

GRANT PROJECTS FUNDED 2023/24

Applicant	Project	Stream	Amount Funded
Community Garden 3231	"Electrifying Aireys Inlet Community Garden". To purchase a battery powered mower and multi tool kit powered by the garden's new solar off grid system.	Quick Response	\$2,348
Danawa and Spring Creek Community Garden	To create a mindfulness garden and bloom project including two garden benches, an arbour, irrigation, trellis and soil.	Quick Response	\$3,000
1st Modewarre Scout Group (Auspiced by Scout Association of Australia - Victorian Branch)	"Scout Water Safety and Education Equipment". To purchase 35 snorkelling sets for the Scout Aquatic Outdoor Adventure training program.	Quick Response	\$2,050
Torquay and District Landcare	"Helping Hands". To purchase a Ryobi hammer drill with battery to enable digging of holes to be done more easily, faster and safer.	Quick Response	\$169
Surf Coast Art Space	"Hoop Gallery Digital Communications Improvement Plan". To update website, develop a professional email system, training and support, project management and coordination.	Quick Response	\$2,540
Anglesea Rubbish Rangers (Auspiced by Anglesea Community House)	To purchase 10 High-vis vests with logo printed on back and 10 pick-up sticks to provide volunteers with equipment.	Quick Response	\$693
Modewarre Football Club	To purchase an ice machine to produce ice for injury prevention and rehabilitation.	Quick Response	\$1,904
Surf Coast Women's Boardriders	For 5 members to complete a Community Surf Life Saving Certificate and First Aid certification (through Surf Life Saving Victoria).	Quick Response	\$2,275
Moriac Community Network - History Group (Auspiced by Moriac Community Network)	To purchase an overhead image scanner to digitally capture historical documents and photographs to preserve history for future generations.	Quick Response	\$1,250
Jan Juc Playgroup (Auspiced by Playgroup Victoria)	"New play equipment for a growing community." To purchase a balance kit and padded mats for babies.	Quick Response	\$2,332
Torquay 1st Scouts (Auspiced by Scout Association of Australia - Victorian Branch)	To purchase tents, compasses and crafting supplies to enable scouts to experience outdoor activities such as camping, regional and international camps, navigation skills and crafting.	Quick Response	\$3,000
Surf Coast Athletics	To purchase a long jump pit cover to protect the pit when not in use.	Quick Response	\$2,695
Bellbrae Heartspace Committee (Auspiced by Bellbrae Residents Association)	To purchase a portable stage and steps for Heartspace performances.	Quick Response	\$2,633
Lorne Community Connect	To purchase a mobile art display unit to display artists work.	Quick Response	\$1,500
Torquay Outrigger Canoe Club	To purchase two personal locator beacons to enable first responders to locate canoes in case of emergency.	Quick Response	\$758

Torquay and District Historical Society	To purchase 20 archival storage boxes to store historical documents, photos, maps and other images.	Quick Response	\$500
Torquay Food Aid	To purchase a platform trolley to move heavy and bulky items safely reducing the need for manual handling.	Quick Response	\$2,899
Probus Club of Spring Creek	To purchase a computer, hard drive, software and computer case to administer, present to and communicate with club members.	Quick Response	\$1,925
Torquay Men's Shed	To purchase and install a reverse cycle air conditioner for the woodwork shed and foldback speakers for singing group to enhance performances.	Quick Response	\$3,000
Art of the Minds	To purchase a refurbished photocopier to reduce costs when producing flyers for events and printing mandalas for community.	Quick Response	\$2,500
Freshwater Creek and District Riding Club	To purchase 6 portable cross country jumps that are secured with safety ground spirals.	Quick Response	\$3,000
Torquay Cricket Club	To purchase a new cover for the turf pitch table which was recently upgraded.	Quick Response	\$3,000
The Howl Choir (Auspiced by Surf Coast Arts)	To purchase 38 amber reading lights for outside evening performances to allow reading of music sheets.	Quick Response	\$998
Growing Winchelsea	Winchelsea Mural Project themed Flora and Fauna. Mural for the Childcare Centre Wall in Station Precinct on Hesse Street.	Community Initiative September 2023	\$5,000
Anglesea Community House	Monthly Community Connections Morning Teas for new residents, carers, families, single parents and the elderly to create social connections.	Community Initiative September 2023	\$3,300
Connewarre CFA	To purchase a Tornado Bumper monitor and nozzle for the fire truck which allows volunteer fire fighters to fight fires from a greater distance increasing safety.	Community Initiative September 2023	\$1,598
Aireys Inlet Rural Australians for Refugees (Auspiced by Anglesea Community House)	AIRAIR Refugee Artists in Community Project. A two week program hosting 3 refugee artists or musicians in Aireys Inlet.	Community Initiative September 2023	\$2,500
Barrabool Hills Landcare Group	Barrabool Hills Landcare Group Website redevelopment to make more relevant and engaging. Website to include newsletters, pest and weed control information, native biodiversity revegetation programs, catchment tours plus information on educational tours and field days.	Natural Environment September 2023	\$7,700
Geelong Area Multiple Birth Association	"Fitness for Dads" . A 10 week fitness program for Father's to help prioritise their physical and mental wellbeing. Aim to decrease social isolation and create an environment to talk about some of the difficulties associated with parenting.	Health and Wellbeing	\$3,100
Deans Marsh Primary School	To create an outdoor active students play space including outdoor mud kitchen, dry creek bed and sand toys.	Health and Wellbeing	\$5,000
Art of the Minds	Staff training in Mental Health First Aid. Mental Health First Aid training will then be offered to community twice a year at no cost.	Health and Wellbeing	\$4,250
Jan Juc Cricket Club	To replace the current storage container with a permanent shed.	Minor Capital Works	\$15,000
Nicholas Dacomb	Faces and Places - Playwriting Mentorship	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Jacinta Halloran	Present 4th novel and Northern Territory Writers Festival, Darwin	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$1,500

Gillian Hutchinson	Grounded - development of longform articles for publication in GALAH and Surfing World	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Cara Johnson	The Gift of Time - New Methodology and Exhibition development	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Minerva Lamorgese	Purchase of Aerial Performance Rig	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Jordan Prosser	Blue Giant - Novel development	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Hugh Riddoch	Mapping Up - New Methodology and Exhibition development	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,000
Jesse Williams and Jack Robbins	Girlatones / Forever Son - Video Vignettes	DEVELOP - Artist and Creatives	\$3,900
Moriac Preschool	The Moriac Community Spring Fete. Equipment hire, urban upcycle and first aid.	Community Initiative March 2024	\$2,000
Growing Winchelsea	Rejuvenate existing platform planter boxes and removal of poorly maintained garden adjacent to station entrance.	Community Initiative March 2024	\$5,000
Art of the Minds	Art of the Minds World Mental Health Day Surf Coast Shire Launch. Venue and equipment hire.	Community Initiative March 2024	\$3,480
DIIGG Wellbeing (auspiced by Comm	Tribe of Mentors Program which brings together DIIGG Wellbeing and Surf Coast Secondary College for year 11 and 12 VCAL students which meet every Friday for 2 hours. Activities and sharing of lived experiences, professions and connection to community. CPR training for mentors	Community Initiative March 2024	\$1,950
All Aboard Disability Support Service	The Tori Awards - Red carpet event infused with Op Shop Glamour to celebrate the accomplishments of individuals support by All Aboard dis ABILITY support services.	Community Initiative March 2024	\$2,200
Torquay Coast Action	Trial mechanical removal of wattle regrowth post ecological burn in Grass Tree Park. Using contractor with Eco Blade to cut wattle at a height of 300mm and treat with herbicide. Minimising damage to any existing indigenous plants.	Natural Environment March 2024	\$6,424
Bellbrae Cemetery Trust	Weed removal project for area overgrown with melaleuca armillarias and pittosporum, with some clumps of agapanthus.	Natural Environment March 2024	\$4,446
ANGAIR	To produce and print a brochure identifying plants and animals of the beaches. Project will complement brochure produced by ANGAIR last year covering rocky reefs.	Natural Environment March 2024	\$2,882
Jan Juc Coast Action	Facilitate an art competition themed "native wildlife of the Jan Juc cliff tops". Competition will be open to local young people and will culminate with a one-day exhibition of entries.	Natural Environment March 2024	\$1,000
Common Ground Project and Lorne P-12	Regeneration and Climate Action in the Garden and Farm. Students to attend and engage with 'School for Climate' and climate and regeneration program at Common Ground Project, providing a tangible example of regeneration and sustainable gardening, farming and food systems in the face of a climate crisis.	Climate Emergency Pitch Project	\$10,000
The Brainery and Geelong Regional Library Corporation for Arckit Sustainability Studio	Hands-on educational experience in groups of 30. Participants to learn the essentials for promoting sustainable living and addressing climate change within an architectural framework. Using Arckit, the award winning architectural model building kit, participants will construct motels of environmentally safe buildings parks and communities.	Climate Emergency Pitch Project	\$10,000