



# South Gippsland Shire Council News Community Grants

South Gippsland Shire Council is thrilled to announce the next round of community grants will open 1 July. Community grants help to support and enrich our local community by providing funding for key projects and initiatives. They are a great resource for organisations and are instrumental in facilitating social change, supporting grassroots initiatives, and fostering collaboration.

Community grants are designed to provide financial assistance to non-profits enabling them to implement projects and programs that address various community challenges. By leveraging these resources, we can build a stronger and more vibrant community together.

There are many grants available to not-forprofit organisations but we understand it can sometimes be difficult to know where to start or what to say. To help, Council will be hosting a Grant Writing Workshop on 15 June to assist local organisations set up appropriate frameworks to be ready to apply for any grant efficiently and effectively. The workshop will include:

- Understanding what grants are, and why organisations give them out
- · Identifying available funding opportunities
- Learn to frame and sell your organisation and project
- Define the project, its benefits and evaluation strategy
- Learn how to find evidence to support your project
- Develop a project budget
- Defining the organisation's stakeholders and partners
- Sustainability keeping the project going after the funding finishes

Reserve a spot at our upcoming workshop at:

#### www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/grants

Or find out more by contacting Sophie on 5662 9200 or sophie.bolding@southgippsand.vic.gov.au



Brief in-person conversations with our Mayor and Deputy Mayor are available on Friday 9 June. These chats will take place at Council (main office) from 9.00am to 2.00pm. To secure a 20-minute slot, bookings are required.

To book, please contact:

OfficeoftheCEO@southgippsland.vic.gov.au

#### **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Wednesday 28 June 2.00pm (Council Chambers, Leongatha)

Dates are also listed on Council's website at:

#### www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meetingdates

To watch the 'open' part of the meeting live or when it suits you, visit:

#### www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live

Please contact the Governance Team for questions about Council Meetings.

### SMALL BUSINESS NETWORKING DINNER

Calling all small businesses in the South Gippsland Shire! You're invited to our Small Business Networking Dinner sponsored by NBN. For more information and to reserve a spot, please head to:

https://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/business

#### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Looking for a new job? We might have the perfect position for you!

Check out our current vacant positions here: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/vacantpositions

## REQUEST FOR TENDER

Council is seeking submissions from qualified companies/applicants for the following:

# RFT/367 - Preparation of a Waste and Resource Recovery Plan

Tenders close 2pm AEST on Tuesday 20 June 2023

## EOI/374 – Expressions of Interest for Domestic Pound Services within South Gippsland Shire

Expressions of Interest close 9am AEST on Monday 12 June 2023

Documentation is available from Council's e-Tendering Portal

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders

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