

# TD Accounting

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## **OUR OFFICE UPDATE AND CHRISTMAS CLOSING DATES**

Christmas is upon us yet again! From all the staff here at TD Accounting we would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We would also like to thank you all for your ongoing support during this year of transition here at TD Accounting, we really appreciate your support.

Please note that our office will be closed over the Christmas period, our final day of business for the year will be Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2016 and re-open on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2017. If you have any urgent issues during this time, please send an email to [john@tdaccounting.com.au](mailto:john@tdaccounting.com.au) or call his mobile on 041 104 6628 and he will get back to when he is able.

## **EMPLOYMENT INCENTIVES**

The decision to employ new staff is one of the most difficult decisions for a small business. Whilst it is a sign that your business is growing, the compliance that surrounds employing staff is usually the main reason some business don't take the leap. Here at TD Accounting we are able to assist you in employing new staff by helping you with your compliance and obligations. We also offer a payroll service where we will complete all the compliance for you each week and at the end of the financial year. We can also advise and assist with setup of payroll software that ensures you are compliant.

The Australian Government currently has the following employment incentives:

- Mature Age Workers – Up to \$10,000
- Workers under 30 – Up to \$6,500
- Parents looking to re-enter the workforce – Up to \$6,500
- Long term unemployed – Up to \$6,500
- People with a Disability - \$1,500

The NSW Government also has a \$2,000 grant for small business looking to increase their current employment levels.

If you are thinking of employing new staff I would encourage you to check out the following websites:

- [www.employment.gov.au/wage-subsidies](http://www.employment.gov.au/wage-subsidies)
- [www.jobactive.gov.au](http://www.jobactive.gov.au)
- [www.jobaccess.gov.au](http://www.jobaccess.gov.au)
- [www.osr.nsw.gov.au/grants/sbg](http://www.osr.nsw.gov.au/grants/sbg)

## **WEBSITE & FACEBOOK**

TD Accounting's website is a great resource for all things tax and business. We update our website with useful links and updates from the ATO to ensure that you have access to information that affects your business. We also have copies of all our past newsletters available for download. If you haven't already please check it out at [www.tdaccounting.com.au](http://www.tdaccounting.com.au).

We also have a Facebook page where we have shared useful articles and information. We also post reminders for BAS and tax lodgement dates. We encourage you to LIKE our page and also write a review while you are there.