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MONTHLY NEWS BULLETIN

This bulletin is a new initiative by the Glenelg Shire Recreation Team, providing an opportunity for the team to share any upcoming events, opportunities and information that might assist or be of interest to Clubs / User Groups and their volunteers across the Shire.

Meet Our Recreation Team



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Update Your Club Contact & Membership Details

So that our Recreation Team can ensure they maintain an up-to-date contact database for clubs, we have introduced a simple online form for a Club committee representative to complete.

There is also the option to opt-in to this monthly bulletin (or opt out if you no longer want to receive the emails).

Click below to access the form, which is also accessible via the Glenelg Shire Council website:

<https://au.openforms.com/Form/6f1550ca-22ee-42e0-9124-61278e834dc5>

Additionally, there is an option on the form to enter your Clubs membership data and supporting information that will be required as evidence to participate in the Licence/Lease Fee Incentivisation program. This program is for current Clubs / User Groups that hold a current Crown Land Licence/Lease with Council. The Incentivisation program offers opportunities for licence/lease fees to be reduced for the next financial year should the Club/User Group be able to meet the key focus areas. More information on this program will be released to Licensed User Groups within the next 2 months.



Annual & Winter Season Allocations Due Date Approaching

Annual and winter season Licensed User Groups are now invited to enter their allocation for the upcoming annual season (1 April 2023 to 31 March 2024) and winter season (1 April 2023 to 30 September 2023) via our IMS Reserves Manager website

<https://www.imscomply.com.au/glenelgrm/>

using your organisations login details. If you no longer have access to your login details please respond to this email and our Recreation Team can assist with providing these details to you.

Allocation entries close on 26 March 2023.

If you require further support with your allocations or have any queries please contact the Recreation Team.



South West Sport



Community Sports Awards

South West Sport together with Ace Radio brings you the 2023 'South West Community Sports Awards', inclusive of new award categories that celebrate clubs and organisation's driving positive community outcomes through sport and recreation, as well as individual awards acknowledging contributions to grassroots community sport, through volunteerism and leadership.

Nominations are now open for a number of different categories including Glenelg Community Sport Volunteer of the Year Award.

Nominations close on Wednesday 1 March 2023

For further information please refer to South West Sport Community Sports Award website:

[South West Community Sports Awards](#)



Micro-Volunteering Webinar

SWS are offering a FREE online webinar on
Micro-Volunteering

6pm Monday 20 March 2023

[Click here](#) to register for this fantastic opportunity.



Annual Club Survey Extended

The annual SWS club survey period has been extended to
28 February 2023

Complete the online survey [here](#) and your club goes in the draw to win \$500 for your club!



International Women's Day

8 March 2023

#EmbraceEquity



IWD 2023 is on 8 March 2023, and to celebrate we encourage you to promote the fantastic women within your club via your club's newsletter or social media. Promotional resources for IWD 2023 are available [here](#).

There are also a few events being held around the region that members of your club may wish to participate in, such as the [Portland Women In Business Network IWD Luncheon](#) at the Royal on 10 March 2023.

Change Our Game are also offering their IWD event to be livestreamed for FREE online on 8 March from 11:45am – to register for livestream access [click here](#).

The Recreation Team would be happy to further promote any club initiatives being undertaken for IWD 2023, so if you would like further information or support please reach out to our team.

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Grants Assistance & Resources

We are often asked about where Clubs / User Groups can go for assistance with Grants or what funding opportunities are available.

There are some [quick links on our website](#) for organisations that regularly release different grant opportunities as well as [VicSport](#) offering some helpful links on their website.

Some externally funded grants and fundraising opportunities that may be of particular interest to your club that are currently open include:

- [Change Our Game Grants](#) for up to \$10k for community based initiatives that enable participation, build capacity and celebrate the role of women and girls in sport and recreation – *applications close 6 March 2023*
- [Sporting Club Grants Program](#) for up to \$1k for uniforms or equipment, or up to \$2k for skills development programs, or up to \$5k for projects that increase operational capacity – *applications close 15 March 2023*
- [Telstra's Connected Communities Grant Program](#) offers grant up to \$10k for not-for-profit community organisations that are providing access to information, technology, education and facilities to support their communities to embrace new technologies and ways of working to build social capital and digital capability – *applications open 1 March 2023 and close on 30 March 2023*
- [Australian Sports Foundation](#) provides a platform for tax deductible fundraising



Below are some other online resources that may assist with grant writing:

[Clubhelp](#)

[Grant Writing for Dummies](#)

[The Grants Hub](#)

[Funding Centre](#)

[Sports Community – How to win a grant](#)

[GrantGuru – grant search portal](#)

We would also like to seek any expressions of interest from Club representatives that may be interested in participating in a Grants Writing Workshop. Should enough club representatives express interest then we will advise further once details are confirmed. Please submit your interest via email to recreation@glenelg.vic.gov.au including how many representatives may like to attend.

[GSC Club Committee Kit Resources](#)

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