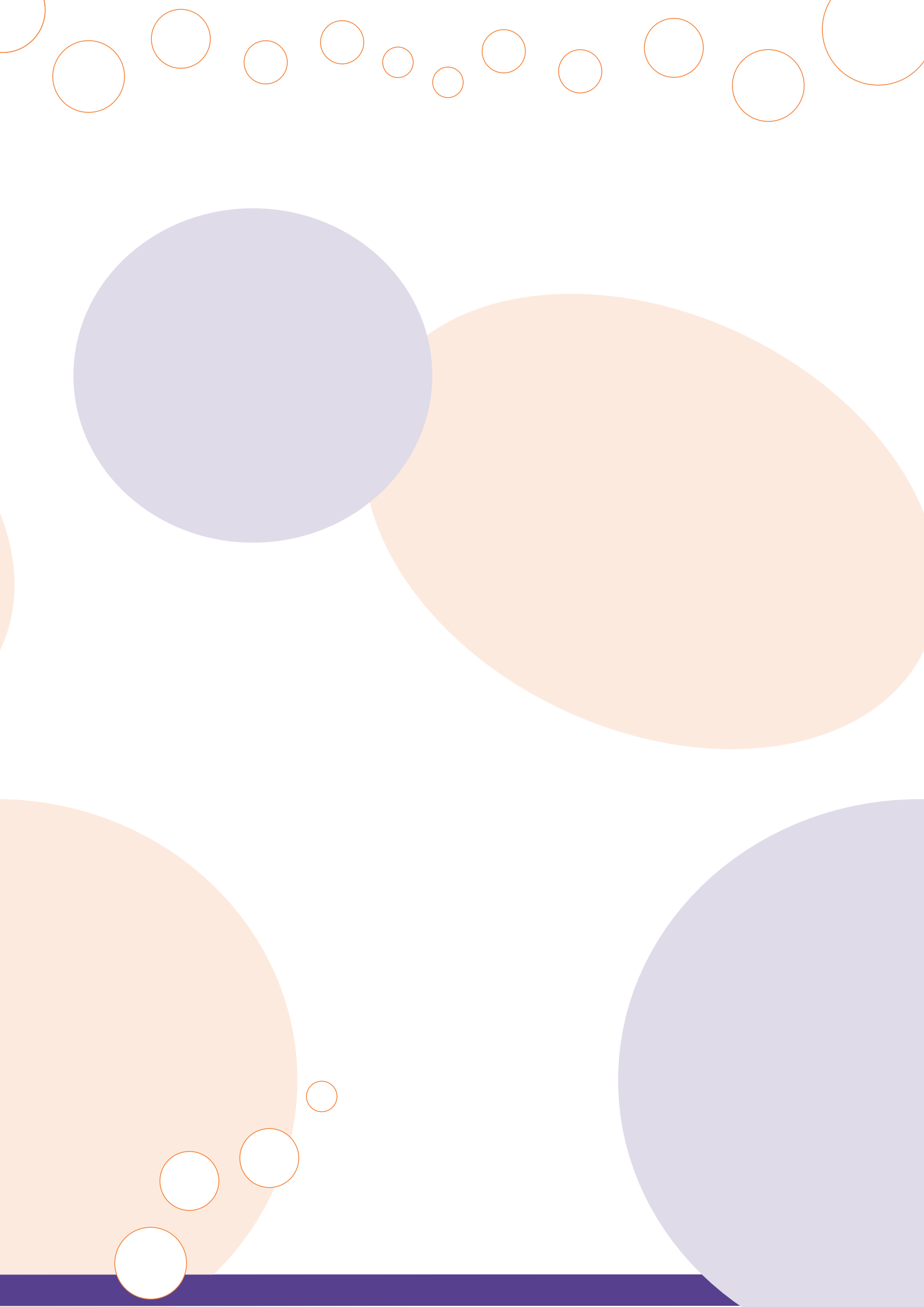


Highland's **CHILD**



Wingecarribee Child and Family Services 2010







Highland's Child represents a consortium of organisations that deliver child and family services across the Wingecarribee local government area.

The aim of *Highland's Child* is to improve outcomes for families and children in the Wingecarribee Shire through:

- promoting the goals of child and family services using the NSW Families First framework as a guide;
- providing a communication link between Wingecarribee and Macarthur child and family service providers;
- coordinating service delivery to families and children;
- encouraging community participation;
- identifying needs and planning responses;
- sharing information amongst services;
- ensuring that information about services reaches the right target groups;
- advocacy and representation to influence decision makers and resource allocation; and
- encouraging the participation of diverse and special need groups in planning and service development activities.



Contact

There is not a central telephone number for Highlands Child as it is a group of independent community services.

However, please feel free to contact any participating agencies listed.

Alternatively, two agencies have volunteered to assist with enquiries:

Sector Connect
Phone: 02 4648 5933

Wingecarribee Family Support Service
Phone: 02 4862 1777

Participating Agencies

Highland's Child includes agencies that receive partial or full government funding to deliver services to families raising children. In 2009 these included:

- Bowral District Hospital Social Work
- Bridges for Learning Children's Therapy Centre
- NSW Ageing, Disability and Home Care
- NSW Community Services
- Homestart Wingecarribee
- Illawarra Children's Services - Inclusion Support
- Pathways, St Vincent De Paul Society
- Playgroup NSW
- Sector Connect
- Uniting Care Burnside - Early Intervention
- Wingecarribee Community Health Service
- Community Nursing & Child and Family Team
- Wingecarribee Early Childhood Intervention Coordination Program
- Wingecarribee Family Day Care
- Wingecarribee Family Support Service
- Wingecarribee Shire Council



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Assessment and Early Childhood Development and Care

For more detailed information on this area please see the **Wingecarribee Early Childhood Intervention Services Directory**

Child & Family Health Nurse Clinics

Please phone Wingecarribee Community Health 4861 8000 to make an appointment (see section "Baby Clinics" for locations).

KU Wingecarribee Family Program

Supported playgroup for families who have children with a disability or a developmental delay and families who are seeking support with parenting. Held on Thursday mornings.

Address: Cnr Rosina & Cumbertine Sts

Hill Top 2575

Phone: 0428 419 024

Moss Vale Early Intervention Service

Small group, half day session with Special Education Teacher catering for children 3-6 years with diagnosed disability or delay. Located at Moss Vale Public School.

Address: Browley St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 1985

Bridges For Learning

Children's Therapy Centre - facilitating early assistance with child development for children 0-12 years with additional needs or disabilities. Offering therapy and educational services which are play based, child friendly and family-centred. (Speech Pathologist, Occupational Therapist, Physiotherapist, Special Educator, Child Psychologist, Counsellor) Autism & Asperger's Program. Parent support sessions & programs.

Address: 25 Thompson St, Bowral 2576

Email: admin@bridgesforlearning.org.au

Phone: 4861 4054

Web: www.bridgesforlearning.org.au

Baby Clinics

Child and Family Health Nursing Services are provided for children aged 0-5 and their families. Services provided include:

- A home visit following discharge from hospital is offered to all families living in the Area within two, at most four, weeks of the birth of a baby.
- Sustained home visiting (SHV) is not widely available in SSWAHS at present.
- Breastfeeding clinics and support groups have also been established across the Area to promote breastfeeding and assist mothers managing lactation and associated issues.
- Parenting Group for parents following the birth of their first child.
- Sleep & Settling Group
- Developmental Screening

ELIGIBILITY: Families with children 0-5 yrs of age who reside in the Local Government Area (LGA)

Centres:

- Bowral
- Moss Vale
- Mittagong
- Hill Top
- New Berrima
- Penrose
- Robertson

REFERRAL PROCESS:

For all Appointments: Contact Wingecarribee Community Health Centre **4861 8000**.

For all child health advice: Contact Central Intake **8788 4288**.



Childcare, Pre-School, After School and Vacation Care

ABC Learning Centre Long Day Care Centre

Address: 27 Belmore Rd, Mittagong
Phone: 4872 1730

Birralee Children's Centre

Long day care centre for children 0-6 years.
Address: 21 Elsworth Avenue, Mittagong 2575
Phone: 4872 4699
Email: birralee@pacific.net.au

Bowral Pre-School Education Centre

Preschool education for children 0-6 years.
Address: 61 Boardman Rd, East Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 5333

Bowral Street Pre-School

Preschool and long day care centre for children 2-5 years.
Address: 182 Bowral St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 3294
Email: bsppp2@bigpond.net.au

Bambinos Kindergarten

(Children 6 weeks to 5 years)
Address: 51 Retford Rd Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 4011
Email: adminbow@bambinoskindergarten.com.au

Bundanoon District Pre-School Kindergarten

For children 3-6 years.
Address: Burgess St, Bundanoon 2578
Phone: 4883 6166
Email: bundanoon_preschool@hotmail.com

Family Day Care

Provides full or part-time childcare and occasional or emergency child care in the homes of licensed carers.
Address: East Bowral Community Centre at
71 Boardman Rd, East Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 2866
Email: familydaycare@wsc.nsw.gov.au

Gibbergunyah Long Day Care

Pre-School and long day care centre for children 3 months to 5 years of age.
Address: 36 Etheridge St, Mittagong 2575
Phone: 4872 2280
Email: gibbergunyahldc@hotmail.com

Gumnut Bowral Memorial Kindergarten

Pre-School education for children 3 to 5 yrs.
Address: 50 Wingecarribee St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 1342
Email: gumnut@hinet.net.au

Hill Top Pre-School Day Care Centre

For children 0-6 years.
Address: Linda St, Hill Top, 2577
Phone: 4889 8330

Kids Castle Out of School Hours Care

Address: Bowral Public School
cnr Bendooley and Banyette St
Bowral 2576
Phone: 0401 232 452

KU Donkin Memorial Pre-School

Pre-School education for children 3 to 6 yrs.
Address: Donkin Av, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 1737
Email: ku.donkin@bigpond.com

Northern Villages Mobile Pre-School (KU Children's Services)

Mobile Pre-Schools for children 2-5 years.
Address: Community Hall, Sydney St
New Berrima – Wed & Thurs
Community Hall, Sunrise St
Yerrinbool- Mon & Tues
Phone: 0407 391 397

KU Moss Vale Children's Centre (KU Children's Services)

Long day care centre for children 0 to 6 yrs.
Address: Corner Mann Cr and Ralfe St
Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 3393
Email: ku.mossvale@ku.com.au

Mittagong Pre-School Kindergarten

For children 2-6 years.

Address: Corner Oxford St and Waverly Pde,
Mittagong 2575

Phone: 4871 1109

Email: mittpsk@bigpond.net.au

Mittagong After School Care and Wingecarribee Vacation Care

After school care and vacation care during school holidays for school age children.

Address: Mittagong Public School,
Pioneer St, Mittagong 2575

Phone: 4861 2866

Email: familydaycare@wsc.nsw.gov.au

Moss Vale Out of School Hours : Vacation and After School Care

After school care and vacation care during school holidays for school age children, Kinder to Year 6.

Address: Moss Vale Public School Hall
Browley St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 0417 404 063

Email: mvcoosh@tpg.com.au

Mt Gibraltar Pre-School

Pre-School and long day care centre.

Address: 62 Oxley Drive, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 3063

Northern Villages Out of School Hours

After school care and vacation care during school holidays for school age children.

Address: Jurd Park, Acacia St, Colo Vale 2575

Phone: 4889 4974

Email: nvoosh@hotmail.com

Email: pps@bmi.org.au

Potters Pre-School

Pre-School education for children from 2 - 6 yrs.

Address: 37 Regent St, Mittagong 2575

Phone: 4872 3627

QCE Child-Care Centre

(Children from birth to 6 years).

Address: 23 Crimea Street Mittagong 2575

Phone: 4872 1993

Email: qcechildcare@hotmail.com

Robertson Pre-School Kindergarten

Pre-School education for children aged from 2 to 6 years.

Address: Caalong St

Robertson 2577

Phone: 4885 1353

Email: robertsonpreschool@bigpond.com

Southern Highlands Early Childhood Learning Centre

Long day care centre.

Address: 100 Beaconsfield Rd, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4869 1761

Email: pgarrad@netspace.net.au

St Thomas Aquinas After School Care & Vacation Care

After school care and vacation care. Child Care benefit.

Address: St Thomas Aquinas School
Bundaroo St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 0438 611 903

Theaslea Pre-School

Extended hours preschool for 3-6 year olds.

Address: 22 Drapers Rd

Colo Vale 2575

Phone: 4889 4641

Wembley Road Pre-School

Preschool and long day care centre for children 0-6 years.

Address: 10 Wembley Rd, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4869 5739

Email: preschool@bigpond.net.au



Childhood Immunisation

Wingecarribee Shire Childhood Immunisation Clinics

Free childhood immunisation clinics organised monthly by Wingecarribee Shire Council, contact Carolyn Webb.

- Mittagong
- Bowral
- Moss Vale

Phone: 4868 0888

Web: www.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Community Information

Highlands Community Centres Inc.

Provides information and referral on community and crisis services, advocacy, emergency relief, assistance with food and prescriptions in time of need, free Tax Help and Legal Aid referral.

Address: Stafford Cottage

22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 1122

Email: mail@highlandscommunity.org.au

Wingecarribee Shire Council Customer Services

Address: Civic Centre Elizabeth St
Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 0888

Web: www.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Bowral Central Library

Address: Bendooley St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 1167

Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Bridges For Learning - Therapy & Education Centre

Books, CD's, resource material and specialised equipment for children with disabilities. Available for carers, families, professionals, and organisations to borrow.

Address: 25 Thompson St, Bowral 2576

Email: manager@bridgesforlearning.org.au

Phone: 4861 4054

Web: www.bridgesforlearning.org.au

Mittagong Branch Library

Address: Queen St, Mittagong 2575

Phone: 4871 2252

Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Moss Vale Branch Library

Address: Civic Centre, Kirkham St
Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 2479

Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Emergency Services

Police

Phone 000

Ambulance

Phone 000

Fire Brigade

Phone 000

DOCS Helpline

132 111

DV Line

1800 656 463

Poisons Information line

131 126



Family and Relationship Counselling

Anglicare Welfare Services

Offers counselling by appointment.
Address: 471 Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 1780

Centre of Youth

Counselling for adolescents 12 to 17 years of age who are experiencing a mental health issue.
Address: Ascot Rd, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 0385

Creative Blocks Counselling Psychology Service

Counselling, assessment & psychological treatment for depression, anxiety or other mental health issue, adolescent assessment and counselling, behaviour management services for people with a disability.
Address: Suite 2/20, Bundaroo St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 0404 328 877

Family Relationship Centre

Provides info to help families with relationships and assists separating families in dispute resolution, as required by Family Law. Free advice and up to three hours of dispute resolution sessions. Phone for appointment.
Address: Stafford Cottage
22 Bendooley Street, Bowral
Phone: 4220 1100

Highlands Adolescent and Family Counselling

Free counselling service to young people aged 12 - 24 &/or their families/care-givers. Issues commonly addressed: behavioural and anger management concerns; adolescent development; drugs and alcohol; difficulties related to school; stress, anxiety and depression; eating disorders, body image issues and self esteem.
Address: (at the rear of) 76 Bowral St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 7111 mobile: 0408 383 723
Email: highlandsafc@bigpond.com

Lifeline

Offers 24 hour crisis counselling. All callers remain anonymous.
Phone: 131 114

Relationships Australia Centre

Offers individual, couple and family counselling on Wed, Thur and Fri.
Address: Uniting Church Offices
28 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4228 7711

Southern Highlands Bereavement Care Service

Provides bereavement counselling, support and training programs such as on how children manage grief.
Address: Old Cottage at Bowral Hospital, Bowral
Email: info@shbcs.org.au
Phone: 4862 1701
Web: www.shbcs.org.au

Think Twice! Programs

Provides counselling and group programs for men and women in relationships experiencing high levels of partner conflict or violence.
Address: 4 Jenwood Ave, Mittagong 2575
Phone: 4800 9311 or 0409 599 887
Email: info@thinktwiceprogram.net
Web: www.thinktwiceprogram.net

Wingecarribee Community Health Centre

Provides counselling for adults and children.
Address: Bendooley Place
Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 8000

Wingecarribee Family Support Service

Offers support, counselling and education for families in crisis or difficulty or those needing help with parenting.
Address: c/- Kazcare Facilities
cnr Kirkham & Centennial Rds
Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 1777
Email: admin@wfss.ngo.org.au

YWCA Southern Highlands Family Violence Worker

Crisis support and follow up to people who are affected by domestic violence. Court support is offered.
Address: Po Box 2487
24 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 1911 mobile 0423 770 305

Family Support Services

Anglicare Welfare Services

Emergency relief, Oasis Christian books & gift shop, tea room and community garden.

Address: 471 Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 1780

Email: mossvale@anglicare.org.au

Compeer Macarthur-Wingecarribee

A friendship program for individuals over 18 years of age who are living with a mental illness.

Volunteers are matched with individuals to spend social time together doing things that friends do, like going to the movies.

Phone: 4627 9180 mobile: 0437 491 591

Home-Start Wingecarribee

Provides trained volunteers who offer practical support and friendship to families with children under five. Volunteers visit families on a weekly basis. A supported playgroup is provided in partnership with Moss Vale TAFE.

Address: 56 Wingecarribee St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 4030

Email: wingsh@bigpond.net.au

Interchange Wingecarribee Inc

Provides range of programs for families caring for children and young people with a disability such as host family respite care, peer support leisure group, post school options, community access and participation programs.

Address: 59 Kirkham Rd, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 2644

Email: info@iwi.org.au

Loseby Park Youth Centre

A resource centre for young people aged 12-18 years providing a drop in centre, events & school holiday programs.

Address: Park Rd, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 2052

Email: youthcentre@highlandscommunity.org.au

Human Services - Ageing, Disability & Home Care

Support and services to older people, people with disabilities and their carers in NSW.

Address: Shops 1-3, 44- 48, Bowral St
Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 9800

Human Services - Community Services

Child protection and support of families.

Address: PO Box 631, Bowral

Suite 2, 86-90 Merrigang St, Bowral

Fax: 4861 0799

Phone: 4861 0700

Rainbow of the Southern Highlands

Supports families of chronically and terminally ill children, aged 0 -16 years. Meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 2pm. Support meetings for mums or dads are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

Address: 3 Myrtle St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 2204

Sole Parent Support Group

Meetings provide a friendly caring environment for sole parents, providing information, discussion and support. Childcare is provided for group meetings.

Address: Wingecarribee Family Support Service
c/- Kazcare Facilities,
Cnr Kirkham & Centennial Rds, Bowral

Phone: 4862 1777

Email: admin@wfss.ngo.org.au

South West Support Coordination Program

Aims to help parents who are aged 65 years or over who are caring for a son or daughter with a disability.

Phone: 9728 0252

South West Sydney Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre

Respite services for carers who are looking after persons who are frail aged or who have a disability, an acquired brain injury, chronic illness, mental health issues, palliative care needs or dementia.

Phone: 1800 059 059 or 1800 052 222

South West Sydney Mental Health Respite Program

Aims to help carers of persons with a mental illness, intellectual disability or autism with a range of respite services.

Phone: 1800 059 059

South West Sydney Young Carer Respite Program

Supporting young people aged between 12 to 25 years who have a caring role in assisting a parent with chronic illness, disability, mental health condition or drug and alcohol related problems.

Phone: 1800 059 059

Uniting Care Burnside

Services include quality child care, playgroups, home visiting and parents' groups. Joining the program is voluntary. The Department of Community Services decides if a family meets the criteria for the program.

Address: PO Box 139, Picton NSW 2571

Phone: 4677 0977

Wingecarribee Community Health Centre

Provides child and family health services, counselling for adults and children.

Address: Bendooley Place

Bendooley St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 8000

Wingecarribee Family Support Service

Offers support, counselling and education for families in crisis or difficulty or those needing help with parenting.

Address: c/- Kazcare Facilities

Cnr Kirkham & Centennial Rds, Bowral

Phone: 4862 1777

Email: admin@wfss.ngo.org.au

Young Parent Project

Information, education, networking and support for pregnant and parenting young women, men and their children. Weekly meeting, peer support, newsletter, crises and family support, home visiting and social outings.

Address: Wingecarribee Family Support Service
c/- Kazcare Facilities

Cnr Kirkham & Centennial Rds, Bowral

Phone: 4862 1777

Email: admin@wfss.ngo.org.au

YWCA Southern Highlands Books for Bubs

An early literacy project that aims to raise the awareness of the importance of reading to babies and young children by connecting with families in their homes or social groups and providing free books over a 12 month period.

Address: 24 Bendooley St, Bowral

Phone: 0411 706 602

YWCA Wingecarribee Family Abuse Prevention Service

Crisis support and follow up to people who are affected by domestic violence. Court support is offered.

Address: 24 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 1911 or 0423 770 305

Email: wfv@ywca.org.au

Web: www.ywcansw.com.au



Financial Assistance

Centrelink

Provides family assistance, pension and benefit payments. Contact for Commonwealth Child Support Agency and Department of Family and Community Services.

Address: 1 Boolwey St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 131 021

Highlands Community Centres

Provides free tax help for low income individuals and families.

Address: Stafford Cottage
22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 1122
Email: hcc_2@bigbond.net.au

No Interest Loan Scheme

Can help low income people to buy essential household items such as a washing machine, fridge or medical appliance. In general, loans are only available to people whose main income is a Centrelink pension, benefit, allowance or maximum Family Assistance.

Address: Stafford Cottage
22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 1122

Health Care Services

Ambulance Service - Bowral

Address: Mona and Ascot Rd, Bowral 2576
Phone: 131 233

Bowral and District Hospital

General hospital providing medical, surgical, obstetric, paediatric, community and mental health services.

Address: Cnr Bowral St and Mona Rd, Bowral
Phone: 4861 0200

Centre of Youth

Provides mental health services for adolescents from 12 to 17 years of age.

Address: Ascot Rd, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 0385

Creative Blocks Counselling Psychology Service

Provides counselling, assessment and psychological treatment for depression, anxiety or other mental health issue, adolescent assessment and counselling, behaviour management services for people with a disability.

Address: Suite 2/20, Bundaroo St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 0404 328 877

Southern Highlands Private Hospital

Provides for surgical, medical, post-natal, rehabilitation and day surgery services.

Address: 99 Bowral St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 9400

Carer Assist

Information, education, advocacy, and support to families and people who care for someone with a mental illness.

Phone: 4868 2755
Email: info@carerassist.org.au

Wingecarribee Community Health Centre

Provides community dental clinic, podiatry, community nursing services, drug and alcohol, mental health, child and family health services, needle and syringe exchange, HIV/AIDS, nutrition, occupational therapy, counselling for adults and children, sexual assault, social work and women's health services.

Address: Bendooley Place
Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 8000



Housing and Accommodation Assistance

Argyle Community Housing

Provides rebated rent, medium to long term accommodation for people in financial crisis.
Address: Suite 1, 86-90 Merrigang St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 2753

Highlands Community Centres Inc.

Advocates for people in need of emergency accommodation to Department of Housing.
Address: Stafford Cottage
22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 1122
Email: hcc_2@bigbond.net.au

Pathways

Aims to assist women with or without children, who are homeless or at risk of homelessness to access or sustain safe, secure accommodation with priority given to women who experience domestic violence.
Phone: 4869 5873 or 0407 200 391

Southern Highlands Youth Accommodation Service

Provides up to three months accommodation for homeless youth aged from 15 to 18 years.
Address: 76 Bowral St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 3400

Literacy and Continuing Education

South East Community College

Provides vocational education, adult literacy and numeracy programs, recreational, leisure and hobby courses.
Address: Mittagong Playhouse
Bowral Rd, Mittagong 2575
Phone: 4872 3833
Email: highlands@secc.nsw.edu.au

TAFE NSW - Moss Vale College, Adult Literacy, Arts and Media

Provides adult literacy programs, vocational education and visual arts courses.
Address: Kirkham St, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 0111

Southern Highlands Computer Users Group

Provides hands on computer training for adults/seniors from basics to advanced.
Address: 5 Harbison Care Village, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4801 0610
Email: info@shcug.org.au



Legal Assistance

Highlands Community Centres Inc.

Provides legal aid referral.
Address: Stafford Cottage
22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 1122
Email: hcc_2@bigbond.net.au

NSW Attorney General's Department Moss Vale Court House

Administration of Local, Children's and Family Courts. Office of the Coroner. Agent for Public Trustee and Chamber Registrar, Registrar of Birth, Deaths and Marriages and Civil Claims Registry. Free legal advice by appointment.
Address: Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 1130

NSW Department of Juvenile Justice - Bowral

Service for young offenders who are referred by the courts. The aim of the service is to provide opportunities for young offenders to meet their responsibilities and lead a life free of further offending.

Address: Suite 5, AMP Building
409 Bong Bong St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4862 2211

Police Assistance Line (PAL)

For non emergencies and general enquiries.
Phone: 13 1444

Libraries, Computers and Internet Access

Bowral Central Library

Services include lending of books, hear-a-books, large print material, DVD's, CD's and magazines; Children's story times; special collections; reference materials, word processing and Internet access.

Address: Bendooley St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 1167
Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Hill Top Community Centre

Provides computer and Internet access centre with photocopier and fax machine.
Address: Corner Rosina St & Cumbertine St
Hill Top 2575
Phone: 4889 8998

Robertson Community Technology Centre (CTC)

A community technology and arts centre providing internet and email access, faxing, printing, computer training and business support services, venue and equipment hire, school holiday activities and volunteering opportunities.

Address: 58-60 Hoddle St, Robertson 2577
Phone: 4885 2665
Email: info@robertsonctc.org.au
Web: www.robertsonctc.org.au

Mittagong Branch Library

Services include lending of books, hear-a-books, large print material, DVD's, CD's and magazines; Children's story times; special collections; reference materials and Internet access.

Address: Queen St, Mittagong 2575
Phone: 4871 2252
Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Moss Vale Branch Library

Services include lending of books, hear-a-books, large print material, DVD's, CD's and magazines; Children's story times; special collections; reference materials and Internet access.

Address: Civic Centre
Kirkham St, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4868 2479
Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Wingecarribee Shire ROADS Library

Mobile lending service for adults and children: books, hear-a-books, large print and magazines. Services various points across Wingecarribee Shire on a fortnightly roster. See website for timetables.

Phone: 4861 1167
Web: www.library.wsc.nsw.gov.au

Material Aid and Low Cost Goods

Anglicare Welfare Services

Helps people with financial and material needs in an emergency.

Address: 471 Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 1780

Highlands Community Centres Inc.

Provides emergency relief, assistance with food and prescriptions in time of need.

Address: Stafford Cottage

22 Bendooley St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4862 1122

Email: hcc_2@bigbond.net.au

Lifeline - Moss Vale

Low cost new and preloved goods, including furniture, clothing and books.

Address: 418 Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 2283

Southlands Care

Community care organisation serving the needs of the community with an Op Shop (Monday to Friday), educational life courses, and other forms of practical assistance.

Address: Moss Vale Shopping Village

Willow Dr, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 0425 209 505

St Vincent De Paul Society Bowral

Low cost new and preloved goods, including furniture, clothing and books. Assistance given to those in need with food, accommodation, furniture and clothes etc.

Address: Bong Bong St, Bowral 2576

Phone: 4861 2852

St Vincent De Paul Society Mittagong

Low cost new and preloved goods, including furniture, clothing and books. Assistance given to those in need with food, accommodation, furniture and clothes etc.

Address: Bowral Rd, Mittagong 2575

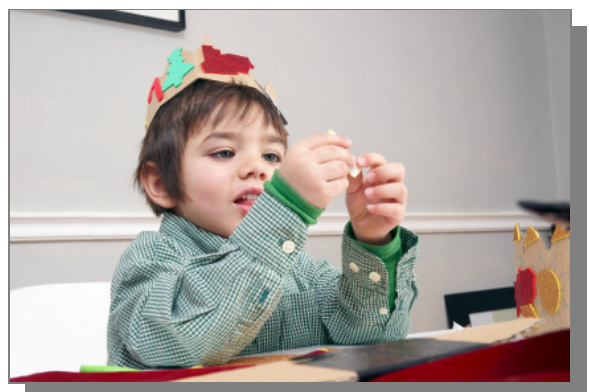
Phone: 4871 1922

St Vincent De Paul Society Moss Vale

Low cost new and preloved goods, including furniture, clothing and books. Assistance given to those in need with food, accommodation, furniture and clothes etc.

Address: 502A Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577

Phone: 4868 1775



Playgroups General

Playgroup NSW

Playgroup NSW is a not-for-profit community organisation involved directly and indirectly in providing advice, support and assistance to community, supported and facilitated playgroups.

Address: PO Box 181 Granville 2142
Phone: 02 9684 5273 or 1800 171 882
Fax: 96845613
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au
Website: www.playgroundnsw.com.au

PlayConnect

Playgroup NSW playgroup for children with Autism or Asperger's Syndrome, or similar symptoms.

Address: Bridges for Learning
25 Thompson St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 4054
Email: admin@bridgesforlearning.org.au
Web: www.bridgesforlearning.org.au

Balmoral Village Playgroup

Meets Tuesday 10:00am at Balmoral Village Community Hall.
Address: Wilson Dr, Balmoral Village
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Bowral Town Playgroup

Meets Monday and Friday 9:30am at East Bowral Community Centre.
Address: Corner Boardman Rd and Rowland Rd
Bowral
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Bundanoon Playgroup

Meets Tuesday 9:30am at Bundanoon Presbyterian Church.
Address: Phillip St, Bundanoon
Phone: 1800 171 882 (Playgroup NSW)
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Burradoo Playgroup

Meets Tuesday 9:30am at Berrima Pony Club Hall.
Address: Moss Vale Rd, Burradoo
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Colo Vale Playgroup

Meets Thursday 9:00am at Colo Vale Public School.
Address: Wattle St, Colo Vale
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Cubbyhouse Playgroup

Meets at St Jude's Anglican Church.
Address: 34 Bendooley St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 6944
Email: stjudes@acenet.com.au

Hilltop Kaladi Playgroup

Meets Wednesday 10:00am at the Hilltop Memorial Hall.
Address: Wilson St, Hilltop
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Moss Vale Playgroup

Meets Wednesday 10:00am at Southlands Christian Church.
Address: Unit 4-5 Willow Dr, Moss Vale
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Penrose Wingello Playgroup

Meets Tuesday 10:00am at Penrose Hall.
Address: Kareela Rd, Penrose
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Robertson Playgroup

Meets Monday 9:30am at Robertson Community Centre.
Address: Caalong Rd, Robertson
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Yerrinbool Playgroup

Meets Thursday 10:00am at Yerrinbool Community Centre.
Address: Cnr Sunrise and Everest St,
Yerrinbool
Phone: 1800 171 882 Playgroup NSW
Email: admin@playgroupnsw.com.au

Playgroups Supported

Family Support Play and Chat

A free, inclusive parent and child playgroup staffed by a family worker and childcare staff can help with parenting.

Address: Wingecarribee Family Support Service
Cnr Kirkham & Centennial Rd, Bowral
Phone: 4862 1777
Email: admin@wfss.ngo.org.au

KU Wingecarribee Family Program

For families who have a child with a disability or developmental delay and families seeking support with parenting. Playgroup is held on Thursdays 10am -12noon and is free, with an early childhood teacher attending.

Address: Hill Top Community Centre
Cnr Rosina and Cumbertine Sts
Hill Top 2575
Phone: 0428 419 024

Bridges for Learning - Therapy & Education Centre

Therapy supported playgroup for children with a disability, developmental delay or additional needs.

Address: 25 Thompson St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4861 4054
Email: manager@bridgesforlearning.org.au
Website: www.bridgesforlearning.org.au



Schools - Primary

Avoca Public School

Sheepwash Rd, Avoca
Phone: 4887 7224
Email: avoca-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Berrima Public School

Oxley St, Berrima
Phone: 4877 1262
Email: berrima-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Bowral Public School

Bendooley St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 1086
Email: bowral-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Bundanoon Public School

Church St, Bundanoon
Phone: 4883 6192
Email: bundanoon-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Burrawang Public School

Cnr Hoddle St and Church St, Burrawang
Phone: 4886 4261
Email: bundanoon-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Colo Vale Public School

Wattle St, Colo Vale
Phone: 4889 4250
Email: colovale-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Exeter Public School

School Lane, Exeter
Phone: 4883 4280
Email: exeter-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Glenquarry Public School

Tourist Rd, Glenquarry
Phone: 4887 1205
Email: glenquarry-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Gib Gate School

Old Bowral Road, Mittagong
Phone: 4860 2000

Hill Top Public School

Linda St, Hill Top
Phone: 4889 8227
Email: hilltop-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Kangaloon Public School

Kangaloon Rd, Kangaloon
Phone: 4888 2215
Email: kangaloon-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Mittagong Public School

21 Pioneer St, Mittagong
Phone: 4871 1020
Email: mittagong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Moss Vale Public School

Browley St, Moss Vale
Phone: 4868 1866
Email: mossvale-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Penrose Public School

Penrose Rd, Penrose
Phone: 4884 4238
Email: penrose-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Southern Highlands Christian School

Cnr Kangaloon and Boardman Rd, Bowral
Phone: 4861 1781
Email: office@shcs.nsw.edu.au

St Michael's Primary School

Alfred St, Mittagong
Phone: 4871 2279
Email: info@stmicks.woll.catholic.edu.au

St Paul's Primary School

18 Garrett St, Moss Vale
Phone: 4868 1794
Email: info@stpaulsmv.woll.catholic.edu.au

St Thomas Aquinas School

Bundaroo St, Bowral
Phone: 4861 1768
Email: info@sta.woll.catholic.edu.au

Sutton Forest Public School

Illawarra Hwy, Sutton Forest
Phone: 4868 1430

Tangara Public School

Bong Bong Rd, Mittagong
Phone: 4871 1636
Email: tangara-s.school@det.nsw.gov.au
Educational programs for students with disabilities from 4 -18 years old.

Tudor House School

Illawarra Hwy, Moss Vale
Phone: 4868 1088
Email: admin@tudorhouse.nsw.edu.au
Day and boarding school for boys Kindergarten to Year 6

Wingello Public School

Murrimba Rd, Wingello
Phone: 4884 4317
Email: wingello-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au



Schools - Secondary

Bowral Public High School

Aitken Rd, Bowral
Phone: 4861 2255

Chevalier College

Moss Vale Rd, Burradoo
Phone: 4861 1488
Email: office@chevalier.nsw.edu.au

Frensham

Waverley Pde, Mittagong
Phone: 4860 2000
Boarding and Day school for girls from
Years 7 - 12.

Moss Vale Public High School

Narellan Rd, Moss Vale
Phone: 4868 1788
Email: mossvale-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Oxley College

Railway Pde, Burradoo
Phone: 4861 1366
Email: office@oxley.nsw.edu.au

Southern Highlands Christian School

Cnr Kangaloon and Boardman Rd, Bowral
Phone: 4861 1781
Email: office@shcs.nsw.edu.au

St Paul's International College

463 Argyle St, Moss Vale
Phone: 4868 2211
Email: info@spic.nsw.edu.au

Tangara Public School

Bong Bong Rd, Mittagong
Phone: 4871 1636
Email: tangara-s.school@det.nsw.gov.au
Educational programs for students with
disabilities from 4 -18 years old.

Training and Employment

Campbell Page Employment Services

Job Network provider offering training, job seeking and employment placement programs.
Address: Shops 1-4, cnr Boolwey St & Station St, Bowral 2576
Phone: 4860 4100

Flexiforce Australia

Job Network provider offering training, job seeking and employment placement programs.
Address: Cnr Bong Bong & Boolwey St, Bowral
Phone: 4862 5055

Mission Australia

Job Network provider offering training, job seeking and employment placement programs.
Address: 290-300 Argyle St, Moss Vale 2577
Phone: 4869 2828

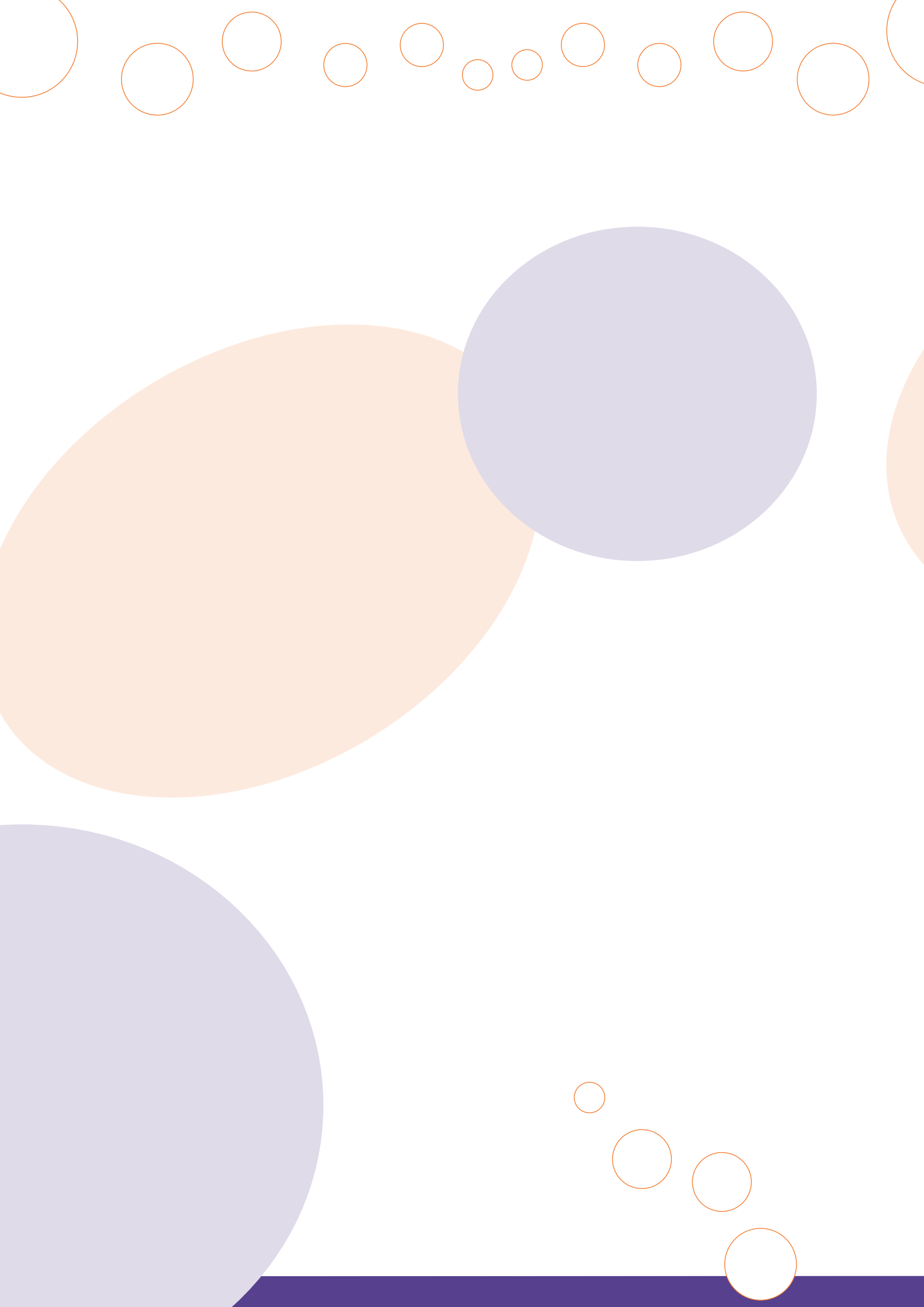
YWCA – Southern Highlands

Employment and training programs.
Address: 24 Bendooley St, Bowral
Phone: 4628 3300



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www.bridgesforlearning.org.au

www.sectorconnect.org.au

www.wsc.nsw.gov.au

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