

Community Grants Reminder

South Gippsland Shire Council is reminding community groups that applications to Round Two of the Community Grants Program are to be submitted by the 31 March.

The Community Grants Program aims to support community ambitions that increase the quality of life, heritage, recreation and cultural opportunities in South Gippsland.

Applications can be made under one of four categories including Minor Projects and Equipment; Celebrations, Festivals and Events; Major Projects and Planning and Development Studies.

Funding will be provided up to the following limits for each category:

- Minor Projects and Equipment: Up to \$5,000
- Celebrations Festivals and Events: Up to \$5,000
- Major Projects: Up to \$10,000
- Planning and Development Studies: Up to \$10,000

Organisations wanting to apply can familiarise themselves with Council's Community Grants Guidelines and complete an online application on Council's website.

Council's Coordinator Grants/Emergency Management Penni Ellicott encouraged all community groups to consider applying for funding support.

"We are pleased to see the funding from Round One of the Community Grants Program used for fantastic community opportunities such as at the Mirboo North Festa recently.

"Council wants to ensure that all community groups take the opportunity to apply for the Community Grants Program as it provides valuable experiences and infrastructure that supports the residents of South Gippsland," said Ms Ellicott.

Successful applicants of the Round Two Community Grants Program will be announced in July at an awards ceremony.

For more information please see Council's website:

http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/info/20034/support_for_community_groups/196/grants

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