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Queensland Dressage Championships scores council community grant funding

The Queensland State Dressage Championships will receive a \$5000 boost after successfully securing community grant funding from Moreton Bay Regional Council.

The \$5000 contribution from Moreton Bay Regional Council will be used to assist in holding the 2016 Queensland Dressage Championships at the Queensland State Equestrian Centre, Caboolture, from 26th to 28th August.

Moreton Bay Regional Council Mayor Allan Sutherland said a number of local organisations had been successful in the latest round of community grants funding.

"Council's community grants support local community, youth, senior citizen, sporting and cultural events and activities," Mayor Sutherland said.

"Funding is available for initiatives that respond to community issues, enhance wellbeing and safety and encourage participation and partnerships.

"They're a great way for council to support the community organisations, activities, events and initiatives that matter to our residents."

Event Director for the Queensland Dressage Championships, Mrs Cathy Binz, thanked Moreton Bay Regional Council for their support.

"We are delighted to welcome the Moreton Bay Regional Council as a partner in our State Dressage Championships. Moreton Bay Regional Council has always supported equestrian activities with the building of the multi-purpose Queensland State Equestrian Centre. We encourage competitors and their families who are in Caboolture for the Championships to spend their spare time exploring the other attractions this beautiful region has to offer."

Mayor Sutherland said local groups should be commended for their outstanding work in the community. "I would like to thank each group for taking the time to make a funding application to the Moreton Bay Regional Council community grants program," the Mayor said.

For more information, or to find out how your organisation can apply for a community grant from Moreton Bay Regional Council visit www.moretonbay.qld.gov.au/grants.

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