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Belmont BEC News update

January, 2015

Hi,

Happy New Year from all at Belmont BEC

Happy New Year and Welcome Back! Our office is open from Monday 5th January.

Have you set your Business Resolutions for a successful 2015?

Our Business
Webinars assist in the
growth and development of
your small business. View
the January topics here.



Start Planning & Dare to be Different in 2015

If you do the things that everybody else does then expect the same results as they did in the past....Nothing new...Nothing different!

Successful marketing means standing out from your competition. The way to do that in 'normal' advertising is to communicate ways that you are different from your competitiors. Proudly stake your claim to your unique point of difference.

If you want to attract more customers in 2015 and increase your sales more than your competitors you need to remind your customers why they should buy from you rather than a rival.

Women's Day Lunch, March 8

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Advice from the Experts



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The Secrets on Mastering Time



From Angie 'Speedy' Spiteri, Founder of Time Equals Money and Author of "The Secrets on Mastering Time".

- Discover the most powerful way to use your time for your business
- Increase your income working fewer hours
- Tool provides personalised results in minutes
- Download, Use and see RESULTS today

Download now: http://instant_profit_calculator_belmont.gr8.com/

WA Women's Hall Of Fame

Do you know a woman who deserves to be inducted into the WA Women's Hall of Fame? Nominations are now open for 2015 until 5.00pm on Friday 30 January 2015.

Visit: www.powerof100.com.au/nominations

1001 Business Tips from 101™ Entrepreneurs

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Share insights learnt through running your own business





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Belmont Business 'Ask An Expert' Sundowner, Wednesday, 28 January, 5-7pm

Keynote Speaker, Angie Spiteri - Save Time & Money in your Business in 2015 by managing your time and control others wasting your time. Build your business relationships and make new networks! Meet our team of business experts on Websites, IT



Management, Energy Efficiency, Business Analysis, Accounting and Bookkeeping. Venue: Function Room, The Belmont, 174 Wright St. Belmont. Free Entry, Nibbles sponsored by The Belmont, Drinks at Bar Prices, 5pm-7pm. All attendees will receive access to the Time Equals Money - Profit Calculator. Door Prizes. Bookings Essential:www.belmontbec.com/events

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Trends @ MY Green Incubator



Monthly Energy Tip - Make a plan to be energy efficient every month of the year with our monthly energy-saving tips.

JANUARY

Air Conditioning accounts for about 40% of the energy consumption in most businesses, and accounts for about 70% of the building owner's (common area) energy bills, and is the key contributor to peak demand charges. Contact us for Free Fact Sheet, Live Webinar, Recording or Free Mentor to help you lower your energy costs - www.tcfaustralia.com/energyproject

Save \$\$ Money - Reduce energy usage in your business

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Tips from Computer Consultants Professionals

Is your phone revealing your location to everyone?

When you take a photo, your phone logs a ton of data about it—including the date it was taken, what kind of camera you're using and the location of the photo. **Click here** for step by step instructions on how to turn this off. Please forward this important information. These settings have been around for awhile so you may already know about this but your friends and family may not.

Website Tips from FX Digital

It's cheaper and much more effective to empower your potential customers to find you online. So rather than waste your money advertising and cold calling, set your business up as an authority figure with content marketing and reap the rewards for years to come. www.websitedesigns.com.au

Save the Date - International Women's Day Lunch, March 8

Join 100+ women celebrating women around the globe. Asian &

Japanese Buffet, includes drinks, speakers & entertainment. Zushi Bento, Ascot – enquiries email events@belmontbec.com

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* Webinar Recordings marked* are FREE to attend.

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