

ClubGRANTS 2023 CONTRIBUTION



ClubGRANTS is one of Australia's largest grant programs, providing more than \$100 million in cash each year by registered Clubs to a variety of worthy causes across NSW.

Charities, sporting organisations and not-for-profit community groups are among tens-of-thousands of worthy causes funded through the program each year.

In 2023, St. George Leagues Club proudly contributed over \$1M in cash grants through Category 1 and Category 2 funding to an array of local organisations who in turn execute programs within the community.

Georges River Council are responsible for overseeing the administration of the ClubGRANTS program in which we participate.

CATEGORY 1	PROJECT	AMOUNT
St. George Foundation	St. George Foundation are helping to build stronger communities by backing local charities, groups and community organisations to create brighter futures for children in Australia who are experiencing physical, social or economic disadvantage. The Club Grant will significantly contribute towards enabling charities across Australia to deliver projects to disadvantaged children and communities in need.	\$100,000
STARTTS	The project will engage newly-arrived refugee women from Ukraine in a number of supportive and dynamic activities that aim to promote mental health, physical and social wellbeing as well as foster social and community connection. This will be achieved through a series of facilitated physical activity, mindfulness techniques and arts based activities.	\$7,580
Calvary Health Care Sydney Limited	Volunteers at Calvary Health Care Kogarah (CHCK) provide a compassionate service to those who are interested in recording their life story, which is then nicely printed and given to them for their relative and friends. It is a service that is warmly appreciated, but it is not fundable from the usual funds. We kindly request your support in funding our Biography Service, enabling us to continue providing this valuable service to terminally ill individuals and their families.	\$10,000
Kogarah Community Services Inc	In today's world, people are often socially isolated and disconnected from the benefits of community-based activities and relationships. There are few opportunities to connect, swap stories and learn from people across generations. Our vision is that, through our intergenerational programs, meaningful relationships are formed across generations, resulting in increased community connectedness and resilience.	\$10,000
Integricare Brighton Le Sands Preschool	We'd like to provide a Playgroup at our Preschool which invites Indigenous families to attend. This Playgroup would be run every 2 months for the rest of 2023 during morning playtime at the preschool.	\$5,000



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St George Family Support Services Inc	A series of workshops to help parents and caregivers ensure children are healthy happy and safe. 1. Healthy Kids 2. Happy Kids 3. Safe Kids 4. "Parenting in Australia Workshop" facilitated in Mandarin	\$7,430
Rainbow Club - Hurstville	Our project is to provide mentors to the young people at Hurstville Rainbow Club who have/are training to become accredited swim teachers to meet the skills shortage across the industry. We have found that, while a generic licence is a great step forward, it does not prepare newly qualified young people for teaching children with a disability or with challenging behaviours. There is no substitute for experience gained over time but mentors can guide and give confidence more quickly.	\$9,702
The Shepherd Centre - For Deaf Children	Classrooms are challenging learning environments for children with hearing loss and they are at increased risk of social isolation and emotional health concerns at school. Confident Kids develops crucial social skills and confidence, preparing them for and supporting them during their primary school years. Parents learn techniques to support their child's development and children are empowered to form positive relationships with others and overcome the challenges of their disability.	\$12,208
The Kogarah Storehouse	The Kogarah Storehouse (TKS) primary programs is the Women Support Program. TKS provides special programs which have been established to meet the needs of women seeking help. This year 2023, most of the facilitators providing the programs have asked for an Interactive Smartboard. The Facilitators bring their own laptop but they need to be connected to an interactive smartboard for group to see. As TKS runs five to seven workshops per week, the need of Interactive Smartboard has become apparent.	\$5,598
Stand Tall-The Event	Stand Tall will be hosting 6000 students in the Aware Super Theatre at the International Convention (ICC) Sydney. Students will be attending from the Georges River area. The event will address Stand Talls mission to prevent youth suicide & address the high, levels of depression, anxiety, self-harm and lack of purpose amongst Australian youth by instilling hope, building resilience and encouraging students to support each other.	\$10,000
St. George and Sutherland Medical Research Foundation	In its 16th year, the Beachside Dash encourages local families to come together to participate in a community festival that features professionally times races for people of all ages and all abilities, and offers family entertainment and food, while raising money for medical research at St George & Sutherland Hospitals. The main objectives of the Dash are to promote active participation and healthy lifestyles among all sections of the community, as well as promote inclusivity and connection.	\$8,500



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Kogarah Historical Society	The Kogarah Historical Society curates a collection of historical artefacts, photographs and important memorabilia. We would like to record and photograph this important collection and make it available online. This would make our collection available to a huge audience and preserve the aspect of the area's history. To do this efficiently we need to purchase laptop and digital storage equipment.	\$1,080
Rainbow Club – Sans Souci	Our project is to provide mentors to the young people at Sans Souci Rainbow Club who have/are training to become accredited swim teachers to meet the skills shortage across the industry. We have found that, while a generic licence is a great step forward, it does not prepare newly qualified young people for teaching children with a disability or with challenging behaviours. There is no substitute for experience gained over time but mentors can guide and give confidence more quickly.	\$9,702
Autism Spectrum Australia (Aspect)	Many students with autism have special interests and splinter skills (skills in a particular focused area that far out strip their skills in other academic areas) in technology. STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) can be used to help students engage with all areas of the curriculum and support them in developing communication skills. Aspect would like to provide a variety of STEM resources to South East Sydney School to encourage further development and learning.	\$9,550
Kogarah Public School	Receive funding to create an space for students to sit and have a yarn. This space would be set up as a Bush Tucker garden where students can learn about the different uses of native plants and their connections to Australia's First Nations. This space will be used as an outdoor learning space for students in Kindergarten to Year 6. This will link in with students learning about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures, which links in with the Department of Education's and KPS priorities.	\$5,000
Our National Heart Pty Limited	To donate AEDs to local Ruby League teams within the St George Leagues Club community. AEDs will be a mix of 24/7 public access for clubhouses as well as mobile AEDs for kit bags when teams travel to various field locations.	\$12,270
CATEGORY 1	PROJECT	IN KIND AMOUNT
St George Hospital	Fundraising event	\$865
Aspect South East Sydney School for Children with Autism	Venue Hire	\$1,100
Family of League Foundation	Fundraising event	\$350



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CATEGORY 2	PROJECT	AMOUNT
St George District Rugby League Football Club	The St George DRLFC has an ongoing commitment to deliver programs within our rugby league and broader community to support the growth of the sport in the district and develop players and support staff to achieve their potential. By providing direct pathways from grassroots rugby league through to the NRL the club seeks to engage the community around the sport of rugby league. With a unique and decorated history since 1921 we have been the centre of the St George district for over 100 years.	\$800,000
CATEGORY 2	PROJECT	IN KIND AMOUNT
Rise and Shine Kindergarten	Venue hire	\$3,150

