

KBA's on a mission

"I'M on a drive to visit every shop in Korumburra within seven to 10 days!" proclaims Korumburra Business Association (KBA) president, David Amor.

"It's never been done before but the more members we have, the bigger our voice will be."

Since appointed president late last year, David has begun what he refers to as "a new jumpstart for the KBA".

A small business owner himself in the town for the past 20 years, the enthusiastic leader has seen the good and the bad of Korumburra trading: the downturns and the upswings.

But he is most hopeful about today and the future.

"The main thing (the KBA) is trying to do is bring the industrial sector and the commercial strip tighter together," he said.

A general meeting tomorrow night will outline the KBA's goals for the year and the issues at hand.

"We'll talk about what needs to be done and what can be done within the next 12 months," David said.

"And we'll be looking at the idea of a supermarket (Woolworths) site.

"That's just one of a half dozen issues, but we'll look at the data surrounding that and vote on the pluses and negatives."

David said public transport concerns are also listed on the meeting's agenda and will include discussions about the re-opening of the railway line, which closed almost 20 years ago.

"This is an opportunity to get information first-hand, not by rumours which spread around town," David said.

"And, member or not, everyone is welcome."

The meeting will take place at the community meeting rooms at the Korumburra Library from 6pm.

It is scheduled to go for a maximum of 80 minutes.

All enquiries are to be directed to David on 0418 515 682.



Owner of the new Energy Eco Sustainable Living Centre, Lance Jobling, is welcomed as the newest business in town by Korumburra Business Association president David Amor (right). Lance says that sustainable energy is being heartily welcomed by Korumburra residents after the store's first six weeks of business. G140712