

Grant Focus: Equipment and/or resources (max request \$1,500)

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| Council Staff contact – email or speak to the staff contact from your specific area, e.g. sporting club, speak to the contact listed in the Sport and Recreation Information sheet. | |
| 1. Officer: Cathy Miles | 2. Position: Community Grants Officer |
| 3. Email: grants@hobsonsabay.vic.gov.au | 4. Phone contact: 9932 1235 |
| Grant Focus | |
| <p>Equipment is eligible to locally based not for profit groups and clubs. The equipment must be located at a venue within Hobsons Bay and remain the property of the group or club and be used by/for Hobsons Bay residents.</p> <p>Equipment can be an important component of the function of any club or organisation. This grant may be used to support the purchase of important equipment and/or resources that support the ongoing or new work of a group, improve safety, respond to changing guidelines or restrictions, and where the purchase of equipment may reduce the barriers to participation or inclusion by people. The maximum request in this category is \$1,500</p> | |
| Priorities/Criteria | |
| <p>An organisation's size and capacity to pay for this equipment are considered. Applications must identify a need for the project in the community Removal of disadvantage and increasing social inclusion and participation. New members and renewal. Where equipment is not considered the responsibility of the participant / volunteer and should not be reasonably expected to be provided by the participant/volunteer. Applicants must be a local incorporated not for profit. The equipment must be located at a venue within Hobsons Bay and remain the property of the group or club and be used by/for Hobsons Bay residents. Equipment is to become the property of the club / group, and not for exclusive use by an individual. Please see sporting clubs and IT equipment fact sheets for specific information where appropriate.</p> <p>Priority will be given to equipment/resource requests that support new initiatives. Priority will be given to groups that have not received a Council equipment/resource grant in the last 2 years.</p> | |
| Example applications/proposals | |
| Equipment designed for people with special needs to support involvement in community groups and clubs | Uniforms that are a club kit and remain the property of the club |
| Fitness and sporting equipment | Equipment to support volunteering |
| Musical equipment | Art and craft resources |
| Gardening tools | Food purchases for volunteer emergency relief agencies |
| Items/proposals that are ineligible | |
| Capital requests | Equipment and/or resources that become the property of an individual |
| Organisations that do not have a local base within Hobsons Bay to store the equipment | Uniforms provided to individuals for their exclusive use |
| <p>Sport and Recreation club equipment requests need to be discussed with the Sport and Recreation team, ineligible items include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • funding to upgrade kitchens and kitchen equipment • storage solutions or sheds | |

Refer to the "Information technology in your grant and IT equipment" sheet for IT requests.

Toyota Australia provides \$30,000 towards the equipment and resources grant