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YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS

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Young entrepreneurs thinking about starting their own business enterprise are invited to attend the *Young Entrepreneurs Dinner* being hosted by CVGT Local Community Partnerships.

The Dinner will be held at the Bendigo Pottery Function Centre from 6.15 pm on Thursday 10th September 2009.

CVGT's Local Community Partnerships Program Manager, Tracey Andison, said that the Dinner is a wonderful opportunity for the regions young entrepreneurs to hear 'first hand' from some of the regions most successful business people about their experiences.

"This type of event demonstrates the business community's support to sharing their knowledge and expertise. They are providing young people with a unique opportunity to hear how others have made a successful transition into the business world", said Tracey.

"Proven extremely popular in the past the event gives young business minded people a unique opportunity to explore enterprising post schooling opportunities for their career development" adds Tracey. In the past young entrepreneurs attending the dinner have emerged feeling excited and motivated about the prospects of futhering their education and the possibilities of starting their own business.

"CVGT's stongly supports this initiative, and the Local Community Partnerships program is committed to supporting young people to explore new opportunities for future education and employment pathways".

"Educational institutions in Bendigo also provide leadership in lifelong learning and support for regional communities and enterprises. This event is designed to foster business innovation within the community, as well as their links to education".

"Due to the support of local sponsors, including the Local Community Partnerships, this event is free to all young people through regional education institutions," said Tracey.

LCPs partner with industry and employer groups, schools, career advisers, community organisations, parents, young people, youth service providers and other government and community organisations to assist all young people aged 13-19 years to gain the skills, experience and professional guidance to help them achieve a successful transition through school, and from school to further education, training and employment.

Media are welcome to attend.

For further information visit: www.localcommunitypartnerships.com.au

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