



**GEORGES RIVER COUNCIL
COMMUNITY GRANTS 2018-2019 ROUND 1
RECIPIENTS**

Community Grants 2018-2019 Round 1 - Capacity Building Grants

Organisation	Project Title	Project Description	Grant awarded
CanRevive	Self-Management of Diet and Exercise Program for Chinese Cancer Survivors and Carers	Program promoting healthy lifestyle to reduce cancer recurrence in Chinese speaking communities, including the production of a DVD resource	\$7,900.00
CASS Care	Pathway to Community Services Information Expo	Chinese Community Services Expo with language specific services and support	\$4,140.00
Chinese Parents Association-Children With Disabilities	“Career And Leisure Learning Skills” (CALLS) Training Program - For CALD People with Disabilities, their Carers and the Community	8 sessions of leisure learning for CALD people with disability with potential for career development including floristry, beauty and make up skills, cake decoration, patchwork, pattern design and jewellery making	\$4,480.00
Discovery Writers	Dreams & Scenes	Series of workshops and writing programs for Discovery Writers Group culminating in writing competition, event and a publication	\$2,850.00
Ecuador Unido	Ecuador Unido Community Dance Group	Purchase of costumes for newly created Equadorian Dance Troupe	\$3,316.00
Epilepsy Association	Epilepsy Education for Mandarin, Arabic and English speaking communities	Program raises awareness of epilepsy for Chinese, Arabic and English speaking communities and to improve wellbeing and promote access to epilepsy resources and services	\$5,250.00

Exodus Youth Worx	Connect Plus - A Social Group for Elderly Arabic Speaking Women	To create a comprehensive well-being, social and health program for elderly Arabic speaking women	\$5,000.00
Happy Singing Tribe Incorporated	Artistic performance mode innovation	Purchase of equipment for performances by the Happy Singing Tribe	\$3,000.00
Illawarra Retirement Trust	Seniors Program aimed at the promotion of Social Integration	Establishment of seniors program at the Illawarra Retirement Trust retirement village	\$1,000
Janaranjani	Training to Youth in Community Development through Radio Broadcasting	Engaging youth in radio broadcasting with formal training in radio broadcasting, talk back and console operation	\$1,000.00
Jubilee Community Services	Mixed Media in Nature	For a mental Health Art Development Program for mixed media art and excursions to national parks, culminating in an exhibition for Discovery Festival 2019	\$9,420.00
Kogarah Community Services	Safety First for Seniors	For installation of new seat belts in KCS community bus	\$5,900.00
Kogarah Concert Band	Purchase of music stands	Purchase of 20 music stands for the Kogarah Concert Band	\$1,500.00
Learning Links	Learning Links Preschool Sensory Sanctuary Project	The pre-school for children with disability will purchase specialist equipment to enable children to develop emotional regulation	\$5,130.00
Macedonian Australian Welfare Association (MAWA)	Community Connections: Aged Wellbeing Project	Comprehensive well-being and health project to improve the lives of Macedonian and Ex-Yugoslavian older people in the Georges River area	\$5,000.00
Moving Forward Domestic and Family Violence Case Management Services	Domestic and Family Violence Therapeutic Workshops	6 week therapeutic and educational domestic and family violence program for women escaping family violence. Workshops will be held during school hours with qualified childcare, with 4 programs held over one year	\$4,130.00
Nepalese Australian Association	Nepali Radio Program for Community Awareness in George River area	Establishment of a Nepali Radio Program at 2NBC FM to meet needs of growing Nepalese community	\$6,000.00

Nurses On Wheels Australia Ltd	2019 Clever Ageing Expo	Seniors Expo to gather together health and well-being organisations to exhibit and share information to educate and provide services to the seniors community	\$3,307.00
Oatley Senior Citizens	Seniors Christmas Lunch	Support for a seniors Christmas lunch celebration	\$1,718.00
Provisional Parish of Church at the Peak Peakhurst South	Providing practical opportunities for cultural and intergenerational integration in our community.	A program which includes training and activities to build capacity and interactions within the community across cultures and generations	\$2,000.00
Recreation Sports and Aquatics Club	School Holiday Outings and Activities for Children and Teens with Disability	Provides a range of supported family holiday activities for children with disability and their families to enjoy together during school holiday periods	\$8,000.00
Resourceful Australian Indian Network Inc	RAIN Rangoli Folk & Food festival	Seniors program for RAIN focussing on creating the traditional art of rangoli in which patterns are made in colours and flowers on the floor	\$5,500.00
Retired Fire Peer Support - Auspiced by 2NBC Community Radio	'Burnt Out' Podcast	Podcast series addressing the challenges facing retired and serving fire officers such as Post Traumatic Stress Disorder as part of a Peer Support program	\$3,570.00
Senior Australian Italian Community	Long Life Living	Seniors Program for members of the Senior Australian Italian Community including celebrations and bus trips	\$7,000
St George Area Tenants Council	Senior Tenants Connect	A program of activities to reduce isolation and stress, and build relationships and social links in marginalised social housing tenants to improve their health and well-being	\$4,800.00
St George Children with Disabilities Fund Inc	Grant for Good	Offering families within the GRC area the opportunity to finance a need for their child with severe and multiple disabilities	\$2,500.00
St George Community Transport Limited	St George Shuttle Bus	Pilot program for a low cost shuttle bus between Hurstville and Kogarah stations, Westfield and St George Hospitals	\$3,250.00
St.George Brass Band	Junior Brass Band Program	Funding to enable participation in 5 NSW Band Association competitions for young members playing at a high standard and bringing credit to	\$1,100.00

		the Georges River area. The band is growing and funding will support 21 young members to participate	
The Potter's House Hurstville	The Recreation Centre	A contribution towards funding for a new recreation facility at The Potters House for young people at risk	\$5,000.00
The Shepherd Centre	In the shoes of a deaf child - School readiness program and Virtual Reality experience to support children with hearing loss in Georges River	Program promoting acceptance and the creation of an effective learning environment for deaf children when they transition to school so they can be part of the wider hearing community, and attend a mainstream school	\$5,000.00
Zonta Club of Botany Bay	Data projector	Purchase of data projector to improve professionalism of presentations at regular ZONTA events and communications at the Collectables Fair	\$799.00

Community Grants 2018-2019 Round 1 - Vibrant Georges River Grants

Organisation	Project Title	Project Description	Grant awarded
2NBC Radio	Only The Lonely Podcast Series	Radio podcast series exploring loneliness and social isolation written, performed and produced by local older people and young people from the local Intensive English Centre	\$11,800.00
Australia Chinese New Arts Society	Telling Our stories - From Australia Chinese New Arts Society	Workshop program by the Australian Chinese New Arts Society to be held at St George Creative Art and Craft Centre for Chinese artists long established in Australia culminating in a bi-lingual film, exhibition and books	\$9,800.00
Georges River Life Care	ArtsLife Visual Arts	Visual arts program for at risk children attending Georges River Life Care	\$5,000.00
Georges River Sinfonia Incorporated	Local Orchestra Establishment and Community Engagement	To establish a community orchestra (sinfonia) to promote arts and culture by providing quality classical music performances in the Georges River community, and to facilitate participation in this by members of the community who would not otherwise have this opportunity	\$10,000.00

One World Community Arts Network	One World Youth Ensemble	Establishment of a youth music ensemble to increase performance opportunities and nurture youth with a strong musical interest	\$9,840.00
Shopfront Arts Co-op Ltd.	World Premiere of New Work by Harness Ensemble at Sydney Fringe 2019 at Hurstville Entertainment Centre	HARNESS, Shopfront's award winning ensemble of emerging artists living with disability and/or mental health diagnoses, will create and stage their second show as part of the Sydney Fringe Festival in 2019 at Hurstville Entertainment Centre	\$20,000.00
Studio Onethirty	Love Local Artisan Market	Establishment of a market for local artists and the community to expose and promote local makers and the whole region as an arts destination	\$5,000.00