

## MEDIA RELEASE

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## DONORS TAKE PART IN DETERMINING RAISED FUNDS

United Way Glenelg is the distribution process for Workplace Giving donations that were made during 2019.

As part of that process, a group of about 4 volunteers, Anna Impey, Lynda Smith, Andrea Bolte and Kerri Jennings met virtually today to participate in interviewing each applicant to determine priority funding. The volunteer panel interviews each applicant to better understand the aims of their project. Each project must align with the areas of health, education and financial stability, which United Way Glenelg says are the "three main pillars" of a communities well-being.

This annual allocations process takes place after community groups and non-profits submit funding applications, asking for financial support in those three areas.

"This rigorous process demonstrates that United Way Glenelg takes the role of investing in these areas seriously using one of its key resources: community donations," said Nicole Carr, United Way Glenelg Executive Officer.

The recommendations for grant requests then go to the United Way Glenelg Board of Directors in November for a final decision.

If you would like to donate to the United Way Glenelg Community Fund please click on this link <a href="https://www.givenow.com.au/unitedwayglenelg">https://www.givenow.com.au/unitedwayglenelg</a>

Photos: L – R Andrea Bolte, Nicole Carr, Lynda Smith, Kerri Jennings, Anna Impey and Rebecca Holmes from Bolwarra Primary School.

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