

TOWN OF PORT HEDLAND COMMUNITY GRANTS



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Port Hedland



Your Guide to Grants

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▶ The Revised Port Hedland Community Grants Program

The Revised Town of Port Hedland Grants Policy delivers more funding categories for community groups and organisations to apply for. Funding categories are now more targeted based on the interests of community members, further recognising the important role arts and culture plays in daily life. In this pack, the new grant categories will be explained in detail to help you determine which one is the best fit for your organisation.

The weakness of previous funding rounds was that grants were broad and not targeted to the specific needs of different community organisations. The new categories seek to address this weakness.

▶ The objectives of the revised grants are to:

- Better reflect the diversity in the types of community groups across Hedland
- Reach new organisations which may not have applied for funding in previous years
- Foster the establishment of new not for profit organisations
- Activate spaces across Hedland to foster a shared sense of community
- Increase the amount of money distributed to organisations

What are the new grant categories available?

ANNUAL	Community Development Grant
	Community Collaboration Grant
ARTS & CULTURE	Community Arts Grant
	Artist Development Grant
SPORTS & RECREATION	Community Sport Grant
	Athlete Development Grant
COMMUNITY ACTIVATION	Special Events
	Friendly Neighbourhood
	Seed Funding
	Public Space Activation
	Youth Leadership and Development Grant

If you're familiar with Town of Port Hedland grants, you will notice there are now more categories, reflecting a broader cross section of the community.

Annual Grant Descriptions

Community Development Grant

This grant is for community organisations wishing to progress Hedland from a grassroots level, who have strong working relationships with the community sector and have a long term vision. This grant is about implementing and completing projects that respond to local issues in Port Hedland. There are social and community issues unique to Hedland which require targeted, thoughtful action by people who work on the frontline everyday.

Who can apply? Registered not-for-profits and incorporated associations

Maximum Value: \$15,000

When is it Available?: Once a Year

Community Collaboration Grant

Do you work collaboratively with other organisations in the community? This grant recognises the strong support network which exists in Hedland, with many groups working together around the year to deliver real, positive change on the ground. If you're already working with other groups and have plans to grow your scope of work, this may be the perfect opportunity to apply.

Who can apply? Joint application from three or more registered not-for-profits and/or incorporated associations

Maximum Value: \$10,000

When is it available? Once a Year

▼ Arts and Culture Grants

Community Arts Grant

The Pilbara is known for a unique, culturally rich art scene which is defined by diversity, tradition and innovation. This grant seeks to support arts across Hedland by fostering increased participation and the activation of public spaces with cultural and creative initiatives. It's about more people experiencing arts and culture, creating a more inclusive and accessible scene which breaks down barriers and invites more people to have a go with diverse mediums

Who can apply? Arts based community groups

Maximum Value: Matched funding \$3,000
No matched funding \$1,000

When is it available? Quarterly

Artist Development Grant

Are you a passionate artist? Maybe you have a vision of turning your hobby into a career, but just need that bit of help to get started with the right equipment. Perhaps you've wanted to introduce a new medium to your practice, but haven't had the means to do so. This grant recognises the diverse needs of different artists across Hedland, with the cost of resources and travel often an impediment to growth and success. If you are a creative looking to grow, this could be the grant for you.

Who can apply? Individual artists, performers and arts based community groups

Maximum Value: Individual: \$500-\$1000
Group: \$2000

When is it available? Ongoing





▼ Sports and Recreation Grants

Community Sport Grant

Hedland has a strong sporting culture defined by volunteerism, sportsmanship and friendly competition. Sport clubs are not only hubs of training and match playing, but also serve as a point of socialising and bringing new people together. Clubs often welcome new people into Town, and promote health and wellbeing in the community. Costs are often a challenge for clubs, with equipment, travel needs and maintenance all competing for limited resources. If you're part of a Club which needs new equipment or wants to travel for training or competitive opportunities, this grant can help.

Who can apply? Sporting Clubs and Organisations

Maximum Value: Matched Funding \$3,000
No Matched Funding: \$1,000

When is it available? Monthly

Athlete Development Grant

Are you a sports star in the making, or maybe you're training one? This grant fosters individual sporting talent, empowering the next generation of Hedland based Athletes and Coaches to reach their potential. Travel and equipment costs may be stopping you from getting to the next level as a sporting professional, or maybe you're a coach that's found great training opportunities for your team inter-state. This grant continues the Town's tradition of taking an active role in fostering a successful and inclusive sporting scene.

Who can apply? Individual athletes, coaches and officials

Maximum Value: Individual \$500-\$1000
Group \$2000

When is it Available? Ongoing

Community Activation Grants

Special Events Grant

We want to help make your dream event a reality. We understand that events are expensive and require a lot of time, planning and resources to get up and running off the ground. Our objective is to foster more events on the Hedland Calendar which are inclusive, accessible and raise awareness of important social issues. A lot of events start as an innovative idea, yet fail to materialise due to a lack of resources. We want to bridge this gap and make your next event idea a reality.

Who can apply? Registered not-for-profits and incorporated associations

Maximum Value: { }

When is it Available? Quarterly

Friendly Neighbourhood Grant

In our recent perception survey, our community's friendliness was a key driver for Hedland's liveability. Residents are keen to have a chat, help each other out and form new connections. New people to Town are welcomed and encouraged to join in social activities. This grant promotes further networking and friendship amongst neighbours. If you're keen to host a street party or another initiative for your neighbourhood but didn't know where to start, this grant might be right for you.

Who can apply? Any individual or group of people living in Hedland

Maximum Value: \$250

When is it Available? Quarterly





Seed Funding

Are you a new organisation that needs a hand getting started? Perhaps you need additional resources to market your services to the community, or maybe you're lacking some useful accounting software. This grant is designed to give your organisation a leg-up during those challenging start-up days. Too many times, a great idea or initiative simply can't get traction due to a lack of resources or assistance. This grant is also for groups looking to re-establish themselves following a time of inactivity or hiatus. We're looking to assist groups characterised by grass-roots activity, innovative thinking and long term vision.

Who can apply? New not-for-profit organisations registered or plan to register in the next six months

Maximum Value: \$TBC

When is it Available? Biannual

Public Space Activation

Hedland is home to a plethora of public spaces. Some of these, such as South Hedland Skate Park and Kevin Scott Oval, are utilised on a daily basis. However, you may have noticed a space you think deserves some attention. Maybe you've seen an abandoned street or sidewalk which you think would benefit from some TLC and could host a new space for community activation and networking. You and your neighbours might like to paint an abandoned area, or wish to beautify a side street.

Who can apply? Individuals, groups or local businesses

Maximum Value: \$1000

When is it Available? Ongoing

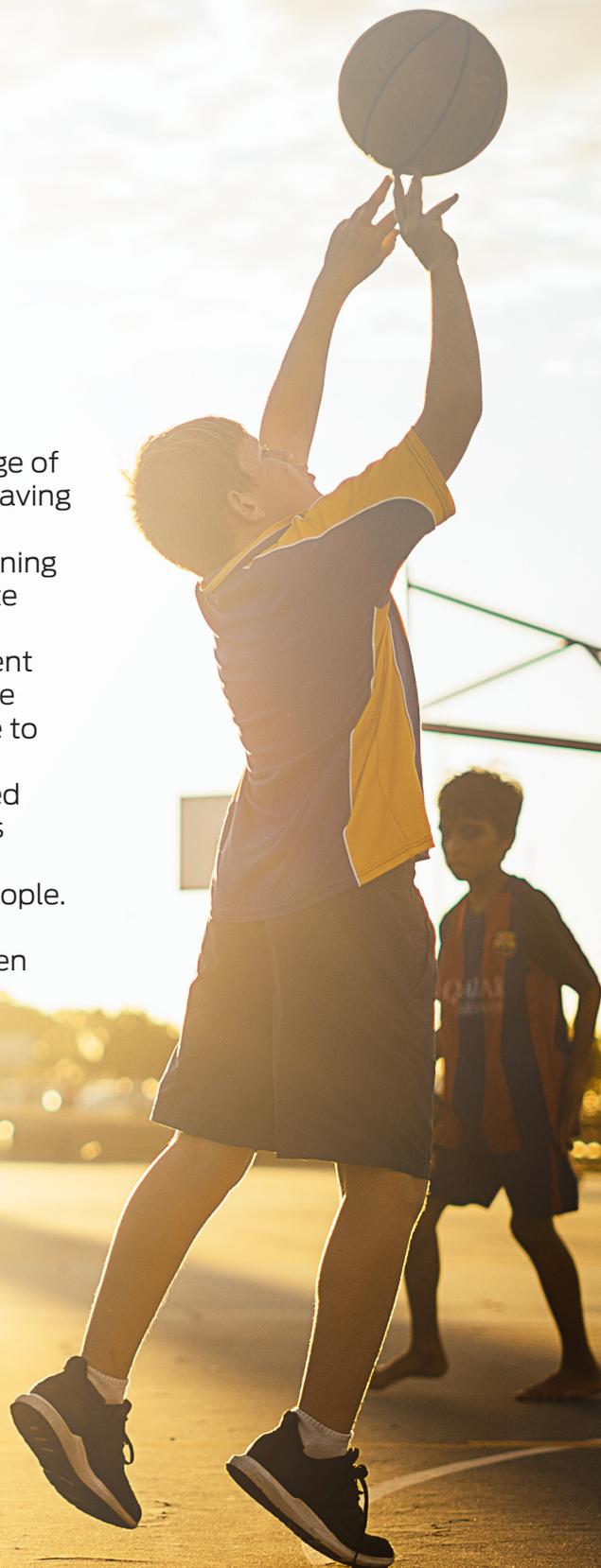
Youth Leadership and Development Grant

Young people are the future of our community. We are facing the challenge of people between the ages of 12 to 25 leaving the regions for metropolitan centres, resulting in skills shortages and a declining population. One of the ways to mitigate this trend is to ensure young people in Hedland can gain skills and employment locally. Perhaps you want to participate in an inter-state leadership conference to improve your communication skills, or maybe you and your friends have talked about starting up a debating club. This grant recognises the important of supporting and nurturing our young people.

Who can apply? Young people between 12 and 25

Maximum Value: \$2000

When is it Available? Ongoing



Where to from here?

Once you've selected the grant you wish to apply for, please visit www.porthedland.wa.gov.au to access the **Smarty Grants** Portal, an online platform which allows you to apply for grants.

If you have any questions, please contact Armando de la Flor Olavide, the Town of Port Hedland's Senior Partnerships and Engagement Officer, on 08 9158 9306.



The Town of Port Hedland utilises Smarty Grants, an online grants administration system which allows users to submit grant applications digitally. It's quick, user friendly and mitigates old inefficiencies and the risk for loss of data.



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