

Coal Creek Awarded for Education

Coal Creek Community Park and Museum has been awarded \$23,580 from the Department of Education and Training's Strategic Partnership Program.

The funding will assist with running professional development opportunities for teachers that focus on community history for improved student outcomes and teaching capacity.

The Strategic Partnership Program provides funding for the delivery of programs to improve student achievement, engagement, health and wellbeing and/or teacher capacity.

The funding process was highly competitive. All applications were subject to a multi-staged and rigorous selection process, including assessment by curriculum and subject matter experts from Department of Education and Training.

Coal Creek Community Park and Museum's Education Program Leader Emma Fellows-Cooke was pleased that Coal Creek has been successful in its application.

"This is a really important acknowledgement by the Department of Education and Training of the high quality education services we provide at Coal Creek Community Park and Museum.

"We look forward to delivering the training and assisting teachers in South Gippsland and beyond to teach the importance of history of their locality," said Ms Fellows-Cooke.

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