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Bundarra Aged Care centre seeks first employees

Independent Member for New England, Tony Windsor is delighted to see that the Grace Munro Centre – the new aged care facility in Bundarra is now advertising for its first employees.

“The advertising in the regional newspapers to fill positions at the new Grace Munro Centre Aged Care facility in Bundarra is another milestone on the way to seeing this model centre take in its first clients and give the community of Bundarra their own facility to care for their elderly.

The people of Bundarra can be very proud of their achievement in getting this new centre established.

They have worked very hard for their own facility.

The community have garnered the support of Uralla Council, the State and Federal Governments, the local Lions Club and Lions International, the Country Women’s Association, Inverell District Legacy and the administrative assistance and contribution from the Inverell based HN McLean Memorial Retirement Village and raised over \$1million to construct the new centre and refurbish the old community health centre,” Mr Windsor said.

The jobs being advertised for include a number of Senior Care Service employees, Personal Care/Activities Assistants and a part time Hotel Services trainee.

“The positions being advertised will be new jobs for Bundarra so not only is Bundarra getting a new facility to cater for their elderly community members but in the process, Bundarra is also getting new jobs.

I would encourage suitably qualified people to look seriously at applying for the positions advertised.

Bundarra is a great small town and the new Grace Munro Centre is idyllically set on the banks of the Gwydir River which I’m sure will add to the quality of life for the clients of the Centre.

I congratulate all those involved with bringing the Grace Munro Centre to fruition and look forward to it’s completion and opening in the near future and also to its future success in providing quality aged care to the Bundarra community,” Mr Windsor said.

Further information regarding these positions is available from Joanne McLane at McLean Memorial Retirement Village on 67200 458. There will also be an information day for persons interested in employment or the very important volunteer work at the Centre, this Friday (Sept 3) at 10am in the CWA Rooms in Bundarra.

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