

## Grant Application Summary

Required information	Applicant provided response
Project name	Coonooer Bridge Hall Play Equipment
Project location	Coonooer Bridge
Name of organisation applying for a grant	Coonooer Bridge Ladies Committee
Brief description of the organisation applying for a grant	Community volunteer organisation that organises a range of events held at the hall.
Brief project summary (max 100 words)	The committee would like to install play equipment at the hall. We believe this would be an asset for young families that attend a range of community and private events at the hall. Events include; Christmas celebrations and ANZAC Day services, Melbourne Cup Luncheon, Fortnightly patchwork workshops, private parties and CFA gatherings. We feel it would make the hall more inviting for all age groups and continue to build the halls standing in the community as a social gathering place.
Maximum amount applied for	\$ 10 000
Expected date of project completion	No later than July 2019

## Project Details

Include in this section information about the project and how it will help to contribute to achieving the goals of the grant program. Reference to the *“CBWF Community Grant Program Guidelines”* is important. Make sure to also include information on the following details:

- A summary of what the project is, including where it is
- An indication of the objectives of the project, what the planned outcomes are and how they can be measured
- An explanation of how the community will benefit
- An estimation of how many people will benefit
- What contribution/in kind support your organisation will make towards the project
- Who will manage the project
- What the overall cost of the project is
- What the timeline of the project is

(please attach additional pages if required)

The committee would like to purchase a modest playground kit and install it at the Coonooer Bridge Hall. The main outcome for this project is to build upon the halls standing in the local community as an inclusive and friendly meeting spot. We believe that the installation of play equipment would further encourage past, present and future community members to attend the wide range of activities that are based at the hall.

At present there is many young families that attend events at the hall. Some of these are current residents of Coonooer Bridge and surrounding areas but a large number also return to the Coonooer Bridge Hall for a variety of occasions including Christmas celebrations and ANZAC Day services. There is currently no dedicated play area for them to enjoy.

This project is part of a wider program by the Ladies Committee and the Coonooer Bridge Recreation Reserve CoM to make the Coonooer Bridge Hall precinct a focal point for the community. In the future we also plan to install BBQ cooking facilities, plant new trees and bushes and sow new grass at the front of the hall. This program is aimed at improving the overall aspect of the hall and surrounds and guaranteeing its place in the community well into the future.

It is estimated that at least 15 young families from Coonooer and surrounding areas would benefit directly from this equipment. There are also several older residents who regularly attend functions with their grandchildren.

The Ladies Committee would manage the installation of this equipment in conjunction with the Coonooer Bridge Recreation Reserve CoM. We would also take joint responsibility for its care and ongoing maintenance as required. The overall cost of this project is \$11 880 with any short fall in funding or installation costs to be shared between the Ladies Committee and the Rec Reserve CoM either financially or through in-kind donations. It is anticipated that once funding became available for this project could be completed in 3 weeks. The following link contains a description of the item we would like to purchase:

<https://www.adventureplus.net.au/product/s3080u-kellyview-play-unit/> Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like any more information.