

Regional Arts Fund Recovery Boost – Relief Grants – Round 2, 2020

Applicant	Project Location	Project Name	Project Description	Funding Amount
Erin Dunne	Rockhampton, QLD	Solo Exhibition of New Work at Queensland College of Art, January 2021	In 2019, Erin Dunne was selected to hold a solo exhibition of new work at Queensland College of Art's Project Gallery. Regional Arts Fund Relief financial assistance will enable Erin to fulfil this project through financial contributions towards an artist fee for the production of an ambitious new body of work, as well as travelling to/accommodation in Brisbane for install, opening, invigilation and de-install of the exhibition.	\$5,000.00
Catherine Harvey	Kuranda, QLD	Class & Clay	Kuranda artist Catherine Harvey will purchase a small clay firing Woodrow Kiln Mini. This will be used to create fired glass and clay forms, combining clay beads with the glass beads made by the artist. Catherine will develop her range of jewellery and hold workshops in glass and clay beadmaking.	\$3,500.00
Kate Prynne	Kuranda, QLD	Purchase of a small Glass kiln	Kuranda artist Kate Prynne will use funds for the purchase of a small portable electric glass kiln. Kate has been unable to fire any work due to the closure of the Cairns Potters' Club as a result of COVID-19. Cairns Potters' Club, a 75 km round trip from Kate's home, was previously the location of the nearest glass kiln available for her use. The purchase of this kiln will enable Kate to work more regularly, have control over her work (and more sustainably using solar power) and enable her to continue teaching others.	\$3,920.00
Just Us Theatre Ensemble	Cairns, QLD	Dare to Dream Touring Laptop and enhanced screen for our First Nations Dare to Dream Production Assistant	This grant will purchase laptop and iPad for JUTE's impactful First Nations regional and remote tour and residency program, touring annually to regional and remote centres in the Cape and regional Queensland since 2016. The old touring laptop sent out on the road since 2016 has endured years of 4WD travel over some of the worst corrugated roads in the country and no longer runs the QLab sound file. The iPad is used to engage young people with evaluation processes. The program's Production Assistant currently works from a small-screen old desktop and needs a larger screen for enhanced productivity.	\$4,936.00

Kuranda Arts Cooperative Ltd	Kuranda, QLD	Upgrading Photography Equipment and Documentation Skills	<p>Kuranda Arts Cooperative will acquire professional photographic equipment for access by all artist members of the Cooperative. This will improve the quality of images used in documenting artwork and product photography.</p> <p>They will also employ a local professional photographer to facilitate Photography Workshops for the artists, thus upgrading the artists' photography skills and knowledge of use of digital SLR equipment. This will stimulate creativity and work towards an online photographic exhibition of the artists artwork captured in a more creative way.</p>	\$3,569.00
Karen Stephens	Diamantina National Park, QLD	Diamantina National Park Artist Residency	<p>Winton artist Karen Stephens will undertake a 5-night self-directed artist residency in Diamantina National Park, QLD to produce an outcome of paintings for future exhibition. The National Park is the largest and most isolated in Queensland and although its location is only 350km from Winton it can be challenging to navigate because of its location and unexpected weather conditions. The park is home to scenic unexplored landscapes, cultural history and has recently been the site of the mysterious night parrot. The requested funds will assist with hire fees of a 4WD vehicle to access the park.</p>	\$4,500.00
Greymare Hall Committee Inc.	Greymare, QLD	Community Hall - Live Entertainment	<p>Greymare is a small community 30 km west of Warwick QLD. Built in 1936 and owned by the community, the local hall remains a gathering point for the community. The prolonged drought along with COVID-19 has impacted community spirit. The Greymare Hall Committee have invited the "Festival of Small Halls", a group of folk and contemporary Australian music professionals, to perform at a cost of \$3000. The community will find it difficult to cover this expense as attendance may be limited by virus restrictions.</p>	\$3,000.00
Clinton Freeman	Yungaburra, QLD	Algorithmic art robot	<p>During the COVID lockdown, Clinton Freeman experimented with algorithmically generated but humanly flawed images. The next evolution in this practice is to build a robot that can draw these images on paper or canvas. Relief funding will help fund the equipment, research and development required for such a work.</p>	\$5,000.00

Julie Field	Caboolture, QLD	Exhibit & demonstrate at 'The Saddlefitters Brisbane CDI 2020' 5-day International Dressage Queensland event	Funding will assist Julie Field in securing space as an exhibitor at one of Australia's biggest equestrian events since lockdown and assist her in showcasing her equine art. Presented in a gallery setting, to a highly targeted market of over 5000 'horsey' attendees, including riders, breeders and spectators, this opportunity will assist Julie in bringing the arts to a specific audience and raising her profile. This opportunity will include sales of work, obtaining commissions both for 3D and 2D work and making contact with relevant equestrian bodies for trophy supply opportunities. Julie will also demonstrate sculpturing during the event.	\$4,100.00
Shakespeare Under the Stars Inc trading as TheatreiNQ	Townsville, QLD	Development of DRAMARAMA: This is Epic	Three arts workers will develop a new touring schools production intended to educate and entertain. The working title is DRAMARAMA: This is Epic and will be the second in TheatreiNQ's Dramarama series of schools productions about the history of theatre. These shows are fantastic resources for schools as they bring to life theatre history in fun and engaging ways. The development of this production will include research, script writing, song writing and designing and constructing a touring set. This production will then be available to tour Townsville and North Queensland from 2021 onwards.	\$5,000.00
Eumundi School of Rock	Eumundi, QLD	Eumundi School of Rock Outdoor Drive-In Gig	Due to COVID-19, Eumundi School of Rock have had to restructure their normal end of year concert to a drive-in gig at The Eumundi Showgrounds. This gig will be on August 29, in the closing weekend of The Sunshine Coast Council's Horizon Festival. This change of venue has led to a substantial increase in running costs - the school needs to hire outdoor covered staging, increase PA costs to incorporate extra outdoor requirements and additional vision mixing, hire a large screen for projection and cover a new venue hire fee. This will allow students of the free music school to perform their end of year concert to a live audience.	\$5,000.00