

YANKALILLA DISTRICT YOUNG ADULT AWARD

GUIDELINES

What is the Purpose of the Award?

The Yankalilla District Young Adult Award has been established as a partnership between the Yankalilla Community and the Fleurieu Community Foundation. The Award aims to provide support to young adults aged 18 to 21 years, who are living in the Yankalilla District Council area or have a close association with the Yankalilla District Council area.

The Award's main purpose is to support young adults who show initiative and commitment in their field of education or training but who may be experiencing difficulty in continuing their studies or accessing other education or training due to hardship or disadvantage.

It is expected that a number of awards will be offered each year for a total amount of up to \$1,000.

About the Fleurieu Community Foundation

The Fleurieu Community Foundation was established in 2010 to help philanthropic individuals and organisations support grass-root initiatives that respond to community needs. It uses charitable giving to meet the current and future needs of local communities. The Foundation currently offers a number of grants and programs across the Fleurieu. More information about the foundation can be found on their website

<http://www.fleurieucommunityfoundation.org.au/>

Who can apply?

Young Adults

- Aged 18 to 21 years who are attending or enrolled to attend a recognised course of study and training.
- Who are experiencing difficulties in continuing their study or training, or accessing other education or training due to hardship or disadvantage, but have shown initiative, strength and commitment in pursuing their education and training goals
- Live in the Yankalilla District Council Area or have strong associations with the Yankalilla District Council Area.
- Generally this award is available to first time applicants. Although a previous successful applicant may still be considered based on their situation and need.

What can the Award be used for?

The award can be used for:

- The award is available for education and training costs
- Associated living, travel and boarding costs.
- Associated compulsory costs such as uniforms, safety clothing, stationery and equipment required to undertake the field of study and training.

Application Procedure

Applicants must complete the application form and include two signed letters of support from two referees. The referees should have a direct knowledge of the applicant's character, life situation and educational or training goals and aspirations.

Applicants are welcome to discuss their application and are encouraged to do so if they are unsure of their eligibility to apply or need assistance. Applicants can contact Rachel Preston on 0433214682 for support in applying for this grant. Applicants may also contact the Fleurieu Community Foundation for more information on 08 8552 2411

The completed Application together with supporting documentation should be posted to:

Yankalilla District Young Adult Award Program

Fleurieu Community Foundation,
PO Box 246
Victor Harbor SA 5211

Or emailed to: info@fleurieucommunityfoundation.org.au

Closing date for nominations: Close of Business Wednesday 8th December 2021

Application Review Process

An advisory committee will evaluate the applications and make recommendations to the Fleurieu Community Foundation Board. The Board will then have the final approval on successful applications and on the distribution of the Award.

To ensure that informed decisions are made, on occasions, applicants may be requested to provide additional information regarding their application.

Successful applicants will be required to sign the Fleurieu Community Foundation funding conditions and provide a brief summary on the use of the funds. Successful applicants will also be required to provide proof of enrolment before receiving the Award.

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APPLICATION FORM

Personal Details	
First name :	
Surname:	
Date of Birth:	
Postal Address:	
Residential Address:	
Telephone:	
Mobile Number:	
Email:	
Briefly describe your association with the Yankalilla District	
Course details	
Contact details of education/training provider	
Start date – finish date	
Name of course	
Level of qualification outcome	
Motivation	
Why do you want to undertake this course or training?	

What barriers or challenges are you facing in commencing or finishing this course?

How will this Award assist you in reaching your goals?

Referees

Please provide the name and contact details of two referees. Please also provide two signed letters of recommendation from your referees with this application form.

Referee 1:

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Relationship to applicant :

Referee 2:

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Relationship to applicant :

Declaration

- I declare that all the information provided in this application form is true and correct.
- I understand that if the Fleurieu Community Foundation approves the Award, I will be required to accept the conditions of the Award as outlined in the guidelines.
- I give permission to the Fleurieu Community Foundation to contact nay persons or organisations in assessment of the application and understand that information may be provided to other organisations as appropriate.

Applicant's signature: _____

(Parent or Guardian's signature if applicant is under the age of 18)

Date: / /