COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS PROGRAM



Outstanding Achievement Grant Guidelines

- To apply please complete and submit the Outstanding Achievement Grant application form (available on our website) and all attachments
- Either complete application on your computer, or fill the form out clearly in black or blue pen
- All correspondence will be emailed in the first instance
- Funding is provided by the City of Playford and if the recipient cannot participate in the competition, the full funding must be returned to the City of Playford
- All payments by the City of Playford will be made by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)
- Contact the Grants Officer on 8256 0230 or grants@playford.sa.gov.au for more information on any of the Community Development grants

Purpose and Definition

City of Playford has limited funding available to assist residents to achieve their goals in national and international academic, sporting and cultural competitions, and national and international leadership and personal development opportunities. The provision of funding remains at the discretion of the City of Playford. All applicants will be notified of the results.

Representing your state or country competitively can be costly – from sport to academic to political aspirations, an Outstanding Achievement Grant from Council could give you the support you need.

Competition grants are provided to applicants representing

the State or Country in academic, sporting and cultural competitions such as spelling, English, writing, mathematics, science, football, netball, baseball, hockey, bowling, dancing, singing, gymnastics, art, etc.

Leadership and personal development grants are provided to applicants who have been selected to develop their leadership/personal development skills such as youth parliament, debating teams, club leadership, scout leadership, etc.



Funding

- \$100 for intrastate representation
- \$200 for interstate representation
- \$300 for international representation in Australia
- \$400 for international representation overseas

Eligible Applications

Applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Complete an application form
- Ensure applications are received no less than four (4) weeks and no more than eight (8) weeks prior to the competition or event.
- Late applications will not be accepted unless there is a late selection process by the organisation or club or if the applicant is a late selection. Funding will not be provided after the competition date
- Funding is provided to individuals (not teams)
- Be a resident of the City of Playford
- Attend a primary, secondary or tertiary institution (full time) in South Australia or be either unemployed or work less than 15 hours per week or pursuing their chosen field in a full-time amateur capacity. In exceptional circumstances, Council will consider applications that don't meet this criteria. Approval will be at Council's discretion
- Be a participant in academic, sporting or cultural competitions and representing South Australia or Australia at a state or national level and selected in a state or national team. Participants representing the region or club at any level (including state or national level) are ineligible
- Be a participant in leadership or personal development and be selected to develop their leadership or personal development skills
- Accompany their application with a typed, signed letter of notification (on official letterhead) from the respective State or National body or association stating that the respective person has been chosen to represent that body or association
- One application per financial year will be accepted (unless a State representative becomes eligible as a National representative <u>overseas</u> in the same year)
- Have no outstanding debt owing to the City of Playford

Submission of Application

Your application will be viewed as incomplete and will be ineligible for funding if you fail to submit all information as detailed below with your application:

- All sections of the application form must be filled in
- Attach a typed, signed letter of notification (on official letterhead) from the respective State or National body or association stating that the respective person has been chosen to represent that body or association

Proposal must be submitted via one of the following portals outlining the request for funding

Email: <u>grants@play</u>ford.sa.gov.au

Post: City of Playford

Attn: Grants Officer
12 Bishopstone Road

DAVOREN PARK SA 5113

CONTACT

Grants Officer (08) 8256 0230 grants@playford.sa.gov.au

CALL

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Playford Civic Centre 10 Playford Boulevard Elizabeth SA 5112

Stretton Centre 307 Peachey Road Munno Para SA 5115

