



## Funded Projects – 2020 Cumberland ClubGRANTS Scheme

Organisation	Project title and description	Amount Funded	Funded by
The Royal Society For The Prevention Of Cruelty To Animals; New South Wales	<b>RSPCA NSW &amp; Berala Public School Reading to Animals Program</b> RSPCA NSW Reading to Animals Program will allow primary aged children from Berala Public School who are struggling with literacy, to practice their reading skills in a comfortable and non-judgemental environment. Students from Year 3-6 at Berala Public School will be visiting the RSPCA NSW Yagoona Shelter to read to shelter dogs and cats.	\$3,210.00	Auburn Soccer Sport Club
Granville Multicultural Community Centre Incorporated	<b>Internet 101</b> Funding is sought to delivers basic internet and computer skills to people from cultural and linguistically diverse background, seniors, and people with disabilities in Cumberland LGA.	\$5,055.00	Auburn Soccer Sport Club
Learning Links	<b>Building capacity at Lidcombe Public School</b> Learning Links will provide an Education Specialist to work in close collaboration with teachers at Lidcombe Public School to build their capacity to help children with learning difficulties and disabilities.	\$15,700.00	Auburn Soccer Sport Club and Wenty Leagues
Auburn Small Community Organisation Network Incorporated	The <b>Connect to Work</b> provides online and one-on-one employment assistance to job seekers on employment related matters such as resume writing, interview preparation, learning online application, and group training, connecting with employers, and referring to other programs. The program is delivered online/over the phone or one-on-one at Auburn Library and Merrylands Central Library.	\$25,000.00	DOOLEYS
Heartbeat Community Care Trust	<b>Heartbeat Community Care Emergency Relief</b> This project will provide assistance with EAPA vouchers (electricity and gas), Water Assistance, Telstra vouchers and emergency food parcels.	\$25,000.00	DOOLEYS
Barnardos Australia	<b>Uniquely You, Uniquely Me</b> is a free 2.5-hours workshop that will be run in Auburn Girls High and Greystanes High School over 3 weeks, during 2 school terms for up to 25 young women aged, 13 - 18 years. The workshop focuses on self-reflection, as well as equipping participants with the social and emotional skills necessary for healthy relationships, values, attitudes and positive changes in their lives.	\$5,192.00	DOOLEYS
Camp Quality Limited	<b>Primary School Education Program (PSEP)</b> provides educational materials to address the common misconceptions children have about cancer and delivers age appropriate information via an engaging live and interactive show.	\$2,300.00	DOOLEYS
Horn of Africa Relief and Development Agency of Australia	<b>Swim, Survive &amp; Socialise 2021</b> A comprehensive swimming and safety program for children (6 -16 years old) primarily of migrants from the Horn of Africa but also other CALD communities who have resettled in Western Sydney.	\$13,683.00	DOOLEYS
Multiple Sclerosis Limited	<b>MS: New Circuit gym at the Studdy MS Centre</b> Funding is being sought to purchase a new Circuit Gym for people with Multiple Sclerosis.	\$7,675.00	DOOLEYS

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Parramatta Holroyd Family Support Inc	<b>Educational Care for 4 to 5-Year-old Transitioning into School</b> Educational Care is a program designed to connect children and families with the school. Through activities, the children learn to write their name, hold a pencil correctly, identify numbers, letters, shapes and colours and general school readiness.	\$6,005.00	DOOLEYS
Refugee Advice And Casework Service	<b>Critical Legal Support for Refugees</b> RACS will provide crucial legal support and advice to people seeking asylum residing in Cumberland LGA.	\$15,000.00	DOOLEYS
St Vincent De Paul Society Nsw	<b>Vinnie's Cumberland #Connect#</b> Funding will provide Accidental Counselling training to 10 Vinnie's Volunteers who provide home visitation service in Cumberland area. Also, to purchase 5 Ipads/tablets for the Volunteers to take with them to record information from clients.	\$5,500.00	DOOLEYS
The Northcott Society	<b>The Mindfulness Program for young adults with disability living in the Cumberland LGA</b> This application is seeking funding to deliver a specialised Mindfulness training, to 16 young people with disability to develop mental resilience and unlock their capacity to handle and adapt to work experience, employment and further education opportunities.	\$9,285.00	DOOLEYS
The Trustee for Sydney Catholic Schools Trust	<b>Catholic Education Foundation Bursary Program</b> To fund a Catholic education for financially, culturally and socially disadvantaged students via the Catholic Education Foundation Bursary Program at four Primary and one Secondary Catholic school within the Cumberland Council community.	\$30,000.00	DOOLEYS
Australian Red Cross Society	<b>Young Parents Program</b> is an early intervention education program for local parents with complex needs, aged 13 to 25, to live and parent independently. The program supports parents to develop their education/vocational/social skills through individually tailored education programs.	\$22,844.00	DOOLEYS and Guildford Leagues
Mercy Works Limited	<b>The Mercy Connect - Refugee Support</b> Trained volunteer mentors provide in-class support for refugee and asylum seeker students.	\$30,000.00	DOOLEYS and Guildford Leagues
Shine For Kids Co-operative Limited	<b>Cumberland Connecting Kids</b> provide support program for children of prisoners. Child minding and transportation is provided to children who have no way of remaining connected with their imprisoned parent.	\$16,905.00	DOOLEYS and Guildford Leagues
Cerebral Palsy Alliance	<b>Remote therapy support packages for people with disability in Cumberland</b> This project will support vulnerable people with disability in Cumberland LGA who have been unable to access therapy and services during COVID-19 to connect with their therapists via Telepractice video-call.	\$10,000.00	DOOLEYS and Merrylands RSL
Autism Spectrum Australia (aspect)	<b>Motor Skill, Communication Skill, and Social Skill supports for Children with Autism</b> Funding is being sought to purchase new motor, communication, and social skill equipment for the two-satellite school in Auburn and Regents Park. The equipment will give our students the opportunity to develop their communication skills, their gross and fine motor skills, and their social skills amongst their peers.	\$9,404.00	DOOLEYS and Merrylands RSL

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Cumberland City Council	<b>Creative Producers Volunteer Employment Pathway Program</b> A 10-month job readiness and work experience program for disengaged/unemployed young people aged 16-24 years.	\$18,334.00	DOOLEYS and Merrylands RSL
Learning Links	<b>Speech Therapy at Holroyd High</b> A Learning Links speech pathologist will work in Holroyd High to build teachers' capacity to help students with learning difficulties.	\$17,350.00	DOOLEYS and Wenty Leagues
Cumberland Women's Health Centre	The <b>Phoenix Project</b> aims to connect local disadvantaged women, especially those traumatized in domestic violence relationships, engaging them therapeutically in social and stress management activities, to reduce their social isolation and provide them with support and skills to better cope with their traumatic circumstances.	\$8,421.00	Granville Diggers
Dandelion Support Network Incorporated	<b>Providing safe sleeping and travel for babies and children in need 2020</b> The project will assist disadvantaged families from the Cumberland by purchasing cots, car seats and prams to ensure the babies and children are sleeping and travelling safely.	\$7,000.00	Granville Diggers
Dress For Success Sydney Inc	<b>Survive Today Thrive Tomorrow - Virtual Career Support Program</b> This project virtual one-on-one career coaching, practical career support workshops, resume and cover letter assistance and virtual mock interview to female job seekers.	\$8,720.00	Granville Diggers
Forsight Australia	<b>Commercial Blender</b> This application seeks funding for Forsight to purchase a commercial blender for the Supported Independent Living home, Acacia, in Westmead.	\$2,500.00	Granville Diggers
Ability Beyond Boundaries Ltd	<b>Enabling Narratives</b> This project provides free and accessible online creative and expressive writing workshops for residents of the Cumberland area, who live with a disability.	\$9,500.00	Granville Diggers and Merrylands RSL
Cumberland City Council	<b>Cumberland Sport 4 All</b> This program entails including all children and young people in sport with a focus on young women and those with additional support needs.	\$10,000.00	Granville Diggers and Wenty Leagues
Uca - Parramatta Mission	<b>Parramatta Mission's Meals Plus</b> program supports people who may be homeless, disadvantaged, at risk of homelessness or facing crisis. Meals Plus provides breakfast and lunch Monday to Friday, as well as access to other support services and programs.	\$10,000.00	Granville Diggers and Wenty Leagues
Delta Society Australia Limited	<b>Delta Therapy Dogs - Engaging Community to Reduce Social Isolation</b> To support the delivery of Animal Assisted Intervention through the Delta Therapy Dogs project in aged care, hospitals, disability services, health services, and schools in the Cumberland Local Government Area. Funding is for recruitment, assessment, training, and ongoing support of volunteers including uniforms, insurance, safeguarding vulnerable people and facility relationship management.	\$5,000.00	Guildford Leagues

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Cancer Patients Foundation Limited	<b>Look Good Feel Better</b> is a free national community service program dedicated to teaching cancer patients how to manage the appearance related side-effects caused by cancer treatment. Women, men, and teens participate in practical online workshop demonstrations covering skin care, make-up and head wear, leaving them empowered and ready to face their cancer diagnosis with confidence.	\$10,000.00	Guildford Leagues
Foster Care Angels Incorporated	<b>Mental Health and Resilience Program</b> is an early intervention program, designed to support young people aged 13 to 25 years in the Cumberland LGA. The program will be delivered to young people in high schools, providing life skills needed to navigate during COVID-19 as they transition to adulthood.	\$6,500.00	Guildford Leagues
MTC Australia Limited	<b>Empowered Communities: Engaging Mothers for Success</b> This program will provide education and training opportunities in the fields of English, computer literacy and employment skills for the mothers of children who attend Merrylands East Public School.	\$15,000.00	Guildford Leagues
Starlight Children's Foundation Australia	<b>Starlight Livewire Program- Children's Hospital Westmead</b> The Livewire program has been designed especially for teenagers to create opportunities for social connection, creative expression, and personal development. Delivered in hospital and online, Livewire offers activities and events, a chat room, blogs, articles, and online groups within a safe and supportive environment.	\$7,000.00	Guildford Leagues
Miracle Babies Foundation Ltd	<b>Nurture Group</b> is a free play and support group for children aged 0-6 years affected by prematurity or sickness in Westmead.	\$15,574.00	Guildford Leagues and Wenty Leagues
The Shepherd Centre - For Deaf Children	<b>Confident Kids Plus</b> is a social skills group therapy program for children with hearing loss from the Cumberland area.	\$19,993.00	Guildford Leagues and Wenty Leagues
Blacktown Youth Services Association Inc	<b>Dreamworld</b> – A Youth led Intergenerational Workshops series and exhibition to inspire young people explore their family and cultural roots and imagine a better future.	\$5,000.00	Merrylands RSL
NSW Service For The Treatment And Rehabilitation Of Torture And Trauma Survivors (STARTTS)	<b>Monkey Tales</b> is a series of 4 song stories created by STARTTS Early Childhood professionals for use with 0-5-year old and their parents from refugee and asylum seeker backgrounds. The project requires the translation of the stories (and songs) into Dari, Farsi, and Tamil.	\$4,000.00	Merrylands RSL
The 21st Century Empowerment Project Incorporated	<b>The 21st CENTURY SKILLS PARTNERSHIP</b> is a collaboration between The 21st Century Empowerment Project; Western Sydney Two Blues Rugby and BMC Consultancy Services. The Project is an early intervention program designed to support 'At risk", dis-engaged and disadvantaged high school students.	\$74,150.00	Merrylands RSL
The Northcott Society	<b>Kitchen Renovation for young adults with disability living in the Cumberland</b> We are seeking funding to upgrade the accessible kitchen in our North Parramatta Life-Skills area enhancing capacity to support local people with disability learn to cook and develop essential life-skills.	\$12,749.00	Merrylands RSL

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Toongabbie Legal Centre Incorporated	<b>Community Advocacy Training</b> aims to build the capacity of local community organisations by training volunteers to become effective Community Advocates based on Australian legal principles.	\$10,000.00	Merrylands RSL
Youth Off The Streets Limited	<b>Psychologist for Youth Off The Streets Merrylands School</b> Funding sought is to employ a part-time Psychologist and a full-time Counsellor.	\$75,000.00	Merrylands RSL
Youthsafe	<b>Supporting disadvantaged young people to engage with the GLS, progress to licensure and develop safer driving behaviours</b> Youthsafe, partnering with Australian Afghan Hassanian Youth Association will support disadvantaged young people, in collaboration with their families, to receive a customised mix of services including professional driving lessons, Keys2Drive, NSW Safer Drivers Course, brokerage for tests, licences and safety resources.	\$8,000.00	Merrylands RSL
Careflight Limited	<b>Essential Medical Equipment for CareFlight Rapid Response Helicopter</b> CareFlight seeks funding to purchase a hand-held ultrasound device for its Rapid Response Helicopter service.	\$7,600.00	Wenty Leagues
Hilltop Road School Parents & Citizens Association	<b>Howie's Barista Project</b> The project provides training and work placement opportunities for parents and local community members wanting to re-enter the workforce. Workshops will focus on resume writing, job application, barista, food handling and first aid. Free childcare is available to reduce barrier to participation.	\$10,232.00	Wenty Leagues
The Humour Foundation	<b>Clown Doctors are medical clowns</b> – highly trained professional performers who use humour and play to make hospital a less lonely and intimidating place for sick kids.	\$10,144.00	Wenty Leagues
The Shepherd Centre - For Deaf Children	<b>Kidscape'</b> is an art and music activity group for children with hearing loss and their families living in the Cumberland area.	\$11,079.00	Wenty Leagues
Youth Off The Streets Limited	<b>Opportunities &amp; Options for Disadvantaged Students – Chapel School</b> This project will provide 10 students from the Cumberland LGA with vocational training opportunities, appropriate attire, dynamic student experience and health and wellbeing initiatives.	\$15,000.00	Wenty Leagues
Youth Off The Streets Limited	<b>Merrylands Outreach - Early Intervention for Vulnerable Youth</b> Early intervention services including life skills training and one on one support for youth at risk.	\$95,043.00	Wenty Leagues
Vision Australia Limited	<b>Vision Australia's Low Vision Clinics</b> provide support, training and resources to Cumberland residents aged +65 with low or no vision.	\$65,238.00	Wenty Leagues and DOOLEYS
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$832,785.24</b>	