



2009/10 COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM

The South Gippsland Shire Council Community Grants Program will open on Monday 6 April and will be accepting submissions up to 5.00pm on Friday 15th May 2009.

Applications from South Gippsland not-for-profit community, cultural and sporting organisations will be accepted under the following four categories:

- General Community Grants (Max \$5,000)
- Celebrations, Festivals and Events (Max \$5,000)
- Planning Development Studies (Max \$10,000) and
- Major Events (Max \$5,000).

Application forms will be available from Council's Leongatha Office, <http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/>, or can be posted upon request from 6 April by phoning 5662 9200.

Potential applicants are invited and encouraged to make appointments to further discuss and develop their intended project application. Please note that appointment times will be available from 13th April – 8th May, 2009.

A “**Community Grants Information Night**” will be conducted on Wednesday 22nd April, 2009 at 7.30 – 9.30pm in Education Centre Gippsland (ECG) McMillan Campus, Nerrena Rd, Leongatha.

All prospective applicants are invited to attend, although it is not a requirement. Please book your place by contacting the Grant and Volunteer Support Officer, see details below.

Further enquiries:

For enquiries and /or appointment bookings, contact: Penni Ellicott, Grants and Volunteer Support Officer, Phone: (03) 5662 9200 or by e-mailing pennie@southgippsland.vic.gov.au .

Applications close at 5.00pm Friday, 15th May 2009.