

Maiden Gully's New IGA

Bendigo's newest IGA is located on the western fringe of this ever-expanding major central Victorian city.

Owners Bill Bateson, with Marion and Mark Geyer, have opened their new supermarket in a modern, new site that will for the first time establish a full supermarket offer in the locality that was formerly only supported by a general store and post office. This store marks the beginning of Maiden Gully's shopping centre, making this a milestone in the area's development.

The location is on the fringe of Bendigo and has similarities to the fast-growing Strathfieldsaye where the team is building a new Supa IGA store scheduled to be open later on this year.

The bright new development boasts full fresh food departments, a large IGA + liquor department and carries a great range of general merchandise.

The store certainly offers customers the convenience of a full shop close to home and saves them the trip into Bendigo to shop.

Sales have been strong and the store has met its sales expectations during the opening weeks.

Retail Trade Measuring

Trade Measurement Victoria is responsible for administering the Trade Measurement Act 1995 and the Trade Measurement Regulations 1995.

There is nothing mandatory that sets out how often scales and measuring equipment are to be maintained/recorded. It is up to each individual store to maintain its measuring equipment to ensure that it meets the legal standards at all times.

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