



Media Release

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Funds available for community projects

Information sessions will be held this month for community groups interested in applying for funding under Council's Community Small Grants Program.

Council has allocated \$85,700 for the 2017/18 financial year and increased the maximum allocation for each project from \$5000 to \$6500.

Not for profit groups and organisations can apply for funding for projects in the Camden area for the local community.

"These funds are one way that Council can support community based initiatives that will directly benefit residents," said Mayor Lara Symkowiak.

"Groups can apply for specific projects, activities and events that they know will have a real impact on the community," Cr Sykowiak said.

The small grants program is a component of Council's Community Financial Assistance Program which fosters the development of a strong, cohesive, healthy and strong community.

Applicants are strongly encouraged to attend an information session for more details on the grant program.

Sessions will be held at 10am Monday 26 June and at 6pm Wednesday 28 June at the Undercroft Room, Camden Civic Centre in Camden. Registration for the workshops opens Monday 19 June and can be made by contacting Council on 4654 7777 or email grants@camden.nsw.gov.au.

Applications will be open 3 July to 24 July and forms will be available on Council's website from 19 June, www.camden.nsw.gov.au.

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