

MEDIA RELEASE

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PROGRAM GRANTS AVAILABLE THROUGH UNITED WAY TO HELP COMMUNITY 'LEARN, EARN & BE HEALTHY'

Community organisations working to improve the health, education and financial stability of residents in the Glenelg Shire are invited to apply to United Way Glenelg (UWG) for a grant.

The UWG Community Fund has available up to \$27,000 to contribute to groups in increments up to a maximum of \$5,000.

UWG Executive Officer, Nicole Carr is grateful for the support for the Community Fund from individuals who make a regular contribution through Workplace Giving.

"When an individual decides to support Workplace Giving through their payroll to United Way Glenelg, they know that 100% of their donation remains local, supporting local people."

The Lewis Court Fund will also be available to groups that support projects and activities that directly benefit older members of the community.

UWG encourages community groups to consider applying for a grant from the fund most appropriate to their area of work.

"We believe health, education, and financial stability are the building blocks of a good life, and organisations that successfully apply to the various funds will deliver benefits in these areas to residents across our community," Ms Carr concluded.

The Community Fund and Lewis Court Fund are available to Community Partners who;

- Address United Way Glenelg priorities of Health, Education & Financial Stability.
- Are a registered Community Partner.
- Are operational in the Glenelg Shire.

Any organizations who have been previously funded must have completed an evaluation report before applying for more funding.

Those applying are highly encouraged to discuss their project with United Way Glenelg.

UWG funds are open from Monday 1 August 2022 – Monday 31 August 2022.

Guidelines and electronic Application Form available at <https://www.unitedwayglenelg.com.au/our-work/grants/>

For more information on the United Way Glenelg please contact Nicole Carr on 0410 51 3305 or email mail@unitedwayglenelg.com.au

Photo: David Goebel is able to participate in lawn bowls thanks to an application from Portland RSL Memeoiral Bowling Club to ourchases smaller lighter bols, making the sport inclusive for all.

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