

COMMUNITY GUIDE FOR OBERON RESIDENTS 2017/18



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in Conjunction with The Oberon Council**

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INTRODUCTION

This Guide is for all residents in the Oberon area. It's an easy to use reference which contains contact details of local organisations, including community and health services.

The Neighbourhood Centre Oberon

The Neighbourhood Centre Oberon is a community service providing a range of information, referral and coordination services for the Oberon region in a welcoming environment. The Neighbourhood Centre is a project of The Neighbourhood Centre Bathurst and is funded by NSW Department of Community Services, Community Builders.

The Neighbourhood services include:

- Information
- Referral
- Interagency Coordination
- Volunteer Coordination
- Migrant Support

The service works with individuals, service providers and community groups to provide a locally based single point of access to information, resources and services that are accessible to all members of the community.

The Centre is open from 9am-1pm Wednesday to Friday at 12 Ross Street, Oberon.

Ph: 6336 0909 Mob: 0427 074 113 Email: oberon@binc.org.au

Coordinator: Sue Fisher-Smith

Emergency Numbers

Police, Ambulance, Fire

Ph: 000

(Landline or Mobile Phone)

Oberon Police Station

Ph: 6336 1000

Queen Street, Oberon

Oberon Health Service (Hospital)

Ph: 6336 7200

67-75 North Street, Oberon

State Emergency Service (SES)

Ph: 6336 1759

Oberon Fire Control Centre

Ph: 6336 0493

UTILITIES:

Essential Energy – Electricity

Ph: 13 20 80

Supply Interruptions

AGL – Gas

Ph: 13 19 09

Gas Emergencies & Faults

Water

Ph: 0428 436 411

After Hours Emergency

Doctors / Chemist / Dental Services

Oberon Medical Centre

Ph: 6336 1505

148 Oberon Street, Oberon, NSW, 2787

CHEMIST

Oberon Pharmacy

Ph: 6336 1466

135 Oberon Street, Oberon, NSW, 2787

(Outreach service available for housebound or frail, elderly patients)

DENTAL SERVICES

Oberon Dental Surgery

Ph: 6336 0902

72 Dart Street, Oberon, NSW, 2787

TRANSPORT SERVICES

Bus

Newman's Bus Service

Ph: 6331 5767 or

0417 254 915 (AH)

BUS AND TRAIN

Countrylink

Ph: 13 22 32

(Rail & Coach Reservations, and Train Arrival/Departure Information)

TRAIN

Bathurst Railway Station

Ph: 6334 8600

Mt. Victoria Railway Station

Ph: 6354 9838

HIRE CAR (Taxi)

Oberon Hire Car Services

Ph: 0427 269 490

COMMUNITY TRANSPORT SERVICE

Community Transport

Ph: 6329 8162

(Live Better)

Taxi vouchers are available for ALL residents for local travel only.

Schools / Playgroups / Childcare / Pre-schools

SCHOOLS – OBERON

Oberon Public School

Ph: 6336 0093 or 6336 1902

Oberon High School

Ph: 6336 1606

St. Joseph's Central School

Ph: 6336 1384

Black Springs Public School

Ph: 6335 8155

Hampton Public School

Ph: 6359 3231

O'Connell Public School

Ph: 6337 5725

Rockley Public School

Ph: 6337 9336

PLAYGROUPS

Oberon Playgroup

Ph: 0413 969 823 or 0448 635 326

Black Springs Playgroup

Ph: 6352 2077

Galloping Gumnut Mobile Children's Service

Ph: 6352 3798

CHILDCARE / PRE-SCHOOLS

Oberon Children's Centre Pre-school

Ph: 6336 1310

Parkview Kindergarten

Ph: 6336 0212

Galloping Gumnut Mobile Children's Service

Ph: 6352 3798

CentreLink/Medicare (Agency)

Ph: 6336 0909

12 Ross Street, Oberon

Open Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9.00am-1pm

Please note: This is a CentreLink Agency only. No face to face appointments are held or Medicare rebates paid. There is a self-service terminal for client's use.

Oberon Council

Council Office

Ph: 6329 8100

Community Technology Centre (CTC)

Ph: 6329 8215

Library

Ph: 6329 8220

Visitor Information Centre

Ph: 6329 8210

Help & Support Services

NO INTEREST & STEP UP LOANS

Josephite Foundation

Ph: 6332 4866

96 Russell Street, Bathurst, NSW, 2795

LEGAL AID

Elizabeth Evatt Community Legal Centre

***Ph: 4782 4155 or
1300 363 967***

OPPORTUNITY SHOPS

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Ph: 6336 1223

Central West Care Bargain Centre

Ph: 6336 0099

MIGRANT & REFUGEE MENTORING

Oberon Neighbourhood Centre

Ph: 6336 0909

SOCIAL SERVICES

Ability Links

Ph: 6391 2400

Aboriginal Health Worker

Ph: 6339 5677

Aged Care Assessment Team

Ph: 6332 8963

Alcoholics Anonymous

Ph: 6336 1505

Australian Breast Feeding Association

Ph: 6336 0160

Benevolent Society

Ph: 6352 7100

Centacare

Ph: 6334 2033

Child Protection Services

Ph: 1800 066 777

Credit Line Central West

Ph: 6332 3456

Diabetes Advice

Ph: 6332 8947

Domestic Violence Line (24 hour)

Ph: 1800 656 463

<i>Department of Community Service (DOCS)</i>	<i>Ph: 6331 9500</i>
<i>Gambling HELP NSW</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 858 858</i>
<i>Gay & Lesbian Counselling</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 805 379</i>
<i>Home and Community Care</i>	<i>Ph: 6331 7100</i>
<i>Housing NSW</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 468 746</i>
<i>Kids Helpline (24 hour)</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 551 800</i>
<i>Lifeline</i>	<i>Ph: 13 11 14</i>
<i>-Credit and Debit Hotline</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 007 007</i>
<i>-Gambling Help</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 858 858</i>
<i>Marathon Health Access to Allied Psychological Services Information Line</i>	<i>Ph: 68265271</i>
<i>Men's Line Australia (24 hour)</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 789 978</i>
<i>Parent Line (24 hour)</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 130 052</i>
<i>Pregnancy Counselling Link (24 hour)</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 777 690</i>
<i>Salvo Care Line</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 363 622</i>
<i>Sexual Assault</i>	<i>Ph: 6339 5677</i>
<i>TIS (Translating and Interpreting Service)</i>	<i>Ph: 13 14 50</i>
<i>Veritas House</i>	<i>Ph: 6332 3882</i>

Health Services

<i>Oberon Health Service Centre (Hospital)</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 7200</i>
<i>Oberon District Nurses</i>	<i>Ph: 0418 221 795</i>
<i>Audiometry</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 7200</i>
<i>Foot Clinic</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 7200</i>

Robey Centre ***Ph: 6336 7200***

Women's Health ***Ph: 6330 5677***

Psychologist ***Ph: 6330 5677***

Social Worker ***Ph: 6330 5677***

Speech Pathologist ***Ph: 6330 5677***

Meals on Wheels ***Ph: 6336 0712***

Monday & Tuesday 10am – 1pm

Wednesday & Thursday 11am – 1pm

Closed Friday

ACCOMMODATION

Columbia Aged Care Services

A brand new facility offering secure, comfortable accommodation for all levels of care.

Ph: 9764 7800

E columbia@cnh.com.au

Oberon Council Self Care Units ***Ph: 6329 8100***

ACTIVITIES / LEISURE & RECREATION

Men's Shed ***Ph: 6336 5331***

Evans Neighbour Aid ***Ph: 6338 2300***

AGED CARE

My Aged Care ***Ph: 1800 200 422***

Hammond Care ***Ph: 1300 873 226***

Accessible Living Options (ALO) ***Ph: 6338 2300***

ALO Homecare Packages ***Ph: 6338 2345***

ALO Aged Care Carer Support ***Ph: 63382345***

Catholic Community Care Services ***Ph: 6332 8941***

Home Care Service ***Ph: 6336 1400***

CARER SUPPORTS

Carers NSW ***Ph: 1800 242 636***

Carer Support ***Ph: 1800 052 222***

***Carer Support Officer –
Greater Western Area Health Service*** ***Ph: 6393 3340***

Live Better ***Ph: 1300 227 393***

Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre ***Ph: 1800 052 222***

EQUIPMENT AIDS

Bathurst Mobility Aids ***Ph: 6332 2370***

Enable NSW ***Ph: 1800 362 253***

Reliable Mobility Products ***Ph: 6337 3700***

Walk on Wheels Comfort and Mobility Centre ***Ph: 1300 766 266***

HOME MODIFICATION & MAINTENANCE SERVICE

Home Modification & Maintenance ***Ph: 6332 2106***

Lawn Mowing Service ***Ph: 6332 2106***

INFORMATION / ADVOCACY

HACC Aged Advocacy Project ***Ph: 1800 424 079***

Oberon Neighbourhood Centre ***Ph: 6336 0909***

<i>Seniors Information Service</i>	<i>Ph: 13 12 44</i>
<i>Seniors Welfare Committee</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8100</i>
<i>Aged Care Complaints Resolution Scheme</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 550 552</i>
<i>Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 200 422</i>
<i>The Aged-Care Rights Service (TARS)</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 424 079</i>
<i>National Carer Counselling Program</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 242 636</i>
<i>Veterans' Affairs Network (VAN)</i>	<i>Ph: 9893 9892</i>
<i>Oberon RSL Sub Branch</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1777</i>
<i>Alzheimer's Association</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 100 500</i>
<i>Disability Information & Advocacy Service (DIAS)</i>	<i>Ph: 6332 2100</i>

LEGAL SERVICES

<i>Elizabeth Evatt Community Legal Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 4782 4155 or 1300 363 967</i>
<i>Kenny Spring Solicitors</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1485</i>
<i>McIntosh McPhillamy & Co.</i>	<i>Ph: 63361758</i>
<i>Higgins and Higgins</i>	<i>Ph: 63361637</i>
<i>Guardianship Tribunal</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 463 928</i>
<i>Legal Aid Commission of NSW</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 888 529</i>
<i>Community Justice Centre (CJC)</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 990 777</i>

RESPITE

<i>Robey Independent Living Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 7200</i>
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<i>Central West Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 1800 200 422</i>
<i>Accessible Living Options (ALO)</i>	<i>Ph: 6338 2300</i>
<i>ALO Disability Aged Care Carer Support</i>	<i>Ph: 6338 2345</i>
<i>Kincare Community Services</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 733 510</i>
<i>Australian Hearing Services</i>	<i>Ph: 6393 0500</i>
<i>BrightSky Australia</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 886 601</i>
<i>Home Care Service Calare Branch</i>	<i>Ph: 6338 1400</i>
<i>Neighbour Aid – Accessible Living Options</i>	<i>Ph: 6338 2300</i>
<i>Stroke Recovery Association NSW</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 650 594</i>
<i>Red Cross Telecross</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 885 698</i>
<i>Community Transport (Live Better0</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8100 or</i>
	<i>6331 3322</i>
<i>Veterans' Home Care</i>	<i>Ph: 13 32 54 or</i>
	<i>1800 555 254</i>

Sporting Organisations

<i>Bowling Club – Men's</i>	<i>Ph: 0419 628 007</i>
<i>Bowling Club – Women's</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0680</i>
<i>Campdraft Association</i>	<i>Ph: 6335 8176 or</i>
	<i>6336 1314</i>
<i>Darts Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0400 549 634</i>
<i>Fish River Sailing Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0411 865 796</i>
<i>Golf Club</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0262</i>

<i>Golf Associates</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1678</i>
<i>Hockey Club</i>	<i>Ph: 6335 5248</i>
<i>Indoor Bowls (RSL Club)</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1607</i>
<i>Junior League</i>	<i>Ph: 0418 889 420</i>
<i>Netball Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0428 239 994</i>
<i>Oberon United Football Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0421 317 153</i>
<i>Rodeo Committee</i>	<i>Ph: 0427 885 592</i>
<i>Oberon Leagues Sport & Recreation Club</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1150</i>
<i>Pony Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0408 698 987</i>
<i>Squash Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0428 469 602</i>
<i>Swimming Club</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8250</i>
<i>Tennis Club – Men’s</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 2299</i>
<i>Tennis Club – Women’s</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1742</i>

Service Clubs

<i>Apex</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1101</i>
<i>Anglican Women’s Association</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0475</i>
<i>Business Association</i>	<i>Ph: 6331 7700</i>
<i>CWC Bargain Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0099</i>
<i>Hospital Auxiliary</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0662</i>
<i>Inner Wheel</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0191</i>
<i>Masonic Lodge</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1313</i>
<i>Rotary</i>	<i>Ph: 6335 8226</i>
<i>RSL Club Ltd.</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1607</i>

RSL Sub Branch ***Ph: 6336 1777***
St. Vincent de Paul Society ***Ph: 6336 1223***
Tarana Red Cross ***Ph: 6359 5161***
Tourist Association ***Ph: 6336 3136***
Wires Bathurst / Orange ***Ph: 6331 1066 or***
6336 0410

Clergy

Anglican ***Ph: 6336 1366***
Baptist ***Ph: 6336 0486***
Catholic ***Ph: 6336 1022***
Catholic Convent ***Ph: 6336 1277***
Christian Life Centre ***Ph: 6336 1500***
Seventh Day Adventists ***Ph: 6351 3634***
Uniting ***Ph: 6336 1468 or 6336 0412***

Recreational, Cultural & Community

<i>Australian Tax Office Community Service</i>	<i>Ph: 6332 4866</i>
<i>Bicentennial National Trail</i>	<i>Ph: 1300 138 724 or 0417 900 070</i>
<i>Burruga Sheep Show</i>	<i>Ph: 6337 0363</i>
<i>CanAssist</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1820</i>
<i>Central Acclimatisation Society</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 2065</i>
<i>Central West Families – Oberon Playgroup</i>	<i>Ph: 6352 2077</i>
<i>Connections for Young Mothers</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 5298</i>
<i>Friends of Oberon Library Inc.</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1934</i>
<i>Garden Club</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1225</i>
<i>Jenolan Landcare</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0505</i>
<i>Knit and Natta Group</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 2019</i>
<i>Museum Society</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1016</i>
<i>Needleworkers – Tuesday Group</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1725</i>
<i>Needleworkers – Thursday Group</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1008</i>
<i>Oberon Arts Council</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 5144</i>
<i>Community Transport</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8100</i>
<i>Community Technology Centre (CTC)</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8210</i>
<i>Family History Group</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1424</i>
<i>Oberon Farmers & Community Market</i>	<i>Ph: 0427 070 956</i>
<i>Oberon Heritage & Collectors Club</i>	<i>Ph: 0409 392 415</i>
<i>Oberon Library</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8220</i>
<i>Oberon Men’s Shed</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 5331</i>

<i>Oberon Neighbourhood Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0909</i>
<i>Oberon Show Society Ladies Auxiliary</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 2239</i>
<i>Oberon Show Society</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0777 or 0429 361 294</i>
<i>Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 6307</i>
<i>Oberon/Tarana Rail Corridor Committee</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 3136</i>
<i>RSL Sub Branch</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1777</i>
<i>Senior Citizens</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1097</i>
<i>Showground Trust</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 1572</i>
<i>Spinners & Weavers</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 2019</i>
<i>University of the Third Age (U3A)</i>	<i>Ph: 6336 0742 or 6337 0363</i>
<i>Visitor Information Centre</i>	<i>Ph: 6329 8210</i>
<i>Waste to Art</i>	<i>Ph: 6359 3109 or 6329 8100</i>
<i>Wrap With Love Knitters</i>	<i>Ph: 63362019</i>

Banks / Credit Union

Commonwealth Bank of Australia ***Ph: 6336 1402***

126 Oberon Street, Oberon

National Australia Bank ***Ph: 6336 7100***

108 Oberon Street, Oberon

Reliance Credit Union ***Ph: 13 24 40 or***

157 Oberon Street, Oberon ***6336 0451***

Job Service Providers

Joblink Plus

Ph: 0438 074 692

12 Ross Street, Oberon

Sureway Employment & Training

Ph: 6338 1200

12 Ross Street, Oberon

Verto

Ph: 6334 5120

12 Ross Street, Oberon

Other Important Numbers

The Neighbourhood Centre Oberon

12 Ross Street

PO Box 295

Oberon NSW 2787

Ph: 6336 0909 Mob: 0427 074 113

Email: oberon@binc.org.au

