MORE:
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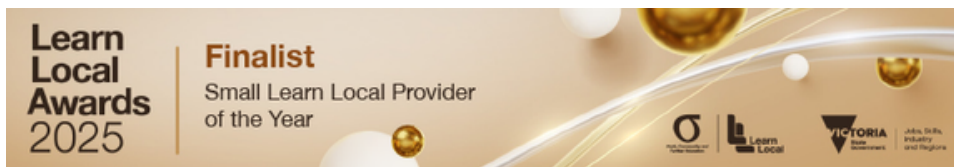
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News:



We're Finalists!

Ararat Neighbourhood House is a finalist in the 2025 Learn Local Awards! This means our programs—like English classes and community events—are being recognised across Victoria. Thank you to all our learners, teachers, and volunteers. You make our House special!



Barista Course Success!

Last term we launched our Barista Course—and now we're celebrating our first graduates! Huge thanks to BGT Jobs + Training Ballarat for running the program and supporting local skills development.



Help Us Support Our Community!

Ararat Neighbourhood House Food Bank Needs Your Help!

We are in need of sturdy bags for our food bank to help transport essential supplies to those in need.

How You Can Help:

- Donate reusable bags
- Drop-off at: 56 Campbell Street Ararat VIC 3377
- Any size or type is appreciated!

Together, we can make a difference!

For more information, contact us at: 03 5352 1551 or reception@araratnh.com

Thank you for your support



Help US!

The Ararat Neighbourhood House Food Hub needs reusable bags for food distribution.

Please donate any sturdy bags to 56 Campbell Street Ararat VIC 3377

Thank you!

Ararat Neighbourhood House

Mission and Vision:

Ararat Neighbourhood House provides a welcoming meeting place for the community where people can form friendships, learn a variety of skills and obtain information and referral to other services. We are inclusive of people of all abilities and provide programs to meet the community's needs. We are accessible to community members who are socially and geographically isolated or living with disadvantage. We partner with local service providers to give access to affordable diverse programs that meet the needs of personal and professional development. Ararat Neighbourhood House is committed to providing a friendly, welcoming environment where there is opportunity for people to meet, form friendships, learn, obtain information and connect with services and supports. Our Values Welcoming, Respect, Social Justice, Diversity, Responsible.

Key Objectives:

1. Provide education opportunities that are responsive and relevant to community needs.
2. To provide a welcoming space that is inclusive to people of diverse backgrounds, ages, cultures and abilities.
3. To encourage active participation by the community, volunteers and committee.
4. To establish and maintain transparent and accountable governance.

Ararat Neighbourhood House

HELPFUL

CONTACTS

Ararat Police Station - 03 5355 1500

Non-Urgent Police Station -131 444

Ararat hospital - 03 5352 9300

East Grampians Health Service -
03 5352 9300

Emergency (Fire, Ambulance or Police) - 000

Ararat Medical Centre - 03 5352 2311

Ararat Rural City Council - 03 5355 0200

GMW Water - 1300 695 961

Lifeline - 13 11 14

Contact Us

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