

**2014 Successful Our Neighbourhood Community and Workforce
Nominated Community Grants**

Organisation name	State	Electorate	Project Title	Principal Town Name	Town Post Code	Amount Funded
HARTLEY LIFECARE INC	ACT	CANBERRA	Providing assistance to people living with brain injury	Australian Capital Territory and surrounding region	2606	\$5,000
BYMOUNT CREATIVE CIRCLE Walwa & District Community Support Group Inc	QLD	MARANOA	Blaze-Ready-Set-Go emergency readiness program	Bymount District, is a rural area - situated along the Carnarvon highway in SQ QLD, between Roma and Injune - Queensland.	4455	\$10,000
St Vincent de Paul Society Queensland	QLD	GRIFFITH	Helping refugee families navigate Australian society	Greater Brisbane Area (Brisbane)	3709	\$3,450
Bowen Residents Action Group	NSW	CALARE	New services for Bowen Community Technology Homework Centre	Orange	4077	\$10,000
Top End Aboriginal Bush Broadcasting Association	NT	SOLOMON	Digital workshop to educate remote Indigenous communities	Angurugu, Barunga, Beswick, Bickerton Island, Daguragu, Galiwinku, Gapuwiyak, Jilkiggan, Kalkarindji, Gunbalanya, Maningrida, Milikapiti, Millingimbi, Minyerri, Minjiang, Nauyru Nambiyu, Ngukurr, Numbulwar, Palumpa, Peppimenarti, Pirlangimpi, Ramingning, Robinson River, Umbakumba, Wadey, Warruru, Wurruyijanga, Yarralin and Yirrkala.	0829	\$4,825
Mawarra Centre Inc.	VIC	MCMILLAN	Mawarra community enterprises set to expand	Warragul, Gippsland, Victoria	3820	\$3,000
STREAT	VIC	MELBOURNE PORTS	Funding assists programs for homeless and marginalised youth	Melbourne	3000	\$5,900
Dress for Success Sydney	NSW	GRAYNDLER	Women's style program aims to enhance employment opportunities	The program operates from our Showroom in Marrickville, Sydney - the beneficiaries will be from any regional, remote or rural area in NSW. See notes below for a summary of previous participant locations.	2204	\$4,000
Muscular Dystrophy Association of NSW	NSW	BENNELONG	Working Wheels grants turning potential into purpose	Ryde, New South Wales.	2114	\$10,000
Queensland Remote Aboriginal Media	QLD	LEICHHARDT	Promoting disaster preparedness in remote Queensland Indigenous communities	Remote Indigenous communities in Queensland: Aurukun, the Northern Peninsula Area, Napranum, Yarrabah, Doomadgee, Hopevale, Kowanyama, Lockhart River, Mornington Island, Pompuara, Woarabinda, Wujal Wujal and the Atherton Tablelands.	4870	\$4,600
Sugarvalley Neighbourhood Centre Advancement Group Inc	NSW	CHARLTON	Cooking to empower a healthy and skilled community	Sugarvalley Neighbourhood Centre, 65 Carrington Street West Wallsend (Lake Macquarie) NSW	2286	\$5,089
Volunteer South West Inc.	WA	FORREST	Develop multi-cultural opportunities through a volunteer experience	Greater Bunbury Region WA	6230	\$6,000
Islamic Relief Australia	NSW	REID	Training to bridge emergency response for CALD communities	Auburn	2144	\$5,500
Self Help Workshop Inc	TAS	BASS	Life skill learning program for intellectually disabled adults	Youngtown (a suburb of Launceston) in Northern Tasmania	7249	\$9,920
Kiah Public Hall	NSW	EDEN-MONARO	New fire reels to protect Kiah Public Hall	Kiah, Bega Valley	2551	\$666
Escare Incorporated	WA	O'CONNOR	Breaking down sports and recreational disability barriers	Esperance, Western Australia	6450	\$6,000
Task Force Community Agency Inc	VIC	GOLDSTEIN	Providing training and qualifications for people with disabilities	Rosbeed, Mornington Peninsula	3939	\$9,500
Brisbane Indigenous Media Association Inc	QLD	GRIFFITH	Indigenous trainees to create culturally-appropriate media content	West End, Brisbane	4101	\$5,000
Down Syndrome Australia	VIC	MELBOURNE	Learning to employ people with Down Syndrome	The education program will be created in Melbourne but will be utilised throughout any business or employer of a person with Down syndrome, in both rural and metropolitan Australia. The resource package is designed to assist nationwide as the attainment to meaningful inclusion is the same no matter where in Australia you reside.	3065	\$10,000
Northern Beaches Interchange Inc.	NSW	MACKELLAR	Peer Plus Project developing community connections	Manly, Warringah and Pittwater L.g.a.'s, Sydney	2102	\$5,000
Nambucca Valley Phoenix Ltd	NSW	COWPER	Upgraded website to provide more marketing opportunities	Bowraville NSW	2449	\$7,500
The Dyslexia-Speld Foundation WA (Inc)	WA	SWAN	Boosting the literacy development of children	The program targets low-income families and those from backgrounds of disadvantage who are at increased risk of poor literacy levels. The workshops would be run in areas of high disadvantage at accessible locations within the community (e.g. local community venues).	6151	\$6,250
Boneham Cottage Homes Inc	SA	BARKER	Elderly keep in touch with digital tablet devices	Millicent, Watlie Range, South Australia	5280	\$5,812
Australian Red Cross	VIC	MELBOURNE	Building disaster preparedness in the Bundaberg region	Bundaberg region	4670	\$4,800
Interchange Loddon-Mallee Region Inc.	VIC	BENDIGO	Social program to assist people with disabilities	Social groups take place in Bendigo in central Victoria and Mildura, the Mallee. Participants reside within a 60 kilometre radius of the central business district of Bendigo and 20 kilometres from the CBD in Mildura.	3500	\$10,000
Milpara Community House Inc.	VIC	MCMILLAN	Helping seniors build confidence and connection through technology	Korumburra, South Gippsland	3950	\$1,000
The Migrant Centre Organisation Inc.	QLD	MONCRIEFF	Emergency readiness program developed to assist local migrants	Gold Coast - Southport, Labrador, Coolangatta.	4215	\$6,000
Challenge Southern Highlands Inc (CSH herein)	NSW	THROSBY	Glasshouse arts space for talented locals	Welby, NSW	2575	\$5,000
PossAbility Planners Inc.	VIC	MURRAY	Inspiring positivity with online sharing of disability stories	Echuca	3564	\$6,693
Riding for the Disabled in the Top End Inc	NT	SOLOMON	Improving future pathways for youth with equestrian training	Marlow Lagoon, Northern Territory	0830	\$6,400
Harrisville Parents and Citizens Association	QLD	WRIGHT	Harrisville enters the digital age with technology grant	Harrisville, Queensland, Australia	4307	\$5,390
Australian Red Cross	NSW	SYDNEY	Drumbeat program to engage at-risk local youth	Port Augusta, Whyalla, Port Pirie, South Australia	5700	\$8,640
Vision Australia Limited	QLD	GRIFFITH	Training for vision impaired in North Qld	Cairns, Mackay, Townsville, Rockhampton	4870	\$5,743
Garrdunga Amboorny Wiran	WA	DURACK	Women's camp mentors young emerging community leaders	The main activity will take place at El Questro Camp Site and participants of this program will travel and attend from various towns and communities in the Kimberley region. The 2015 Deady Diva Days will be delivered in most major towns in the Kimberley, they include Broome, Dampier Peninsula, Derby, Fitzroy Crossing, Halls Creek, Balgo and Kununurra.	6743	\$10,000
Youth Connect Inc.	VIC	HOTHAM	Hospitality pilot program for youths with a disability	Moorabbin, City of Kingston. Open to young people with a disability in the surrounding areas of Bayside and Glen Eira.	3189	\$10,000
Adelaide Festival Centre Foundation Incorporated	SA	ADELAIDE	Opportunities for disadvantaged children to enjoy live theatre	Adelaide and outer metropolitan area	5000	\$10,000
Daystar Foundation	NSW	MACARTHUR	Career pathway program for young adults "at-risk"	Fairfield Local Government Area	2165	\$9,800
Lower Lachlan Community Services Inc.	NSW	PARKES	Mobile emergency response catering trailer for community emergencies	Lake Cargelligo and District Communities, the Riverina	2672	\$6,000
Wingate Avenue Community Centre Inc	VIC	MELBOURNE	Touch screen technology educate students and ESL learners	Ascot Vale	3032	\$10,000
In 2 Life Inc	SA	HINDMARSH	An online support program for at-risk youth	Adelaide	5022	\$10,000
Housing Choices Australia	VIC	MELBOURNE PORTS	Community work readiness and mentoring support program available	Melbourne	3205	\$7,500
Macleay Options Inc.	NSW	COWPER	New lawn tractor for community mowing team	The Mowhaws service Kempsey and Surrounding areas by mowing lawns for Community Housing, Macleay Home Modifications; Aged Care facilities; and general domestic lawns at affordable prices.	2440	\$9,500
Multicultural Neighbourhood Centre Inc.	NSW	NEWCASTLE	Building computer and life skills for CALD community	Newcastle NSW	2299	\$9,900
Armidale & District Chamber of Commerce Inc	NSW	NEW ENGLAND	Welcome to Armidale events to produce close-knit community.	Armidale, NSW	2350	\$6,700
Monaro Family Support Service Inc	NSW	EDEN-MONARO	MAGIC (Multicultural Activity Group in Cooma) Capacity Building	Cooma-Monaro	2630	\$3,291
Foodswell Limited	NSW	SYDNEY	Community inclusion program sharing sustainable healthy food	Moree, Taree/Kempsey, Coonamble.	2400	\$9,600
Roberta Jull Family Day Care - Parenting Service	WA	HASLUCK	Early literacy program for city of Gosnells WA	City of Gosnells incorporating Gosnells, Beckenham, Canning Vale, Huntingdale, Kenwick, Langford, Maddington, Martin, Orange Grove, Southern River and Thornlie.	6110	\$2,297
The Uniting Church of Australia Property Trust	NT	SOLOMON	Food sharing program bringing vulnerable Darwin people together	Darwin	0810	\$5,000
Avongro Inc.	WA	CANNING	Natural disaster resilience and recovery workshops in Toodyay community	Avon Region - primarily Toodyay, Northam, Beverley region	6566	\$8,650
BREED	NSW	GREENWAY	Youth business incubator develops small business and entrepreneurship	Blacktown, Sydney	2763	\$6,000
Tenterfield Care Centre Limited	NSW	NEW ENGLAND	Digital inclusion program for elderly community in Tenterfield	Tenterfield, NSW, New England	2372	\$6,336
Mercy Community Services	QLD	GROOM	Linking new communities with business opportunities and employment	Toowoomba region	4350	\$2,850
Brotherhood of St Laurence	VIC	MELBOURNE	Lunch Program for culturally and linguistically diverse communities	NOTE: Answer to 4.6 - According to the latest ABS Census there are 10,072 people that speak Greek and 11,251 that speak Italian in Darebin; in the city of Moreland 14,240 speak Italian at home and 7,692 speak Greek (Total 43,255). Many of these residents migrated to Australia in the 1950's and 1960's and are now in their late 60's - 90's with many having a limited fluency in English.	3058	\$10,000
Colony 47 Inc	TAS	DENISON	Linking young people to new technology education	Kingston Tasmania	7051	\$6,636
Tara & District Family Support Committee Inc.	QLD	MARANOA	Reconnecting community through social media workshops	Tara located within Western Downs Regional Council in Queensland	4421	\$7,468
Blind Sports and Recreation Victoria	VIC	HIGGINS	Improving physical activity for the vision impaired	The principal location for the guided walks will be Melbourne CBD.	3000	\$10,000
Integrated Living Australia Limited	NSW	HUNTER	Digital devices support elderly and disability carers	Other walk locations will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Werribee, Victoria •Cranbourne, Victoria •Williamstown, Victoria •Mornington Peninsula, Victoria. •Swan Hill, Victoria •Phillip Island, Victoria 	7250	\$3,000
SHINE for Kids Cooperative Limited	NSW	CHARLTON	Teaching Indigenous youth about nutrition and teamwork	•Hobart, Tasmania.	2795	\$3,000
Northern Volunteering (SA) Inc	SA	PORT ADELAIDE	Harnessing the efforts of spontaneous volunteers	Regional areas around Launceston, Hobart and Burnie in Tasmania	5108	\$2,100
Cooranbong Public School P & C	NSW	CHARLTON	Computer education program helping connect CALD residents	Bathurst NSW	2265	\$5,000
Victorian Migrant and Refugee Women's Coalition	VIC	MELBOURNE PORTS	Friendship space bringing migrant and refugee women together	Salisbury and surrounding local government areas	3000	\$7,800
Queensland African Communities Council (QACC)	QLD	GRIFFITH	A social enterprise cafe for African-Australian Refugees	Cooranbong Community Melbourne CBD	4169	\$10,000
Home Start National Inc	NSW	NEWCASTLE	Developing early reading habits for children before school	East Brisbane Kempsey Macleay region including West Kempsey, East Kempsey, South Kempsey	2440	\$9,828
Simpson & District Community Centre Inc	VIC	WANNON	Improving digital literacy for South West Victoria communities	2,100 children aged 0-5 years in Kempsey and 27.4% (575) are Indigenous (ABS Census 2011)	3266	\$4,900
Rumbalara Aboriginal Cooperative Ltd	VIC	MURRAY	Sharing different cultures through community connection project	Simpson, Corangamite Shire, Moyne Shire, Glenelg Shire, Southern Grampians Shire, Warrnambool City Council	3630	\$10,000
Australian Chinese Community Association of NSW	NSW	SYDNEY	Empowering local CALD communities through digital technology education	Shepparton Victoria	2010	\$3,600
CTC Sussex Inlet Incorporated	NSW	GILMORE	Improving digital literacy for seniors	Surry Hills, Sydney and Parramatta, Western Sydney.	2540	\$5,000
Peel Youth Services Incorporated	WA	CANNING	Providing employment opportunities for people with a disability	Sussex Inlet is located on the NSW South Coast midway between Nowra and Ulladulla, both of which are approximately a 100km round trip with limited public transport. Both towns have TAFE and Adult Education but are not accessible by public transport and are cost prohibitive for seniors.	6210	\$9,850
St Vincent de Paul Society NSW, Lismore Central Council	NSW	PAGE	Mentoring to improve small business acumen for migrants	Mandurah, Peel Region in WA.	2452	\$5,000
The Dyslexia-Speld Foundation WA (Inc)	WA	SWAN	Developing culturally appropriate creative resources for Indigenous children	Coffs Harbour	6151	\$7,500
WorkVentures Ltd	NSW	NORTH SYDNEY	Helping social enterprises improve business outcomes through training	City of Gosnells	2150	\$10,000
Tangentyere Council	NT	LINGIARI	Increasing digital media skills for local community	Western Sydney - Parramatta	0870	\$9,597
Lilla Foundation Limited	NT	LINGIARI	Food growing project educating remote community on nutrition	Karnte Town Camp, Alice Springs	0871	\$6,200
City Wide Ministries As The Operator Of A Pbi	VIC	MELBOURNE	Digital inclusion helping Melbourne inner city youth	Lilla is a small aboriginal community in central Australia and located 600KM from Alice Springs in the Northern Territory.	3121	\$9,200
StreetWork Incorporation	NSW	NORTH SYDNEY	Mentoring program helping problem youth turn lives around	Inner city Melbourne - the City of Yarra, specifically the Fitzroy, Collingwood and Richmond	2100	\$8,000
Shelford Progress Association Inc	VIC	CORANGAMITE	Improving local outdoor community meeting area	There will be several communities across the North of Sydney and Sydney's Northern Suburbs that will benefit from the program. The Local Government Areas (LGA) serviced by the program will include Gosford, Hornsby, Lane Cove, Manly, Mosman, North Sydney, Pittwater, Ryde, Sydney, Warringah and Willoughby.	3329	\$6,125
Cerebral Palsy League	QLD	HINKLER	Cerebral Palsy League - digital reach and teach	Shelford-Bannockburn Road, Shelford	4655	\$6,202
Blackheath Area Neighbourhood Centre	NSW	MACQUARIE	Upper Mountains Disaster Readiness Workshop Series	Wide Bay, Burnett	2785	\$7,600
Flowerdale Men's Shed Inc.	VIC	INDI	Mobile Men's Shed helping Flowerdale community	Mount Victoria and surrounding areas.	3717	\$9,430
Connecting Up	SA	ADELAIDE	Improving digital marketing for small businesses and not-for-profits	Flowerdale	5311	\$10,000
Kempsey Macleay Valley U3A Inc.	NSW	COWPER	Teaching seniors using iPads and other digital devices	District Council of Loxton Waikerie, South Australia	2440	\$1,757
Bundaberg & District Neighbourhood Centre Inc.	QLD	HINKLER	Creating workplace inclusion opportunities for Bundaberg multicultural communities	Kempsey NSW	4670	\$5,210
Kimberley Group Training	WA	DURACK	Indigenous public art project showcasing local community works	Bundaberg	6743	\$4,750
Australian Red Cross	VIC	MELBOURNE	Building disaster preparedness in Adelaide's culturally diverse communities	Kununurra, Kimberley Region of Western Australia	5000	\$4,400
Yarloop Volunteer Fire Brigade	WA	FORREST	Fire and emergency readiness in Yarloop	Adelaide Metro area (City of Adelaide and City of Charles Sturt)	6218	\$2,800
Country Fire Authority Clunes Fire Brigade	VIC	BALLARAT	Clunes celebrates 150th Birthday Family Fun Day	Yarloop WA	3370	\$4,000
PlayFest Pty Ltd	VIC	MELBOURNE PORTS	Festival to cater for kids with special needs	Clunes, Central Victoria	3000	\$4,000
Healesville Living and Learning Centre Inc.	VIC	CASEY	Barista training and employment for disadvantaged youth	Melbourne	3777	\$6,000
Lakes Entrance Men's Shed	VIC	GIPPSLAND	Men's Shed to be built to benefit locals	Healesville.	3909	\$4,000
Berry Street Victoria	VIC	MELBOURNE	Community reconnection for disadvantaged young people	Lakes Entrance	3840	\$5,000
Central Coast Chinese Association	NSW	ROBERTSON	Connecting isolated people with today's new technology	Morwell, Gippsland	2259	\$3,100
Chester Hill Neighbourhood Centre Inc	NSW	BLAXLAND	Cultural social program for people with a disability	Wyong, Central Coast	2162	\$3,992
The Scout Association of Australia - Victorian Branch	VIC	CHISHOLM	Bacchus Marsh Scouts are prepared for the community	Bankstown	3340	\$3,000
Cairns Family Church Inc	QLD	LEICHHARDT	'Friday Night Outloud' project for teens and kids from diverse cultures	Bacchus Marsh	4868	\$2,245
Macedonian Community Welfare Association	VIC	GORTON	Tech smart seniors digital literacy training sessions	Woree a suburb of Cairns Qld	3074	\$7,393
The Men'sWork Project Inc.	WA	FREMANTLE	Empowering marginalised men to grow and find solutions together	Two sessions will be held in the Whittlesea municipality.	6000	\$2,848
MT Pleasant South Australian Country Fire Service (CFS)	SA	MAYO	New training equipment for volunteer fire brigade	Two sessions will be held in the Brimbank municipality. 3021	5235	\$3,000
Bolon Tennis Club	QLD	MARANOA	Game, set and match to Project Courtship	South West of Western Australia	4488	\$4,000
Marong Community Action Group Inc.	VIC	BENDIGO	Digital literacy classes for community members	Mount Pleasant, South Australia	3515	\$3,000
Penshurst & District Agricultural & Pastoral Society Inc.	VIC	WANNON	Community show brings families together for free event	Bolon	3289	\$2,000
Cultural Historical Association of Rodriguans and Mauritians in Victoria (C.H.A.R.M.)	VIC	HOLT	Leadership development for local African community	Marong, Bendigo Region, the Northern country	3175	\$3,750
Fawkner Community House Inc	VIC	WILLS	Free communal lunch bringing the community together	Penshurst, Western Victoria	3060	\$2,000
GREENWAY TENANTS' GROUP INCORPORATED	NSW	NORTH SYDNEY	Markets improving skills and relationships in local community	Kirribilli in Sydney	2061	\$4,000
Wintringham	VIC	GELIBRAND	Computer workshop for aged and economically disadvantaged community	Williamstown North, Victoria (Wintringham Lionville - 60 residents who live independently)	3016	\$7,000
Special Olympics South Australia	SA	ADELAIDE	Opening doors in sport for people with a disability	Spencer Gulf, specifically Pt Pirie, Pt Augusta and Whyalla	5540	\$3,500
Theatre Kimberley Incorporated	WA	DURACK	Artistic outreach program for remote Indigenous communities	We are based in Broome but work right across the Kimberley region	6725	\$2,000
The Trustees for Save the Children Australia Trust	VIC	MELBOURNE	Improving school attendance program for Indigenous children	Darwin, Northern Territory.	0800	\$2,000
Filipino-Australian Foundation of Qld Inc	QLD	MORETON	Developing job skills for local ethnic communities	Cooper's Plains	4108	\$4,000
Dubbo Boys Brigade	NSW	PARKES	Community kids club for local Indigenous and disadvantaged children	Dubbo	2830	\$2,000
St Arnaud Community Resource Centre Inc	VIC	MALLEE	Improving digital marketing skills for local stallholders in regional Australia	The primary activity will take place in the St Arnaud community which is based in the Victorian Wimmera and is a part of the Northern Grampians Shire.	3478	\$4,000
P.E.A.C.E. Inc : Peace on Earth through Arts & Creative Empowerment	VIC	BENDIGO	Global children's art project improving refugee awareness	Bendigo	3550	\$2,000
Down Syndrome Association of the Northern Territory Inc	NT	SOLOMON	Teaching valuable employment skills to people with a disability	Darwin	0810	\$4,000