

Free Car Workshop for the Community

South Gippsland Shire Council is partnering with Edney's Leongatha Hyundai to offer a Wheels Workshop for the community.

The free workshop will be held on Thursday 15 September from 6.30pm to 9.00pm and will cover a range of common tasks associated with car ownership.

The course is open to all members of the community and volunteers who drive cars as part of programs such as Community Transport and Meals on Wheels are encouraged to attend.

Knowing the basics about your car provides individuals with independence and increases their personal safety

Council's Volunteer Officer Dana Hughes said the workshop will be perfect for young drivers or any individuals who lack experience with their cars.

"Many people such as learner drivers and probationary licensed drivers don't know a whole lot about their cars.

"Knowing how to change a tyre, the correct air pressure and how to start a car with a flat battery are all important skills for any driver," said Ms Hughes.

Nick McRae from Edney's Leongatha Hyundai was looking forward to providing the workshop to the community.

"The workshop will introduce participants to the basics of car maintenance and they will get clear information from qualified mechanics," said Mr McRae.

Any individuals wanting more information or wishing to book can contact Dana Hughes by emailing volunteer@southgippsland.vic.gov.au or contacting Council on 5662 9200.

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