

REACH YOUR PEAK



**SCONE CHAMBER
MEMBERSHIP PACK
2019-2020**

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SCONE
CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY INC.

WHAT IS SCONE CHAMBER'S PURPOSE?

We exist to drive the agenda for business and economic development in Scone and the Upper Hunter region.

As an independent not-for-profit organisation supported by Hunter Chamber and NSW Business Chamber, we are passionate about creating opportunities for businesses and our local communities to thrive.

At an operational level this ranges from providing networking opportunities, to (often subsidised) training, to expert advice on issues that are important to your success.

At a macro level, we are the voice of the local business community and work with bodies such as the UHSC, NSW Regional Development Groups and Statewide Chambers of Commerce to ensure our members have a seat at the table when important economic decisions are being made.

WHY JOIN SCONE CHAMBER?

UPSKILL YOUR STAFF IN A COST EFFECTIVE WAY

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR BUSINESS PROTECTED FROM RISK OR LACK OF INFORMATION

RELEVANT BUSINESS TOOLS AT YOUR FINGER TIPS, FOR FREE

NETWORK AND STAY INFORMED ABOUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE REGION AND TOWN OF SCONE

BE PART OF A GROWING BUSINESS COMMUNITY

AS A CHAMBER MEMBER YOU HAVE A MUCH STRONGER VOICE AS PART OF THE COLLECTIVE

WE EXIST TO SUPPORT:

LARGE BUSINESSES, STUDS, SMALL TO MEDIUM SIZE BUSINESSES, SOLE TRADERS AND THOSE WHO WORK FROM HOME.

WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME & MY BUSINESS?

SERVICES

NETWORKING AND TRAINING

- Subsidised expert training (including digital marketing)
- Monthly networking events including casual drinks and informative guest speaker sessions.

ADVICE LINE ACCESS TO HELP YOU PROTECT YOUR BUSINESS

- **Free** access to experts in:
 - Workplace
 - Legal
 - Marketing
- Call **132959** to get immediate, up to date advice to protect you and your business.

BUSINESS TOOLS

- Save money and download 50+Legal templates that have been reviewed by NSW legal bodies.
- Business Propel
- Workplace Services and Updates

PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS & RAISE AWARENESS OF YOUR SERVICES



- Local Scone Directory
- Statewide Directory (20,000 businesses)
- Profiling opportunities on social media
- Sponsorship opportunities

ADVOCACY

- Have a voice about what's important to your business success

WHAT ELSE?

Local Chamber Alliance Membership FREE for You, a Local Chamber of Commerce Member

Entitlement	Description
Business Hotline Call 13 26 96	With just one call you are connected to the right information, support and advice for all your business questions. Let our staff guide you to the answer so you can go about doing what you do best and 'run your business'.
Workplace & Legal Advice Call 13 29 59	Our workplace experts can help you make the right workplace decisions. We answer IR / HR questions relating to wage rates, penalties, calculating long service leave / sick leave etc. but also provide marketing and legal advice.
Marketing Advice Call 13 26 96	Legal calls covers areas such as Governance, Dispute Resolution, Commercial Transactions, Intellectual Property, Competition & Consumer Law etc. to assist you in your day to day operations. Our marketing experts can help you make good decision. We answer questions on Website, Social Media Strategy, Online Advertising, Design and Marketing Strategy.
You are entitled to a total of 3 calls per year.	
Local Chamber Alliance member rates on Events	The Hunter and NSW Business Chamber events are recognized by industry and business as premier learning and educational / networking events. As part of your entitlements you can receive discounts to attend.
Business Directory	Raise your profile. Promote your business your fellow members via our online business directories. https://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/Membership/Members-Directory
Hunter Biz At the Chamber	Receive the monthly Hunter Biz & the weekly At the Chamber e-newsletters directly to your inbox to keep you up to date with events, news and member information.
E-News	Receive e-news directly to your inbox keeping you up-to-date with Regional, State and Federal changes.
NSWBC Business Connect Magazine	Published quarterly and distributed via email, Business Connect keeps you up-to-date with the latest business news.
Business Propel	Move your business forward by reviewing its health and creating action plans in Strategy, People Operations, Customers and Profitability . Business Coaching and Planning also available. https://businesspropel.com.au
Business Legal Toolkit	An online toolkit that lets you download sample agreements, corporate governance guidelines and other business documents. https://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/How-We-Help/Legal-Advice/Business-Legals-Toolkit
Free 14 day trial to 	If keeping up to date with the latest Human Resource and Industrial Relations news, tools and expert guidance is important to your business, then WorkplaceInfo is just what you need. http://www.workplaceinfo.com.au/
Free 14 day trial to 	This award winning website, WorkplaceOHS provides WHS professionals with the latest news, tools and expert guidance to help make operations legally compliant, efficient and safe. http://www.workplaceohs.com.au/
Membership Upgrade Discount	Receive up to a 20% discount* should you choose to upgrade your membership from the limited member package to our other membership packages to obtain additional entitlements. This discount is available on the condition that you retain your existing local chamber membership. *Discount does not apply to HBC Corporate Hunter First Packages.

For more information about these entitlements or other products and services available from the Hunter and NSW Business Chambers please the Local Chamber Support Team on 1300 139 910 or Hunter Business Chamber on 4969 9600

For more information contact info@sconechamber.com.au

BOARD MEMBERS

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HOW DO I SIGN UP?

INVESTMENT

\$135.00 per business per annum (1st July-30th June)

HOW

Visit our website <https://www.sconechamber.com.au/scci-membership-application/>

OR

Email info@sconechamber.com.au
to find out more and get an application form.