

CONNECTING WITH YOUR COMMUNITY

A directory of services for residents of -

Paynesville

Raymond Island

Newlands Arm

Banksia Peninsula

Eagle Point



This directory has been prepared to help link residents to the many and varied services, groups and organisations that are available in the community.

All directories have their limitations. Contact people and phone numbers often change. If you have any amendments to this brochure, or your group has been overlooked, please contact Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre (see back cover for details).

Remember that the best resource in any community is often on your doorstep.

If the directory doesn't include what you are looking for:

- *Call in at the Paynesville Craft Centre and ask one of the friendly volunteers.*
- *Have you asked your neighbour?*
- *Visit the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre - see back cover for operating hours.*
- *Try the Paynesville Business and Library centre located in the Paynesville Community Centre.*
- *Try the telephone book.*
- *Phone community radio REG 105.5 FM or ABC 828AM/100.7FM . They provide information and may be able to broadcast a request for information.*
- *Check with your local school, kindergarten, etc.*
- *Read your local newspaper for upcoming events and shire information notices.*

○ EMERGENCY SERVICES	000
AMBULANCE	000
FIRE (see below for local details)	000
POLICE (see below for local details)	000
○ HEALTH SERVICES	
BAIRNSDALE COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE	5150 3444
Child, adolescent, adult and aged mental health service based at hospital (McKean Street, Bairnsdale)	
COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSE	5156 7243
Paynesville Medical Centre (6 Fleischer Street, Paynesville) Nurse visits once monthly.	
GIPPSLAND LAKES COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE	5152 0052
Large range of family friendly services. Visit: www.glch.org.au or (281 Main Street, Bairnsdale)	
GIPPSLAND PATHOLOGY SERVICE	5156 7243
8.30 am to 12 noon weekdays (6 Fleischer Street, Paynesville)	or 5156 6866
HOSPITAL - Bairnsdale Regional Health Service	5150 3333
PO Box 424, Bairnsdale (Day St, Bairnsdale)	
MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH CENTRE	5156 6975
100 Langford Parade, Paynesville	or 0428 699 566
Nurse available Mondays by appointment. Immunisation sessions first Tuesday of the month 10.00 am - 10.30 am (excluding Melbourne Cup Day)	
PAYNESVILLE MEDICAL CENTRE	5156 7243
Dr Peter Lindstedt & Dr Ron Gwynn (6 Fleischer Street, Paynesville)	
PHARMACY	5156 6671
Coast Care Pharmacy (65 The Esplanade, Paynesville)	
○ OTHER SERVICES & ORGANISATIONS	
BUS LINES Paynesville	0418 516 405 or 5152 5341
EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE COUNCIL	5153 9500
Paynesville Library & Business Centre (55 The Esplanade, Paynesville)	
EMERGENCY SEABIRD RESCUE	0411 349 911 or 5156 1066
FERRY SERVICE Paynesville/Raymond Island	0418 517 959
FIRE STATION (4 Langford Parade, Paynesville)	5156 6316
KOALA AND NATIVE WILDLIFE RESCUE	0411 349 911 or 5156 1066
POLICE (45 Main Street, Bairnsdale)	5152 0500
POST OFFICE (The Esplanade, Paynesville)	5156 0438
STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE	administration 5153 1322
Visit: www.ses.vic.gov.au	storm & flood 132 500
TAXIS Paynesville	0418 566 789 or 5153 2260



SERVICE CLUBS

APEX CLUB Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 124, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 6767

Details: Service organisation for Paynesville and the local area.

Meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at the Old Pub, Paynesville.

INNER WHEEL CLUB OF PAYNESVILLE

Street: 51 Ashley St, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 7677

Email: lcrawford@netspace.net.au

Details: Friendship, fundraising and community activities for wives of Rotarians.

LIONS CLUB OF PAYNESVILLE INC

Postal: PO Box 196 Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 0441

Details: Service club, fundraising and community activities.

Meets 7.00 pm 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month, Community Centre, Paynesville.

PROBUS CLUB INC Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 15, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 0554 or 5156 6898

Details: Social and interest club for retired professional and business men and women.

Meets 4th Wednesday of the month, Gippsland Lakes Yacht Club, Paynesville.

*Out &
about*



SOCIAL CLUBS & VOLUNTEER GROUPS

AMBULANCE AUXILIARY, Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 99, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 7707

Details: Fundraising group for the Paynesville ambulance.

Meets 1st Monday of the month, Ambulance Office, Langford Parade, Paynesville.

BINGO/HOY

Phone: 5156 6632

Details: BINGO group meets 10.00 am on alternative Tuesdays, Paynesville Community Centre.

HOY cards meets 1.00 pm on alternate Tuesdays to BINGO.

NIGHT BINGO meets 7.30 pm Mondays, Football Hall, Main Road, Paynesville.

Further information: 5156 6156.

BRIDGE CLUB Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 171, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5152 4800 or 5156 3099

Details: Meets 12.30 pm – 4.30 pm Wednesdays, RSL Hall, Main Road, Paynesville.

COMMUNITY CRAFT CENTRE Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 217, Paynesville 3880

Street: Main Rd/Foreshore, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 7479

Details: Local crafts including jams, pickles, clothing, woodwork, ceramics and jewellery. Annual market day held on the Sunday before Melbourne Cup day. The Craft Centre is a great resource for tourist information. Open 10.00 am - 4.00 pm daily.



COUNTRY WOMENS ASSOCIATION Paynesville/Eagle Point

Postal: PO Box 354, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 0732 or 5156 6148

Details: Fundraising service group & social activities.

Meets 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm 1st Tuesday of the month, RSL Hall, Main Road, Paynesville. Craft Day 1.00 pm 3rd Tuesday of the month (BYO lunch).

CRAFT GROUP Raymond Island

Phone: 5156 7291

Details: Meets 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm 2nd Monday of month, Raymond Island Hall.

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FIRE BRIGADE Paynesville Rural

Postal: PO Box 241, Paynesville 3880

Street: Corner of Wellington & King St, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0000

Fax: 5156 0974

Details: Brigade Training: Meets 7.30 pm Tuesdays, Paynesville Fire Station.
Brigade Meetings: 7.30 pm 1st Thursday of the month, Paynesville Fire Station.

FISH CARE East Gippsland

Postal: 574 Main St, Bairnsdale 3875

Phone: 5152 0456

Fax: 5152 0444

Email: fishcare.gippsland@dpi.vic.gov.au

Web: www.fishcare.org.au

Details: Promoting responsible fishing practices and care for the aquatic environment. Refer to website for calendar of events.

FRIENDS & NEIGHBOURS Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 200, Paynesville 3880

Street: RSL Hall, Main Road, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6521 or 5156 7294

Details: Monthly social gathering or outing, and organisation of short holidays.

FRIENDS OF GIPPSLAND LAKES, PARKS AND RESERVES

Postal: PO Box 354, Metung 3904

Phone: 5116 1122

Email: info@fogl.org.au

Web: www.fogl.org.au

Details: The Friends of the Gippsland Lakes Parks and Reserves provide an avenue for interested persons to participate in projects and activities to enhance the environment, amenity and facilities within the Gippsland Lakes Coastal Park, Lakes National Park, Blond Bay Reserve, Gippsland Lakes Reserve and crown land frontages abutting the Gippsland Lakes. They are very keen to collaborate with other groups, agencies and people with similar interests to their Friends group and

are committed to promoting the values and assets of the lakes, parks and reserves, initially in the area between Loch Sport in the west and Lakes Entrance in the east.

FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0214

Fax: 5156 0214

Details: Meets 10.00 am - 3.00 pm every Monday, Paynesville Community Centre.

A time to share

HOME BASED MOBILE LIBRARY Paynesville/Eagle Point

Postal: PO Box 429, Lakes Entrance 3909

Phone: 5152 0052 or 5156 0494

Fax: 5153 1087

Details: Library service for those unable to visit the library due to frailty or disability.

LANDCARE Raymond Island

Postal: PO Box 128, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 0787



LIBRARY/BUSINESS CENTRE Paynesville

Postal: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5153 9500 or 1300 555 886

Fax: 5156 0874

Web: www.egipps.vic.gov.au

Details: Local branch of the East Gippsland Shire Library Service and Council Offices.

Open 1.00 pm – 5.00 pm Monday, 9.00 am – 12 noon and 1.00 pm – 5.00 pm Wednesday, 9.00 am – 1.00 pm Friday.

PAYNESVILLE FRIENDSHIP CRAFT GROUP

Phone: 5153 1930

Details: Meets 10.00 am – 2.00 pm Mondays, Gippsland Lakes Yacht Club, The Esplanade, Paynesville (not during school holidays).

PAYNESVILLE MARKET DAY

Phone: 5156 0441 (Lions Club)

Details: Market day falls on the 2nd Sunday of the month.

The Lions Club of Paynesville runs the market.

Stallholder bookings: 5156 0225.

PAYNESVILLE NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0214

Fax: 5156 0214

Email: pvillenc@bigpond.net.au

Office hours: 10.00 am – 3.00 pm Monday to Thursday

Details: Provides social & recreational activities, and adult education classes in a diverse range of subjects from patchwork & painting to computer skills. All activities run at minimum cost. Also supports self-help groups such as playgroup and toy library (see Paynesville Toy Library below). An Early Childhood Resource Library is available for parents and students.

Something for everyone

PAYNESVILLE TOY LIBRARY

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0214

Details: Auspiced by the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre. Open 11.30 am – 1 pm Thursdays, 10.00 am - 11.30 am Saturdays.

RAYMOND ISLAND COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (RICA)

Postal: PO Box 20, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 6494

Details: Meets 7.30 pm 1st Monday of the month, Raymond Island Community Hall.

RED CROSS UNIT Paynesville

Postal: 67 Macalister Street, Sale 3850

Phone: 5143 2639

Fax: 5143 2738

Email: gippsland@vic.redcross.org.au

Details: To assist and promote the objectives of Red Cross in emergency services fund raising, Blood Bank, community services and youth services.

Meets 2.00 pm last Tuesday of the month, Uniting Church Hall, King Street, Paynesville.

A helping hand

RETURNED & SERVICES LEAGUE (RSL) Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 296, Paynesville 3880

Street: Main Rd, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6635

Details: Organisation representing the interests of returned services personnel and their families. Monthly meetings last Friday in the month (except December). Social events, service and morning tea ANZAC Day. Hall available for hire.

RURAL AUSTRALIANS FOR REFUGEES

Phone: 5156 6121

Email: deniseturner1@bigpond.com

Details: Fundraising and information group.

SCRABBLE CLUB Raymond Island

Postal: 6 Fifth Parade, Raymond Island 3880

Phone: 5156 7443

Details: Scrabble 10.00 am – 3.00 pm Tuesdays, please ring before coming.



SPORTING CLUBS & RECREATION

ADVENTURE CLUB Paynesville

Street: Uniting Church, cnr King St & Langford Pde, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0219 or 5156 0352

Details: Games, craft, fun, music, Bible stories and adventure type activity such as bike hike, fishing. For children aged 5-15 years. Sponsored by 'The Friendship Shed'.

AEROBICS Paynesville

Street: RSL Hall, Main Rd, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6345 or 5156 0214

Details: 'Mature & motivated' low impact aerobics classes held 9.30 am Tuesdays and Fridays. An 'exercise readiness' questionnaire to be completed before commencing classes.

ANGLING CLUB INC Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 168, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 7961

Email: cbackx@bigpond.net.au

Details: Estuary, surf and freshwater fishing for all ages. Monthly competitions and social outings.

BOWLING CLUB INC Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 103, Paynesville 3880

Street: 11-17 Ashley Street, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6278 or 5156 0549

Fax: 5156 6278

Details: Regular interclub bowling competitions and social functions.

CARPET BOWLS

Street: RSL Hall, Main Rd, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6632

Details: Meets 1.00 pm Mondays. Inexperienced players welcome.

CRICKET CLUB INC Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 92, Paynesville 3880

Street: A.J.Freeman Reserve, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0894

Fax: 5156 0896

Details: Two senior teams, an under 15 and an under 13 team. New members welcome.

FOOTBALL & NETBALL CLUB Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 132, Paynesville 3880

Street: Main Road, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6154

Fax: 5156 7021

Details: Football players belong to the East Gippsland Football League. Reserve and senior teams, under 18, under 16, under 14 and under 12 teams. OZ Kick programme takes place 10.00 am Sundays. Meals every Thursday night in Clubrooms. A, B & C grade divisions in netball. New members welcome.

GOLF CLUB INC Bairnsdale

Postal: PO Box 485, Bairnsdale 3875

Street: 1090 Paynesville Rd, Eagle Point

Phone: 5156 6252

Fax: 5156 0235

Email: bairngolf@netspace.net.au

Details: Open to public. Enquiries to club. Licensed clubhouse. Golf bookings contact 5156 6847. Clubhouse available for hire.

MOTOR CRUISER CLUB Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 44, Paynesville 3880

Street: Slip Road, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0407

Fax: 5156 7304

Email: mcclub@datafast.net.au

Web: www.paynesvillecruiserclub.com.au

Details: Active boating organisation, including yachts, power boats and motor cruisers. No boat or experience needed for membership.

RIVIERA AQUATICS Swim School and Fitness Centre, Paynesville

Street: 17-19 Paynesville Road, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0166

Details: Offering swimming classes and gym membership.

Use it or
lose it

SEA SCOUT GROUP Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 48, Paynesville 3880

Phone: 5156 0908 or 0417 609 942 or 1800 726887

Email : kenanda@bigpond.com

Web: www.vicscouts.asn.au

Details: Meeting times: Joeys – 4.30 pm to 6.00 pm Thursdays, Cubs – 7.00 pm to 8.30 pm Mondays, Scouts – 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm Thursdays, Adventurers – 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm Thursdays.

TAI CHI Raymond Island

Phone: 5156 6468 or 5156 0689

Details: Classes held 9.30 am Mondays and Wednesdays, Raymond Island Hall.

Mind &
body

TENNIS CLUB Paynesville

Postal: 26 Alexander Pde, Bairnsdale 3875

Street: A.J Freeman Reserve, Ashley Street, Paynesville.

Phone: 5152 3352

Details: Annual General Meeting held end of July each year. Ladies days held each Tuesday and Thursday (except school holidays). Pennant teams are entered in the Bairnsdale & District Tennis Association (October to March). Coaching is available Thursday afternoons, or at arranged times. New members welcome.

WALKING CLUB Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0214

Fax: 5156 0214

Email: pvillenc@bigpond.net.au

Details: Auspiced by the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre. Group meets 9.00 am Thursdays, Gippsland Lakes Yacht Club car park (opposite Paynesville Community Centre).

Out &
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WOODEN BOAT ASSOCIATION East Gippsland Branch

Postal: PO Box 272, Bairnsdale 3875

Phone: 5156 7183

Web: www.woodenboat.org.au

Details: For those who have a love of wooden boats. Monthly meetings and on-the-water days and excursions.

YACHT CLUB Gippsland Lakes

Postal: PO Box 71, Bairnsdale 3875

Street: The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6864

Fax: 5156 0870

Email: glyc@hotkey.net.au

Web: www.sailglyc.com

Details: Yacht club with training school for juniors and adults during summer. New members welcome. Enquiries to the Commodore or Secretary. Sailing on Tuesday evenings in summertime, 5.00 pm onwards, visitors welcome. Hall with kitchen available for hire.



SCHOOLS & PLAYGROUPS

CHILD CARE Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0487

Fax: 5156 0214

Details: Run by Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre. Offers occasional child care to any pre-school age child. Currently 9.00 am - 11.50 am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday and 1.00 pm - 3.50 pm Thursday during school terms. Child care also provided for any courses at the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre.

KINDERGARTEN Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 91, Paynesville 3880

Street: 100 Langford Pde, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6905

Email: paynesville.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au

Details: 3-6 year old pre-kinder and kinder programs available

PLAYGROUP Eagle Point

Street: 15 Eagle Point Road, Eagle Point (Eagle Point Hall)

Phone: 5156 0214

Details: Casual drop in playgroup run 10.00 am -11.00 am Mondays.

PLAYGROUP Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 192, Paynesville 3880

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0214

Email: pwillenc@bigpond.net.au

Details: Run by the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre. Casual drop-in playgroup 10.00 am -11.30 am Fridays with the emphasis on people new to the area. All welcome. \$2 per family plus one piece of fruit per child. Annual membership \$7.

Playing
around

PRIMARY SCHOOL Eagle Point

Postal: 43 School Rd, Eagle Point 3878

Phone: 5156 6382

Fax: 5156 0291

Email: eagle.point.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Details: The current enrolment is 60 children. The school is staffed with 3.6 teachers. It operates three full time classes with specialist programs in reading intervention, science, music, art, health and physical education.

PRIMARY SCHOOL Paynesville

Postal: PO Box 38, Paynesville 3880

Street: 31- 47 Ashley Street, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 6334

Fax: 5156 7999

Email: paynesville.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Details: State primary school.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Bairnsdale Secondary School – Junior Campus: 5150 4800; Senior Campus: 5150 4802
Nagle College 5152 6122



RELIGION & WORSHIP

ANGLICAN CHURCH, St Peter's by the Lake, Paynesville

Postal: 33 Newlands Drive, Paynesville 3880

Street: 33 Newlands Drive, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 0511

Email: revcaro@bigpond.net.au

Details: Priest in Charge - The Reverend Caroline Nancarrow. Wardens: 5156 6657 or 5156 6677.

Sunday Service 9.30 am. Weekday Service 10.00 am Thursdays. Services also on 1st Friday of the month at the Chapel of Saint Barnaby, Raymond Island.

ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Street: King Street, Paynesville 3880

Details: Mass 9.00 am Sundays.

COMMUNITY CHURCH (Assembly of God) Paynesville

Postal: 125 Balfours Rd, Bairnsdale 3875

Street: Paynesville Community Centre, 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville.

Phone: 5153 0834

Details: Meets 10.00 am Sundays, Paynesville Community Centre

UNITING CHURCH Paynesville

Street: Cnr King St & Langford Pde, Paynesville

Phone: 5156 7691

Details: Priest in Charge - The Reverend Andrew Donnelly on 5152 3901 and The Friendship Shed 5156 7344 (Adventure Club held here).



PUBLIC HALLS

HALL Eagle Point

Postal: 181 Bay Road, Eagle Point 3878

Street: 15 Eagle Point Road, Eagle Point

Phone: 5156 6536

Bookings: 5156 6594

Details: Community hall, consisting of entrance foyer, main hall, kitchen and meeting room, outside toilets, disability access. Available for hire for meetings, exhibitions, parties, auctions etc. Chairs and tables available. Ample parking.

HALL Paynesville Community Centre

Postal: PO Box 1618, Bairnsdale 3875

Street: 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville

Phone: 5153 9500

Fax: 5156 0874

Details: Halls for meetings, indoor sporting activities and private functions.

NOTE: See **RSL** and **Yacht Club** for other hall venues.

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For further information and/or amendments to this brochure contact –

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Members of the Paynesville Study Circle would like to thank the many volunteers in our community whose energy contributes to a community spirit that makes this such a great place to live.

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