

Woollahra Community & Cultural Grants 2016-2017

Organisation	Project Description	Amount Granted
4 Churches + Rose Bay Good Neighbour Group (auspiced by St Michaels Anglican Church)	The annual Rose Bay Neighbourhood Christmas Carols at Pannerong Reserve is hosted by the Rose Bay Good Neighbour Group, Rose Bay retailers, and the Catholic, Greek, Anglican and Presbyterian Churches. It will include a free sausage sizzle and carols, as well as a performance by the Woollahra Philharmonic Orchestra. This event attracted approx. 800 attendees in 2014.	\$5,000
A Unique Hug	A Unique Hug is a not-for-profit community engagement project where members of the community come together to knit items for the vulnerable or and/or socially isolated. A group of about 15 local ladies meet regularly in Paddington to knit a range of scarves, beanies, etc. Funding requested for wool.	\$1,000
B Miles Women's Foundation	B Miles Women's Foundation is a specialist homelessness service based in Edgecliff. Funding requested to fund a weekly Wellbeing Support Group for Woollahra women who are living with a mental illness or who are socially isolated and are at risk of losing their accommodation.	\$5,000
Beaches Outreach Project (BOP)	BOP's 'Youth Empowerment - Better Connections, Better Choices' project aims to identify young people experiencing drug and alcohol problems and provide them with intensive support and counselling through their outreach service. The project aims to reduce drug and alcohol related harm, disengagement and isolation experienced by some young people in the Woollahra LGA and surrounding areas.	\$4,920
Bondi Beach Cottage	Funding requested for four weekly sessions of a massage course for the parents and carers of infants under a year old, facilitated by an accredited infant massage specialist. The sessions will focus on enhancing parent/child interaction and attachment, explore ways of soothing and settling, and provide education and information regarding the physical and psychological benefits of infant massage.	\$540
Derby Street Community Project	Funding requested to replant Derby Street Reserve, Vaucluse, with native plants to provide a habitat for native fauna and a space for Woollahra residents to enjoy. Planting would be managed by a group of local volunteers.	\$1,000
Jewish House	The JH Kids program assists primary school children experiencing problems in learning, behaviour and mental health. Funding requested to run social emotional learning workshops for children who have trouble getting along with others (due to ADHD, anxiety, bullying, depression, etc).	\$1,000
Jewish House	Jewish House is a non-denominational crisis care centre offering accommodation and support services to the homeless. Funding requested for the 'Body over Mind' program, to be offered to women in the community. It encourages participants to experience freedom and joy through movement by promoting a better connection between mind and body, promoting and encouraging improvement in mental and physical health. Funding requested for equipment and promotion.	\$1,070

Miroma (Inala)	The annual Miroma Art Exhibition showcases the creative talents of individuals living with a disability who live in the Eastern Suburbs. The exhibition will be held at Gaden Cafe, Woollahra in October.	\$5,000
MUM FOR MUM NCJWA	Funding requested to update and redesign the Mum for Mum website, as well as for promotional material for the Mum for Mum program. The program links volunteers with new mums with the aim of reducing isolation and empowering mothers to find community and professional support when needed.	\$2,699
NSW Friendship Circle	The 'Friendship Walk' is an annual family fun day in support and celebration of young people living with a disability. Held in August, the walk ends at Vauclose Primary School where there are children's activities and a sausage sizzle. Funding requested for this component.	\$2,500
REELise Inc.	REELise empowers youth to speak out about cyber bullying issues affecting them. It will involve a free mobile phone filmmaking project for young people, including mentoring and filmmaking support, and culminate in a festival.	\$2,500
Rose Bay Community Garden	The RBCG Children's Water Garden will be an interactive educational environment in which children of all ages, backgrounds and cultures can play, explore and discover about food production and the natural water world. Features will be plants, frogs and tadpoles, structures and pathways designed to intrigue, teach and excite children about the importance of conservation, the environment and food production.	\$1,000
Sailability Rushcutters Bay	The 'Sailing Access' project engages people with a disability and their carers in sailing activities in Sydney Harbour. The project is accessed by people from across Sydney, with 10% of participants from Woollahra in 2014.	\$3,000
Sir Roden & Lady Cutler Foundation	The Pick Me Up service, which provides free door to door medical related transport to people in the Woollahra LGA who are physically, mentally, socially and financially disadvantaged. Funding requested for uniforms for new volunteers, recruited due to increased demand.	\$1,000
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St Francis Social Services	Funding requested to run Group Teen Triple P parenting program at the Come In Youth Resource Centre in Paddington. Parents who participate in the research-based program have improved relationships with their children and reduced conflict in the home.	\$3,000
Vaucluse Bowling Club	Funding requested to purchase a child-friendly set of bowls, to encourage youth participation and family fun activities throughout 2017.	\$750
Vaucluse Bowling Club Community Garden	Funding requested to help promote the Community Garden in the local area in order to drive awareness and membership of the garden.	\$250
Watson's Bay & Vauclose Social History Group	Funding requested to produce 'The People & Places That Shaped Our Lives,' a book based on recordings made by the group of many interviews of people from the Watson's Bay and Vauclose area.	\$1,000

Waverley Action for Youth Services (WAYS)	Play Safe Summer' (PSS) - formerly Safe Summer Survival - is a youth based peer education program providing health promotion and education about risks associated with alcohol and other drugs as well as safe sex practices to young people in the Eastern Suburbs area. PSS involves the recruitment, training and outreach activities of a young group of people.	\$4,500
Waverley Community Men's Shed	Funding requested for the purchase of communications equipment, provision of woodworking equipment, and a Heart Start defibrillator.	\$3,930
Waverley Community Men's Shed	Funding requested for woodworking and lathe tools, as well as training for members to use the tools safely.	\$995