

## COMMUNITY EVENTS SUPPORT PROGRAM

### Introduction

Council's Community Events Support Program is designed to assist community organisations to deliver events that benefit the residents of the Lockyer Valley, promote community outcomes and increased visitation to the region. The program is specifically focused on events that deliver broad community benefit.

Council provides funding or in-kind support to assist with social, cultural, recreational and environmental outcomes that contribute to the development of inclusive and sustainable events throughout the region.

Organisations who receive funding are required to acknowledge the support of Council through:

- a) Installation of signage supplied by Council;
- b) Providing the opportunity for a Council representative to speak (if appropriate); and
- c) Including Council's name/logo on promotional material, television commercials, or radio advertising.

### Eligibility for the 2021/22 Community Event Support Program

Event assistance is provided in accordance with Council's [Community Grants and Assistance Policy and Procedure](#).

To be eligible for event assistance, the following criteria must be met:

- The event is to be held in the Lockyer Valley region;
- The community or not-for-profit organisation holding the event has significant local membership; and
- The event will deliver tangible benefits of an economic, social or environmental nature to residents of the Lockyer Valley region and where possible, encourage tourism to the region.

Budget allocation has been provided for the 2021/22 financial year for the following events:

- Chrome & Clutter Retro Festival
- Clydesdale and Heavy Horse Field Days
- Forest Hill Christmas Festivities
- Gatton Campdraft
- Hatton Vale Christmas Concert and Markets
- HCVAQ Historic Truck Show
- Laidley Christmas Carnival
- Lights on the Hill Memorial Convoy
- Lockyer Valley Multicultural Festival
- NAIDOC

### Further information regarding Council's Community Grant programs

Applicants may discuss their project with the Tourism and Events Officer prior to submitting their application.

For further information regarding grants and funding offered by Council, visit Council's website

<https://www.lockyervalley.qld.gov.au/our-council/grants-and-funding/grants-and-assistance>