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Millions of dollars



Hundreds
of help sheets
and advice



All for the taking – all for you!

Funding Centre

A Funding Centre membership provides everything you need to become a champion fundraiser. From \$85 a year for a single user, you have access to the tools and tips you need to bring in the money your cause needs.

With a Funding Centre profile, you choose which information you want to receive based on your cause, tax status, and interests.



Grants database access more than 2500 live grants updated daily including federal, state and local government grants, trusts and foundation and corporate grants, all in the one place!



Customised grants and fundraising <u>newsletter</u>.



Grants alerts - customized daily or weekly emails alerting you to grants that fit your profile.



Fundraising help and tools. Help sheets, video and audio, checklists, templates, policies and planning tools to guide you through the process of raising funds with minimum effort.



Fundraising News. Not the fluff, just the stuff you really need to know if you're raising funds in Australia.



Our Community membership.

Sustainable Fundraising

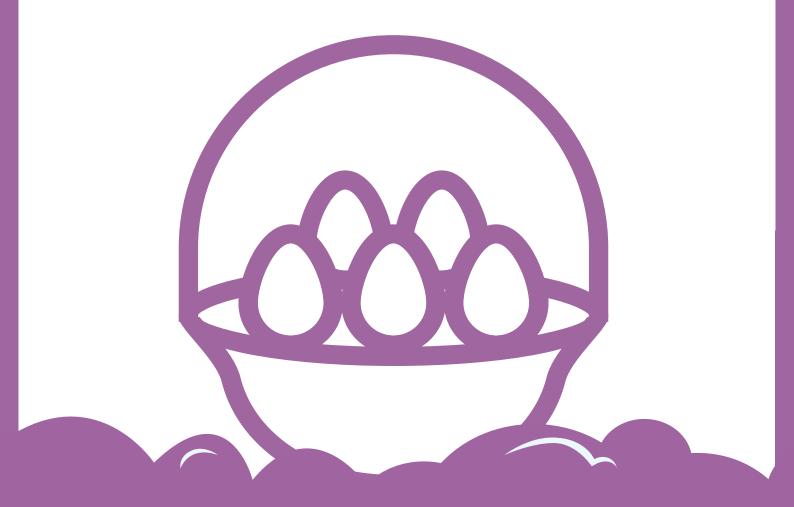
You've all heard the adage 'don't put all your eggs in one basket'? This absolutely applies to fundraising.

An organisation needs its funding to come from as many sources as possible. Put all your eggs in the government grants basket and you risk losing everything when a government changes.

Many organisations run into trouble because they only have one or two sources of funding, or because they only have two or three people really involved in raising money. If any of the sources or any of the people go away, the organisation will find itself in a vulnerable position.

You need your fundraising to be sustainable and the only way to do this is to diversify your funding sources. We can help you do this.

The Funding Centre provides all the information you need to know to identify all the baskets and ensure your organisation is set for success.



You need Grants



More than 2500 grants in searchable database



Every grant in Australia – state, federal & local government, corporate, philanthropic & community foundations



Help sheets, audio, video, tools and templates to help turn you into a grantseeking whizz





Books and training – practical advice for grantseekers to take you from novice to pro



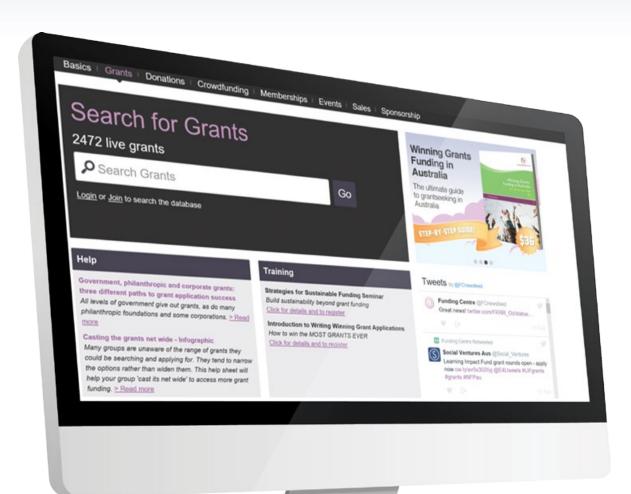
EasyGrants Monthly grants newsletter



Complete customisation: only receive information on grants you are eligible or interested in



Daily/weekly email updates (optional)



You need instructions on what, when and how to fundraise

KNOWLEDGE



Information is everywhere. The trouble is finding the right kind of information, and then finding the time to read it.



Our practical and accessible help sheets and books provide advice on everything you need to know about fundraising through Grants, Donations, Memberships, Events, Sales, Crowdfunding and Sponsorship.



If you prefer to listen and watch, we have audio and video too. Fire Up Your Fundraising Boost your Membership/Alumni Events How to Make Money While Having Fun You need your supporters' enthusiasm more than their money, but a membership or alumni program can provide a crucial fundraising backbone for your organisation > More Tweets by @FCnewsfeed Impact100 South Aust @Impe Impactitious South Aust Simpactitious A
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Fundraising is not rocket-science. Many people, representing many groups, for many causes, have done this before you.



No fluff.

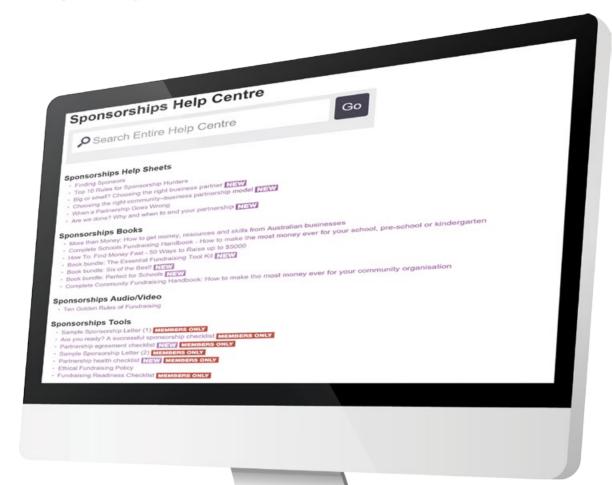


Why reinvent the wheel?

Just the things you really need to know if you're raising funds in Australia.



The Funding Centre contains dozens of templates and tools – checklists for your special events; grants templates; budgeting tools – that can be downloaded and adapted to your needs.



You need training

You're dedicated. You're enthusiastic. But you're busy – we get that.

There's no puff in our grants and fundraising training. No 'setting the scene'. No high-minded theory of what it should be like. Just insider advice about what works, and practical tips that you can implement immediately.

"This was the best fundraising seminar I've been to. Many thanks. All I have to do now is put all the thousands of ideas into action!" "It is very refreshing to be presented to by a real subject matter expert and not just a facilitator working from notes. Your style, delivery and humour made it a very enjoyable few hours indeed."

"Like all not-for-profit single deskers, I'm flat out and stretched thin. I want to say that I found this course extremely useful and the presentation was one of the best I have ever attended."

"Just wanted to say thank' you for yesterday's grant forum. It was the best fun, most practical and productive workshop I have been to in years."

"As a clinical social worker with over 20 years experience, I would like to let you know that I learnt more from you in 45 minutes than I have learnt from ANY in-service I have attended."

Training Courses



How to Win Grants and Influence People



WTF? Where's the Funding?



How to make the most of membership



How to get donations and bequests



The art of sponsorship



Making money through special events



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Who runs the Funding Centre?

The Funding Centre is an initiative of Our Community, Australia's Centre for Excellence for the nation's 600,000 not-for-profit groups and schools, providing advice, tools, resources and training.

The Our Community group provides advice, connections, training and easy-to-use tech tools for people and organisations working to build stronger communities.

Our partners in that work are not-for-profit organisations and social enterprises; government, philanthropic and corporate grantmakers; donors and volunteers; enlightened businesses; and other community builders.

A Certified B Corporation (bcorporation.net/community/our-community-pty-ltd) and multi-award-winning social enterprise, Our Community offers the following resources and more:

OurCommunity.com.au

Australia's centre for excellence for the nation's 600,000 not-for-profits and schools: where not-for-profits go for help



Institute of Community Directors Australia

The best-practice governance network for the members of Australian not-for-profit boards, committees and councils, and the senior staff who work alongside them



FundingCentre.com.au

The best place to go to get information on grants and fundraising in Australia



GiveNow.com.au

Commission-free online donations for not-for-profits, and philanthropy education and tools for businesses, families and individuals



Good Jobs

Connecting good people with social sector jobs, board vacancies and internships



Communities in Control

Australia's most inspiring annual community sector gathering: thought leadership for the not-for-profit sector



Australian Institute of Grants Management

Information, inspiration and education for government, philanthropic and corporate grantmakers



SmartyGrants

Software & data science for revolutionary grantmakers



Australian Institute for Corporate Responsibility

Creating and facilitating authentic connections between enlightened businesses and their communities

