

Collaborative Economy

Local Food



Food Swap

www.ceres.org.au/urbanorchard

“The project facilitates a monthly produce swap; seasonal pruning workshops and fruit preserving, jam and sauce making days; assistance with harvesting and tree maintenance; information on backyard gardening techniques.”



Landshare Australia

www.landshareaustralia.com.au

“Connecting those who have land to share with those who need land for cultivating food.”



Food Connect Sydney

sydney.foodconnect.com.au

Organic & chemical-free produce from local farms. Fair price paid to farmers for their produce. Fortnightly or monthly box of fruit & vegetables is picked up from a City Cousin in your neighbourhood.”



MamaBake

www.mamabake.com

“Mamas get together once a week and cook one big batch recipe each. The batch then gets divvied up amongst all the Mamas.”



Rentachook

www.rentachook.com.au

“Rentachook makes keeping chooks at home easy. Our customers get all the support and advice they need to make their chooks a success.”



Randwick Organic Buyers Group

www.organicbuyersgroup.org/Home/branches/randwick

“A branch of the Organic Buyers Group operates in Randwick, and orders are being made WEEKLY!”



What's Cookin'?

www.whatscookin.com.au

“Enter your postcode. Select a healthy and delicious locally prepared meal. Get it delivered to your door.” **Site launching soon**



Swap Shuffle Share

swapshuffleshare.com

“Swap Shuffle Share aims to encourage and support our neighbours in becoming more self-sufficient, share the bounty of our own edible gardens and increase the efficiency of food production in our own backyards.”

Transport



DriveMyCar

www.drivemycarrentals.com.au

Private Car Rentals, also known as peer-to-peer (“P2P”) car sharing.



Car Sharing

www.goget.com.au

www.flexicar.com.au

www.greensharecar.com.au



All the benefits of a car - without the hassle and expense of owning one! Access a network of new cars parked locally.



JayRide

www.jayride.com.au

Find unique, cheap and fun land transport. Carpool, rideshare, bus, shuttle, relocation cars and more.



mmMule

mmmule.com

Get stuff you want from around the world by rewarding a traveler for delivering it.



MeeMeep

www.meemeep.com

If you’ve got stuff to move, you can save time and money. And if you’re on the move, you can earn extra money.

Giving, sharing, swapping, renting



Freecycle

www.freecycle.org/group/AU

"Freecycle is a grassroots and entirely nonprofit movement of people who are giving (and getting) stuff for free in their own towns. It's all about reuse and keeping good stuff out of landfills."



Ziilch

ziilch.com

"Ziilch is a re-use website that allows you to give away items you no longer need. As the name implies, everything is FREE"



The Sharehood

www.thesharehood.org

"The Sharehood aims to build joyful, sustainable and resilient communities - encouraging people to get to know neighbours and share with them."



OpenShed

www.openshed.com.au

"Open Shed provides Australia with a virtual community, which allows for peer to peer renting and hiring of items between members."



Giant Swap Party

"The Giant Swap Party @ Taylor Square is a great way to help people gain some new stuff...without it costing the earth."



The Garage Sale Trail

garagesaletrail.com.au

"There are 7.4 million garages in Australia. What if every one of them had a garage sale on the same day?"



Coogee Clovelly Swap, Share, Buy or Sell

www.goget.com.au

"A Facebook group to facilitate sharing, swapping and community... it's one more little step towards sustainable local living."

Clothing



The Clothing Exchange

www.clothingexchange.com.au

“Since 2004, thousands of super-savvy ladies have made their way to our signature swaps with bags-full of fashions, fads and styles in tow. Our regular exchange events are a treasure trove of fabulous frocks, nice knits, slick suits and a colourful array of accessories.”



FindAUniform

www.findauniform.com.au

FindAUniform - a complete online second hand uniform noticeboard. Buy, Sell, Swap, Wanted Ads!



99dresses

www.99dresses.com

“99dresses provides women with an infinite wardrobe of fashion, customers buy and sell garments with a virtual currency called ‘buttons’ and the concept is the more items you sell the more buttons you make to spend on other items.”

Note: this site is currently out of action, but hopefully back soon



threadswap

www.threadswap.com.au

“Thread Swap is where you come to swap clothes and accessories on the net. It’s like a clothes swapping event, just online, and you don’t pay to get in. Oh, and if you don’t like anything you can just come back and visit another time.”

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Swap it baby!

swapitbaby.com.au

“SwapItBaby is an online community for swapping baby and kids’ clothes, toys, gear and everything else.”

Errands, Services & Skills



Sydney LETS

www.auslets.org/sydney

“Sydney LETS is an alternative trading network that trades goods & services using a local currency called “Operas” instead of federal dollars.”

Smarter Barter

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www.smarterbarter.com.au

Smarter Barter has a range of businesses around Sydney who trade goods & services with each other, increasing sales & saving cash.”



ReSkilling Festival

reskillingfestival.wordpress.com

“Reskilling is learning the skills we need to build resilient communities. Reskilling activities can include foraging, growing, preserving and storing our food, repairing, building and making things, etc...”



Curb Collective

www.bower.org.au/curb-collective.html

The Curb Collective is “a reuse furniture project - teaching carpentry and upholstery skills to reuse and recreate discarded furniture from our new workshop in the heart of Redfern.”



Cycle Re-Cycle Club

bikeclub.wordpress.com

“Cycle Re-Cycle Club gratefully receive pre-loved or abandoned bikes, parts to help you make a working bike to go back into the community.”



AirTasker airtasker.com

“Airtasker connects people seeking to outsource everyday tasks & errands with trusted, reliable people who can complete those tasks.”



TaskRunners taskrunners.com.au

“Get your tasks done”



TaskBox taskbox.com.au

“Got an odd job or an errand to run, but no time to do it? List it with TaskBox and one of our trusty runners will do it for you.”



Locongo

locongo.com

“A way for ordinary people, tour providers & businesses to accept bookings for local experiences. ?



weteachme

weteachme.com

“Learn something new. Discover lessons from real people.”

Accommodation, Storage & Parking



Travel like a human.

AirBnB

www.airbnb.com

“Find a place to stay. Rent from real people in 19,732 cities in 192 countries.”



Couch Surfing

www.couchsurfing.org

“Travel authentically. Live like a local in the places you are visiting as a guest in someone’s home. Start by searching for people who interest you. Once you’ve found someone, send them a message, inviting them to your home or requesting to stay in theirs.”



Divvy

www.divvy.com.au

“When over 1 million Sydney commuters use their cars to get to work, parking is more than a problem. But when many commuters leave valuable car spaces sitting vacant all day. Now drivers can be matched with these vacant car spaces in real-time.”



SpaceOut

www.spaceout.com.au

“spaceout helps you to Find or Rent Out Storage, Office, Parking, Rural or Commercial Space”



LooseCubes

www.loosecubes.com

“Enjoy free access to happy and productive spaces. Work around people you want to meet.”



PetHomeStay

www.pethomestay.com

“PetHomeStay is an Australian & New Zealand community, that allows pet owners to easily find local friendly homestays or sitters for their pet.”

Support for Community & Creative Projects



Pozible

www.pozible.com

“Pozible is a crowdfunding platform and community for creative projects and ideas. Developed for artists, musicians, filmmakers, journalists, designers, social change makers, entrepreneurs, inventors, event organisers, software developers... to raise funds, realise their aspirations and make great things possible.”



StartSomeGood

startsomegood.com

“FindAUniform - a complete online second hand uniform noticeboard. Buy, Sell, Swap, Wanted Ads!”



Awesome Foundation

www.awesomefoundation.org/en/chapters/sydney

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Empty Spaces

emptyspaces.culturemap.org.au

“Funded by the NSW government through Arts NSW and the University of Technology, Sydney, to promote short-term reuses of empty shops and spaces for creative and community development.”