

GRANTS REPORT

GRANT FUNDING – APRIL 2021

NEW Grants available:

Community Development Grants

The Australian government provides various types of community development grants for both SMEs and Not For Profit (NFP) organisations working in separate fields. These grants are aimed at improving certain conditions prevailing in a community or to develop the quality of living of a community as a whole. In this section, we will discuss some of these grants and their eligibility criteria.

Need to be incorporated.

<https://australiangrants.org/community-development-grants/>

- The Australian government also encourages community organisations to make use of renewable energy by providing them with community grants ranging from \$2,500 to \$12,500 to put up solar panels, store batteries, make use of solar water systems, etc. If the total budget exceeds \$12,500, the organisations have to bear the extra costs on their own. **Expression of Interest due 21st April (Forms from Federal MP electorate of club location)**

Following available mid May

- Grant provided by the Federal Government encourages SMEs and NFPs with funds ranging from \$50,000 to \$500,000 to support community engagement in activities related to scientific research
- Grant that is available for NFPs in this category funds up to \$50,000 to help identify, conserve and promote heritage. These types of grants are available in certain states only. Available funding is divided into two categories.

In the first category, services or products that involve community celebrations and heritage promotion across the territories/states are eligible to receive funding of \$10,000 to \$50,000.

- SA Government Grants- Gren Energy & Environment Protection


This program is aimed at reducing our carbon footprint and promoting conservation of energy, water and natural resources

This program is open to businesses, building owners and tenants, educational institutions, community and sporting organisations that are situated in Adelaide for works completed within 12 months of applying.

Based on your individual eligibility criteria and application assessment, funding options may range from \$250 to \$5,000.

The following grants summary is offered for consideration by SARPA:

Open grants programs:

Open date	Closing date	Grants up to \$?	Available for:	Eligible activities
Current:				
RAA Grassroots Giving Grants program 	Open	Not specified	Funding for projects to help underprivileged kids with better, healthier lives	<p>The Grassroots Giving Program is designed to support not for profits and community groups that assist communities in the key focus areas of: disadvantaged and vulnerable South Australians</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cultural diversity • the environment • mental health and wellbeing <p>The program also extends to those who are championing a local event, initiative or program that enhances local communities and those who live within it.</p> <p>https://www.raa.com.au/en/about-raa/community-programs/community-sponsorships/grassroots-giving</p> <p>Projects that demonstrate that sport can make a positive difference even in the toughest urban, rural and outback communities by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - revitalizing dilapidated, forgotten sports facilities or building new ones always with a focus on children - overlaid with training programs for children
Roger Rasheed Sports Foundation https://rogerrasheedsportsfoundation.com/apply/				
Open	30 September 2020	\$500-\$750 towards the cost of attending their championships	Provides financial assistance for coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-18 participating in state, national or international championships	<p>Eligible activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Competition entry fees/levies - Transport costs (e.g. airfares, petrol) - Accommodation - Uniform - Sporting equipment
Australian Sports Commission – AIS Local Sporting Champions https://www.sportaus.gov.au/grants_and_funding/local_sporting_champions				
Open	Open	\$1600.00 subsidy to put towards the latest Club contribution \$2600.00	Lifeline VIEW Defibrillator package	<p>Program inclusions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lifeline View Defibrillator - 2 x Adult pads - 3 way sign Signage - Carry case - Preparation kit - Ongoing technical support - A user demonstration (metro areas only) with access to an online workbook - Web based management system - 24 hour service replacement

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Australian Red Cross – Project defib (this is a subsidy, not a grant) https://projectdefib.com.au/apply-for-grants.html			Any NFP	

Upcoming grants programs

Open date	Closing date	Grants up to \$?	Available for:	Eligible activities
Grants SA – Department of Human Service https://dhs.sa.gov.au/services/grants-for-organisations/grants-sa NB: Due to the COVID-19 public health emergency, the normal Grants SA program is ceasing operations until further notice				
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Grants programs currently closed

Active Club Program Community Recreation Sport Facilities Program SASI Individual Athlete Program Sport & Recreation Development & Inclusion Program. ORSR Infrastructure Projects.
To access grants yourself try: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grantassist (http://www.grantassist.sa.gov.au) Smartygrants (https://orsr.smartygrants.com.au/applicant/register)

Local Council Grants

There are community grants available for many purposes. Some are offered by councils and you can access [SA council contact details here](#). Councils often advertise in the local paper and community notice boards when grants can be applied for.

Local Councils are advertising now for grants. Check out your local council's website. Apart from grants local Councils will often offer advice and assistance to clubs through seminars, consultation with their advisors re Constitutional changes or rewriting, mediation etc. They will sometimes offer to cover the cost of consultation for a few hours.

Current Local Government grants programs include:

- City of Marion: <https://www.marion.sa.gov.au/services-we-offer/grants> (closing 1 September 2020)
- City of Charles Sturt: <https://www.charlessturt.sa.gov.au/services/other-services/grants-and-funding>

- Port Augusta City Council: <https://www.portaugusta.sa.gov.au/community/communitygrants#:~:text=Funding%20is%20provided%20every%2012.and%20culture%20and%20group%20endeavours.>
- City of Adelaide: <https://www.cityofadelaide.com.au/about-council/grants-sponsorship-incentives/recreation-sports-grant/> (closing 11 October 2020)
- City of West Torrens: <https://westtorrens.smartygrants.com.au/>
- City of Port Adelaide Enfield: <https://www.cityofpae.sa.gov.au/community/grants/sporting-groups>

. SARPA Grant

- **Come and TRY-** SARPA has approved a once a year per club grant of up to \$200 for any SARPA club to claim if they are hosting a “Come and Try” event. The grant is to cover cost of advertising, targets, ammunition and catering. For auditing purposes SARPA requires original receipts and a reimbursement form to be completed.

Resources to assist clubs with their governance:

Volunteer Recruitment and retention – identification of people to become both club coaches and officials (referee’s) I thought the V-Star and Sports Community programs may help in recruitment and retention of volunteers to these positions. I would also look at advertising through your newsletter and also on your website that you are looking for new candidates to fulfill these roles both at club and association level. I hope that either or both of these sites can help you in identifying and recruiting the right people for these roles.

vstar.sa.gov.au

sportscommunity.com.

SARPA website

SARPA website- has a “Managing Your Club” section. This was previously known as the “Secretary’s Manual”. SARPA has made this available to all SARPA members. The document which assists in the daily, monthly and yearly management of your club with links to every form. Forms are also available in a list at back in Appendices for easy access.

To gain access to the SARPA website go to: www.sarpa.org.au/sarpa

[Click on SARPA, see right-hand menu, choose “Managing Your Club”, fast forward to pages 23-25 for all SARPA forms and templates.](#)

Star Club Development Program

<https://www.starclub.sa.gov.au/>

A STARCLUB is a well-run club where quality coaches and officials work alongside valued volunteers in a safe and welcoming environment.

Why not measure your club against the STARCLUB criteria? You will then receive information and support to gradually build your club so it can provide the best environment possible for your members and the wider community.

Should your club complete the STARCLUB - Club Development Program?

- The STARCLUB - Club Development Program has been designed for use by sport and active recreation clubs of all sizes. The program will be valuable for your club whether you believe your club is already a

STARCLUB or has some work to do. It is free and open to all sport and recreation organisations to participate in.

- Information in the STARCLUB program is specific to current South Australian legislation and is updated regularly to reflect state and national best practice in club development.

The introduction of the STARCLUB Recognition Program in 2015, allows clubs to go the extra yard and become better recognised by the government and other organisations that value the role well-run clubs can play in our community.

- The new 'Sustainability' section could significantly reduce your club running costs. While this section is not compulsory, we recommend you work through it to find better ways to manage your club's water and energy bills, ground maintenance and finances.

Clubs SA

For further information contact Clubs SA: <https://www.clubssa.com.au/about/funding/>.

Good sports program

The *Good Sports Program* is proudly run by the Alcohol and Drug Foundation and is all about reducing the harm of alcohol and other drugs in sporting clubs and communities. Being a Good Sports club and displaying your affiliation to the [Good sports program](#) shows that your club promotes a responsible attitude towards alcohol and a safe environment for players, members, families and supporters.

For more information about Good Sports, please see the following link: <https://goodsports.com.au/>

CLUB PLUS and OpenWPLus

"Club Plus Database" is a program for tracking Membership, Scores & Fees for shooting Clubs Created by a pistol shooter for pistol shooters.

OpenWPlus has been designed to help in the scoring of competitions for all ISSF, Service Pistol, Service 25, WA1500 (150, 60 & 48 shot matches) and Black Powder matches.

A demonstration program for both above is available from: www.auspistol.com.au

Contact: Bruce Favell 0419 372 151 Email: auspistol@auspistol.com.au

Office of Recreation and Sport offer many ways of supporting your club <http://ors.sa.gov.au/>:

- **GRANTassist** (<https://www.grantassist.sa.gov.au/>) is a place for information on available and upcoming government grants and assistance
- **"Play By The Rules"** - a program assisting clubs to manage membership. Offer free online courses in Child Protection, Conflict Management, Membership Protection (including template for Membership Protection Policy which is also available from SARPA website), coaching for children.

The South Australian Sports Medicine Association is pleased to inform your club of the launch of Sports Safety and Risk Management (SSARM). <https://www.ssarm.com.au/>

SSARM is an online resource designed to assist sporting clubs in the areas of player health and wellbeing, and liability and risk management in relation to sports injuries and illnesses.

SARPA also write letters of support for those clubs who require it for their grant application or indeed any request. Contact SARPA secretary

COVID-19 and sporting activity – Australian Institute of Sport

The Australian Institute of Sport is continuing to assist in implementing a safer return to training and competition activities in alignment with State and Territory advice. Find out more in the AIS Framework for the reboot of sport in a COVID-19 environment and we encourage everyone to download the COVIDSafe app. For further information please go to:

https://ais.gov.au/health-wellbeing/covid-19#funding_and_assistance_for_athletes

COVID-19 – South Australia

It is important to reiterate that all sport and recreation resumption decisions must be based on State and Territory COVID-19 public health advice. Sports and athletes should follow the public health regulations issued by their local jurisdiction. Please refer to the following links for the latest information in South Australia:

<https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/>

<https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/restrictions-and-responsibilities/activities-and-gatherings>

<https://www.sportsa.org.au/news/covid-19-summary-of-updated-directions-published-14-august-/>

<https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/public+content/sa+health+internet/conditions/infectious+diseases/covid+2019/co+rona+virus+disease+2019+covid-19>

COVID Marshals

As of the 21 August 2020 a COVID Marshal must supervise prescribed operations* including sporting clubs.

COVID Marshals are people who are assigned to assist in the management of identified businesses and operations to apply the COVID Directions and restrictions. More information and a link to COVID Marshal training is available at the following link: <https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/recovery/covid-marshals>.

Grants programs suspended due to COVID-19

Many sporting grants programs are suspended due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. Grants programs that have been suspended include:

- Clubs SA / IGC Sponsorship Assistance Program – postponed until further notice

<http://www.clubssa.com.au/about/funding/clubs-sa-igc-sponsorship-assistance-program/>

- Club One – Small grants program - postponed until further notice

<http://www.clubone.net.au/>

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