



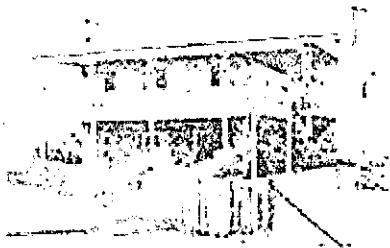
6 AUGUST 2014

## ORDINARY MEETING

### ATTACHMENT 6.2.4

- ▶ Financial Assistance Programme Applications





Colonial Inn Museum  
126 Market Street, Mudgee

# MUDGEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY Inc

Conserving Mudgee's history and cultural heritage

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21<sup>st</sup> January 2014

## Mr Ian Roberts

Manager of Governance, Mid Western Regional Council MUDGEE.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS PROGRAM

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On behalf of the Mudgee Historical Society Inc I wish to make application for Financial Assistance for the coming financial year.

**Name of Organisation:** Mudgee Historical Society Inc. The Society is the owner of the Colonial Inn Museum at 126 Market Street Mudgee, and is composed entirely of **Volunteers.**

**Legal Status:** The Mudgee Historical Society is an incorporated body with ABN 41 578 088, Public Risk Insurance, Building Insurance and Volunteer Workers Insurance. The extensive grounds comprise 4100 sq metres in area with valuation 2011 of \$202,000, and are maintained in excellent order. The Society is a registered tax exempt charity.

**The Colonial Inn Museum** which is managed and run by volunteers on a roster basis, comprises the main 2 storey Building, an amenities room & toilets, a large Shed, open sheds, an old Church and a room reserved for early telephone & radio equipment etc. A new storage shed is now in place, and this is used for storage of vintage clothing and domestic articles. Another recent addition is an old-time Blacksmiths' Shop, complete with bellows and forge. The main building was formerly the West End Hotel, constructed in about 1857.

**Opening Hours:** The Museum is open to the Public every day – 10am until 3pm weekdays, 2pm until 5pm Saturdays and 10am until 5pm Sundays. Admission fees are \$5.00 Adults, \$4.00 concession holders and \$2.00 children.

The Mudgee Historical Society Inc has Website, address: [www.mudgeemuseum.com](http://www.mudgeemuseum.com) which gives information on Opening Hours, Family History – costs vary according to details required – guide to exhibits, which cover domestic, agricultural, industrial, and many additional items which can only be

fully appreciated when viewed. We have some very interesting and unique items on display. Our Photographic Archive covers images of a great number of Houses and other old Mudgee buildings together with wonderful Photos of many of our older individuals and Pioneers.

**Community Involvement:** The Museum is open to Schools in and around Mudgee, an important educational resource for students of both Primary & High Schools. Some of our Members are also available on request to supply extra information on selected items of town or district interest.

Seniors Citizens of town and district are welcomed for a free Morning Tea during SENIORS WEEK in March, and members are very happy to entertain visitors from the local Nursing Homes. Wheelchair access is available to all sections of the Museum except the upper storey.

The Museum is always available to local Groups for Meetings and social gatherings, and on request a date and time can be organised.

Wedding venues or Photo locations can be arranged within the Museum grounds.

Family Reunions are welcomed at the Museum, as are Book Launches. Volunteers are ready to assist with morning or afternoon tea on such occasions. We hosted launch of a family history book in 2011. At present our Museum stocks volumes of John Broadley's "*Historic Houses of Mudgee*" for sale. Various Coach companies have the Museum on their agendas, and we welcome large numbers of people touring the area by coach at various times.

The Museum maintains an ever-growing Archive of Family Histories and Photos which are used by our volunteer Researchers when requested by individuals searching for information on ancestors. (This valuable resource is not available to the general public due to privacy concerns.)

Family Research is a fast-growing hobby for many people and our Society provides a facility for many visitors to town to ask questions, search documents and often request detailed information on their forebears who were pioneers in our area. It is often only possible to find interesting details of an ancestor's life in and around Mudgee by use of the Museum's large Family History Archive, and visitors who wish to add "flesh on the bones" of a Great Grandparent/Grandparent find this resource invaluable. These people usually spend some time in Mudgee and thus contribute to Tourism.

The Historical Society is always willing to extend information to the Mid Western Regional Council on occasion, and in the past we have assisted with Photos of old Business houses in town, Shopfronts, hotels, footpaths, roads.

Our Members believe the Historical Society & Museum comprise an important Tourist facility in Mudgee, and we are always willing to give directions to particular spots when requested by visitors.

Our Members support the Annual Mudgee Field Days with an interesting historic display.

**Exhibits:** The main Museum Building contains numerous domestic displays, including a Kitchen set up as in about 1900, a sitting room – or "Parlour" – with piano and gramophone and decorations as used in that era, a Silver Room with many silver cups won by various Mudgee sporting teams many years ago, a display of Gentlemen's accessories, a Bridal display and many old toys.

One of the outside exhibits is the old Lue Roman Catholic Church which is home to many beautiful Photos of Mudgee pioneers, together with a magnificent display of hand-dressed Dolls. A recent addition is a wonderful old Harmonium.

The Communications Room contains the old Home Rule Telephone Exchange, Loneragans "Bundy Clock" and the first 2MG transmitter as well as many old telephones and typewriters and record players.

The large Shed contains many pieces of old agricultural equipment, several antique motor vehicles and a unique Hay Press used to bale Mudgee lucerne in the WW1 era and 1920s – 1930s. Several sulkies and buggies and a very large horse-drawn wagon are also on display. There are displays of honey processing equipment, some aboriginal artefacts, plumbers' & carpenters' tools.

**General Management:** The Mudgee Historical Society is managed capably in a business-like manner with financial records audited yearly. We are members of the Central Tablelands Chapter of Museums Australia and in 2011 hosted the Annual General Meeting of that body. Administration is carried out by a Committee which meets each month, with President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, Inside Curators, Outside Curators plus extra members. The usual business expenses of Telstra/Electrical/Rates/Insurance etc are met as required, as well as that of a Security System.

The Outside Curators and helpers maintain the lawns, undertake painting/repairs/fencing and other maintenance as needed as well as general cleaning of sheds, equipment and exhibits. Inside Curators maintain indoor exhibits, changing items regularly. Office staff maintain Photographic and Family History archives.

**Sources of Funding:** Membership fees remain at **\$10.00 per annum** (well over 100 members at present), "Garage" Sales in March & October most years of donated goods. The Sale is scheduled for March 2014. Donations, Commission on local book sales, Family Research together with Admission Fees make up the bulk of funding. **Annual Council Grants and refund of the General Rates are essential components of the Society's finances.**

"Friends of the Museum" & "Supporters of the Museum" have been valuable sources of support over the past years. Interest from investments adds to our funds.

**Funding Required:** The executives of the Mudgee Historical Society Inc request the Mid Western Regional Council to consider the figure of **\$3,000.00** (as in past years), together with **refund of the General Rate** for the next financial year.

**Purpose of Funding:** To assist the Mudgee Historical Society Inc to maintain the usual excellent standard of presentation at the Colonial Inn Museum, to endeavour to satisfy all requests for Family Information, to maintain the present involvement in the annual Mudgee Field Days and any additional Council or community functions throughout the year.

**Benefits to Community Arising from Funding:** The Mudgee Historical Society Inc would wish to continue as at present, being open to visitors and the public every day, being on the local "tourist trail", presenting our wonderful collection of domestic, agricultural, industrial and written/printed & photographic information to all who wish to take advantage of it. We hope to continue to impart

local history to all who ask. We hope to keep our Museum and grounds available to local groups/families, and to be an important part of Mudgee's attractions.

The **Mudgee Historical Society Inc** is willing to fully acknowledge the Mid Western Regional Council's contribution in accordance with its sponsorship policy and would sincerely appreciate any Financial Assistance. No particular project is envisaged from Council funding, but this funding is important to assist with on-going maintenance and some essential up-grade of Museum & grounds as required.

**DECLARATION:** On behalf of the MUDGEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY Inc I declare that the information provided herewith is complete and correct.

**Pauline Bassingthwaighe**

SIGNED: *Pauline Bassingthwaighe*

DATE: *20th January 2014*

Position in Organisation: **Honorary Secretary** as of Annual General meeting held 19th August 2013.

**John Broadley**

SIGNED: *John H. Broadley (President)*

DATE: *20th January 2014*

Position in Organisation: **President** as of Annual General Meeting held 19<sup>th</sup> August 2013.



# Rylstone Kandos Preschool

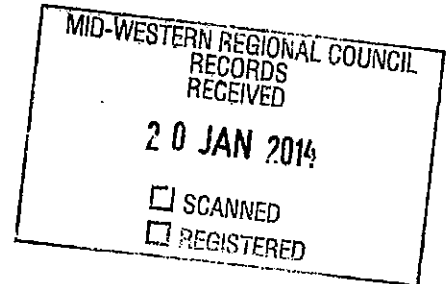


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Email – [prekids@hwy.com.au](mailto:prekids@hwy.com.au)

06 January 2014

Mid Western Regional Council  
PO Box 156  
MUDGEES NSW 2850



Dear Sir/Madam

RE – FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR RYLSTONE KANDOS PRESCHOOL INCORPORATED

I forward this letter in regard to financial support of our Preschool.

**Name of Organisation:** Rylstone Kandos Preschool Incorporated  
**Address:** 27 Fleming Street, KANDOS NSW 2848 **Postal Address:** PO Box 7 KANDOS NSW 2848  
**Contact Person:** Leanne Neilsen – Office Manager  
**Telephone No:** 02 6379 4273 **Email:** [prekids@hwy.com.au](mailto:prekids@hwy.com.au)  
**Description of Organisation:** Preschool  
**ABN Number:** 65 453 527 325  
**Insurance Details:** Guild Insurance – Policy No 29/20CIP0204693 (see attached)  
**Bank Account Details –** Rylstone Kandos Preschool Inc BSB – 032 657 Acc 803031

**Purpose of funding:** The Preschool is registered as a non-profit organisation and without the support from Council with running expenses the Preschool will be faced with financial difficulties.

<b>Amount of Funding required:</b>	Electricity	\$2100.00
	Water	200.00
	Telephone/Internet	1200.00
	Pest Control	480.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3980.00</b>

**Benefits to the community:** The preschool provides the only registered service to the Rylstone Kandos District for children aged 3 to 6 years. It plays a vital role in the educational curriculum preparing this age group for primary school. Our attendance figures each year confirm that there is a great need for a Preschool in our community with waiting lists this year for two of our days. We increased our registered places from 20 to 30 to cater for the dramatic increase in numbers of enrolments which has enable most children to access Preschool, with only minimal waiting times currently.

Preschool is willing to acknowledge the Council's contribution in accordance with its Sponsorship policy.

On behalf of the Rylstone Kandos Preschool Incorporated, I declare that the information provided is complete and correct:

Signed Julie Tito

Signed Melanie Moore

Print name Julie Tito

Print Name Melanie Moore

Position Held President

Position Held Treasurer

Telephone Number 0422631397

Telephone Number 02 63790907

Date 8/1/2014

Date 16/1/2014

If you have questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully



Leanne Neilsen  
OFFICE MANAGER

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**Mudgee Show Society**

PO Box 199, Mudgee NSW 2850 – Phone: 02 63724 099 – Fax: 02 63 724 088

Email: [Secretary@mudgeeshow.org.au](mailto:Secretary@mudgeeshow.org.au)

PRESIDENT: Wendy Harmer – TREASURER: Hunter White – SECRETARY: Allison Beer

26<sup>th</sup> May 2014

Dear Mid Western Regional Council,

Attention: Councillors

**Re: Mudgee Show/Rodeo for 2015 Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> and Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> March.**

Thank you for your past sponsorship for the Mudgee Show. In the past the Mid Western Regional Council have supported the show with a \$3000 sponsorship. The show Society are very grateful for the assistance and are hoping this can continue for 2015.

Your support is always greatly appreciated and we look forward to your earliest response.

Kind Regards

*All Beer*

Wendy Harmer  
President  
Allison Beer  
Secretary  
Mudgee Show Society

79 Inglis St  
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sanheath@hwy.com.au

The General Manager  
Mid-Western Regional Council  
Market St  
Mudgee 2850

3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2014

Dear Sir

Last year Mid Western Regional Council generously supported the *Short+Sweet* play festival held at the Town Hall Theatre in September.

This successful festival was truly a regional event showcasing the talents of playwrights, directors and actors from Mudgee, Gulgong, Goolma, Kandos and Bathurst. Some of the plays from this festival were selected to be part of the Sydney season of *Short+Sweet* early this year, a wonderful advertisement for Mudgee.

This year, the name has changed to *Mudgee Shorts*, but the festival returns. We are in partnership with Orana Arts and the Central Western Short Play Festival, to again encourage locals to direct and perform locally written plays. This includes young people who will have their own version of the festival, *Mudgee Short Shorts*.

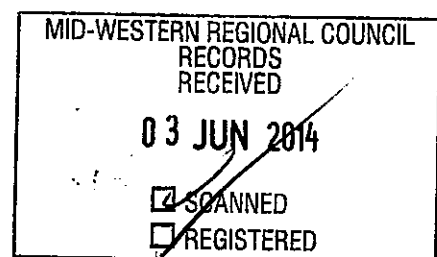
To this end we will be offering workshops for play writing, directing, stagecraft and acting over weekends between June and October before the festival itself which will be staged on October 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> and November 1<sup>st</sup>.

We have booked the Town Hall Theatre for the week prior to the festival and have made tentative bookings at the same venue for the workshops.

Would MWRC please consider continuing its sponsorship of this event through a donation in kind of theatre hire for the workshops and of movie tickets as a prize for the youth component of the festival?

Yours truly

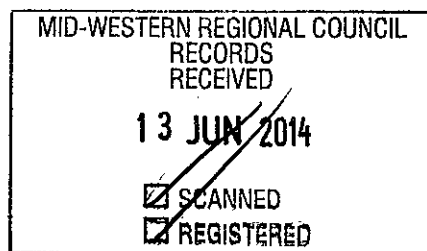
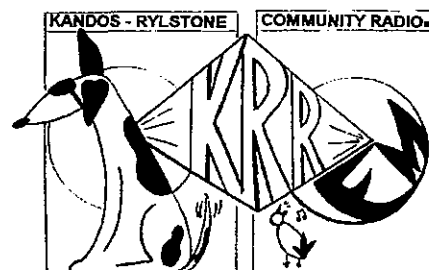
*Heather Rushton*  
Heather Rushton  
Co-ordinator *Mudgee Shorts*



Kandos Rylstone Community Radio Inc.

# Community Capers

Warrick Bennett (General Manager)  
Mid Western Regional Council  
Finance Dept  
Po Box 156  
Mudgee NSW  
2850



KRR 98.7 FM  
Po Box 99 Kandos NSW  
2848  
ABN 99 620 347 393  
Phone 6379 4360  
Fax 6379 6000

For Advertising in Community Capers Phone Brian on 6379 4092  
E mail [bneaves@spin.net.au](mailto:bneaves@spin.net.au)

10.06.14

Invoice No CC.545

Donation Sponsorship of the Community Capers

Kandos Rylstone Community Radio Inc.(KRR FM) thanks you for your continuing support of The Community Capers local information news letter.

This being the last year of our three (3) year agreement.

For the 2014/2015 period

Ten Thousand Dollars

(Total)

**Total \$10.000**

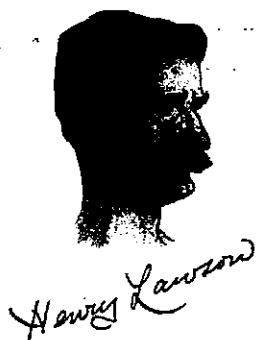
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and mail it to-

**KRR FM P.O Box 99 Kandos NSW 2848**

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Please cut off this section and return it with your remittance  
( Thank You For Supporting Community Capers )

Invoice No.CC.545 Total \$10.000



# Gulgong Heritage Festival Committee

P.O. Box 361  
Gulgong 2852

Contact: Charles Vassel  
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Email: smalltownsgulgong@hotmail.com

**General Manager**  
**Mid-Western Regional Council**  
**Market St**  
**Mudgee 2850**

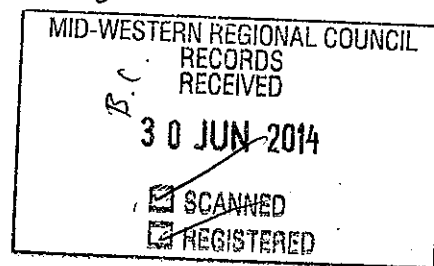
## APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Henry Lawson Heritage Festival Committee would like to apply for financial assistance from Mid-Western Regional Council to assist with the financing of Gulgong's largest event. The Committee would like to apply for \$2,500 to help cover publicity costs for the event which will be held over the June long weekend in 2015.

To attract over 3,000 people that attend the Henry Lawson Festival each year, 20,000 programs are printed (cost \$4,200) and distributed to motels, caravan parks and tourist offices in Mudgee, Dubbo, Wellington, Lithgow, Rylstone, Kandos, Dunedoo, Coolah, Portland and Cassilis. Television, internet and print media advertising costing over \$3,000 is also required.

The Festival involves the following community groups;

- Henry Lawson Society
- Gulgong Pioneer Museum
- Gulgong Primary School
- Gulgong High School
- All Hallows School
- Cudgegong Photographic Club
- Cudgegong Vintage Car Club
- 2852 Club
- Gulgong Men's Shed Group
- Combined Churches of Gulgong
- Cudgegong Vintage Motorcycle Club
- Gulgong Musical and Dramatic Society
- Gulgong RSL
- Gulgong Bowling and Sporting Club
- Gulgong Show Society



- Gulgong Chamber of Commerce
- Gulgong VRA
- Gulgong Rural Fire Service
- Gulgong Junior Orchestra
- Plus many sporting groups

This is more groups involved than any other event in town.

The Festival has public liability insurance with  
CGU Insurance, GPO Box 244 Sydney 2001  
Policy No 10M 0887660  
From 21 April 2014 to 21 April 2015

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'C. Vassel'.

Charles Vassel  
Committee Chairperson  
Phone 6374 1209

Mid Western Regional Council

PO Box 156

Mudgee NSW 2850

To Whom It May Concern

Mudgee Fine Foods Inc is respectfully requesting a grant in the amount of \$3900 for our "Expo and Related Workshops" Project.

As the dedicated food group within the Mid Western Regional Council area, we are conscious of the changing demographics in our service area, and are committed to growing and adapting our organisation to meet emerging needs.

The Expo and Related Workshops Project will allow us to establish a forum to establish the connection between a diverse and locally focused food economy and the ongoing benefit increases in local employment, sales and inbound tourism.

Our board of directors is enthusiastic about this programme and eager to launch it in an effort to be the most inclusive; opening the workshops planned to all food producers and providers in the region whether members of Mudgee Fine Foods or not

Should we find at the end of our pilot year that this program is successful, our board is committed to integrating a portion of the project's yearly expenses into our annual operating budget so that the program becomes an integral part of our core services.

Through this project, Mudgee Fine Foods Inc in collaboration with Mid Western Regional Council will serve as the primary source and driver of the project.

It is our clear intention to make the Mid Western Regional Council region a leader and first in mind destination for cultural and destination tourism.

Reference is made in our submission to the Community Plan Towards 2030

Thank you for your consideration of our request.

Yours Sincerely,

Simon Staines

President - Mudgee Fine Foods Inc



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## **MUDGEES FINE FOODS**

**JUNE 2014**

### **GRANT APPLICATION FUNDING FOR EXPO AND ASSOCIATED WORKSHOPS**

OUR CHALLENGE IS TO COLLABORATIVELY BRING TOGETHER AS MANY FOOD PRODUCERS AND FOOD PROVIDERS AS POSSIBLE IN THE REGION TO

1. REGIONAL FOOD CARNIVAL- AN OPPORTUNITY TO BRING TOGETHER AND SHOWCASE ALL THAT IS GOOD IN THE MUDGEES REGION - TO PUT FOOD PRODUCERS AND CAFE/RESTAURANTS AND CATERERS TOGETHER
2. WORKSHOPS - FOOD GOING LOCAL IS GOOD FOR YOUR BUSINESS
3. MARKETING AND PROMOTION - WHAT IS IT AND WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT TO THE REGIONAL ECONOMY DEVELOPING A PLAN

'Food Tourism' - Background notes

Defined broadly as 'the provision of high quality, authentically Mudgees Region food to all visitors'.

Food tourism is not simply about food. When visitors consume a meal, they do more than physically consume the food. The experience is permeated by the cultural aspects of the environment around them. Therefore, food tourism from a visitor's perspective means experiencing quality offerings in all aspects of their visit while experiencing a sense of 'place on a plate' throughout their time here. Consequently, the development of food tourism cannot supersede other tourism development in a region but must complement it.

#### **Food Tourism in Practice**

There are also opportunities for tourism providers to get involved in food tourism networks which play an important role in the development of food tourism.

Food tourism networks are of prime importance in encouraging the buy in of a critical mass of tourism providers in a region to the concept of food tourism.

## THE ISSUES AND CONTEXT

The Mudgee Region, as defined as within the boundaries of the Midwestern Regional Council is recognised as a major player in regional tourism in NSW.

Mudgee Fine Foods is a well established and forward thinking not for profit organisation that engages in many ways with its community – Farmers Market – Local Lunch – Local Plate – Kids Cooking – Farm Walks and other food events.

Developing food-related visitor experiences or sourcing, using and finding out about locally produced food requires time, effort and expense but as we know from research done over many years **food tourism has been shown to reap rewards for individuals and for the region in which they operate. If a destination becomes known for its high quality, locally produced food and food-related experiences, this can increase visitor numbers which in turn can lead to increased tourist spend.**

This is beneficial to the community as a whole.

## ANALYSIS OF THE PROBLEM

In a region that boasts a very strong visitor economy Mudgee Fine Foods is acutely aware that there is need of a **regional wide approach to implementing the research that finds developing food-related visitor experiences or sourcing, using and finding out about locally produced food will reap rewards for individuals and for the region in which they operate.**

If a destination becomes known for its high quality, locally produced food and food-related experiences, this can increase visitor numbers which in turn can lead to increased tourist spend.

Many visitors might not consider the Mudgee Region as a holiday destination without a diversity of experiences to attract and keep them within the region.

Food tourism can reduce leakage of economic resources from a region because money for food purchased locally circulates within the local economy rather than leaking out of it; the more use of local products by local food providers translates directly into more sales for producers.



· Additionally, if food providers and other local businesses highlight locally-produced foods, this results in increased consumer exposure and greater brand awareness which can also translate into more sales.

**Overseas studies will show that for every \$100 spent at restaurants prioritising the use of local produce, \$79 is re-spent locally while if \$100 is spent at a restaurant which does not give precedence to the use of local produce, only \$31 is re-spent locally.**

Benefits to local food producers can translate into other regional benefits since increases in sales of local foods can create employment.

It has been demonstrated that in rural areas, food tourism provides employment opportunities which would not otherwise exist, particularly for women and young people.

**Thus, food tourism in a rural area can support rural development as it provides a means of economic diversification.**

Increasing the competitiveness of a destination can lead to greater numbers and a greater visitor spend. Tourism providers that position themselves as providers of local food in such an environment can benefit even more from this increased spend.

**This can only occur if tourism providers buy-in to the concept of food tourism.**

**It's a process made complex by the sheer diversity of stakeholders involved. Nevertheless, the economic advantages at regional and individual level are numerous, indicating that the development of food tourism is a worthwhile goal.**

**A favourable business environment - rational planning and salesmanship are needed to move our Mudgee Region forward**

## **ORGANISATION OF MUDGEES FINE FOODS**

Our board of directors is made up of dedicated, passionate skills based people – passionate about food and regional tourism

Our executive includes those with lifetime experiences in marketing and small business- profession food production and employs the services of a local accountancy firm.

### **PEOPLE**

We have volunteers offering at least two hours per month to staff the Farmers Market and undertake Farm Walks

We employ a Manager of Business who runs the Farmers Markets and associated activities as well as the business of Mudgee Fine Foods

The executive meets each month

## **II. PROJECT VISION, MISSION, AND OBJECTIVES**

### **VISION AND MISSION**

Mudgee Fine Foods Inc. was established in June 2005 to help promote the food industry and culinary delights of Mudgee and the surrounding areas. We aim to promote our region, with its producers, as a culinary tourism destination, and work closely with Mudgee Region Tourism Inc. and the Mudgee Wine Grape Growers Association to deliver our strategy.

### **Values**

When members, suppliers, customers and regional partners think of us, we want them to be confident that:

We are committed to regional produce, our members and our customers  
We understand that the more quality food producers, food processors and hospitality service providers this region supports, the better it is for all of us

We support the business growth of all our members, whether they be tiny and local, or large and national

We encourage the organic production of food using sustainable agricultural methods

We support meat producers and meat processors who consider the welfare of their animals from birth to death

We are responsive to the changing needs and wants of our customers and members

- We acknowledge the Midwestern Region Community Plan Towards 2030 and seek to fulfill the states objectives below

A Prosperous and Diversified Economy

Supports the attraction and retention of a diverse range of businesses and industries

Encourages the development of a skilled and flexible workforce

Promote the Region as a great place to work, invest and visit

Promote leadership on economic development initiatives and identify resources and infrastructure required to drive investment and economic growth

Support projects that create new jobs in the Region and help build a diverse and multi skilled workforce

Build strong linkages with institutions providing education, training and employment pathways in the Region

Simon Staines

President



25/6/14

Mudgee Fine Foods Inc.

[president@mudgeefinefoods.com.au](mailto:president@mudgeefinefoods.com.au)

## BUDGET

### EXPO AND ASSOCIATED WORKSHOPS

**\$3900**

- REGIONAL FOOD CARNIVAL- AN OPPORTUNITY TO BRING TOGETHER AND SHOWCASE ALL THAT IS GOOD IN THE MUDGEE REGION - TO BRING FOOD PRODUCERS AND CAFE/RESTAURANTS AND CATERERS TOGETHER
- WORKSHOPS - FOOD GOING LOCAL IS GOOD FOR YOUR BUSINESS
- MARKETING AND PROMOTION - WHAT IS IT AND WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT TO THE REGIONAL ECONOMY DEVELOPING A PLAN

	Wages/ Contracted Services	Equipment/ Hire	<i>In Kind Donations</i>
REGIONAL FOOD CARNIVAL	\$500	\$200	\$200
WORKSHOPS	3 x \$500	\$300	\$100
MARKETING AND PROMOTION	3 x \$400	\$200	\$100

## ST JOHN'S UNION CHURCH RUNNING STREAM

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MUDGEE NSW 2850  
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02 63 588 226  
02 63 588 285

8<sup>th</sup> July 2014

Mr Brad Cam  
General Manager  
Mid-Western Regional Council  
PO Box 156  
Mudgee NSW 2850

Dear Mr Cam,

Firstly, we would like to thank the Mid-Western Regional Council for the generous financial assistance grant of \$200.00, distributed on advice from Cr Martens on 24<sup>th</sup> April 2014. This financial assistance grant has been extremely valuable to St John's Union Church Running Stream, as the Trustees endeavor to keep the Church maintained at a high level, including the upkeep of the grounds, building and annual insurance. Thankfully, most of the general upkeep of the Church is completed on a voluntary basis; via the Trustees and community members.

We have also managed to be self-reliant in regards to the payment of the Church's annual insurance policy, due to money received from the Running Stream Harvest Festival, which is run by the local community. Whilst the Harvest Festival continues to be a successful event on the local calendar, in the past financial year, the Church's insurance costs have, unexpectedly, risen dramatically. To exemplify this point we are including the following figures to show just what a steep rise there has been with the cost of insurance.

Insurance Policy Cost for 2012 – 2013: **\$719.91**

Insurance Policy Cost for 2013 – 2014: **\$1 498.86**

As you can see, our insurance costs have more than doubled in one year. On receiving this invoice from United Resources for \$1 498.86 the Trustees sourced quotations from other insurance companies, in the hope of finding a cheaper policy. Unfortunately all of the other quotations were in fact more than the aforementioned cost. United Resources have informed the Trustees that they are unable to lower the cost of our Insurance Policy. It is in the Church's best interest that the insurance policy remains with United Resources, as they have a special policy for Union Churches. Because St John's Union Church is not affiliated with or owned by any particular denomination, the responsibility of obtaining the required monies to pay the annual insurance account falls upon the local community, who is represented by the Trustees of St John's Union Church.

After reading about the termination of councillors being able to distribute discretionary funds to local charities and community groups, it was suggested that the Trustees make a request to the General Manager for \$800.00. This money would be greatly appreciated and go directly to assist with paying our insurance account and maintaining the Church to its high standard. A well-kept Church not only adds to the ambience of Running Stream, but also to Mid-Western Regional Council.

We are hopeful that the Mid-Western Regional Council may assist us with keeping St John's Union Church Running Stream insured and therefore accessible to all members of the community.

Yours faithfully,

(Mrs) Pamela B. Chadwick  
Secretary of the St John's Union Church Trustees



# GULGONG HIGH SCHOOL

*MS + e-AP Donations.*

P.O. Box 504  
Belmore Street  
Gulgong NSW 2852



**Telephone:** 63741201

**Fax:** 6374 2360

**E-mail:** gulgong-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

**Principal:** Mr Bruce Buxton **Deputy Principal:** Mr Richard Finter

17 July 2014

Mid-Western Regional Council  
PO Box 156  
MUDGEE NSW 2850

Dear Sir / Madam

Gulgong High School is conducting its annual Presentation Day on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2014.

Your generous support in the past has been most appreciated. We would be pleased if you would consider making a donation towards our Presentation Day this year. All donations go directly toward scholarships and rewards for students in recognition of their efforts academically, toward school spirit and for their involvement in the larger Gulgong community.

Your generosity will be recognised in the Presentation Day Program, the Gulgong Gossip and the school Newsletter.

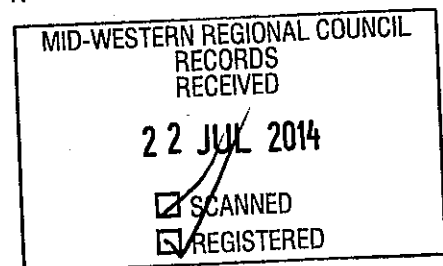
All donations over \$20.00 will be acknowledged by receipt.

If you are personally available, or have a representative who would like to attend on the day to present a specific award, please complete the appropriate details on the section below.

In order to finalise our program for the ceremony we would appreciate your response by remittance of the details below by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November, 2014.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Emma Stanley  
Presentation Day Coordinator



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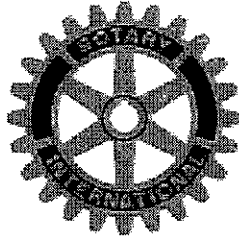
**Mid-Western Regional Council**

Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Able to attend and present an award on the day: YES  NO

Name of person attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Award or scholarship to be presented: \_\_\_\_\_



# Rotary Club of Mudgee Sunrise

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22nd July 2014

Brad Cam  
General Manager  
Mid-Western Regional Council  
Market St  
Mudgee NSW 2850

Dear Brad,

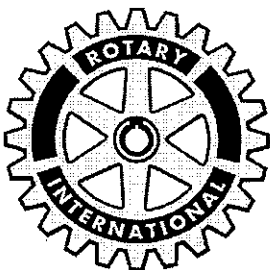
Thank you again for Councils previous support for this wonderful annual event.

As you know the carols have become very popular in Mudgee, but they do need the continued support of the Council and local businesses to happen.

We would very much appreciate Councils continued financial support to allow this event to continue.

Kind regards

Gary Blogg  
PP, Rotary Club of Mudgee Sunrise



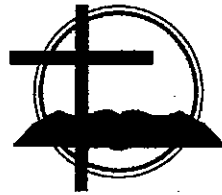
Please Contact Either  
Gary Blogg, The Rotary Club Of Mudgee Sunrise  
Email: [gblogg@bigpond.com.au](mailto:gblogg@bigpond.com.au) Ph: 0418 230 172  
or  
Maurice Webb, The Rotary Club of Mudgee  
Email: [valmaurice@aol.com](mailto:valmaurice@aol.com) Ph: 02 6372 3728

THE ROTARY CLUBS OF MUDGEE & MUDGEE SUNRISE

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# Mudgee Baptist Church

70 Bruce Rd  
PO Box 338  
MUDGEE, NSW, 2850  
Phone: 6372 6501

23<sup>rd</sup> July 2014

To: Mid-Western Regional Council  
Re: Application for Financial Assistance

Dear Councillors

Mudgee Baptist Church is once again offering a holiday club for children in order to provide quality vacation care and to support local working families. It will take place in the September school holidays.

Last year, Council very generously donated funds to enable a partnership with Barnardo's in Mudgee to provide fully subsidised holiday care places to children from local families identified by Barnardo's as needy or vulnerable. Both Barnardo's and the families who benefitted were extremely grateful to Council for this support.

This year, we have again approached Barnardo's with a view to offering free or highly subsidised places to children from vulnerable local families. To this end we are asking Council if your generosity could continue. A grant of \$1000 would enable us to offer these places, maintain our concessionary rates to other children and still keep up the high standard of care and programming that we have set.

Acknowledgement of Council's sponsorship will, of course, be gratefully acknowledged.. Thankyou for considering our request. Please find our bank details attached – they have changed since last year..

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lydia Smith', written over a horizontal line.

Lydia Smith  
Program Director  
Ph: 63723592  
amadan461@bigpond.com

## Account Details:

Mudgee Baptist Church  
Baptist Financial Services  
BSB: 704 922  
Ac. No: 100009791



Andrew Drummond  
Depot & Plant Manager  
Midwestern Regional Council  
PO Box 156  
MUDGEES NSW 2850

22<sup>nd</sup> July 2014

Dear Andrew

Mudgee PCYC in conjunction with Mudgee Toyota and National Driver Education are looking to run the program "Dare to Be Aware" again in 2014 due to popular demand and because of the success of the previous 7 programs.

We are seeking permission to use the airport as a safe and NON RACE TRACK environment so as to foster correct driver attitudes. The date of the programs in 2014 will be Friday 19<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> & or Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September numbers depending. Depending on availability of airport we would only need 2 of the proposed dates.

Please advise of the availability of Airport for this date, as this is not a fundraiser and there will be no monetary gain of any sort to Mudgee PCYC as Mudgee Toyota are sponsors for the participants fees and advertising, I appeal to Midwestern Regional Council to waive any fees pertaining to hire of Airport.

Yours sincerely

Railene Doherty  
Manager



# The Henry Lawson Society of N.S.W. Inc.

The *Henry Lawson* Centre

A Memorial for the study of literary works and the history of associated characters, places and times of Australia's National Poet.

147 Mayne St  
Gulgong, NSW  
Postal Address:  
P.O. Box 235  
Gulgong, NSW 2852  
Phone: (02) 6374 2049  
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Email: [henrylawsongulgong@yahoo.com.au](mailto:henrylawsongulgong@yahoo.com.au)  
Web: [www.henrylawsongulgong.org.au](http://www.henrylawsongulgong.org.au)

22.7.2014

Contact: Kevin Robson,  
Treasurer  
Home Ph: 02 6374 1944

The General Manager  
Mid Western Regional Council  
P.O. Box 156  
Mudgee 2850

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— Rates Reimbursement to Community Groups —

Dear Sir,

In relation to Council's management plan, in regard to Property Rates Reimbursement, I am enclosing a copy of our receipt for payment of rates for 2014/15.

As in previous years, the money reimbursed to our organisation would be used for some of the awards, and also to pay for some of the advertising and entry pamphlets for our Henry Lawson Literary Awards, which are finalised each June Long Weekend, and for which we receive entries from nearly every state in Australia. The Literary Awards have a cash flow of about \$10,000 to stage the event, with about \$5000 of this being sponsorship. I may mention that the event usually only makes a small profit of about \$500, so as you can see there is a lot of voluntary work for the event, and Councils contribution through rate reimbursement is gratefully received.

As this money is used for the literary awards, Mid-Western Shire Council is named as a sponsor on our advertising posters for the Annual Literary Awards.

Thanking You,

Kevin Robson

ABN 96 149 391 332  
TAX INVOICE

Notice is given that the below mentioned rates & charges have been made and levied on the land described hereunder by virtue of S546 of the Local Government Act 1993



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The Henry Lawson Society of NSW Inc  
PO Box 235  
GULGONG NSW 2852

PO BOX 156, MUDGEE NSW 2850  
(02) 6378 2850 1300 765 002  
1875 6378 2815  
council@midwestern.nsw.gov.au  
www.midwestern.nsw.gov.au

Property Number  
**4699**

Property Location and Description

17 Mayne Street, GULGONG NSW 2852  
Lot 1 DP 906317

Valuation Base Date 01/07/2013 Interest Rate 8.5% p.a.

Issue Date 01/07/2014 Due Date 31/03/2015

Particulars of Rates and Charges

Particulars of Rates and Charges	Rate in \$	Rateable Value	Amount
Business	MINIMUM	24300	609.26
Sewer Access Non Res Charge	\$389.00 PER SERVICE	1	389.00
Water Access Charge - 20mm Service	\$140.00 PER SERVICE	1	140.00
* Business Waste Management Charge	\$205.70 PER SERVICE	1	205.70
* General Waste Disposal Charge	\$192.50 PER SERVICE	1	192.50
* GST			36.20

First Instalment	Second Instalment	Third Instalment	Fourth Instalment	Please deduct any payments since	TOTAL AMOUNT \$1,536.46
\$384.16 01/09/2014	\$384.10 01/12/2014	\$384.10 02/03/2015	\$384.10 01/06/2015	01/07/2014	DUE

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PAYMENT OPTIONS

Property No.: 4699

Instalment Amount Due: \$384.16

RATES



Mudgee Administrative Services Centre  
86 Market Street, Mudgee: 8.00am - 4.30pm

Gulgong Service Centre  
109 Herbert Street, Gulgong:  
8.00am - 1.00pm & 1.30 - 4.30pm

Rylstone Service Centre  
77 Louee Street, Rylstone: 8.00am - 4.30pm



Visit [www.midwestern.nsw.gov.au](http://www.midwestern.nsw.gov.au)  
and follow the links to pay using Visa or MasterCard



Call 1300 133 369 anytime to make payments using Visa or MasterCard



Contact your bank or financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings, debit, credit card or transaction account.

Mid-Western Regional Council, Regional Council of NSW Pty Ltd  
ABN 69 079 137 518

Billers Code 8698  
Ref: 2182 7280 6069 4



Send your payment to PO Box 156, Mudgee NSW 2850.

Payment can be made by cheque or money order.



Contact Council for an application form.



PAY BY PHONE



Present this notice intact to make your payment by cash or cheque at any Australia Post Office.

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PAYMENTS RECEIVED BY COUNCIL BY POST OR OTHERWISE AFTER DUE DATE/S WILL NOT BE TREATED AS BEING PAID BY SUCH DUE DATE/S.

**Mid-Western Regional Council**

ABN: 96 149 391 332

PO BOX 158  
MUDGEES NSW 2850  
1300 765 002

**Official Receipt**

21/07/2014 Receipt No: **320037**

To: The Henry Lawson Society of  
NSW Inc  
PO Box 235  
GULGONG NSW 2852

Applic	Reference	Amount
Rates		
Property No 4699		\$152.33
KatBusMudS due 01/09/14		
Property No 4699		\$97.25
SewBusAccs due 01/09/14		
Property No 4699		\$35.00
WatAccs20 due 01/09/14		
Property No 4699		\$51.44
WstBusines due 01/09/14		
Property No 4699		\$48.14
WstGeneral due 01/09/14		
Property No 4699		\$384.10
Property No 4699		\$384.10
Property No 4699		\$384.10
To Rates: 147 Mayne Street GULGONG NSW 2852		
<b>Transaction Total:</b>		<b>\$1,536.46</b>

**Amounts Tendered**

Cash	\$0.00
Cheque	\$1,536.46
Cr Card	\$0.00
Db Card	\$0.00
Money Order	\$0.00
Agency	\$0.00
Total	\$1,536.46
Rounding	\$0.00
Change	\$0.00
Nett	\$1,536.46

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Ph 0427722825

4/7/14

Dear *Mid Western Regional Council*

Re: Sponsorship request for hockey tour to Samoa

Our local hockey team is planning an end of season tour to Samoa. We chose Samoa because one of our players, Nico loane, grew up there. We are the first overseas club team to tour Samoa. The only other time visiting teams were in Samoa was in 2007 when they hosted the South Pacific Games. Samoa is a developing nation and hockey is a new sport there. We would like to take across some hockey equipment, team uniforms etc which we can donate to the Samoan hockey community and schools. We will play some friendly games with their club and National teams as well as help the Samoa Hockey Federation with clinics in schools to promote hockey and active lifestyles to the children. We have a group of players who are committed to the tour. Some players are in need of financial assistance.

We are requesting sponsorship from your organisation if possible. Sponsorship money raised could be used for players travel costs, team bus hire, equipment such as shin pads and hockey sticks for donating to Samoa hockey teams and team uniforms. Sponsorship items/goods may be used for a raffle or prizes at a Trivia Night we are planning for early August. Any sponsorship will be very much appreciated.

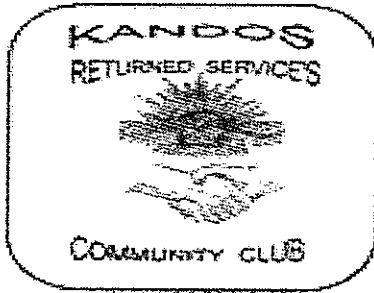
In return for sponsoring the trip you would receive local media coverage/advertising. An article appeared in The Mudgee Guardian on 4/7/14 about the tour, see <http://www.mudgeeguardian.com.au/story/2394131/historic-samoan-tour-by-mudgee-team/?cs=1233>. We will be providing updates and will make sure our sponsors are mentioned. We will also list our sponsors on the Mudgee Hockey Association Facebook page. Major sponsors will also have their names on our team shirts which we will wear in photos, while travelling and to official visits e.g. to Samoan schools. We will receive TV and newspaper coverage in Samoa, which will be raising the profile of Mudgee amongst Samoan locals and overseas tourists visiting Samoa at the time.

If you have any questions, or would like to sponsor the team, please contact us on the above e mail or mobile number. If you would like to make a donation please send a cheque made out to "Mudgee District Hockey Association" and post to 3 Winter St, Mudgee, 2850. Thank you.

Kind Regards

  
Jo and Nico loane, on behalf of Mudgee Hockey Tour of Samoa 2014

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**KANDOS RETURNED SERVICES  
COMMUNITY CLUB LTD  
20 Dangar Street  
Kandos NSW 2848  
Telephone 6379 6591  
ABN: 39 119 393 136**

Dear Sir/Madam,

My name is Peta Gazzoli and I am a director of the Kandos Returned Services Community Club. I am in the midst of planning an open talent quest, named "The K Factor Talent Quest", which will run every Sunday for 6 weeks in February and March 2015.

It is with great pleasure that I offer your organisation a great opportunity to become a valuable sponsor and be part of this community event of up and coming talent.

We look forward to your sponsorship and your company name and/or logo will be promoted during the events.

**Sponsorship**

Major Sponsor: Grand Final 1st prize of \$1,000

Silver Sponsor: 2<sup>nd</sup> prize of \$700, or

Bronze Sponsor: 3rd prize of \$300

Heat sponsors per week of \$100.

Any donation from your company towards the overall running cost will be gratefully appreciated.

Please feel free to call us for more information about the event.

Kind regards,

Peta Gazzoli

