



## 2009-10 Grants Programs

Each year Sport and Recreation Tasmania distributes around \$3 million to organisations through six grant programs. The aim of these grant programs is to improve opportunities for Tasmanians to participate in sport and recreation activities.

### **Trails and Bikeways Grants Program**

Grants are available to local government, community groups and other not-for-profit providers of sport and recreation. Funding is available for trail and bikeway construction projects consistent with the Trails Tasmania Strategy and the implementation of city bike plans. Applicants are expected to contribute at least half of the project funding.

The 2009-10 Trails and Bikeways Grant Program is continuous and applications can be lodged any time until 1 March 2010. Applicants will be advised of outcomes within three months of lodging their application.

### **Minor Grants Program**

Grants of between \$500 and \$10 000 made to clubs, associations, local government and other not-for-profit providers of sport and recreation. Projects include equipment purchases, simple facility developments or upgrades, research and planning projects, participation projects and other development initiatives. Applicants must contribute at least half of the project funding.

The 2009-10 Minor Grants Program is continuous and applications will be accepted at any time up until 31 March 2010. Applicants will be advised of outcomes within three months of lodging their application.

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### **Major Grants Program**

Grants of between \$15 000 and \$80 000 made to clubs, associations, local government and other not-for-profit providers of sport and recreation. Projects include major equipment purchases, major facility developments or upgrades, targeted participation projects and other development initiatives. Applicants must contribute at least half of the project funding. There is one funding round per year.

The 2010 Major Grants Program opens on 1 July 2009 and closes on 1 February 2010. Applicants will be advised of outcomes by late April 2010.

## State Grants Program

Grants of up to \$50 000 made to state sport and recreation organisations and sector service providers. State sport and recreation organisations are recognised as such by affiliate clubs and associations, and by the relevant national organisation. This also includes state organisations amalgamated with the national organisation. Sector service providers are organisations that provide a specific function such as education, equity promotion or safety improvement within the sport and recreation sector. Funding is available to assist these organisations to improve their capacity to deliver sport and recreation opportunities in Tasmania. There is one funding round per year.

The 2010 State Grants Program opens on 1 July 2009 and closes on 31 August 2009. Applicants will be advised of outcomes by late November 2009.

## Trainee Subsidy Program

Grants of between \$2 125 per part-time trainee and \$4 250 per full-time trainee, made to clubs, associations, local government and other not-for-profit providers of sport and recreation. Funding is provided to subsidise the employment of trainees in the sport and recreation sector, and is distributed on a first-come first-serve basis to those organisations that meet the criteria.

The 2009-10 Trainee Subsidy Program is continuous and applications will be accepted at any time up until 31 March 2010. Applicants will be advised of outcomes within six weeks of lodging the application.

## National Sport Championships Program

Grants of up to \$3 000 per national sport championship made to local government, and state sporting and recreation organisations, clubs and associations. Funding is provided to help meet costs associated with hosting national sport or recreation championships within Tasmania. Funding is distributed on a first-come first-serve basis to those organisations that meet the criteria.

The 2009-10 National Sport Championships Program is continuous and applications will be accepted at any time up until 31 March 2010. Applicants will be advised of outcomes within six weeks of lodging the application.

## Further information

Detailed guidelines and application forms can be downloaded from the Sport and Recreation Tasmania website at

**[www.development.tas.gov.au/sportrec/information\\_for\\_organisations/grant\\_programs](http://www.development.tas.gov.au/sportrec/information_for_organisations/grant_programs)**

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