

Keeping Active this August

Partner Planning

This month, our CEO Chris Glennen spoke at the Haven; Home, Safe annual planning day. Chris shared some of his experiences in the community housing and disability sectors. Some of the Active team were also in attendance. We would like to thank our partners at Haven; Home, Safe for inviting us and look forward to collaborating in future. Find out more about our partners by visiting their website: <https://havenhomesafe.org.au/>



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Featured Contractor - interview with ACC Plumbing

This month we spoke with one of our valued contractors, Anthony from ACC Plumbing.



Q: Tell us a little bit about yourself Anthony.

A: I am 31 years old and I currently live on a farm in Gisborne. I am a Dad and my 1 year old son is good at keeping me busy! I enjoy our family time and also playing with our kelpie.

Q: What made you want to become an Active contractor?

A: When we discovered the amazing services they provide for all their tenants, we were highly motivated to join the Active family. The staff who make Active tick also provide a seamless work environment for all contractors. We enjoy solving problems in the field, and this process is made easy by the knowledge and expertise of the entire Active organisation.

Q: What are the main areas you work in?

A: Our company works all around Melbourne and outer Melbourne suburbs.

Q: What has been the most rewarding part of working for Active?

A: The people are what keep us with smiles on our faces every day. Every tenant is always appreciative of our work and always make an effort to have a conversation with us. We like to engage with the tenants about other issues they may be having so we can relay this information back to the office. Solving problems for the tenants is what we enjoy the most.

Cheese Triangles



We love this recipe on cold winter nights.

Ingredients

- 500g feta cheese
- 375g filo pastry
- 3 eggs beaten
- ½ cup melted butter

Method

Step 1:

Preheat oven 200 degrees.

Step 2:

Crumb feta in a bowl and add eggs, combine well.

Step 3:

Remove 1 sheet of pastry and brush with melted butter. Place the second sheet on top and brush with butter, repeat with the third sheet.

Step 4:

Cut pastry into 4 lengthwise (each of these 4 strips makes 1 triangle) and place 2 tsp cheese mixture onto the edge of each strip. Fold into a triangle and keep folding maintaining the triangle shape.

Step 5:

Place on buttered (or paper lined) oven tray and bake at 200 degrees for 20 minutes.

Active Community:

Gary travels to Darwin

One of our valued tenants, Gary recently travelled to Darwin for a holiday. He took the time to tell us a bit about his travels.



“Recently I went on a holiday to Darwin, in the Northern Territory. I was there for 3 weeks and really enjoyed it. Seeing all of Darwin city was interesting because I have always dreamed of visiting it, ever since I watched the movie *The Bombing of Darwin*. Over the 3 weeks, I saw the old count house, the Royal Flying Doctor Service tourist facility and I visited old hospital sites and an old jail.

Even though I had an amazing time, after the 3 weeks I was happy to be home because the humidity in Darwin makes it a very warm place. Melbourne is home for me and it was nice to come home.”

Thank you for sharing your holiday adventures with us, Gary. It sounds like it was a great trip!

