Grants Master Class
Show me the money!!
Grants are funds received from statutory, voluntary agencies that often have been established with the purpose of giving grants.
600,000
Not-for-profit
Nationally
Most important step.....
CHOOSE
How much do you need?
Be ok to say ‘no thanks’
Risk Assessment
Assessor knows little
(background info / context)
Labour vs Outcome
The Right People
Alternatives
Join Forces
PURPOSE
SCALING EFFORTS
GET CLEAR OF YOUR PROJECT

WHAT
WHERE
WHEN
WHO
WHY
HOW
Success

Failure

OPTIONS
The Funding Centre is Australia's best grants & fundraising hub.

A Funding Centre membership provides everything you need to become a champion fundraiser.
Delivering simpler, consistent and streamlined Government grants to the Australian Community.

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Welcome to the Australian Government's grants information system

GrantConnect provides centralised publication of government Grant and Forecast Opportunities

Current Grant Opportunities

To find current Grant Opportunities click the View All button below.

Quicklinks

Forecast Opportunities
How We Help

RDA Kimberley plays an active role in growing a strong and confident regional economy that seizes on economic opportunity and attracts investment. A major part of the assistance we deliver is in providing information and assistance around a range of grant and funding opportunities that may be available to Kimberley organisations and businesses.
ONE CONTACT PERSON
READ THE APPLICATION

APPLICATION + OUTCOMES =
READ RELATED DOCUMENTS
DECIDE ELIGIBILITY
HIRE A GRANT WRITER

MAYBE
THINK QUALITY

Ideas
Writing
Look
READ SUCCESSFUL APPLICATIONS
CONTACT
SUCCESSFUL
APPLICANTS
LET'S START WRITING
OUTLINE

• Front Cover
• Project Description
• Describe Organisation
• Budget
• Assistance required
• Sources of funding
• Meeting criteria
• Guarantee
• Strategic Plan
• Annual report
LINK CONCEPTS TO GRANT
ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS
Ensure sufficient evidence support claims

Demonstrate community support

Details of contributors – cash / inkind
USE THE RIGHT LANGUAGE

Business Language
To the point
Tell a story
POSITIVE WRITING

ATTITUDE IS EVERYTHING
DETAIL THE IMPACT BETWEEN PROJECT AND INTENDED OUTCOME

VALUE - $$$$$$$
READ THE APPLICATION
JARGON FREE
BE HONEST
ONE WRITING, SEVERAL READ
VISUALLY ATTRACTIVE
The objective of the Community Grants Scheme is to provide financial support for initiatives and projects that benefit the community in a fair and sustainable manner.

Funds are not provided on a recurrent basis this is a one of grant.

The Annual Community Grants Scheme offers not-for-profit community, sporting, cultural, environmental, service groups and associations financial assistance to foster high quality programs, community events, facilities and services that provide benefit to the community of the Crawftopia.

Annual Community Grants close on the final working day in December with the outcome announces approximately 6 – 8 weeks after the application closing date.

**Maximum amount to apply for is $25,000**
For over 60 years, St Joseph’s has developed its position in Australia as a trusted organisation that offers a holistic approach to meeting the human need wherever it is required. Our mission is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and meet human needs in His name without discrimination. We believe in the power of community and to be community builders, not just service providers. We work with people over the long-term, helping them to find long-term solutions. We help over 10,000 people in Australia each year.
St Joseph’s Family Shelter provides practical and emotional support to more than ten thousand men, women and children each year through its diverse range of services at five sites across Greater XXX. Established in 1962, St Joseph’s still works in accordance with its original mission: to respond to and support those in times of need, without discrimination.

St Joseph’s network of services is backed by a committed team of staff and volunteers and includes housing and homelessness services, family services, financial counselling and emergency relief.
Three years ago St Joseph’s identified a need to build a refuge which combines an addiction recovery facility and transitional accommodation in South XXX. This facility will provide services for men and women adversely affected by alcohol, drugs and gambling, and offer temporary housing for those whose lives have been affected by addiction and who do not have access to permanent housing.
XXX City Council’s 2006 Census found a total of 7,996 people are homeless in XXX. More than 2,000 of these were identified within Inner City XXX. Despite these numbers, there is currently NO facility in South XXX which offers both onsite addiction recovery support services and temporary accommodation. Reports show that people with mental health or substance abuse issues have particular difficulty in maintaining housing (www.lmct.org.au/homelessness-facts).

To this end, St Joseph’s will join forces with ABC Health Services to establish a new addiction recovery centre, where homeless men and women can receive both help to recover from substance addiction and a temporary roof over their heads. Counselling staff will also work together with residents to assist with employment and accommodation options.
What will you do? - **GOOD**

Work to support the future prospects of men and women with addiction problems by providing temporary accommodation, wellness programs and client behavioural counselling.
What will you do? - BETTER

With funding support from Funder XYZ, St Joseph’s will furnish 8 accommodation units within its new addiction recovery centre.
Who will benefit? - GOOD

Up to 8 clients at any time.
These units will serve as temporary accommodation for those clients who are without permanent accommodation or not currently living in their own homes.
St Joseph’s anticipates that the most important outcomes for this project will be vastly improved outcomes for men and women battling to recover from addiction.

With support from our case workers, far greater numbers of former addicts will recover and move on with their lives.
What are expected outcomes? - BETTER

With funding support from Funder XYZ, this project will achieve a number of positive outcomes:

- Establishment of XXX’s first addiction recovery centre which offers both interim accommodation and wellbeing/health support services for up to 200 clients per year
- Significantly expanded and enhanced recovery options for men and women facing the challenge of addiction in the XXX district
- Improved potential for clients and residents to seek and maintain meaningful employment through case worker support
- Better health outcomes for clients and residents with appointment of clinical nurse care coordinator via ABC Health Services partnership.
On completion of the first 12 months of operation, St Joseph’s will complete and make available a comprehensive evaluation report, detailing the outcomes and impact of its first year of service. We will use this report to determine the recovery centre’s overall success in making a positive difference in the lives of its clients.
How will you know if these outcomes have been achieved? - BETTER

St Joseph’s will evaluate the impact of its proposed addiction recovery centre using our own project evaluation framework. This model employs both quantitative and qualitative indicators to gauge the project effectiveness for all key stakeholders. Evaluation will be conducted by the Project Co-ordinator, who is responsible for measuring outcomes and reporting within set timeframes. In this instance, KPIs will include:

Quantitative:
- Number of referrals from local health/community service providers
- Number of clients treated in 12 month period
- Number of clients choosing to use accommodation facilities and length of stay
- Number of clients who have proceeded to permanent accommodation with support of St Joseph’s case worker

Qualitative:
- Anecdotal feedback from St Joseph’s staff and case workers
- Types and source of referrals (i.e. indicating awareness of the service)
- Pre and post-admission client surveys
NOT OVER YET !!!
Thank you
PROGRESS REPORTS / FINAL REPORTS
• Ensure project remains in agreed scope.
• Manage conflicts of interest.
• Acquit funding
• Return additional funds
FOLLOW UP REJECTION