



Community Assistance Grants

Successful Applications

As part of our August 2022 Community Assistance Grants scheme we have awarded funding to 26 local community events and projects. By providing financial assistance we support outcomes that promote participation, inclusion, working and learning together, supporting connectedness and activating community spaces such as parks, halls and other facilities. Our grants scheme encourages the provision of projects and events for the wider community.

26 activities will be funded in this round (\$146,676) include:

Loch Sport Business & Tourism Association

Annual NYE Fireworks Display

An Annual New Year's Eve Fireworks display for families at 10:00pm.

City of Sale Eisteddfod Society Inc

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An event for performers of all ages from around Wellington Shire and other areas of Victoria, to perform on stage to showcase their talents in dance, general music and speech & drama.

Sale Swimming Club

Gippsland Championships 2023

A two- and half-day swimming event with clubs from all over Gippsland competing.

Stratford on Avon Shakespeare Association

Stratford Shakespeare Festival 2023

Annual 2-week festival celebrating the works of William Shakespeare, including a range of arts, performances, live theatre and the ever-popular Medieval Faire Day on the village green.

Heyfield & District Vintage Machinery Group Inc

Heyfield Vintage Machinery Rally 2023

Two-day Vintage machinery rally showcasing collections and educating the public on how things worked in the past and an opportunity to walk down memory lane.

Sale Polocrosse Club

Sale Polocrosse Club Annual Tournament

Annual polocrosse tournament attracting participants and spectators from all over Victoria and Interstate. Events held for experienced and beginner riders.

Anglican Parish of Avon

Avon Anglican Family Fun Fair

A free event with loads of children's activities, pet show, lucky dips and stalls. Free to very low-cost food & BBQ stall provided.

Tarra Festival Committee

2023 Tarra Festival

Annual Easter weekend event in Yarram. The street parade is the central event with a series of community events over the 5 days.

Wines of East Gippsland

Tinamba Food and Wine Festival

An event celebrating the produce of Central and Eastern Gippsland.

Riviera Triathlon Club

Maffra Triathlon

An event offering a festival atmosphere celebrating community spirit, inclusiveness and healthy, active living. Utilising and showcasing the great facilities of the Maffra Swimming Pool and Maffra Lawn Tennis Club.

Golden Paradise Beach Ratepayers & Residents Association Inc

2023 End of Summer Surf Festival Market Day and Fishing Competition

The traditional 3-day community event. Activities include a 2-day Fishing Competition, art exhibition and collectibles Market and an evening community BBQ with music and major raffle draw.

Sale Music Festival Inc.

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A free annual community event for the whole family held in the Sale Botanic Gardens, showcasing Gippsland musicians.

The Gumboot Collective Incorporated

Yarram Chalk Art Festival 2023

A weekend of Artists creating chalk art along the footpaths of Commercial Road, Yarram.

Meerlieu Public Hall

Cricket Club net replacement

Demolition of the 40-year-old cricket nets and construction of three new cricket practice nets that align with the Community Cricket Facility Guidelines.

Rosedale Neighbourhood House

Roads to Rosedale Newsletter

Re-launch of the town's community Newsletter.

Maffra Golf Club

Safety Fence

To build a high wire netting safety fence to protect players from errant golf balls hit from the 6th

tee onto the 14th tee. Part of a larger project that will see 4 fences installed for safety requirements.

Dargo Cemetery Trust

Dargo Cemetery road

Restore existing road to cemetery to improve access.

Stratford Bowling Club

Facility Refresh

Refresh internal and external painting, replacement of indoor floor coverings and renewed barbeque space.

Heyfield Cricket Club

Mobile cricket turf cover

Cover to protect the turf wicket built by the club volunteers.

Cowwarr Football & Netball Club

Save our Surface

Re-surface the existing Netball court to improve safety and use.

Sale Combined Kindergartens Inc.

Playground Improvements

Safety improvements with the replacement of the slide, modifying equipment rungs and posts.

Friends of Heesco Town Incorporated

Yarram Water Tower Street Art Project

Extension to the current Yarram Street Art Trail by adding a Heesco painting, together with local GunaiKurnai artwork designed by Alfie Hudson on the Yarram Water Tower in Nightingale Street.

Uniting - Gippsland (Sale)

Community Meals

Replace the existing old unworkable oven for Uniting's Community Meals program.

Traralgon & District Pony Club Inc

Continued Safety Improvements for Local Equestrians

Safety improvements and upgrades at the Rosedale Racecourse Reserve Cross Country Course ensuring the safety of all members and visitors.

Port Albert Mechanics Institute Committee of Management

Communications strategy, marketing plan and outcomes

Raise awareness of Port Albert Hall as an ideal venue for meetings, public and private events, and special occasions.

Woodside Recreation Reserve Committee of Management Inc

Scoreboard Upgrade

Upgrade the current old scoreboard to a big screen video scoreboard.

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