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New Community Grants Scheme

Each year Wide Bay Australia gives back to the communities that they operate in by providing financial support to numerous community events and initiatives. With increasing demand from the community, Wide Bay Australia is pleased to announce that from this week a new application process will be launched, 'Our Community' Grants Scheme.

The new scheme will provide an avenue for Not-for-Profit groups to apply for funding and sponsorship to support their community events and/or projects. Wide Bay Australia operates branches throughout Queensland with preference given to events projects that aim to provide ongoing benefit to communities in our core regions or within a 50km radius of our branch locations.

"It is important to distribute funds in a fair and equitable manner. 'Our Community' Grants Scheme allows us to do this and to focus on supporting communities to celebrate their sense of community, develop the skills and build the capacity and capability necessary to enhance the lives of those living and working in the local area in which we work" said Carly Ryder Community Relations Specialist for Wide Bay Australia.

All future funding requests will now need to be submitted via an application process and must meet the selection criteria as outlined in the guidelines. Wide Bay Australia provides grant funding to groups ranging from small unincorporated committees to larger organisations .

To find out about eligibility criteria and application dates visit the Wide Bay Australia Facebook page, website www.widebayaust.com.au or contact 07 4150 4008. Wide Bay Australia staff are available to help you through this new process and answer your questions.

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