
Media Release

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Resthaven Meets Community Service Needs Throughout Limestone Coast

Resthaven Aged Care will be well represented at next week's South East Field Days in Lucindale.

Resthaven has been providing Community Services throughout the Limestone Coast for several years.

Resthaven Limestone Coast Community Services will be combining the Field Days with a celebration of Resthaven's 75th anniversary, with balloons, give aways and a range of information available. The Resthaven display will give locals the opportunity to meet the local staff and ask questions about the options available.

Resthaven Limestone Coast Community Services Manager, Elizabeth Southall, and Limestone Coast Community Services Project Officer, Kelli Viney, will be available attending, along with other staff.

A 71-room Residential Care Facility in Mount Gambier is also under construction, and aims to be completed in late 2010.

Resthaven is currently constructing a Residential Care Facility in Mt Gambier, due for completion in 2011, which will add to the portfolio of services Resthaven provides in the Limestone Coast.

'This development will significantly boost the local economy, provide much needed support and care for older people in the area, as well as create approximately 100 long term local jobs,' CEO Richard Hearn says.

Resthaven currently operates residential aged care facilities at nine locations, offering accommodation to more than 1,000 older people. In the community, Resthaven supports around 7,000 older people and their carers who live in their own homes.

Resthaven employs approximately 1,500 staff, who are supported by 400 volunteers.

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