

CITY OF WEST TORRENS



## **Notice of Committee Meeting**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** in accordance with Sections 87 and 88 of the Local Government Act 1999, that a meeting of the

### **CIVIC NON-PRESCRIBED GENERAL COMMITTEE**

Members: Councillor S Rypp (Presiding Member), Mayor Trainer,  
Councillors: G Vlahos, K McKay, G Demetriou, S Tsiaparis, G Nitschke, T Polito.

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### **CITY OF WEST TORRENS**

will be held in the Mayor's Reception Room, Civic Centre  
165 Sir Donald Bradman Drive, Hilton

on

**TUESDAY, 23 FEBRUARY 2016  
at 6.00 PM**

**Terry Buss  
Chief Executive Officer**

#### **City of West Torrens Disclaimer**

Please note that the contents of this Committee Agenda have yet to be considered by Council and Committee recommendations may be altered or changed by the Council in the process of making the formal Council decision.

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**1. MEETING OPENED**

**1.1 Evacuation Procedure**

**2. PRESENT**

**3. APOLOGIES**

**4. DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS**

Committee Members are required to:

1. Consider Section 73 of the Local Government Act and determine whether they have a conflict of interest in any matter to be considered in this Agenda; and
2. Disclose these interests in accordance with the requirements of Sections 74 and 75 of the *Local Government Act 1999*.

The following disclosures of interest have been made in relation to:

Item	Elected Member
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**5. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

**RECOMMENDATION**

That the Minutes of the meeting of the Civic Committee held on 27 October 2015 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

**6. COMMUNICATIONS BY THE CHAIRPERSON**

## **7. REPORTS OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

### **7.1 Summer Festival**

#### **Brief**

This report provides the outcomes of Council's Summer Festival 2016 and discusses the proposals for the 2017 Summer Festival.

#### **RECOMMENDATION(S)**

The Civic Committee recommends to Council that the report be received.

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#### **Introduction**

Council funded and has supported its 'Summer Festival' in various forms over the past few years.

Council's successful 2016 Summer Festival included the trialling of new program ideas and alternate venues in addition to the Memorial Gardens venue. It also saw the trialling of third party participation ranging from live music, food providers and local arts and community organisations.

#### **Discussion**

##### **Summer Festival 2016**

##### **Memorial Gardens**

The Summer Festival 2016 was held over 6 Saturdays from 9 January to 13 February. The first four events (9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> January) were held in Memorial Gardens. These were a series of movie nights with some music acts and children's activities alternating with music focussed events together with children's activities which were even more popular than previous years. Attendances at the first three events averaged approx. 1,000. The final Memorial Gardens event was affected by weather but still was attended by approx.500 plus over the night. In previous years, attendance ranged between 400-600 plus. Improved attendances may be due to greater and varied promotion of the Summer Festival as well as a more varied program.

##### **Thebarton Community Centre/Kings Reserve- Fork on the Road**

The final two events were held at the Thebarton Community Centre/Kings Reserve Precinct. A major event was held on 6 February as a 'Fork on the Road Event' entitled 'Fork in the Summer'.

This event attracted a crowd estimated to be over 4000. Food was provided by 30 food trucks offering a distinctive variety of cuisine choice. A wide selection of local craft beers, ciders and wine was also available. All traders reported excellent business and in fact one provider closed early as they had run out of food, so great was the demand.

The event included a large classic car display with 60 cars from the Wanderers Car Club who also provided rock and roll demonstrations in the Community Centre and an extensive range of children's activities kept younger attendees entertained while adults relaxed to the music of some of Adelaide's top musicians.

The 'Fork in the Summer' event was essentially five shows in one, providing something for everyone.

### **Thebarton Community Centre - Australian Refugee Association - Big Band Concert Fundraiser**

The final event was held on 13 February and was a fundraising concert supported by Council in aid of the Australian Refugees Association (ARA) and its work with Syrian refugees. It featured the 17 piece Mike Stewart Big Band.

Close to 300 people of all ages packed out Thebarton Community Centre for a swinging night which was enjoyed by everyone. Preliminary reports from ARA indicate that they raised well over \$3,000. Additionally, they recruited a large number of new volunteers and also received several offers from local businesses to undertake further fundraising activities.

### **Third Party Participation**

As detailed previously, third party participation was noticeable and is an area which can grow further in coming years. This year it included St. Nicholas Church Thebarton, the Pan Rhodian Society, the Messinian Association, Wheatsheaf Hotel, Mile End Hotel, Brickworks Centre and traders, Dave's Coffee N Cookies, Fork on the Road and 30 Food Trucks (many of which are based in West Torrens and the western suburbs), Wanderers Car Club, Mrs Harris' Shop (Art Gallery), the Light Gallery- Centre for Creative Photography, Australian Refugees Association and Music SA and the Camden Park Scouts Group.

### **Summer Festival 2017**

It is proposed that next year's festival builds on the momentum generated in 2016. Budget proposals are being developed which will seek to expand the number of events and locations.

Elements include; restaging the Fork on the Summer event and making it an annual feature of the Summer Festival, continuing a program of events at Memorial Gardens, incorporating a multicultural event at Memorial Gardens as part of the program (this has been reported on in a further agenda item) and activating other parks with 'pop-up' concerts and events which have more of a local neighbourhood focus in selected areas. This could include making use of the newly renamed Henley & Grange West Torrens Concert Band as well as other local bands of all ages and genres. Further development of links and engagement with other cultural organisations and other third party participants will be undertaken to seek their participation in the 2017 Summer Festival.

The Administration is also proposing that the Library be open for extended hours (till 8 pm) on Saturday's when events are held in Memorial Gardens.

A further issue to note is that, if the redevelopment of Memorial Gardens together with the refurbishment of the Royal Life Saving Building, car park and adjacent cottage provide the opportunity for expanding a more substantial program at Memorial Gardens using all of these facilities. Also of note is the potential for staging Festival events created by a redeveloped Mellor Park when that is completed.

### **Conclusion**

The report summarises achievements of the 2016 Summer Festival program and scopes out potential directions for development of the 2017 program.

ATTACHMENT 1  
SUMMER FESTIVAL 2016



## 7.2 City of West Torrens Art Prize

### Brief

This report provides an update on the establishment of a City of West Torrens Art Prize.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

The Committee recommends to Council that it approves the establishment of the City of West Torrens Art Prize, as detailed within this report, subject to its approval in the final 2016/17 budget.

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### Introduction

The 22 August meeting of the Committee requested that work be undertaken for the establishment of a City of West Torrens Art Prize which was further discussed at its 27 October 2015 meeting at which the Administration committed to researching similar programs offered by other councils and reporting back to this Committee.

### Discussion

A scan of the programs in a range of other councils in South Australia reveals a variety of different art award schemes (**Attachment 1**). The table demonstrates a wide range of approaches and prize value offered in a diversity of categories. Prizes can range from \$20,000 down to very small amounts for junior artists (e.g. \$20). Categories include prize rankings (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize), people's choice, "packer's choice", age categories (youth, junior), experience categories ("emerging"), subject categories (painting, sculpture, photography, moving image), artist restrictions (local only) or special categories (as a memorial for a significant person). The more prize categories on offer increases the complexity of the judging process and it would be advisable, if Council wishes to proceed, to start with a simple range of categories (as described below).

To ensure that skilled artists are sufficiently attracted and willing to participate, it is suggested that the major prize on offer be of such a value as to distinguish itself from those on offer by some other councils. For example, apart from prizes of the highest value (which usually have contributions from other bodies as well) a median prize value point appears to be in the range of \$5,000 for first prize. By offering above that point it could be expected that Council will attract entries of a high standard.

Taking all these considerations into account, the following simplified approach is proposed:

- Major Prize: \$10,000
- Emerging Artist prize: \$2,000
- A budget proposal has been prepared along these lines and has been incorporated into the 2016-17 draft budget for consideration by Council along with \$3,000 for promotion, judging costs and event staging.

### Conclusion

This report proposes the establishment of a City of West Torrens Art Prize.

**ATTACHMENT 1**  
**EXAMPLES OF ART PRIZES OFFERED BY OTHER COUNCILS**

<b>COUNCIL</b>	<b>PRIZE</b>	<b>COMMENT</b>
Adelaide City Council	1 <sup>st</sup> prize \$20,000 People's Choice \$1,000	Adelaide Parklands Prize. It has a range of participating partners including Adelaide Parkland Authority, Festival Centre, Mavrakis Family, Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society
Whyalla	\$25,000	Whyalla Art Prize. In conjunction with Country Arts SA & Whyalla Arts Council. Biennial. This is an acquisitive prize
Tatiara	\$10,000 Plus \$5,000 in additional; categories of Youth People's choice Local/Emerging	
Unley City Council	Open \$5,000 Youth \$1,000 Under 13 years \$500	There is also a non-monetary "people's choice" category
Prospect	1 <sup>st</sup> prize \$5,000 Packers choice \$500 People's choice \$1,000	Focus on Portraits
Salisbury	1 <sup>st</sup> prize \$5,000 2 <sup>nd</sup> prize \$2,500 Emerging \$500	
Onkaparinga & Alexandrina Councils	\$10,000	Fleurieu Art Prize in conjunction with UNISA
Marion	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize \$3,000 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize \$2,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize \$500	Incorporates business donations
Campbelltown	\$3,000	Run in conjunction with an Art Show This is an acquisitive prize
Tea Tree Gully	5 categories ranging from \$600 - \$100 Plus Junior categories ranging from \$200 - \$20	This is now run by TTG Lions Club in conjunction with Council
Robe	2 Dimensional \$2,000 3 Dimensional (e.g. sculpture) \$2,000 Local Landscapes \$1,500 B Morgan Memorial (Local residents only) \$1,000 People's Choice \$500 Senior Student \$300 Middle Student \$100	Southern Ocean Art Prize. In conjunction with Bendigo Bank, Morgan Family & 14 local businesses, individuals and clubs
Mitcham		Currently running a specific skateboard art competition with skater related prizes



### 7.3 Multicultural Festival Proposal

#### Brief

This report presents a proposal to incorporate a multicultural festival into Council's Summer Festival program.

#### RECOMMENDATION(S)

The Committee recommends to Council that a multicultural event be integrated into Council's Summer Festival Program subject to budget approval.

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#### Introduction

At its 8 December 2015 meeting, Council resolved:

*"That the Administration assess and report back to Council on the feasibility of a Multicultural Street Festival on Henley Beach Road, or some other suitable venue, to be held either annually or bi-annually."*

This report responds to the above resolution.

#### Discussion

Holding a multicultural street event on Henley Beach Road would result in the need to close the road to traffic for the period of the event. Consequently, investigations have been undertaken into the feasibility of staging a multicultural festival on Henley Beach Road which includes the feasibility of closing Henley Beach Road to traffic to enable the event to be located on the roadway.

Current DPTI figures for Henley Beach Road evidence an average traffic volume of 29,700 vehicles per weekday and at weekends a traffic volume of approx. 18,000 - 22,000 per day. The closure of Henley Beach Road at Jervois St / Bagot Avenue would be likely to divert a large amount of this traffic via Norma Street and Carlton Parade - around 9,000 additional vehicles through streets with normal weekend volumes well below 1,000 vehicles a day. It has also been estimated that the logistics involved in the road closure alone would cost between \$17,000 - \$20,000.

The closure of Henley Beach Road is also expected to have a significant impact on normal trading along the road. Some traders may be expected to benefit from a Multicultural Festival because their services and products would be complementary to the themes of the festival. However there are also another group of traders who would expect that the disruption and loss of usual business would not be offset by festival attendees.

It has also been noted that a similar event was trialled in the early 1990s which had limited success even though it was supported by the then functioning main street traders association. That association no longer exists. Without the active participation and collaboration of the majority of traders on Henley Beach Road the likelihood of staging a successful event is diminished.

An alternate option is currently being explored by Administration following discussion with the mover of the motion above which will, hopefully, develop over time into a significant celebration of the City of West Torrens' multicultural character as follows:

1. Develop a five year planning horizon that build slowly towards a major event through the staging of smaller scale events, initially in the civic precinct, as part of the annual Summer Festival Program. This would see the inclusion of one specifically themed event to celebrate multicultural aspects of our community. This has the advantage of building on an already established program with high recognition and a good and growing reputation. Logistically it is a far more straightforward program to stage in the first instance.
2. Throughout each year, develop a proactive strategy of engagement with a range of cultural organisations that serve the main cultural groups in West Torrens. The aim of this strategy is to both encourage them to participate in a Festival and related events and also to encourage dialogue between cultural groups.
3. Use the staging of a Festival to further promote multicultural aspects of West Torrens and intercultural dialogue and understanding. This could include such activities as a multicultural youth project, a Mayor's forum and reception for multicultural leaders in West Torrens, the inclusion of further Award categories in the West Torrens Australia Day Awards highlighting multicultural achievements and intercultural dialogue.

Overall this approach proposes a careful and gradual build towards the staging of a significant and major event over a 5 year planning horizon which:

- Starts by building on an already established and successful Summer Festival program;
- Recognises the critical need to build and sustain effective relationships across and between significant cultural groups and organisations (both established and newly arrived groups);
- Celebrates the multicultural character of the West Torrens community while seeking to strengthen and grow the event by integrating it into the Festival as part of a broader integrated strategy of engagement and intercultural dialogue supported and facilitated by Council.

## **Conclusion**

This report recommends the integration of a multicultural event into Council's the Summer Festival program to build, strengthen and celebrate the multicultural character of West Torrens.

## 7.4 Thebarton Community Centre Signage Update

### Brief

This report provides an update on planned developments to improve the signage and related elements at Thebarton Community Centre.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

The Committee recommends to Council that the Thebarton Community Centre Signage Update be received.

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### Introduction

At its 25 August 2015 meeting, the Committee recommended and Council subsequently endorsed a proposed plan for improved signage, the location of the David Hookes sculpture as well as the installation of public artwork at Thebarton Community Centre. This plan was further supported by the Community Facilities Committee at its 22 September 2015 meeting.

### Discussion

#### *David Hookes Sculpture*

Work to date has seen the installation of the David Hookes' sculpture (**Attachment1**) together with an interpretative sign. To complete this element of the project, City Works is organising additional identification as well as feature lighting. Discussions have been held with Robyn Hookes (David Hookes' widow) regarding a suitable launch of the installation now that it is complete however, Ms Hookes indicated that for personal reasons she does not want to be involved but suggested involving the West Torrens Cricket Club instead. Consequently, an informal public event will be planned for later in the year which will involve the club as well as local schools.

#### *Signage*

It is anticipated that all other works will be concluded by end of March 2016. This includes the installation of an LED sign (which will require development approval), a steel frame vinyl banner holder and a car park entrance sign.

#### *Public Artwork*

Progress on public artwork along the Ashwin Parade fence is currently on hold and planning for this is being incorporated into a wider project for refreshing the look and general presentation of the Community Centre. The aim is to resolve a number of functional issues as well as making the Community Centre more easily identifiable from all directions. The brief is to specifically improve its presentation of information, accessibility and generally boosting of a welcoming feel for the community. It is anticipated that design elements used along the fence will then flow into designs for the "look and feel" of the Centre.

### Conclusion

Progress on improved signage and identification of the Thebarton Community Centre is proceeding and the installation of the David Hookes sculpture is complete with the exception of feature lighting.

ATTACHMENT 1  
DAVID HOOKES SCULPTURE



## 7.5 Reforming Council's Community Grants Scheme

### Brief

This report provides a proposal in relation to reforming of Council's community grants program.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

The Committee recommends to Council that:

1. The community grants program be amended in accordance with the information contained in this report.
2. A biannual community equipment grants program be established in accordance with the information contained in this report, to be run simultaneously with Council's community grants program.
3. The maximum community grant available be increased from \$2,000 to \$3,000 and the maximum community equipment grant available be set at \$1,000, effective from the first round of grants in the 2016/17 financial year.

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### Introduction

At its meeting of 27 October 2015 the Civic Committee endorsed the following which was resolved by Council at its subsequent meeting:

*That the Administration develop reform proposals prior to the next Civic meeting, based on calling for submissions simultaneously for Community Equipment Grants set to a maximum of \$1,000 per organisation and up to \$3,000 for Community Grants.*

Consequently, this report provides a series of proposals to streamline Council's grants program in accordance with the above resolution of Council.

### Discussion

#### Proposals

##### *Documentation*

Work is progressing to simplify the application documentation to provide a single document for guidelines and applications. These will be presented in a more "user friendly" format (Attachment 1). This will overcome the problem of applicants only referring to the application form and not the guidelines and therefore not being aware of the selection criteria.

It is also proposed to provide separate application and guidance documents for Environment Grants rather than combining them with the Community Grants documentation. It is still proposed to open these two schemes every year at the same time (February) but have clear and distinct application pathways and documentation.

##### *Community Equipment Round*

To avoid confusion, it is recommended that the ad hoc category of "Community Equipment Grant" become a permanent feature of the scheme and offered as a distinct category when the Community Grants round is opened. This will avoid clubs and organisations, that need to buy or replace their own equipment, being disappointed when their application is declined. This will then also avoid clubs and organisations waiting for several months, as is currently the case, before an equipment round is opened.

### *Ideas Day*

It is proposed that as part of the opening of each round all interested parties (individuals, organisations and groups) be invited to attend an "Ideas Day", possibly held at Thebarton Community Centre. There they will be provided with an opportunity to receive information about the grants schemes, have an opportunity to speak with relevant staff to help refine their ideas and have access to information about the West Torrens community (e.g. census data and other social indicators). This would be a facilitated event and participants would be encouraged to make connections with other groups and seek out partners to develop ideas and joint projects. There would also be an opportunity to practice grant application writing and receive feedback and suggestions from staff. This would be a catered event that is designed to be informal and relaxed and help promote additional social connections between community groups.

It is proposed that these changes take effect from the first round of community grants during the 2016/17 financial year i.e. September 2016.

### **Conclusion**

This report provides information on reform proposals for Council's community grants scheme and the establishment of a bi-annual community equipment grants scheme.

ATTACHMENT 1

DRAFT COMMUNITY GRANTS COMBINED APPLICATION AND GUIDELINES BOOK.

# 2016/17 community grants



## 7.6 Disbursements of Grants, Sponsorships and Donations

### Brief

This report provides an update on the disbursement of grants, sponsorships and donations for the period 1 July 2015 to 31 January 2016.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

The Committee recommends to Council that this report be received.

### Introduction

Council makes available a range of grants, sponsorships and donations to community groups and individuals through a variety of funding programs.

### Discussion

The tables below detail the disbursement of grants, sponsorships and donations for the period 1 July 2015 to 31 January 2016.

#### Sponsorship

Amount	Recipient
1,500	Judo SA. Judo Competition
3,000	Greek Street Festival (George St. Thebarton)
1,900	Back to Bethlehem Concert event
3,000	Christmas Carols (United Churches of the West) plus "in kind" support
3,000	Big Band Concert ( Summer Festival fundraiser)
3,000	West Beach Skate Park Concert ( Hutt Street Centre Fundraiser)
3,000	Camden Classic
475	Australian Scooter Association Qualifying Event, West Beach
<b>18,875*</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>\$30,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>11,125*</b>	<b>Remaining Budget</b>
	(* Note separate agenda item 1 Sponsorship application received this period)

#### Community Grants

Amount	Recipient
2,000	West Adelaide Football Club (Multicultural Youth Development program: "come and try AFL")
1,690	Western Youth Centre (PA System for general use at no charge)
1,700	Camden Community Centre (Resources to construct a covered walkway plus skill development for volunteers)
<b>5,390</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>50,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>44,610</b>	<b>Remaining Budget ( prior to Community Equipment Grant Round)</b>

#### Community Equipment Grant December Round

Amount	Recipient
1,000	Messinian Association Hawks Football Club (Upgrade canteen and BBQ facilities)
1,000	West Torrens Baseball Club (Purchase equipment of improved protective baseball equipment)
1,000	Reedbeds Community Centre (2 portable hard disk drives, 1 laser printer and 1laptop)
997	Combined Probus Club of Novar Gardens (Purchase a data projector)



862	Anglican Parish of Plympton (Purchase of a Sony LCD/LED Panel Television, a Blueraey DVD Player and a wall bracket)
1,000	Richmond Primary School (Purchase new shirts, folding training goals and pop up training goals)
1,000	Castellorizian Brotherhood of SA (new chairs)
1,000	Lockleys Football Club (Assist with the purchase of equipment for "come and try" AFL program and to run a "one-off" session)
<b>7,859</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>36,751</b>	<b>Remaining Budget for Community Grants</b>

#### Junior Development Grants

Amount	Recipient
<b>13,500</b>	<b>Total (Attachment 1)</b>
<b>30,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>16,500</b>	<b>Remaining Budget</b>

#### Donations

Amount	Recipient
<b>0</b>	
<b>0</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>5,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>5,000</b>	<b>Remaining Budget</b>

#### Ex Gratia

Amount	Recipient
<b>0</b>	
<b>0</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>5,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>5,000</b>	<b>Remaining Budget</b>

#### Public Art Fund

Amount	Recipient
40,000	Allocated to Thebarton public art project as part of improved signage and identification of Thebarton Community Centre
<b>40,000</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>40,000</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>40,000</b>	<b>Remaining Budget</b>

The Junior Development Program provides financial support to young residents (under 18 yrs.) of West Torrens to participate in sporting, recreation, cultural and artistic events at a representative level. **Attachment 1** provides information on Junior Development Grant recipients from 1 July 2015 to 31 January 2016.

#### Conclusion

A sum of \$45,624 was disbursed during between 1 July 2015 and 31 January 2016

ATTACHMENT 1

JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS TO END JANUARY 2016

Recipient Name	Recipient Surname	Age	M / F	Suburb	Individual (\$)	Group (\$)	SA	Interstate	Overseas	Activity	Sport / Rec	Sci / Tech	Art / Culture
Megan	Telfer	10	F	GLENELG NORTH	200			1		Calisthenics Sub Juniors National Team Competition - Gold Coast	1		
Chelsea	Kennedy	11	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		National Calisthenics Championships - Gold Coast	1		
Isabella	Cimarosti	13	F	KURRALTA PARK	200			1		National Calisthenics Championships - Gold Coast	1		
Brooklyn	Kennedy	14	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		National Calisthenics Championships - Gold Coast	1		
Bethany	Prestwood	13	F	FULHAM	200			1		Combined Australian Netball Championships - Townsville	1		
Shawn	Curran	14	M	KURRALTA PARK	200			1		Australian Scout Jamboree 2016 - Sydney	1		
Jack	McArdle	12	M	THEBARTON	200			1		SAPSASA School sport Australian Rules Football - Geelong	1		
Braden	Snadden	12	M	KURRALTA PARK	200			1		Australian Scout Jamboree 2016 - Sydney	1		
Cody	Snadden	11	M	KURRALTA PARK	200			1		Australian Scout Jamboree 2016 - Sydney	1		
Maggie	Pearce	12	F	UNDERDALE	200			1		SAPSASA Netball Championships - Perth	1		
Caitlin	Curran	16	F	NORTH PLYMPTON	500				1	World Challenge - Scouts - Vietnam			1
Mia	Bowler	11	F	NETLEY	200			1		Calisthenics Development Team - Darwin	1		
Gemma	MacFarlane	14	F	GLENELG NORTH	200			1		U15 Girls State Soccer National Championships - Coffs Harbour	1		
Mikayla	Blackman	9	F	BROOKLYN PARK	100		1			National Judo Championships - Adelaide	1		
Yana	Kirimzi	13	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		Netball CANA Nationals - Townsville	1		

Recipient Name	Recipient Surname	Age	M / F	Suburb	Individual (\$)	Group (\$)	SA	Interstate	Overseas	Activity	Sport / Rec	Sci / Tech	Art / Culture
Gabriel Cooper	Tramaglino Sayers	16	M	MILE END GLENELG NORTH	500				1	Olympic Hopes Canoe Team - Poland	1		
Molly Olivia	Cook Milsom	10 15	F F	NOVAR GARDENS PLYMPTON	200 200			1		Cycling - Road Nationals Juniors - Shepparton VIC SAPSASA Cross Country Team - Melbourne VIC Japan Cultural Exchange	1		1
Maggie Harrison	Pearce Green	12 12	F M	UNDERDALE WEST BEACH	200 300		1	1		SAPSASA Tennis championship - Tasmania Surfing comp Yorke Peninsula, SA and North Stradbroke, QLD	1		
Lily	Oliver	8	F	CAMDEN PARK	100		1			2015 Australian Kudokan Judo National Championships - Adelaide SA	1		
Hayley Simone	Chapman Marchesan	13 12	F F	WEST BEACH LOCKLEYS	200 200			1		U15 Lacrosse National Tournament - Melbourne VIC U15 Lacrosse National Tournament - Melbourne VIC	1		
Hayley	Iannella	13	F	FULHAM	200			1		U15 Lacrosse National Tournament - Melbourne VIC	1		
Plympton Halifax Calisthenics Club		9 to 12	F	HILTON		600		1		Royal South Street Calisthenics Eisteddfod - Ballarat VIC	1		
Kayla	Shipton	13	F	CAMDEN PARK				1		2015 CANA Netball Nationals U15 SAUCNA team - Townsville QLD.	1		
Lauren	Hoffman	11	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		2015 CANA Netball Nationals U15 Marlestone team - Townsville QLD.	1		
Ella	Hoffman	11	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		2015 CANA Netball Nationals U15 Marlestone team -	1		

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Beau	Nunan	14	M	BROOKLYN PARK	200			1		Townsville QLD. Soccer - FFA National Youth Championships - Cooffs Harbour, NSW	1		
Christopher	Vivian	14	M	LOCKLEYS	200			1		Soccer - FFA National Youth Championships - Cooffs Harbour, NSW	1		
Sarah	Dodd	16	F	MARLESTON	200			1		Townsville Netball CANA Nationals - SAUCNA team	1		
Haylee	Arnott	16	F	NORTH PLYMPTON	200			1		Townsville Netball CANA Nationals - SAUCNA team	1		
Rebekah	Frisby-Smith	13	F	FULHAM	200			1		Australian U14 Girls Club Basketball Championships - Terrigal NSW	1		
Jackson	Holland	16	M	NORTH PLYMPTON	200			1		2015 Australian Junior Volleyball Championships - Canberra	1		
Katherine	Gibb	17	F	WEST BEACH	500				1	Volunteering with Young Marist Group - Philippines			1
Eleni	Apostolidis	12	F	BROOKLYN PARK	100		1			Soccer Team in SAPSASA Pacific Games - West Beach, SA	1		
Camden Park Scouts		11 to 12	M	CAMDEN PARK		600		1		Scout Jamboree 2016 - Cataract Park, NSW	1		
Adela	Gorzynska	16	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		National Youth Science Forum - Canberra		1	
James	Stevens	18	M	NETLEY	200			1		Australian Volleyball Schools Cup - Melbourne	1		
Kasey	Bauer	13	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		Gymnastics SA comp - Trans Bass Challenge - Melbourne	1		
Ashley Mae	Horton	16	F	KESWICK	500				1	St Mary's College Study Tour Italy			1

Recipient Name	Recipient Surname	Age	M / F	Suburb	Individual (\$)	Group (\$)	SA	Interstate	Overseas	Activity	Sport / Rec	Sci / Tech	Art / Culture
Lara Albina	Pacillo	16	F	LOCKLEYS	500				1	St Mary's College Study Tour Italy			1
Alexandra Mia	Deluca	16	F	MILE END	500				1	St Mary's College Study Tour Italy			1
Faith	Pickard	15	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		Australian U17 Girls Softball Championships - Sydney	1		
Meleri	Mullan	15	F	TORRENSVILLE	200			1		U16 Girls SA State FUTSAL - Sydney	1		
Mohammad	Sumaoro	18	M	TORRENSVILLE	200			1		FFA FUTSAL Junior Championships - U19 boys	1		
Jessica	Van Pelt	16	F	WEST BEACH	500				1	St Mary's College Study Tour Italy			1
Madison	Scott	15	F	LOCKLEYS	200			1		Australian U17 Girls Softball Championships - Sydney	1		
Kody	Dodds Watson	15	M	NETLEY	100		1			Australian Junior Dart Championships - Murray Bridge SA	1		
Meg	Bowen	12	F	RICHMOND	500				1	Girl Guides 'Arts for Change' program - Sangam, India			1
Ferran Fidells	Masrenhas	16	M	UNDERDALE	500				1	Mediterranean International Soccer Cup - Barcelona, SPAIN	1		
<b>YEAR TO DATE TOTAL = \$13,500</b> <b>BUDGET FOR 2015-16 = \$30,000</b>													

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## 7.7 Japan Australia Friendship Association Sponsorship Application

### Brief

This report seeks the Committee's consideration of a sponsorship application from the Japan Australia Friendship Association for their annual 'Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival'.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

That the Civic Committee recommends to Council that it supports the Japan Australia Friendship Association's 'Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival' by way of a \$3,000 sponsorship and the loan of equipment.

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### Introduction

The Japan Australia Friendship Association has organised their annual 'Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival' to be held on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2015 at the Cowandilla Primary School. Council has supported this Festival since 2002 through cash sponsorships and the loan of equipment such as rubbish bins and marquees.

### Discussion

The request is for sponsorship (**Attachment 1**) to assist the Japan Australia Friendship Association with the hire of equipment, security and general costs associated with such a festival.

The 2016 program again includes interactive workshops, live performances, exhibitions and authentic food. In previous years this event attracted over 5,000 people.

This event was the joint winner of the SA Australia Day Council of South Australia's 'Community Event of the Year Award' in January 2014, and was the City of West Torrens winner in the same category last year.

### Conclusion

That the Civic Committee recommends to Council that it supports the Japan Australia Friendship Association's 'Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival' by way of a \$3,000 sponsorship and the loan of equipment.

ATTACHMENT 1

## Sponsorship program application form



**Note:**

1. Read the Sponsorship guidelines before completing this application.
2. Please attach any additional information and supporting statements.
3. Please type or print legibly.
4. Applications must be completed in full or they will not be accepted.

1. Event and organisation details													
Event name:	Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival												
Event description:	Community festival												
Date(s) of event:	Sunday 1st May 2016												
Organisation / Group:	Japan Australia Friendship Association												
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Date submitted:	9th February 2016												
2. Organiser's contact details													
Name:	Mike Dunphy												
Position:	President												
Organisation:	Japan Australia Friendship Association												
Address:	PO Box 582, Fullarton												
		P/Code: 5063											
Telephone:	Facsimile:	Email:											
8370 8771		kaicho@jafa.asn.au											
3. Event details													
Type of event (you may select more than 1)													
<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community	<input type="checkbox"/> Environment											
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports	<input type="checkbox"/> Business											
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Arts / Culture	<input type="checkbox"/> Charity	<input type="checkbox"/>											
Event attendees (indicate the expected characteristics of your event attendees)													
Age range													
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Under 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 31 to 40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 51 to 60											
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20 to 30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 41 to 50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 60 plus											
Where will the attendees be travelling from?													
<input type="checkbox"/> City of West Torrens	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adelaide metropolitan area												
<input type="checkbox"/> Western suburbs	<input type="checkbox"/> SA generally												
Estimated total attendance?	Approximately ~ 5,000												

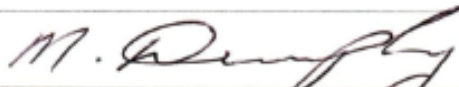
4. Level of sponsorship requested (tick)		
Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Naming rights <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joint sponsor <input type="checkbox"/> Minor support	
Cash: \$	\$3,000	
In kind support (specify):	Loan of equipment: Tables, chairs, small marquees etc.	
What will the funds be used for?	Hire of equipment: Stage, marquee, sound system etc.	
How many other sponsors are involved?	No other sponsors involved.	
Who are they?	*Some funding is received from state government entity	
What is their level of support?		
5. Promotional / media benefits		
Provide details of the media types to be used:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Advertorials	<input type="checkbox"/> Television	<input type="checkbox"/> Public speaking
<input type="checkbox"/> Advertising - newspaper	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Signage	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Radio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Web site	
Provide details of the level of coverage anticipated:		
Advertising on social media, SBS Japanese Radio, info to educational institutions etc.		
6. Research and evaluation of your event		
Will you undertake research prior to or after the event?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If yes, how?		
A sub-committee is formed and meets on multiple occasions prior to the event to plan.		
Feedback is requested from attendees, performers, exhibitors, stall-holders and volunteers.		
Debriefing meeting is held to review procedures and identify any areas for improvement.		
If not, why not?		
How do you evaluate the effectiveness of your event?		
Effectiveness is evaluated based on the level of attendance, and the feedback received from attendees, participants and volunteers.		



### 7. Declaration

I Mike Dunphy \_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that I have been authorised to prepare and submit this application on behalf of the above-mentioned group or organisation, and that the information contained in the application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature



Date: 07 / 02 / 2016

### 8. Where to send your completed application

Return this application together with any attachments to:

Manager Community Services  
City of West Torrens  
165 Sir Donald Bradman Drive  
Hilton SA 5033

Or email to [csu@wtcc.sa.gov.au](mailto:csu@wtcc.sa.gov.au).

## ATTACHMENT 2



### Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival

Sunday May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

The Japan Australia Friendship Association (JAFA) is a volunteer community organisation established in 1998 that aims to meet the needs of the community through a varied program of events that celebrate and further the community's appreciation and knowledge of Japanese people, history, culture and language and helps newly arrived Japanese to be integrated and accepted into the community.

The Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival, organised and run by JAFA, is an annual community event first held 20 years ago, and will again be held at the Cowandilla Primary School, on Sunday the 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2016 - from 11am to 4pm. The Kodomo No Hi (or "Children's Day") Japan Festival is an award winning event which attracts a wide cross-section of the local South Australian community, and in 2015 was attended by over 6000 people.

A festival sub-committee organises the event. The members of the sub-committee, who themselves are volunteers, are drawn from the community and work with other volunteers (consisting of international students, mainly Japanese studying in Australia, and Australians studying Japanese) to help bring together a day of interactive workshops, live performances, exhibitions and food stalls to help create an atmosphere of a Japanese festival. Additionally, local community groups such as the Rotary Club of West Torrens support the event with members helping on the day. This hard work from all of the volunteers is appreciated by Australians who have visited Japan, and even more so by Japanese who have only had limited opportunities to enjoy and take pride in their culture whilst in South Australia. The familiar food, music, performances, exhibitions, new and old acquaintances all come together to help create a friendly, fun community atmosphere and make the event an enjoyable experience for all.

Visitors attending the event are able to involve themselves in Japanese cultural experiences with various workshops including tea ceremony, Japanese calligraphy, *origami* paper folding, *mochi* New Year's rice cake ceremony, and a Japanese rail system computer simulation. In addition to the workshops, exhibition rooms will display Japanese *ikebana* flow arrangements, *origami* collections, *bonsai* artwork by local Japanese artists, and traditional Japanese clothing. Live performances will keep the young and old alike entertained, with traditional Japanese folk dancers, martial arts exhibitions, popular and traditional vocal performances, and Japanese instrumental performances. Freshly cooked authentic food that you would expect to see at any true festival in Japan, and of course catering for all dietary requirements, will be on sale throughout the day giving a real taste of Japan's wonderful food. Japanese residents in South Australia truly appreciate the opportunity to take pride in their heritage and introduce their culture to the wider community – with many enjoying the occasion by dressing in traditional *kimono* or *yukata*.

The event has grown over the years, and recently received both the City of West Torrens and The Australia Day Council of South Australia Community Event of the Year Awards. In 2015, the Consul General of Japan attended the festival, and presented JAFA a special commendation for its achievements. JAFA is a non-for-profit organisation run solely by volunteers wishing to support their local community. In previous years, the proceeds of the event were used to make a substantial donation to the Unicef Children's Fund for Nepal Earthquake and also the Japan Red Cross for the Tohoku earthquake and tsunami appeal.

JAFA sincerely appreciates the support from the City Of West Torrens for the festival, which included the nomination for the Australia Day Council of South Australia award, and the Council's support is acknowledged by having its logo on festival posters advertising the event, signage on the main event stage, and in speeches and announcements on the day and in any media interviews that may be conducted.

JAFA have been pleased to welcome the Mayor and other Council representatives at the Kodomo No Hi Japan Festival in the past. The festival provides the Council with an opportunity to be seen to support a volunteer event, and JAFA looks forward to a continued relationship with the City, to help bring a valued event to the local community.

## **7.8 Letters of Thanks**

### **Brief**

This report provides feedback from Junior Development Grant Recipients.

### **RECOMMENDATION(S)**

The Committee recommends to Council that the Junior Development Grants be received.

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### **Introduction**

This report advises of the letters of thanks and feedback provided to Council from Junior Development Grant recipients, since 27 October 2015.

### **Discussion**

Letters of thanks and feedback have been received from the following ten Junior Development Grant recipients:

- Beau Nunan
- Simone Marcheson
- Bethany Prestwood
- Sarah Dodd
- Jackson Holland
- Lauren Hoffman
- Lily Oliver
- Maggie Pearce
- Molly Cook
- Susan Oakely Lewis

### **Conclusion**

Ten letters of thanks and feedback were received from ten Junior Development Grant recipients since the October 2015 meeting of the Committee.

**ATTACHMENT 1**  
**BEAU NUNAN**

Firstly, I would like to thank the City of West Torrens for the junior development grant. The experience to travel to Coffs Harbour and participate in the FFA national youth championships was an overwhelming experience. During my five day experience at Coffs Harbour I participated in six games with three wins, two losses and one draw.

As a result, I gained experience playing with new people which allowed me to further develop my social skills. It was a fantastic opportunity to be selected for the Australian squad and potentially be involved in the 2017 World Cup which will be held in Asia.

The junior development grant helped me in travelling to Coffs Harbour as all costs needed to be independently covered.

Sincerely thanking you,

Beau Nunan.



## ATTACHMENT 2 SIMONE MARCHESON

In September, 2015, I travelled to Melbourne for the Australian Lacrosse Association (ALA) U15 state tournament that is held every year. South Australia (SA) was represented by 3 girls teams Storm, Lightning and Comets. I played in the Comets team which is also a development team.

All the teams including the U15 boys travelled by train on a 12 hour trip to Melbourne, during this time I bonded and got to know girls that I had never made a connections with before. We all play lacrosse in South Australia for various club teams and aside form training session leading up to tournament, didn't know each other very well.

In Melbourne the teams stayed together in cabins and I bonded very closely with these girls as I had to learn to live with them for over a week. We washed dishes, made meals, washed our clothes and had to do everything independently. I learnt a lot from this experience as I had never had to organise myself in this way.

The playing conditions in Melbourne were very different to lacrosse fields in SA. The tournament games were played on Astro-turf similar to hockey fields and in SA fields we play on grass. So our first hurdle was to get over a very fast moving ball on a different surface.

We met very tough competition in our three minor round games, but remained competitive against all states. The most success the Comets team had was a draw in the semi final against the other SA team, Lightning. This game then went into extra time, three times and with the golden goal rule and was won by the Lightning team.

This experience taught me so many things for the future. I had to take care of myself, manage my time, create new friends and most of all, I learnt what it takes to compete at a high level. This tournament has encouraged me to improve my lacrosse skills so I become a valuable player. Next year I will hopefully make the team again and will also have the benefit of experience.

Although we were unsuccessful in winning games we always put up a challenge and our losses were within a few goals. We were a great team with a great coach and it saddens me to know we will never be a team again. I have created some lifelong friends ships and skills during my time in Melbourne and can't wait to hopefully come back next year to play more lacrosse.



ATTACHMENT 3  
BETH PRESTWOOD

Received

28 OCT 2015

City of West Torrens  
Information Management

Dear, The City of West Torrens

On the 25th of September 2015, my team, Saint Michaels and All Angels Netball Club, travelled to Townsville to participate in the 2015 Combined Australian Netball Association Championships. 32

We travelled as a team, representing our club and were looked after very well by our coach, Bronwyn Britcher and our team manager, Helen Wiseman.

This was the first time the club had put in a team into the championships, so we wanted to do our club proud.

The competition ran for nine days playing one to two games per day.

Our team played several teams from South Australia and also a team from Townsville.

We did extremely well, winning eight out of twelve games in total making it into the grand final.

We unfortunately lost the grand final by ten points, but overall it was a really great and suspenseful match to play.

This wonderful experience made our team come closer as not only teammates but as best friends.

As the games went on, our team got closer, learning to support each other in every way.

This trip has definitely helped me and my team learn new skills and improve our netball.

Seeing how other teams in the championship played made an impact on our own game.

We were so lucky to have the opportunity to travel interstate and play netball.

I would really like to thanks the City of West Torrens, for helping make this wonderful trip happen.

Thank you again,

*Beth Prestwood*



**ATTACHMENT 4  
SARAH DODD**

Report of my CANA National Netball trip to Townsville

My name is Sarah Dodd and I have recently returned from my trip to Townsville, Queensland for the CANA Nationals Netball Competition. The trip was at from the end of September to the start of October. Before I went away, I had 10 weeks of training with the team I was playing with. We had training every Monday night complete with a circuit work, fitness, skill development and matches against other skilled netball teams.

When I was over in Townsville, we played a total of 10 games of netball (almost two games per day including a semi and preliminary final). The games were held at outdoor courts which was very hot when we had games in the middle of the day. Unfortunately we just missed out on the grand final. Overall, we came third in our division. The teams that we played were very tough and were wanting to win as much as us. As we played more and more games, we as a team bonded better and learnt how to play with each other better. I found that every game, I was learning something new from playing at such a high level. On the first day of netball, (on the second match we played), I fell over hard and grazed my knees badly and landed on my left wrist rather hard. I came off for two quarters and tried to play in the last quarter. My wrist was very painful so I went to the hospital to get it checked out. I had x-rays done and they said that there is a possibility that one of the bones could be fractured. So at about 1:00 in the morning I finally went home with a brace on my wrist. The doctor said I had to rest it for at least 3 days before I could even think about playing netball. He said only if I felt that I could play I could, but only with the brace on. The three days sitting on the bench while watching the rest of my team play were very frustrating. I wanted to play so bad. About four days after the initial fall, I wanted to try and play. So I played for a half and it was ok. So I played for the rest of the tournament being very mindful of my wrist. After getting back to Adelaide, we found that my wrist was not fractured but it was badly sprained. It is recovering well now.

As well as lots of netball, we also had some leisure time to spend going around Townsville. As a team, we went to the Strand Markets, visited Crystal Creek, swam at the local pools near our apartments, went to a look out and of course went shopping. We also went and watched the other younger teams play their games and cheer them on.

I would like to thank the West Torrens Council for providing me with a Junior Development grant to assist with my costs for this trip. I had a great time in Townsville and I have made many great friendships that will last for a long time.

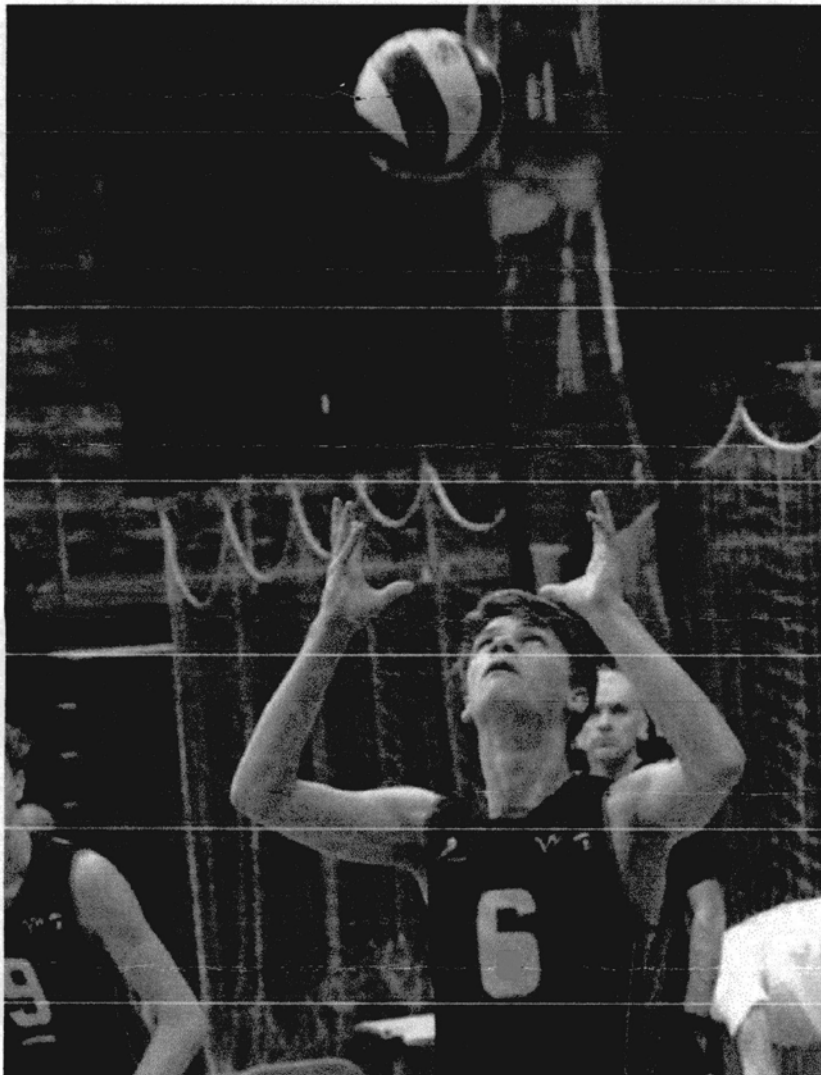


**ATTACHMENT 5  
JACKSON HOLLAND**

Dear West Torrens Council,

My U19 state volleyball team were lucky enough to go away in September this year to the Australian Junior Volleyball Championships. The team consisted of twelve players and two coaches, which travelled to Canberra to compete in the championships. Our team started off the tournament with a bang, winning the first three games of tournament. On the third day we lost to Queensland in a close five set game, which we should of won, but knew we had the potential to beat them. The next five days of the tournament we were undefeated beating Queensland in three sets in the first semi final. This gave us a spot into the grand final. Queensland won the preliminary final and came up against us again in the grand final. This time round, we crushed them, winning in three sets and winning a gold medal for South Australia. Having a gold medal around my neck is a huge privilege, let alone, making it into the grand final. I am very grateful to have had the opportunity to go to this tournament to represent my state. I would like to thank you for helping my family out with funding because it has been a lot easier with your generous support.

Thanks,  
Jackson Holland





**ATTACHMENT6  
LAUREN HOFFMAN**

Hi, my name is Lauren Hoffmann and I represented the Marlestone netball club at the CANA netball carnival in Townsville. This was a great experience for me as I got the chance to play netball for a whole week. I also had a chance to make new friends with the rest of the team. We played 8 games during the week. We won 7 out of the 8 games and made the finals. We lost our first semi final to another South Australian team (St Michaels). We then needed to win our preliminary final to get into the grand final which we did. We then met St Michaels again which was always going to be a tough match. All the girls played really well and managed to beat them by about 10 points and take out the trophy. It was really exciting. It was a fantastic week, a really good experience and I made some really good friends. I'm looking forward to next year when the carnival will be held in Adelaide.



ATTACHMENT 7  
LILY OLIVER



My name is Lily Oliver. I am eight years old. I competed in the National Judo competition in October and am now ranked 4th in Australia. All my competitors were boys who were heavier than me and some were nine years old. I had a fun day.



**ATTACHMENT 8  
MAGGIE PEARCE**

**From:** Josie Pearce  
**Sent:** Friday, 13 November 2015 1:22:54 PM  
**To:** Council Enquiries  
**CC:** 'jon pearce'  
**Subject:** Maggie Pearce feed back form for SAPSASA TENNIS

SAPSASA TENNIS – BRUCE CUP 18/24/10/2015

State tennis in Tasmania was an excellent experience.

South Australia played some great tennis and toughed out a few difficult matches. All of the teams were amazing competition and I enjoyed playing against them.

I had the privilege of being the Captain of this team, which I found enjoyable and challenging.

I also had a great time on our day off when we went to the Tasmanian museum and art gallery. I learnt alot of new things and had a great time doing the quiz at the end.

Thank you for your generous donation. Your support is really appreciated.

Maggie Pearce

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**ATTACHMENT 9  
MOLLY COOK**

To team Leader

Thankyou for my funding to go to cross country nationals.

Over the days we were there I competed in several races. On the saturday we had the indivisual 3k race. In the end I ended up 20<sup>th</sup> with the time of 11 minutes and 21seconds.

I improved on my placing from the year before by one spot, and I got my PB.

On the Monday me and some others competed in the relays. Each person had to run a 1500m. My time was 5.49 which for me was a PB.

In the end we finised 3rd. I was very happy about that as we recieved a bronze medal. overall I had a great and fun experience.

Molly



## ATTACHMENT 10 SUSAN OAKLEY LEWIS

### JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT GRANT- WORLD CHALLENGE VIETNAM

This was honestly a once and a lifetime opportunity, and I couldn't have been given this opportunity without your help.

This trip taught me so much, such as saving money and differing want from need, that here in Australia we are so so lucky to have the privileges we do, such as things like school, technology and clean water. Whereas for people over in Vietnam struggle. They are a much poorer country but are certainly developing.

While over there we did what we called a project. For this project we went to a child's home for kids that's parents can't afford to send them to school or live in very remote villages. This organisation ( C.H.I.A or Children's Hope in Action ) is non- government funded and they money our team raised to help them I feel made an impact. We helped them by creating a vegetable garden in the front and side yard so that they wouldn't have to spend so much money on the vegies so they could buy other foods or put the money aside for something. Due to this organisation not having government funding food and money are the things they struggle the most with, the next thing is supplying the children with new textbooks rather than extremely outdated ones. I was privileged enough to take two girls and two boys with me to get some new textbooks and leisure books. Seeing the youngest boys face light up when he saw a set of books he liked and us telling him we would purchase them for him was such a great feeling, but nothing could beat the feeling of the kids excitement and joy when we brought in the Christmas tree and plugged it in. the kids were so over joyed and it made me feel like I had made an impact on them.



I feel I must mention that though this sounds like a lot work and not much fun, we definitely got our opportunities to be a tourist, and oh my what an amazing place to be. There are so many old temples and ruins from the war, as well as night markets and little clothing stores. My favourite tourist activity has got to be when we went snorkelling. The ocean is just so clear and blue and snorkelling around these small islands with all these different fish and creatures was just absolutely amazing.



Overall I feel that this trip was a massive eye opener. The different culture and the way they survive off of the basics still mesmerizes me today and will forever seek to amaze me. These people have so close to nothing yet are so happy and peaceful and it truly makes my heart melt.

**8. OUTSTANDING REPORTS/ACTIONS**

**9. OTHER BUSINESS**

**10. NEXT MEETING**

26 April 2016, 6.00pm in the Mayor's Reception Room.

**11. MEETING CLOSE**