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MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM (MASP) ROUND 1 2013-14

Region	Grant Applicant/Organisation	Amount Awarded	Activity
Darwin	AFL Northern Territory	\$10,000	Towards the employment of a Multicultural Ambassador under the "AFL Football for All" project to encourage and facilitate sporting integration between NTFL clubs and members of new and emerging communities in Darwin
Alice Springs	Australia Indonesian Cultural Centre	\$1,500	Art and Cultural activities including batik exhibition, cooking lessons, gamelan and dance performance, Indonesian functions
Darwin	Australian Japanese Association	\$3,600	Bunka No Hi (Cultural Day) - promote traditional and modern Japanese culture, stalls and activities
Alice Springs	Balai Bahasa Indonesia Australia Inc	\$1,500	Practising Indonesian Language project including hosting Balinese and Indonesian quiz night in Alice Springs, teaching Indonesian and Balinese language to Central Aust residents and conduct public performances at various community events
Darwin	Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	\$5,000	Design and delivery of 'Aboriginal Worldviews for Intercultural Understanding and Integration' workshop
Darwin	Catholic Diocese of Darwin	\$40,000	Costs associated with employment Community Support Workers (1 full-time 1 part-time) for East Timorese and Italian communities
Darwin	Chung Wah Society Inc	\$40,000	Costs associated with employment of a Community Support Worker
Darwin	Council on the Ageing (COTA) NT	\$15,000	Costs associated with employment of casual support person for Italian and Timorese/Portuguese Seniors Groups
Darwin	Darwin Community Arts Inc	\$10,000	Monthly Gathering Community Dinners
Darwin	Darwin Malaylaee Association Inc	\$2,000	Onam 2013 Celebration with variety of Indian classical dances, music and food served in traditional style "Onasadaya" in banana leaves
Darwin	Fiji Association NT	\$5,000	To celebrate Fiji Day 2013 with traditional performances
Darwin	Filipiniana Senior Citizens Association Inc	\$7,500	Towards operating expenses in the 2013-14 financial year for the continuation of activities to support seniors – weekly social meetings, picnics/tours, dining out, minor sports activities and hospital/home visits
Darwin	Filipino Australian Association of NT	\$22,500	Philippine Independence Day celebration 15/6/13 and Barrio Fiesta celebration 31/8/13 including choreographer from Philippines
Darwin	Greek Orthodox Community of Northern Australia	\$40,000	Glenti Festival 2014 – promoting and showcasing Greek Heritage and Hellenic Civilisation and culture
Darwin	Greek Orthodox Community of Northern Australia	\$38,400	Costs associated with Community Welfare Worker for Greek senior Territorians and weekly supported recreational/social/informational program for senior members of Greek community.
Darwin	Happy Migrant Learning Centre	\$5,000	English lessons, information talks, cultural activities, social activities and excursions

Darwin	Hindu Society of the NT	\$5,000	Dance and musical show - 'Sita/Tabla Concert' - experience Sita and Tabla music by well known artists from Pune of India
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society NT	\$5,000	To celebrate "Diwali" Festival of Lights promoting culture, customs and traditional performances from every estate of India
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society NT	\$40,000	India @ Mindil 2014 - showcasing Indian way of life, customs, traditional dances and food
Darwin	Latino NT Association	\$10,000	2013 NT Latino Gala Ball - major cultural event
Darwin	Multicultural Council of NT	\$2,000	Sponsorship to cover accommodation, food, transport and admin costs for visiting drum teacher Mr Paskaran Sreekaram who is holding Drumming Workshops
Darwin	Nigerian Association of the NT	\$1,100	Celebration of Culture by Nigerians in Diaspora - an annual event where members come together and share culture and stories with NT community
Darwin	Rince Na H'Eireann Irish Dance Association	\$500	To purchase costumes for the first two classes for a planned concert at the end of the year.
Darwin	Tamil Society of the NT Inc	\$2,000	Tamil Society's 30th Year Anniversary Celebrations - night of cultural entertainment and food for 250 guests. Souvenir booklet will be published to mark occasion.
		\$312,600	
OUT OF ROUNDS			
Darwin	Flobamora Indonesia Association of the NT Inc	\$34,500	Pesona Indonesia 2013
Alice Springs	Multicultural Community Services of Central Australia Inc	\$105,000	Operational costs
Darwin	Multicultural Council of the NT	\$305,000	Operational costs
	TOTAL	\$757,100	

MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM (MASP) ROUND 2 2013-14

Region	Grant Applicant/Organisation	Amount Awarded	Activity
Darwin	African-Australian Women and Girls Association Inc NT	\$1,200	Women & Girls Night - sharing of knowledge and skills, cultural diversity via stories, fashion show, dance and food
Alice Springs	Alice Springs Malayalee Association Inc	\$2,000	Christmas celebration in December 2013. Also celebration for women's day and Vishu/Easter
Darwin	Australia-Burma Friendship Association	\$1,000	2014 Burmese Thingyan Water Festival (Burmese New Year)
Darwin	Australia China Friendship Society	\$3,500	Multicultural Dancing Night
Alice Springs	Australia Indonesian Cultural Centre	\$2,000	Multicultural cooking activities (including cooking competition and lessons) and traditional celebration
Darwin	Australian Karen Organisation - NT Chapter	\$1,000	Karen New Year Celebration 2014
Alice Springs	Balai Bahasa Indonesia Australia Inc	\$1,500	Practicing Indonesian and Balinese language - lessons in Alice Springs and to conduct public performances at various community events
Darwin	Chung Wah Society Inc	\$4,000	Send 10 members of Chung Wah Society Lion Dance Troupe to Alice Springs to participate in Chinese New Year celebrations at Alice Springs - perform traditional blessings at businesses and residences
Darwin	Cretan Association of Darwin	\$3,000	Dinner Dance 23 Nov 2013 celebrating 100th anniversary of Crete and Greece union. Hosting National Conference of Cretan Associations in Aust and NZ 9-14/1/14
Darwin	Darwin Malayalee Association	\$1,000	Sports Day - October 12 2013 Christmas Carols to community members – December 2013 Christmas celebration – December 2013 New Year celebration – January 2014 Indian Republic Day celebration – 26 January 2014
Darwin	Football Federation NT Inc	\$2,500	Multicultural Football Festival - individuals and families who have migrated to Aust have opportunity to participate in football and register with a local club. Multicultural groups will have food stalls and encouraged to have cultural performances
Darwin	Hindu Society of NT	\$2,000	Kathak Dance and Music' dance and musical show - Indian dance & music
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society NT	\$1,000	ICS Nite of "Sur and Taal" showcasing singing, written poems, dances, musical instruments

Palmerston	Islamic Society of Palmerston Inc	\$2,500	"Open your mind to all the possibilities" - poster competition for students, sports competitions and three evening lectures by eminent speakers
Darwin	Latino NT Association Inc	\$3,500	Carnival Party 2014 - an opportunity for Latin Americans in greater Darwin region to celebrate culture with broader community
Darwin	Melaleuca Refugee Centre	\$3,000	Welcome to the Country program - various activities community members from refugee backgrounds to engage with local Indigenous Australians to learn about their culture, history, languages, current issues and building positive relationships
Darwin	Nepalese Association of NT	\$1,550	Nepalese (Nepali) New Year 2071
Darwin	Northern Territory Hong Kong Club	\$1,000	Financial support for the following functions - Mid-Autumn Moon Festival celebration (Sept 13), Christmas Gathering Party (Dec 13), Chinese New Year celebration (Feb 14) and Mah-jong Competition (Mar 14)
Darwin	Pakistan Cultural Society of NT	\$1,000	Jashn-e-Baharan 2014 - celebration of spring season - activities to include flower display, kite flying, traditional music and food
Darwin	Tamil Society NT Inc	\$750	Development of website for Tamil Society - ongoing. Forum involving interstate speaker Mr Mathalai Somu from Sydney - 26 Oct 2013
ADDITIONAL APPROVED BY MINISTER			
Darwin	Australia Day Council NT Inc	\$10,000	Oz Fusion - free family oriented, alcohol free event held on Australia Day showcasing and celebrating Darwin's cultural diversity through cultural performances, bands and multicultural food
Darwin	Council on the Ageing (NT)	\$4,000	Multicultural Stories of NT - Developing a framework - COTA NT and NT Library working with seniors from multicultural communities to compile history through images, documents, memories and stories
TOTAL		\$53,000	

HARMONY GRANTS 2013-14

Region	Grant Applicant/Organisation	Amount Awarded	Activity
SCHOOLS			
Darwin	Alawa Primary School	\$800	Harmony Day Breakfast and Cultural Celebration
Alice Springs	Braitling Primary School	\$800	Special Harmony Day celebration - students will participate in various activities throughout the week with a lunch and music/dance performance on 21/3/14
Darwin	Darwin Middle School	\$800	Harmony Day Celebration - lunches at school 17-21/3/14 and whole school community concert 21/3/14
Darwin	Dripstone Middle School Council	\$800	All School Assembly showcasing traditional clothing and performances and unveiling of flags that represent students' cultural backgrounds
Howard Springs	Girraween Primary School	\$800	Various activities undertaken by buddy classes during Term 1, culminating in whole school assembly on 21 March with visual and performing arts and morning tea with school community
Palmerston	Gray Primary School	\$700	Multicultural Day - each class choosing country to showcase (cooking, traditional dress, craft, dance etc) with lunch on the lawns with whole school and parents
Darwin	Jingili Primary School	\$600	Annual Twilight International Markets - other harmony activities relate to the school's Harmony Garden and School Community Garden
Darwin	Malak Primary School	\$800	Students participating in various cultural activities throughout the day, lunch with families on the lawns followed by performance by an Indigenous Artist
Darwin	Millner Primary School	\$900	Classes constructing floating lanterns for the Darwin Waterfront Harmony Soiree 2014
Darwin	Nakara Primary School	\$800	Harmony Day assembly where students and community members will be involved in dancing, singing and various cultural performances as well as food from variety of cultures
Nhulunbuy	Nhulunbuy High School	\$800	Students participating in various activities including Yolngu art making, Polynesian dance and weaving, Japanese sushi roll making and Indian henna tattoo and tribal body art, followed by Yolngu dance performance and Kapa Haka and band performance
Palmerston	Palmerston Senior College Special Education Centre	\$800	Art Exhibition displaying different art forms depicting multiculturalism of present, future and merging of different cultures. Lanterns will also be made and displayed at Harmony Soiree 2014.
Alice Springs	Ross Park Primary School	\$800	Harmony Day activities including cultural activities in classrooms, Harmony Day Assembly where classes demonstrate traditional dance or highlight craft/cultural icons they have learned during the week

Humpty Doo	Taminmin College	\$800	Harmony Day celebrations and activities - interactive classroom displays and celebratory assembly with student performances
		\$11,000	

COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

Alice Springs	8CCC Community Radio Inc	\$1,000	Big Day Out in Harmony 2014 - recording and production of audio pieces which will be recorded at this event to be broadcast on 8CCC 102.1FM after the event
Alice Springs	Australia Indonesian Cultural Centre	\$750	Multicultural Food Festival and writing recipes of the dishes from different islands in Indonesia
Alice Springs	Balai Bahasa Indonesia Australia	\$750	10 Chicken Dishes festival from different Indonesian islands, followed by Quiz Night of great people in the world (who is who)
Darwin	Council on the Ageing (COTA) (NT) Inc	\$800	Japanese paper projects and box making and distribution of a Japanese culture and community profiles kit - workshop to be followed by open gallery of paper and box creations to the public
Darwin	Darwin Shamrocks Gaelic Football and Hurling Club Inc	\$800	Community Colours Fun Run' followed by performance from Irish Band and dancing from Rince na hEireann
Darwin	Dragonboat Northern Territory Inc	\$800	Harmony Day Corporate and Community Regatta - blessing of boats by Chung Wah Lion Dancers and traditional Buddhist blessing prior to racing
Darwin	Happy Migrant Learning Centre	\$850	Harmony Day celebration involving Groovy Grans performance, audience participation and multicultural lunch
Alice Springs	Multicultural Community Services of Central Australia	\$7,450	Big Day Out in Harmony 2014 - multicultural cuisine, singing, music, dancing, costume parade followed by Colourfest Multicultural Film Festival
Darwin	Multicultural Youth (NT) (MyNT)	\$1,000	"Bringing the World Back Home" Day - students learn about world cultures through interactive workshops and sharing of traditional foods
Darwin	Tamil Society NT Inc	\$750	Celebrating Harmony Day with evening function involving dancing, songs, drama and speeches followed by traditional Tamil dinner
		\$14,950	

HARMONY SOIREE

Darwin	Australia China Friendship Society	\$900	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - Chinese Traditional Dance and Chinese Cultural Dance as well as Tai Ji, dumpling making and other cultural activities
Darwin	Darwin Community Arts	\$5,500	Production Management of performances on stage at Darwin Waterfront Harmony Soiree 2014
Darwin	Darwin Malayalee Association Inc	\$500	Traditional Kerala style from Bollywood dance performance at Harmony Soiree 2014 - costumes, make-up and food for artists
Darwin	Fiji Association NT	\$900	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - stall displaying Fijian artefacts, food will be provided to people coming to the stall, cultural performances will be showcased
Darwin	Filipino Australian Association of the	\$900	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - choir groups and artists/performers

NT		showcasing lantern making, arts/painting, tinikling and games, traditional dances from Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - showcasing Holi festival - stall decorated with water washable paint, people can exchange and paint each other, food and sweets will be provided to guests stopping at stall
		\$900
Darwin	Pakistan Association of the Northern Territory	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - displays of traditional dress, artefacts, artwork and info posters, traditional Kashmiri tea tasting, sweet and savoury food tasting, free henna tattoos
		\$900
Darwin	Rince na hEireann Darwin Irish Dance Association	Towards participation at Harmony Soiree - costumes
		\$900
		\$11,400
	TOTAL	\$37,350

QUICK RESPONSE GRANTS (QRG) 2013-14

Region	Grant Applicant/Organisation	Amount Awarded	Activity
Darwin	Agola Kapuk Association of the NT	\$500	Hosting the Agola Kapuk National Committee Meeting, culminating in a community celebration on 6 July 2013
Alice Springs	African Association of Central Australia	\$1,000	African Unity Jubilee - celebration of 50 years since the establishment of African unity in 1963
Darwin	Nepalese Association of NT Inc	\$500	Teej celebration -Hindu fasting festival for women, a 3 day long celebration combining feasts and fasting.
Darwin	Australia China Friendship Society	\$500	Moon Festival Team Building function - thanksgiving celebration for the harvest and harmonious reunions (of family and friends)
Alice Springs	Alice Springs Malayalee Association	\$1,000	Celebrate Onam festival in Alice Springs
Darwin	Rince na hEireann Darwin Irish Dance Association	\$500	Public concert called Celtic Rhythms - Irish music and dancing
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society	\$500	Dandia Festival of stick dances - showcasing stick dances with dinner provided
Darwin	Nepalese Association of NT Inc	\$500	Dashain 2070 Nepalese cultural festival celebrated in October
Darwin	Nepalese Association of NT Inc	\$500	Tihar 2070 - a Hindu festival of lights celebrating life and prosperity. Also included in this celebration is the certificate presentation from the Sporting Events held during July-August 2013
Alice Springs	Alice Springs Indian Community Inc	\$600	Diwali - Festival of Lights in Alice Springs - theme of Bollywood Nite
Darwin	Islamic Society of Darwin	\$600	"Islamic Information Weekend" event - series of presentations by Islamic speaker Imam Adama Konda aimed at Muslim and non-Muslim community, youth and women
Darwin	Australian Japanese Association of NT	\$800	Towards participation in Harmony Soiree 2014 - community stall including yo-yo fishing, calligraphy, lantern making, origami, trying on traditional dress
Darwin	Nemarluk School	\$800	Nemarluk School Harmony Day - whole of school activities/work 'Connecting with Our Community' culminating in school's Harmony Day celebration on 28 March 2014
Batchelor	Batchelor Area School	\$800	Harmony Day celebrations 2014 - games and family orientated events with shared lunch
Darwin	Australia China Friendship Society	\$750	Chinese New Year celebration - involves traditional food and performance
Darwin	Indian Cultural Society	\$500	Harvest Festival 2014 - celebration promoting farming culture, traditional customs with traditional performances and food
Darwin	Cambodian Australian Community Association of the NT Inc	\$700	Cambodian (Khmer) New Year celebration - a major cultural festival and is celebrated over 3 days in mid April - celebratory program including lunch with traditional cuisine and speeches
TOTAL		\$11,050	

CULTURAL AND LINGUISTIC AWARDS (CLA) 2013-14

Region	Grant Applicant/Organisation	Amount Awarded	Activity
Darwin	Fiji Association NT	\$3,500	Weekly one hour classes for Fijian and Hindi language classes
Darwin	Nepalese Association NT Inc	\$3,000	"Nepalese Language and Cultural Sessions" - targeting NANT members and all interested individuals from multicultural community in Darwin, particularly future generations
Darwin	Pakistan Cultural Society NT	\$3,000	Urdu Language Classes for Kids and Adults - focusing on reading, writing and speaking Urdu (Urdu is combination of Arabic, Persian and Turkish)
			"Language and Cultural Identity in East Timor" Workshop with the aim of informing and educating delegates, particularly young people of Darwin's East Timorese community, aspects of East Timorese language, traditional knowledge, belief systems, traditional practices and cultural identity
Darwin NT	Timorese Community Centre of the NT	\$3,500	
TOTAL		\$13,000	

MULTICULTURAL COMMUNITY FACILITIES GRANTS (MCFG) 2013-14

Region	Applicant/Organisation	Purpose of grant	Amount Awarded
Darwin	Filipino Australian Assoc of the NT	Construction of disable ramp, basketball, badminton and tennis courts the renovation of kitchen.	\$38,500
Darwin	Hindu Society of the NT	Construction of community hall - erection of columns, fully enclose all walls and construction of carpark.	\$60,000
Darwin	Italian Sports and Social Club	Upgrade of club house facilities to be more attractive for multiple community use and become a hub for many communities to use facilities at end of lease of Arafura Games Lease period.	\$67,000
Darwin	Kalymnian Brotherhood of Darwin	Repair termite damage to roof of Kalymnian community hall.	\$9,348
Darwin	Serbian Community of the NT	Replacement of 13 fire alarms and 3 existing lights to meet regulatory requirements. Building of church altar.	\$13,095
Alice Springs	Multicultural Community Services of Central Australia	Purchase of a mobile outdoor kitchen to be part of the Community Hub.	\$7,000
			\$194,943
Darwin	Portuguese-Timorese Social Club	Sharing Arrangement with the Africa-Australian Friendship Assoc	\$10,000
Darwin	Hindu Society of the NT	Sharing Arrangement with the Indian Cultural Society, Tamil Society NT and Darwin Malayalee Association	\$20,000
Darwin	Greek Orthodox Community of North Australia	Sharing Arrangement with Alliance Francaise de Darwin	\$3,500
			\$33,500
	TOTAL		\$228,443

CHARLES SEE KEE LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP (CSKS) 2013-14

Region	Applicant	Purpose of grant	Amount Awarded
Darwin	Mr Mohammad Yaseen Afzali	Charles See Kee Leadership Scholarship	\$3,500
Darwin	Ms Naimo Sharif Abdiwahid.	Charles See Kee Leadership Scholarship	\$3,500
Darwin	Ms Jane Alia	Charles See Kee Leadership Scholarship	\$3,500
TOTAL			\$10,500