WELCOME TO

## Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce





### **President's Welcome**



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#### Welcome to Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce.

Brisbane North is home to more than 15,000 businesses and 200,000 residents. Boasting an international airport, university and four major retail hubs, Brisbane North is a vital economic cog in South East Queensland's economy.

As a not-for-profit member-led and run organisation we are committed to connecting, celebrating and advocating on behalf of our members. From sole traders to large corporations members of BNCC are part of a growing and vibrant business community.

Year on year our event registrations are increasing by more than 20% and our membership sales have risen by more than 16%.

There are many different ways members are involved with the chamber, including attending monthly events, sitting on our executive committee, and supporting our work with northside schools and the local community.

As a chamber we offer our members educational workshops, Night Owls networking events, Signature Events with high profile guest speakers and advocacy support through our work as a conduit to Government and major decision makers.

Whether you're just starting out in business or part of an established organisation we hope you will join us as we continue to realise our vision to build a business community to support each other.

Simon Penrose

President

## **Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce executive committee**



Simon Penrose (President)



Robin Joe Kong (Secretary/Treasurer)



Milan Pavasovic



Tameka Bramwell



**Dan Buzer** 



**Richard Froehlich** 



**Aaron Macdonald** 



**Belinda Shaw** 



**Andrew Papadimos** 

# A growing & vibrant business community





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## 4 major retail shopping hubs

(Aspley, Chermside, Toombul & DFO)

**1 university** 

(ACU)



NIGHT OWLS NETWORKING EVENTS

2018-2019 event registrations up by 20%

Average attendance: 66 in 2019 up from 55 in 2018

120 first time Night Owls in 2019



**MEMBERSHIP** 

**2018-2019 membership up by 16%** 



SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook followers up by 14%

## **Connecting**

Our monthly **Night Owls** networking events serve to bring the business community together in an informal and relaxed setting. During 2019 the chamber welcomed **120 new visitors** to Night Owls, many of whom have since joined BNCC. Each month different companies and organisations take on the responsibility of sposoring and presenting at Night Owls.

#### **FEBRUARY 2019**







**MAY 2019** 







**NOVEMBER 2019** 







We are grateful to the more than 20 northside businesses who made Night Owls possible during 2019.











#### **Night Owls 2019 Sponsors**

#### **FEBRUARY**

Cusack Communications
Jo Hassan

#### **MARCH**

Tradesmen on Time Right Source

#### **APRIL**

Rose Litigation Lawyers Interact Australia

#### MAY

myBDgroup Orb Services

#### **JUNE**

Small Business Expos Harvey Norman Aspley

#### **JULY**

Brisbane Airport Corporation
Business Insurance Cover Services

#### **AUGUST**

Integration Kings McConachie Stedman

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Councillor Adam Allan Miamo

#### **OCTOBER**

The Banyans Health & Wellness Rotary Club of Aspley

#### **NOVEMBER**

Tradesmen on Time BAAS Bookkeeping

#### **BNCC CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Snap Print & Design Geebung Michael Hill Chermside

## Celebrating success through major events

At the pinnacle of our events program BNCC's Signature series offers members the opportunity to **meet**, **network and hear from leading figures** from across business, politics and the community.

BNCC Signature Events include an **Economic Update** breakfast held each May to coincide with the federal budget; a celebratory event in March for **International Women's Day**; as well as our major **Pink Ribbon** fundraising event held annually each October.

In 2019 BNCC launched the **Northside Business Leaders Lunch**, welcoming the Lord Mayor of Brisbane, Adrian Schrinner, as our inaugural guest speaker.





































## **Business in the community**

At Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce we see local business as an integral part of the local community. The Chamber supports and promotes numerous charitable initiatives including **Pink Ribbon** month, the annual **Red Run**, **Share The Dignity** and **Burnie Brae**.

We are also committed to supporting our future business leaders. **BNCC sponsors the Northside Australian Business Week program** and our members help to judge the numerous high school teams who compete for this prestigious prize.

Members also assist local schools with **student mentoring** and **business expos** as well as hosting and coordinating annual industry days for teachers in the region.

Recognising that families are a major part of businesses, the Chamber recently launched **BNCC Family Night**. The inaugural event at iFLY Brisbane was a way for members and their families to get together with other members and their families in a safe, fun and relaxed environment.

In 2019 we also began offering our members **hands-on experiences of other businesses** in the region. Working alongside Brisbane Airport Corporation, we held a Brisbane Airport tour and networking evening providing members with a personalised tour of the new runway and surrounding precinct.

Supporting members to make better connections with others as well as with all levels of government is a key part of our work at BNCC. Each year we run a series of 'Maximising Your Membership' events. These workshops help new members, and those thinking of joining the Chamber, with business development tips and techniques to assist them to make the most out of being a part of BNCC.































### Thank you to our major partners

Our major partners are significant contributors to the success, strength and growth of Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce. Through financial and in-kind contributions each partner plays a pivotal role in supporting the work of BNCC.

From self-employed entrepreneurs to major corporations our partner organisations represent a broad cross section of businesses and industries from across the northside of Brisbane.

At BNCC we work alongside our major partners to support, inspire and encourage enterprise throughout the Brisbane North region.





















### Join us

Membership of Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce is suitable for any business regardless of industry, size or experience. If you are new to business we can help you get connected and offer support and education to help build your business. If you have a successful business with plenty of experience we have an avenue for you to contribute back into and be a key part of the northside business community.

The Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce continues to grow in strength and membership, with our renewed vision of being "A Business Community Supporting Each Other".

Now is your opportunity to become a member of one of the most well regarded Chambers of Commerce in Queensland.

#### WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU AND YOUR BUSINESS?

- Free tickets to monthly networking evenings
- Discounted rates to signature events
- Access to a database of hundreds of northside businesses
- Exclusive member to member offers
- Opportunity to have your say on local businesses issues
- Complimentary invitation to the bncc christmas party.

Become a member today.

Visit bncc.com.au or download the Unified AR app and scan the icon to join now.



### **BNCC members at 30 October 2019**

3in1solution 96five family radio

A1- Toshiba Direct - MFD Business Solutions

AC Plumbing Qld

Accentis

ActionCOACH North Brisbane Business

Coaching

Acworth Recruitment

Adecco

AK'S Locksmith

Akyra Strategy and Development

Albany Homes

All About You Health & Beauty

Allkind Joinery & Glass

Ambient iT

AN7

Apprenticeship Support Australia

Ardent Advisors
AroxA Training
Aspley Hypermarket
Australia Post

Australian Catholic University

BAAS Bookkeeping

Bank of Queensland Aspley

Basicover

Be The Black Sheep Belinda Shaw & Associates

BlueKey Lawyers Bob Steele Bramwell Partners

Brisbane Airport Corporation

Brisbane Eye Clinic

Brisbane Implant Dentistry and Perio Care

Brisbane North Rental Village Brisbane Professional College

BRP Enterprises
BT Lawyers
Burnie Brae Centre

Business Insurance Cover Services

C.B.M.

Cabinets Online Caffeinate Create

CalAISil
Carol Barrett
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Classic Tree Lopping
CoDesign Consulting
Consultative Care Options

Coraggio

Councillor Adam Allan Councillor David McLachlan Councillor Fiona Hammond Councillor Sandy Landers Councillor Tracy Davis

Craigslea State High School Crosswell Electrical

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Design Filter Creative Solutions Earnshaw State College East Coast Apprenticeships EquityLend Finance Group Eumundi Group Limited Event Cinemas Chermside

**Everest Resources** 

Express Test And Tag Geebung

EZ Financing
Fernandes Migration

First Class Accounts - Clayfield

**Foundry Productions** 

Fully Promoted (EmbroidMe) Chermside

**Greg Gaffney Consulting Services** 

Gruet Group

Harvey Norman Aspley

Helen Cameron Chartered Accountant

helloworld Strathpine Home & Pets by Morgie & Dan

iFlv Brisbane

In Safe Hands Educators In Safety Independent Audit Services Infrastructure Transaction Network

Integration Kings inTOTUM

JKA Accounting Solutions

Jo Hassan

Jonathan Levey - Harcourts Connections

Kedron State High School Kedron-Wavell Services Club

Kickbike Australia

Kitney Occupational Health & Safety

LA Partners - Accountants

Leanne Linard MP - Member for Nudgee

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Living the Dream Now

Mackenzie Editing and Secretarial Services

Maple Small Business Solutions

Mark Passfield
Master Hire
MatchWorks
MBE Chermside
McConachie Stedman

Megan Offord Properties - Ray White

Chermside
Meridian Local
Miamo Mind & Motion
Michael Hill Jewellers

MKN Legal Mobbs & Company Accountants Modo Coaching & Training

Morgans Kedron

MRAEL

MSC Quantity Surveying

Murray's Gardening & Maintenance

Murrays Interiors myBDgroup Nimble Accounting

Northern Business Consultants

OCTEC Employment
OH Marketing
Orb Services
Peloton Advisors
PeoplePlus Australia
Porta Lawyers
Profit Mechanics

Pure SEO QLD

Qld Finance & Leasing

Qld Police Citizens Youth and Welfare

Association

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Roadteam / Total Insurance Agencies

Rotary Club of Aspley

Roxanne Grey - Marketing Consultant

Ryan + Associates Australia Samford Pet Resort Sarinas Legal

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Signet Consulting & Migration

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TAFE QLD SkillsTech

Team Accountants Brisbane Telstra Store North Lakes

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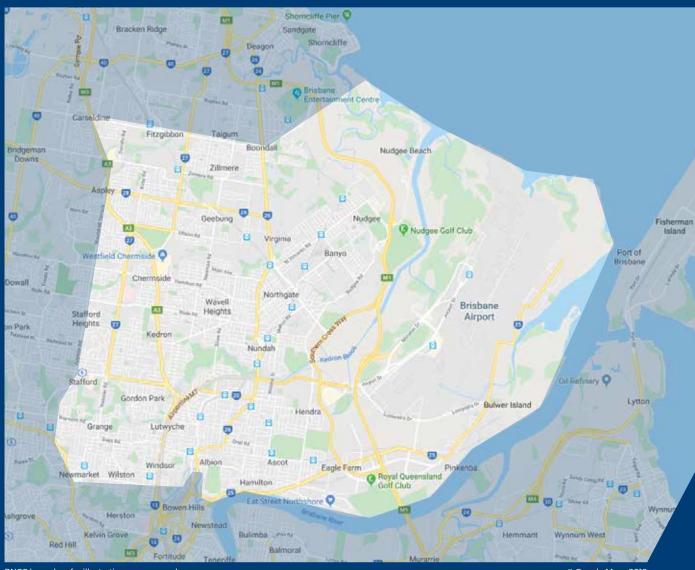
Venturer Technology Verdant QBooks Vision Homes Northside

Wattyl Paints

WHS and Training Compliance Solutions

Wise Up Energy Solutions Zareon Technology

# The Brisbane North Chamber of Commerce region



BNCC boundary for illustration purposes only

Geebung

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Albion	Gordon Park	Stafford
Ascot	Grange	Taigum
Aspley	Hamilton	Toombul
Banyo	Hendra	Virginia
Boondall	Kedron	Wavell Heights
Breakfast Creek	Lutwyche	Wilston
Carseldine	Newmarket	Windsor
Chermside	Northgate	Wooloowin
Clayfield	Nudgee	Zillmere
Eagle Farm	Nundah	

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