

# December 2024

# **Banana Shire Support Centre**

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### What's happening?

 BSSC Office will close at 12:30pm on Tuesday 24 December and reopen @ 9am on Thursday 2 January 2025; Contact numbers during break—

Mark - 0448 859 209

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- NILS applications close on 13 December; new applications as of 3 January 2025
- Oz Harvest will continue until 20 December and then recommence on 2 January 2025
- Quarterly Board
   Meeting— Wednesday
   5 February 2025

## Our Website ...

bssc.org.au

Best wishes for a joyous and safe Christmas and holiday season. We are grateful for your interest in the support BSSC offers to our community.





## BSSC 2024 AGM

We held our AGM at the Biloela Hotel on Wednesday 6 November. It was great to hear about the work that BSSC has engaged in this year. Thanks to all of those who attended and thanks to Bronwyn for an informative presentation about Human Rights.

Marion Meissner stepped down as President of BSSC, and we are very grateful to Marion for the wonderful work she has done in this role for a number of years. We are glad that Marion will continue to be involved with BSSC into next year.

We also farewelled staff member Di McKenzie this year. Thankyou Di for the many years of service you have given to our community.

## 2025 Board Members

President—Pam Semple
Vice President—Marion Meissner
Secretary—Cathie Dendle
Treasurer—Dan McMillan
New Board Members—Dan Gordon,
Bronwyn Dendle

### Staff

Office Manager—Mark Warnick Housing Officer—Nathan Capuano AND WELCOME TO...

Immediate Homelessness Response Fund Case Manager—Peta Ricketts-Mol Admin Officer, NILS—Stacey Peterson

Copies of our Annual Report are available from the BSSC Office, and on our website—bssc.org.au

Thanks to our BSSC staff for coordinating November's Housing + Health Connect.

Local and out-of-town organisations participated in this great community event.

Further information in our first newsletter of 2025!