

# THE EXCHANGE

WHERE REGIONAL AUSTRALIA  
MEETS ITS POTENTIAL.  
DUBBO • NARRABRI

YOUR  
BOARDROOM  
IN THE  
BUSH.



**REINFORCE YOUR COMMITMENT TO  
REGIONAL AUSTRALIA.  
IMMERSE YOUR TEAM IN AN EXPERIENCE  
OVER THE GREAT DIVIDE.**



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# WELCOME, WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE! A WORD FROM OUR CEO AND FOUNDER

We invite you to take your seat at the table, over the great divide - we invite you to "Boardrooms in The Bush". By holding your board meeting in the bush, you are supporting small business owners and regional communities in more ways than one.

You can demonstrate your commitment to regional Australia and exercise your corporate social responsibility by hosting your next board meeting in the bush. Immerse your team in regional Australia so they understand the customers they serve but may never have met. With more Australians working remotely and a greater focus on the rising of the regions, your team - your customers - your future is regional. Now is the time to engage your business and your brand, out here, and you can trust us to show you the way.

The Exchange provides architecturally designed meeting rooms, plush fit-outs and the essential tech facilities to be inspired and engaged in one of our hubs in Dubbo or Narrabri. Dubbo is the most connected regional centre in NSW with more than 10 flights per day from Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra, Newcastle and Brisbane. Your Boardroom can be fully catered, from paddock to plate with a private chef for a formal board dinner and you can use the break out space on the heritage balcony for refreshments.

When you book your Boardroom in the Bush, you're supporting the bush business community who will be engaged in making your experience memorable, from chefs to accommodation to guest speakers and immersive cultural experiences. As a social impact organisation, our day job involves providing space and community for business owners seeking connection and growth, and for many, an off-farm income. Our providers have pathways to employment providing young indigenous people with maintenance and hospitality training, and for every boardroom you book, we can provide A Seat For The Brave - a sponsored space for a new business owner.

When you book The Exchange for your meeting, you are supporting regional Australians in more ways than we have room to thank you. Yours in stimulating boardrooms and bush economies,

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Jillian Kilby  
B.E, MBA, MPP, FIEAust, GAICD  
Founder & CEO

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# ABOUT THE EXCHANGE

## WHERE COWORKING MEETS COMMUNITY

The Exchange is a social impact organisation founded in 2018 that has renovated two abandoned heritage buildings to create unique regional coworking spaces in Dubbo and Narrabri. We are on a mission to grow to do more good, with more spaces planned in regional Australia.

The Exchange is where coworking meets community.

We exist to provide coworking and community, to give people in regional Australia the best chance at commercial success in their own business. Our space is inspiring, unique, one-of-a-kind.

It's a space that nurtures the potential of those in regional Australia with big dreams for a real business.

It's a space for those who know where they want to be, but not where to start.

It's a space to be empowered to grow and change. It's space for the brave.



*When you hold your board meeting, leadership offsite, conference  
or team meeting at The Exchange, you directly support small  
businesses and our regional economy.*

*So, from all of us at The Exchange, thank you.*





# YOUR BOARDROOM IN THE BUSH

## OUR OFFERING

**Book your tailored experience at The Exchange with our concierge service:**

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### **The Exchange Boardroom Hire**

10 - 19 People: \$600 per day

20 - 29 People: \$800 per day

30+ People: \$1,000 per day

### **Not-So-Standard Inclusions**

Every booking includes the following as standard:

- High-speed wifi
- Projector and oversized screen
- Video conference technology
- Breakout areas configured as requested
- Whiteboards and associated stationery
- Dedicated access to full kitchen facilities
- Dedicated access to private bathrooms and end-of-trip facilities
- Free flow tea, coffee, sparkling water
- Concierge service to meet and guide your guests on arrival

# MORE THAN A BOARDROOM IT'S AN EXPERIENCE

Let us go that extra mile with your booking:

- Catering - breakfast, morning/afternoon tea, lunch with a focus on local produce and healthy meals,
- Happy hour drinks or cocktail hour options,
- Formal business lunch or dinner event, catered with a private chef and served by local vendors and a focus on paddock to plate,
- Addition of local guest speakers or regional insight experts,
- Facilitated workshops by co-design including Design Thinking.



The Library:   
 The Velvet Room:   
 Break out space:   
 Bathrooms:

## CHOOSE YOUR LAYOUT

### U Shape

Training, workshops, strategy days and meetings.

### Board Room/Round Table

Round table discussion, or a boardroom style, private meals.

### Classroom

Corporate training or presentations for 20+ with own desk.

### Theatre Style

Corporate training or presentations for 50 people seated.



MAKE YOUR CHANGE

A group of seven people are gathered in a bright, modern meeting room. The room features a dark ceiling with exposed wooden beams and several warm-toned pendant lights. Large windows and a glass door in the background let in natural light. Two whiteboards with handwritten notes are positioned on the left and right sides of the room. In the center, a circle of orange velvet chairs is arranged on a dark carpet. Several colorful sticky notes (green, blue, yellow) are scattered on the floor around the chairs. The people are dressed in business-casual attire and appear to be engaged in a collaborative discussion or workshop.

# ENGAGE WITH REGIONAL AUSTRALIANS, IN REGIONAL AUSTRALIA.

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# AN EXCHANGE OF SCENE

## AN IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE

The Dubbo and Narrabri regions are hubs of culture, history, agriculture and bush entrepreneurialism. When you bring your boardroom to The Exchange, you will not only be stepping out of the hustle and bustle of city schedules but you will be immersing yourself in the rich and diverse regional community.

As part of your Boardrooms in the Bush experience, The Exchange has partnered with local businesses and the regions most innovative minds to develop a number of tailor-made cultural, agricultural, historical and craftsmanship experiences.

From sacred Wiradjuri or Kamilaroi land to vast grazing plains to the minds of local innovators, our team has a number of experiences ready to add to your boardroom experience.

Get in touch with us to see what this experience could look like for your team and start building your unforgettable Boardroom in the Bush experience.

We invite you to see what YOUR boardroom in the bush experience could look like by getting in touch with Dubbo Manager Kate Wade at [start@yourexchange.co](mailto:start@yourexchange.co) today!





# REGIONAL AUSTRALIA IS CALLING

## MAKE YOUR COMMITMENT TODAY

Companies are demonstrating their commitment to regional Australia and exercising corporate social responsibility by hosting meetings in the bush.

Now is the time to engage your business and your brand, out here, and we can show you the way.

## JOIN THESE LEADING COMPANIES IN THEIR COMMITMENTS TO THE BUSH

Come meet the people you serve but may never have met. Join these organisations, that have already committed to bringing their team to the bush, supporting the development of regional Australia's tomorrow, today.



**Commonwealth**Bank



MACQUARIE



**Woolworths**  
Group



# JOIN OTHER SATISFIED CORPORATES



"Thank you to the team at The Exchange for putting such a fun, real, carefully considered session together.

It was a really great way for our newly formed team to get to know each other, learn each other's communication styles, and really bond as a team. The connections that formed cannot be underestimated."

- Melanie Aarts, Program Manager

"We could not have found a more helpful, professional, inspiring, and fun group of people to help facilitate our strategy and leadership session than the wonderful team at The Exchange.

Jillian and her team of superstars opened our eyes to a new way of thinking when building our business strategy."

- Steve Hinks, Director



# GROWING TO DO MORE GOOD

## WELCOME TO NARRABRI

The Exchange has grown.

One organisation. Two locations.

We have taken up a second home in the northwest NSW town of Narrabri and welcomed our first event in March 2022. What was once the original Faulkners Cordial Factory and Ice Works, has become the second Exchange co-working hub ready to welcome your team to the Northern regions of NSW.

The Exchange Narrabri provides coworking, private offices, meeting rooms and event space to hire by the hour, day, or year, as well as an extensive program of educational, capacity building and networking events and opportunities for the local Bush entrepreneurs. This large heritage precinct with two 106-year-old red brick buildings located in the main street of Narrabri is ready to welcome your Board or Executive Team.

When you commit to your Boardroom in The Bush you are committing to support the regions in reaching their potential. We are so glad you are on this journey with us and we can't wait to see you at The Exchange Narrabri in 2022.



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# SEATS FOR THE BRAVE

## YOU CAN HELP SUPPORT REGIONAL COMMUNITIES BY BACKING A SMALL BUSINESS OWNER ON THEIR JOURNEY.

Add to your boardroom event a sponsorship that will go to funding a co-working space for one of our regional go-getters. We have identified that for some, this opportunity is the difference they need to be able to be successful in their own business.

This sponsorship will provide these regional bush founders with access to a 24/7 co-working space, including architecturally designed meeting rooms, essential tech facilities, community networking, access to invaluable professional development opportunities and be inspired by the company of other like-minded bush entrepreneurs. Our co-working environment is in the heart of Dubbo with a second location opening in Narrabri in 2022, located in Northern NSW, to reach even more businesses.

Your financial commitment will support small business owners and regional communities in more ways than one. Through your sponsorship of Seats for the Brave, you are promoting economic growth and prosperity in these regional communities and changing a regional go-getter's life forever.

Through empowering, promoting and facilitating the economic inclusivity of our bush entrepreneurs we are fostering a sustainable diversification of the regional economy that will inspire regional communities across the nation.

The Exchange is a social impact organisation dedicated to seeding, irrigating and nurturing a crop of small regional businesses and bush entrepreneurs within our regional co-working hubs. Providing these individuals with room to grow, professionalism to thrive and opportunities to accelerate their success, you are supporting regional Australia in reaching its potential.

### Yearly Co-Working

1 Seat for The Brave  
\$9000 / year  
excl. GST

### Half Year Co-Working

1 Seat for The Brave  
\$4,500/ 6 mths  
excl. GST

### Yearly Private Office

1 office for The Brave  
\$12,000/ year  
excl. GST

### Half Year Private Office

1 office for The Brave  
\$6,000/ 6 mths  
excl. GST

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