

Attachment 1 -

Summary of Community Event Grants Application

Nominee & Event	Submission Summary	Community Benefit	Existing Event	Estimated Attendance	Event Budget	Amount Requested from Council	Org. in LGA	Ward
Friends of Berowra Valley Inc. Berowra Fauna Fair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held inaugural Berowra Fauna Fair in February 2022. Funded by Friends of Berowra Valley Inc. supported by FATS (Frog and Tadpole Study Group), Birdlife Australia, Cattai Hills Environment Network Sydney Wildlife Rescue, Kids Connecting Nature, Hills-Hornsby Rural Koala Project, and Martyn Robinson (ex-Australia Museum) and Hornsby Shire Council. Seeking funding to assist with obtaining a greater variety of speakers/stall holders and children's activity. 	Promote the value of and connect people with the natural environment and groups associated with its care.	First event held 2022.	200-400	\$4,162	\$4,162	Yes	A
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single year funding in 2023 sought. Funds provided by Council would primarily be used to pay stallholders and speakers for their attendance. Funding support would also be used to engage a contractor to run a Nature Safari (a guided bushwalk with a focus on often overlooked fauna and insects). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$162 - Hall Hire \$3000 – Stall holder and speaker payments \$500 - Welcome to Country \$500 - Nature Safari Event ran successfully in 2022 with minimal Council funding support. Event broadly aligns with actions contained in Council's Biodiversity Conservation Strategy. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event is recommended for funding for 2023 only under the 'Place Activation' funding stream. It is noted that the amount recommended is above the funding stream maximum of \$3,000 however the overall budget is not fully expended.Att 							

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Berowra APEX Berowra Woodchop Festival	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event has been running since 1994. Organised by Berowra Apex since 2001. • Woodchop display by NSW Axemen Association. • Market stalls run by local businesses and local community clubs. • Live music by local school bands. • Fairground rides. • Profits shared between Berowra Apex and other local charity groups (e.g. Scouts and Guides.) • To be held at Warrina Street Oval, Berowra. 	Promote community groups and local businesses business. Profits made on the day are used within the local community.	Event has been running since 1994.	5,000	\$22,000	\$7,000	Yes	A
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event has operated successfully for over 20 years. • Has historically received Council support including ground/oval hire, provision of waste services, use of community stage, provision of singlets and tee shirts, advertising, and promotional materials. • Event attracts commercial sponsors including McGrath Real Estate, Berowra Village Tavern, Nobby Kitchens, Ron James Designs and ARQ. • Funds raised through the event are applied to the RFS, Berowra Scouts and Apex projects. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event recommended for multi-year funding under the 'Community Event Partnership' stream. 							

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Berowra APEX Movies under the Stars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual family orientated free event run since 2013. • Screening of a family friendly outdoor movie on a large inflatable screen. • Food stalls will be provided. • A 5–6-minute fireworks display follows after conclusion of movie. • Held at Warrina Street Oval, Berowra. 	Promotes sense of community	Event has been running since 2013	2,000	\$9,400	\$7,000	Yes	A
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free, family-oriented outdoor movie night community event for the Berowra Community that has been running since 2013 with Council support. • Council has historically provided financial and in-kind support (waste services, advertising etc) • Council funding is being sought to cover the costs of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Screen hire - \$3,000 ○ Movie licence - \$600 ○ Waste bins - \$800 ○ Oval hire - \$400 ○ Advertising - \$700 ○ Roadside banners - \$300 ○ Fireworks - \$3,600 • Costs over any financial contribution Council might make would be covered by APEX Sausage sizzle. • Whilst the event has been run since 2013 its viability relies on Council's support. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event recommended for multi-year funding under the 'Community Event Partnership' stream on the basis that Berowra APEX prepare a sustainable event/business plan to transition the event to a self-sustaining event over time. 							

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<p>Hornsby Relay For Life – Supported by Cancer Council NSW</p> <p>Hornsby Relay For Life – Supported by Cancer Council – November 4 & 5 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 hour walk/run relay for all ages and abilities. • Annual event that raises funds for the Cancer Council's research, prevention and support services. • Provide the community with an opportunity to recognise and celebrate local survivors, those going through a cancer experience and their carers, to honor and remember loved ones lost and to raise money to help save more lives. • Performances by local school, dance and band groups • Held at Rofe Park, Hornsby Heights. 	<p>Benefits local businesses for equipment hire, food trucks, and entertainment.</p> <p>Performance opportunities for local schools and groups.</p> <p>Provides a social activity for all age groups and full diversity of the community.</p>	<p>Event has been running since the early 2000's</p>	<p>400-600</p>	<p>\$17,000</p>	<p>\$7000</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>A</p>
<p>Considerations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event has been running at Rofe Park since the early 2000's and includes the relay itself along with food trucks and entertainment at the relay venue. Event also includes a lap of honour for local cancer survivors and carers, and a hope ceremony to remember loved ones lost to cancer. • Event is a major fundraiser for the Cancer Council – participants make a donation (entry fee). Hornsby event raised \$89,000 in 2022. • Event also sponsored by a number of local businesses. • Council supported in 2022 with venue hire, provision of stage and waste services. • Council grant funds would be used to procure an additional stage, additional entertainment, and more shade structures. 							
<p>Recommendation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event recommended for multi-year funding under the 'Community Event Partnership' stream. 							

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Brooklyn Community Association River Festival	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event to engage the local community in knowledge about the river, its aquaculture, fishing and boating activities, sustainability measures around waste reduction, energy efficiency in the home and NSW services/rebates, local government initiatives, community boating clubs, and local producers. To be held at Cottage at 10 Dangar Road, Brooklyn, and lower McKell Park foreshore boardwalk. Possible use of Brooklyn oval opposite school (tbc). 	Promote local recreational activities for visitors, local produce and sustainable practices.	No	500	\$7,000	\$7,000	Yes	A
Community fair type event (possibly May/June) centred around 10 Dangar Road.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community fair type event (possibly May/June) centred around 10 Dangar Road. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient information provided with application. Recommend that applicants be invited to re-apply when the proposed event is further developed, and additional information can support a future application. 							

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Glenorie Progress Association GROW for Galston, Glenorie and Hills Rural Food Future!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community food festival being held on Saturday 29th April 2023. Event promotes local producers and chefs via a show, tell and taste experience. Participants pick fruit and travel from a morning tea venue through to a final venue. To be held/commence at The Persimmon Place, Galston. 	Event promotes local producers and chefs		75-120	\$7,500	\$7,000	Yes	A
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New event designed to showcase local producers and chef's through a long lunch style adventure. 75-120 estimated participants. Unclear from the application whether attendees would need to pay to participate in the event. Funding would be used to promote and market the event across Hornsby and the Hills. This includes advertising in The Hills, Glaston & Glenorie Community News (Jan, Feb, March) and a letterbox drop to all Galston and Glenorie residents. Seeking additional in-kind advertising from Council and support with waste management at the venues. Event broadly aligns with actions contained in Council's Economic Development and Tourism Strategy. 							
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Bobbin Head Cycle Classic Bobbin Head Cycle Classic 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual community bike ride for cyclists of all abilities. • 2500 riders, raising funds for Lifeline, Hornsby Connect, Hornsby Kuring-gai Women's Shelter and selected charities. • 2022 partners included Kuring280 gai Council, Platinum Asset Management, Hornsby BMW, EY, Ramsay Health Care (Mt Wilga Hospital), and Optus. • Route through Hornsby. 	Aligns with Council's aim to reduce vehicle use and helps promote the values in a direct and impactful way.	Event has 11-year history.	2,500	\$190,000	\$7,000	Yes	A & B
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event has been run for 10+ years • Participants required to pay entry fee. • Event raises significant funds for Charity. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Event revenue - \$440,000 ○ Event costs - \$190,000 ○ Net funds raised - \$250,000 • A number of the supported charities are located and/or provide services to the Hornsby LGA including the Hornsby Kuring-gai Women's Shelter. • Event starts and finishes in Ku-ring-gai. Riders participating in the event spend limited time and have limited exposure to the Hornsby LGA (Wahroonga to Mount Colah). • Application makes no suggestion that the event route would be amended to spend more time in the Hornsby LGA. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event has limited exposure to Hornsby. Recommend that Council engage with organisers to see if a Hornsby focussed event could be staged in the future. Organisers could then re-apply. 							

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<p>Multicultural Integration Community Support Inc.</p> <p>Celebration of Cultures 'Harmony week celebrations'</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Series of events across Harmony Week 2023. Involve CALD communities promoting Harmony Poster Art Exhibition for Youth (schools involved.) Art Exhibition for Hornsby Shire artists from diverse backgrounds. Traditional food served on opening night. Music supplied by musicians from culturally diverse backgrounds playing traditional instruments. To be delivered In partnership with NSW Police Multicultural division, PCYC, Women's Shed and Rotary. Proposed venues include Wallarobba Arts and Cultural Centre, PCYC and Hornsby Library. 	<p>Promotes diversity and inclusion in the community as an inter-generational event.</p>		5,000	\$11,000	\$9,100	Yes	B
<p>Considerations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Series of events running across Harmony Week. MICS plan for the program to become an annual fixture designed to promote diversity ad inclusion in the community. This includes bringing together youth, seniors and families at an inter-generational event. Funding would be used for traditional catering at opening night event, sound equipment hire, musicians, art supplies for youth Harmony Poster exhibition, advertising and marketing, venue hire and lighting. Aligns with Council's community development objectives. 							
<p>Recommendation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event recommended for multi-year funding under the 'Community Event Partnership' stream. Funding at \$7,000 (program maximum) rather than the \$9,100 sought. 							

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<p>Chinese Australian Services Society Ltd (CASS)</p> <p>Migrants Information Day</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A migrant information day with booths and seminars from settling service providers such as CASS, Service NSW, Services Australia, ATO, and NSW Police Partnership with Fusion Sydney North Intended to be held in local Community centre/hall/club/TAFE college. 	<p>Assist new migrants in Hornsby Shire in obtaining information and connect them with mainstream service providers.</p>		200	\$2,300	\$2,200	Yes	B
<p>Considerations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Migrant information day in Hornsby Service providers such as Service NSW, Services Australia, ATO, NSW Police will be invited to host stalls and/or organise seminars to provide information to enable new migrants in Hornsby Shire to break language barriers to obtain more information and connect them with mainstream service providers so they can better access information and use their services. The event also aims to promote friendship and understanding between the CALD community and mainstream society through cultural performances and activities. Information day targeted to new migrants and their families, community members and service providers. Partners include Fusion, Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Community College. One-off place activation grant of \$2,200 being sought. Aligns with Council's community development objectives. 							
<p>Recommendation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$2,200 in funding is recommended for 2023 only noting that application has been made under the 'Place Activation' funding stream. 							

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Inala Inala Fair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community event with entertainment, activities, and market stalls. Event designed to increase community understanding of the work that Inala does for individuals living with a disability. Profits go back to Inala, a not-for-profit disability accommodation and day service provider. To be held on own property – 99 Franklin Road, Cherrybrook. 	Provides opportunity for community gathering.	Event has 60-year history	3,000	\$30,000	\$7,000	Yes	C
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fair day targeted to the local Cherrybrook community. The Inala Fair has been sustainably delivered for 60 years. Inala have not previously received funding from Council. Council funding being sought for a single year – 2023. Council funds would be used to assist with event activities including family entertainment such as pony rides and animal farm. Along with promotion of the event including signs and banners. Funds would also be applied to equipment hire (cool room, portaloos, and pizza oven) and provision of waste services. Aligns with Council’s community development objectives. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event recommended for multi-year funding under the ‘Community Event Partnership’ stream. 							

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The Scout Association of Australia New South Wales Branch Hornsby Gang Show	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An annual live stage show that provides family entertainment (singing, dancing, and acting.) Celebrating 50 years in 2023. The cast consists of Scouts and Guides from Hornsby District groups as well as other participants aged 11-26 years from surrounding areas in the Sydney North Region. Show has approximately 100 participants. 	Promotes Hornsby Shire. Local businesses benefit as the audience includes people from interstate, New Zealand, other Sydney areas.	Event has 50-year history	3,000	\$95,766	\$7,000	Yes	?
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scouts have been delivering the Hornsby Gang Show on a self-sustaining basis for 50 years. Proceeds from the previous year's show is used to fund the current year's production. Scouts also seek commercial sponsorships where possible for the show. The show is a ticketed event with an anticipated 2023 audience of 3,000 people. Detailed budget breakdown provided. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Show revenue - \$95,150 Show costs - \$84,340 Admin & Organisational Expenses - \$3,861 Scout Hall expenses - \$7,565 Council funding is being sought to assist in offsetting the cost of hiring a suitable venue at Abbotsleigh College to stage the Show. Past two shows were staged at the Pioneer Theatre in Castle Hill which had a lower cost than Abbotsleigh. It is noted the there is no suitable venue that is available in the Hornsby LGA. 							
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Hindu Council of Australia (HCA) Festival of Colours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Festival of Colours event proposed for 19 March 2023. The great Indian festival lasts for a day and a night, starting in the evening of Purnima or the Full Moon Day in the month of Falgun (February/March). HCA is trying to bring together not only the Hindu community but also people of other faith. 	Promote sense of community and community businesses	HCA have been delivering a Holi Festival since 2018.	500-700	\$7,000	\$7,000	No	?
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HCA have been delivering a Holi Festival Event since 2018. Application didn't provide further detail however HCA website indicates previous events have been held in Pendle Hill and Wentworthville (with support from Cumberland City Council); and Riverstone (supported by the NSW Government). Location of proposed event not specified however it appears that event would be held indoors as applicant has not sought to use a Council park or sportsground. Exact nature of the event not articulated, but presumed to include music, dance, cultural activities, and food. Application notes that the event would bring communities together and bring more business for local businesses. Applicant did not provide detail on how Council funding would be used. Applicant only seeking funding for a single year - 2023. Given funding is sought for a single year event, consider whether the Place Activation Stream is more appropriate. Note the place activation stream provides up to \$3,000 and \$7,000 is sought. 							
Recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient information provided with application. Recommend that applicants be invited to re-apply when the proposed event is further developed and additional information can support a future application. 							