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Community grants now available

Shoalhaven City is calling for nominations for the Community Grants program. The grants of up to \$2,000 are open to all associations and community groups in the city and applications will close on 31 August.

Shoalhaven City Mayor Councillor Paul Green said the grants will enable small groups or associations to help build vibrant, safe and active communities.

“The grants could be used for a small event or for a program that enhances the community life in one of the towns and villages in the city,” Cllr Green said.

Any citizen wishing to make an application for a grant should visit the Council’s internet site at www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au, download the application and funding guidelines, and submit an application.

The Shoalhaven City Community Grants program aims to building diverse, connected and united communities and promote a range of community based projects that encourage a supportive approach to innovative community programs that build social equity and address community needs.

Applications must include the following:

- A completed application form, ensuring that all details have been provided.
- The organisation's latest audited financial statement, or where an organisation is not subject to audit requirements, a statement of income and expenditure over the past 12 months must be provided.
- A copy of the organisation's most recent Annual Report.
- A copy of the organisation's constitution or Statement of Aims and Objectives if a new applicant, or where these details have changed since a previous application.
- All other relevant information has been attached, for example, quotes.

For more information on the Shoalhaven City Community Grants, you can talk with Community Services on (02) 4429 3446.

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