

Annual Community Grants

FY 2023-24 Grant Recipients

Organisation	Grant Purpose	Amount Awarded
Frankston Brekky Club	To continue providing free healthy, nutritious breakfast five days a week from Monday to Friday to the community.	\$7,500.00
Theodora House Inc	To distribute emergency food relief to families and individuals in the Frankston LGA who are enduring severe financial hardship and domestic distress.	\$7,500.00
Baluk Arts Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation	To run a series of 6 free hands-on art making workshop for member artists and for the wider members of the Aboriginal community who attend Nairn Marr Djambana.	\$7,500.00
Project Fresh Start	To cook and distribute free healthy plant based meals from food destined for landfill through the community fridge and Saturday lunch program.	\$7,500.00
Left and Right Counselling LTD	To provide 176 free counselling sessions to disadvantaged young people including those who are victims of trauma, abuse and suffer with self-harm, addiction and suicidal ideation in Frankston aged 12-25 by contribute to the cost of counsellors' hourly wages to	\$7,498.00
Marine Mammal Foundation	To deliver their award-winning, community wide, litter awareness and prevention education program called 'Marine Litter Project' to eight primary schools, two secondary schools, two lifesaving clubs and as a community school holiday program across the Frankston municipality. They will also attend the Frankston Waterfront Festival with an interactive 'BurruVan' display trailer.	\$7,340.00
Seaford Christmas Hampers (Auspiced by St Vincent de Paul)	To run their annual Christmas hampers program. Run by a group of volunteers, fundraise, buy, sort and hand deliver groceries, gift cards and toys to help local families in need to celebrate and indeed, be able to feed their families.	\$6,000.00

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People's Playhouse	To continue hosting shows during the School Holidays and support a cast of approx. 50-70 members ranging from ages 4 upwards and a production crew of approx. 20-40. All cast will learn singing, dancing and acting. The production team will learn set building, props and costume making and back stage support.	\$6,000.00
Frankston Pines Soccer Club	To continue providing a Mini Roos program to engage kids between the ages of 6 - 11 in the Frankston North area to introduce and enhance their skills in the game of Soccer.	\$5,973.00
Operation Larder	To provide Non Perishable Food and Hygiene items to meet demands placed Community Support Frankston (CSF) by their Clients. Also at Christmas in conjunction with CSF provide and package Xmas Hampers for CSF distribution.	\$5,000.00
Vasey RSL Care	To brighten up the entrance to RSL ex service accommodation for residents and wider community with a remembrance mural. They will be using a local artist to create the artwork and involved disengaged youth in Frankston City.	\$5,000.00
Frankston District Netball Association Inc	To provide first aid kits and outdoor defibrillator for the new Jubilee Park Stadium.	\$4,440.00
Skye Cricket Club	To contribute to the cost of converting a vacant change room into a Muslim prayer room at Skye Cricket Club to provide a dedicated prayer space in consultation with the Muslim community.	\$3,500.00
Frankston Life Saving Club	To contribute to the cost of increasing the capacity for their club to include children with diverse learning needs/disability aged from 5 - 13 in the Surf Education Program.	\$3,500.00
Miscarriage Information Support Service	To print condolence cards with support information after miscarriage (to be distributed through Peninsula Health-Frankston Hospital Outpatients Clinic and Maternity Unit, and also provided at medical services throughout Frankston City) and renew Public Liability Insurance.	\$3,403.00
Lighthouse Foundation	To run a swimming program for young women living in Lighthouse Foundation - Young Women Freedom home.	\$3,354.00

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Baden Powell Cricket Club	To cover subscription to support the establishment of their first Senior Women's Cricket Team.	\$3,190.00
Foundation Learning Centre	To run wellbeing sessions for vulnerable students who face barriers to education and community involvement.	\$3,170.00
Langwarrin Community Centre	To continue running the Community Cooking Groups at Langwarrin Community Centre.	\$3,000.00
Mind Australia	To host social outings for the residents of the Haven Foundation (in-house mental health support) and their families and carers.	\$2,564.00
Rotary Club of Frankston Sunrise	To financially support a grant management system subscription for 2 years to run a community grants program to disburse funds to community organisations within the City of Frankston.	\$2,376.00
Frankston Dolphins Football Netball Club	To provide mental health education sessions to the club's committee.	\$2,000.00
Melbourne Telangana Forum Inc	To host a Floral Festival (Bathukamma Festival 2023) at the Shri Shiva Vishnu Temple in Carrum Downs.	\$2,000.00
Peninsula Autism Friendship Group	To continue offering regular friendship groups for autistic young people, ranging from toddlers to young adults in Frankston, Seaford and Langwarrin.	\$2,000.00
Carrum Downs Cricket Club	For 2 defibrillators for each of the pavilions at Carrum Downs Cricket Club to support the community.	\$2,000.00
Mornington Peninsula Welsh Ladies Choir	To continue providing women with a safe and supportive environment to come together once a week to sing in a variety of languages.	\$2,000.00
Rotary Club of Frankston	To support the 2024 Frankston Art Show at the Seaford Community Centre over the Easter long weekend in 2024.	\$2,000.00
Frankston Athletic Club	To support the Frankston Gift 2024; the Frankston Gift is an annual professional footrace event held in Frankston.	\$1,500.00
Frankston Yacht Club	To undertake first aid course to strengthen support and capacity building for volunteers.	\$1,400.00
Frankston & Peninsula Masters Athletics Club (Auspiced by Victorian Masters Athletics)	To provide a temporary shelter to the members of the club in the 6 months while their club rooms are being upgraded; it will be used as a meeting point and shelter for athletic events during the year.	\$1,200.00

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TXR Runners	To host recreational running training for the community.	\$1,076.00
Frankston Friendship Club (Auspiced by St Francis Xavier Catholic Church)	To continue running monthly committee meetings and organise monthly outings for elderly members.	\$1,020.00
Frankston Peninsula Multiple Birth Association	To upgrade the existing machines with 6 Medela Symphony Plus program cards to enables them to continue providing low rate hire to members, most who experience feeding difficulties due to pre-term birth.	\$894.00
3198 Seaford Beach Patrol	To continue beach cleans and other activities including presence at community events, educational experiences for school and community groups and regularly communicate with the Frankston community sharing relevant information.	\$602.00