# LAIDLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE INC.

# OUR PROGRAMS & SERVICES

#### **EMERGENCY RELIEF**

Individuals and families facing unexpected crisis can attend for support. Support may vary but can include food or fuel vouchers.

## **COMMUNITY CONNECT**

Support, referral and advocacy for community to connect with services as required in times of need.

## **EARLY CONNECTIONS PROJECT**

Program to support parents from pregnancy to primary school, including events, activities, workshops and referrals.

# **COMMUNITY PANTRY**

Newly established initiative designed to support local families living below the poverty line with non-perishable necessities.

## CENTRELINK AGENCY

Access to Centrelink phones, computers and free wi-fi. Staff on hand to help visitors use computers.

# COMMUNITY GROUNDS - SOCIAL ENTERPRISE CAFÉ

Hospitality training and employment support for young people in operational country café. Includes community library, gallery & services info hub.

# BE CONNECTED (COMPUTER TRAINING)

Individualised training for Seniors on computer use – by appointment.

# **YOUTH ACTIVITIES**

Youth engagement activities including school holiday programs to support positive outcomes (dates/times vary depending on funding).

## **DRESS FOR SUCCESS**

Support for young people (under 21 years) accessing employment including uniforms, haircuts, tools & resume support.

# **CRAFTS AND LAUGHS**

Connect socially with others while making goods to donate to those in need or BYO project - Every Friday – 9:30 – 12pm.

# FREE COMPUTERS & WI-FI

Computers to access for job & rentals search, emails and social connectivity incl. free Wi-Fi.

And more, including TAX HELP, FORM-FILLING SERVICE, INFORMATION, REFERRALS, ADVOCACY, EVENTS, WORKSHOPS and SUPPORT for other local organisations.

# VISITING & SUPPORTED SERVICES

We believe that the more services that attend in Laidley, the less our community members have to travel and the more likely they are to get the support they need. The following is a list of visiting services/groups currently attending at, or supported by, Laidley Community Centre (subject to change without notice). Please contact us for further details about how to access any of these groups/programs.

- PCYC BRAKING THE CYCLE (driver's licensing help).
- WOMEN's GROUP (Mondays at Cultural Centre)
- LITTLE LEGS PLAYGROUP 9am Wednesdays at LCC
- ANGLICARE youth programs
- ENGAGE PSYCHOLOGY
- EACH NDIS support for under 6 years
- CARER's QLD NDIS local area coordinator advice
- SALVATION ARMY Moneycare finance counselling
- WESLEY MISSION STARH Housing support
- HEARING AUSTRALIA
- EACH Alcohol & other drug counselling
- ANGLICARE Alcohol & drug counselling for youth
- OCTEC Parents Next
- FRESH START
- DRUG ARM
- KAMBU Men's Group
- SPIRIT OF THE VALLEY EVENTS
- SARINA RUSSO
- LIVES LIVED WELL New Access
- RURAL MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT

If you would like your organisation to become part of a growing hub of place-based services in Laidley please contact us for more information. We have multiple spaces for hire including meeting rooms, community kitchen, playground and undercover concrete area; Youth Centre with arcade games, air hockey & pool table; and Community Grounds café dining area (after hours). Catering can be arranged and all funds generated go straight back into delivering services for our community.

