

Give the gift of a job this Christmas

MAX Employment at Victoria Point is appealing to local employers to give the gift of a job this Christmas and make someone's 2012 a year to remember.

For every job seeker placed into sustainable employment this Christmas, MAX Employment will make a donation to The Smith Family's Christmas Appeal.

Business Manager Tracy Lowe said it was an ideal opportunity for employers to give someone a start in life while at the same time finding the right person to fit the job.

MAX Employment offers free recruitment services and has hundreds of candidates waiting for local work.

"Even better, these people have had the one-on-one support of MAX Employment staff to ensure they have not only the skills, but the attitude and confidence they need to be a valuable member of any work team from the first day on the job," Tracy said.

MAX Employment, Victoria Point prides itself on its friendly and supportive atmosphere, which is evident to both job seekers and employers from the moment they step into the office to when their employment needs are met and beyond.

The team has a positive reputation for finding job solutions in the Redlands, including from its island outreach service that works with the Macleay, Russell, Coochiemudlo, Karragarra and Lamb Island communities.

MAX Employment Victoria Point is



MAX Employment Service at Victoria Point staff members Courtney Black, Karen Edmond, Kim Manson, Andrew Goodacre, Donna Souter, Lynne Rice and Stephanie Berry. Photo by Wendy Chung

contracted to the Federal Government to provide job services, and for the past two years has enjoyed outstanding star ratings awarded by DEEWR for its services.

"Our national project to support The Smith Family Christmas Appeal reflects our care and holistic approach to helping people in the wider community," Tracy said.

"We have an understanding and positive approach to helping our local youth, including our one day a week visit to Victoria Point High School to help students there launch their career path and stay on track for a brighter future."

MAX Employment Victoria Point is based at Victoria Point Shopping Centre, 30 Bunker Road (behind the bus stop) and offers employment services to people on Centrelink benefits or those who are not currently working or studying over 15 hours per week and are eligible for services.

The team helps match unemployed people with local employers, in a win-win solution that gets the job done.

For more information, phone 3829 4200 or pop into the office to be greeted with a smile and be sure to be impressed by the helping, caring, and professional service.

Brad turns his life around and gains skills

BY anyone's standards, 46-year-old Brad Davies has turned his life around and is a success story.

But it wasn't always so. Brad came to MAX Employment at Victoria Point homeless, with a very difficult and troubled past and did not have a licence or a car.

MAX Employment identified Brad as requiring significant job seeker support immediately and identified and developed the right strategy for Brad to get him back into the workforce.

Following support from health professionals through Max Employment's Integrated model, staff immediately marketed Brad to a local employer. He was successfully offered a job with Rainforest Tree Nursery in Victoria



Brad Davies

Point as a Nursery Hand, which he has been in now for nearly two years. It is with the support of employers such as Lauren at Rainforest Tree Nursery that people's lives in our community can truly be changed.

Harley finds job with generous support

HARLEY Young, a 15-year-old Indigenous youth from Russell Island was referred to MAX Employment by Victoria Point State High School.

School staff had taken a proactive approach to Harley's needs, and with MAX Employment, were determined for Harley to obtain a job and build self-confidence. The staff at MAX Employment trained Harley on how to prepare for a job interview and how to market himself to potential employers.

Affordable Skid Steers, based in Capalaba, who sell excavating and earthmoving equipment, was identified by MAX Employment as a potential employer for Harley. As a result of his prior skills training from MAX Employment and thanks to the



Harley Young

confidence he had acquired, Harley successfully gained paid employment with Affordable Skid Steers.

Harley continues to remain in employment due in large to the generous support that Affordable Skid Steers gives to our young people in the community.

Experienced, Work Ready Candidates Available NOW!



Sharon is 28yrs old and has 6 years of retail and production experience. Additionally, Sharon has excellent customer service and organisational skills. She is ready to start now!



Matthew is an enthusiastic 19yo who loves working outdoors. He has three years experience in the telecommunications industry, particularly trench digging and working in confined spaces. Matthew is ready to start work with your company today!



Rothy has an extensive factory and warehouse background with a current forklift ticket and a desire to commence work IMMEDIATELY!



Nick has 6years experience as a driver and car detailer, coupled with excellent communication skills. He has a current manual driver's licence and owns his own car. Nick is ready to start now!



Shannon has 10 years experience as a short order cook, coupled with retail experience. She is looking for a full time position within your business where she will be able to perform varied roles.



Nick is a 25yo with previous experience in production and manufacturing. He is ready to start work today!

Max Employment Victoria Point have 150 junior candidates who are requiring immediate work as well as many other candidates urgently needing work as we head to Christmas.

THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN CHRISTMAS JOBS DRIVE
NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

For further details on any of the above candidates please contact your local MAX Employment office at Victoria Point on 3829 4200

