1.New iPads for Great Western Primary 2. New scoreboards at the Stawell Bowling Club. 3. New lockers for the Stawell SES

Community Development Grants Program

2026 Application Form

Supporting local organisations to deliver practical projects and lasting community benefit.

Program enquiries

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2026 Community Development Grants Program — Application Form

Name of Project:	
Amount of funding being sought from Stawell Harness Racing Club:	**($)**

Key dates

Applications open: Monday 26 October 2026

Applications close: Friday 27 November 2026

Assessment completed by: Friday 11 December 2026

Applicants notified from: Monday 14 December 2026

Extensions

Extensions may be considered in exceptional circumstances. Contact Lisa McIlvride on (03) 5358 1237 before the closing date to discuss your request.

Submitting your application

Email: lisa@stawellharnessracing.com.au

Post: PO Box 105, Stawell VIC 3380

In person: 78 Patrick Street, Stawell VIC 3380

Eligibility and project location

Will the project be delivered within the Northern Grampians Shire?

☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Organisation Details	
Name of Organisation:	
Postal Address:	
	Postcode:
Name of representative:	
Position held in organisation:	
Daytime phone number:	
Mobile: No:	
Email address:	

Financial and legal details

Australian Business Number (ABN): _____

Is your organisation: (Please Circle)		
Registered for GST?	Yes	No
Non-profit, community managed?	Yes	No
Incorporated or managed as a Council or Crown committee?	Yes	No

Project management

Will your organisation be managing the project? (Please Circle)	Yes	No
If "NO" please provide details of the organisation which will manage the project.		

Project proposal

Your Proposal: (Please Circle)		
Will the proposed project benefit local residents?	Yes	No
Can your organisation match the amount being requested?	Yes	No
Can the project be completed within 12 months?	Yes	No

Eligibility note: If you select "No" for any question above, contact Lisa McIlvride on (03) 5358 1237 before submitting your application to confirm eligibility.

Project details

1. Project summary

Describe what you plan to deliver, who will be involved and the need the project addresses.

2. Objectives and outcomes
What will the project achieve, and how will you measure success?

3. Community benefit
Who will benefit, how many people are expected to participate, and what lasting value will the project provide?

4. Project location
Where will the project take place? If it will be delivered at multiple locations, list each one.

Project timeline

Provide the planned commencement and completion dates. Funded projects must be completed within 12 months of approval unless otherwise agreed in writing.

(Timing is used only as a guide; specific dates are not required.)

	Approximate Date
Project Commencement:	
Project Completion:	

Planning, building and safety requirements

If the project involves construction, demolition, excavation, temporary structures, native vegetation removal or a change in land use, check whether planning or building approval is required before work begins.

Contact Northern Grampians Shire Council on (03) 5358 8700 or use Council's online planning and building portal for current advice.

Does the project involve any planning, building, environmental or safety approvals?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, have you sought advice or started the required approval process?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable

Are permits required?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Important: Applicants are responsible for obtaining all approvals, permits, consents and insurances required to lawfully and safely deliver the project.