

Grants and Scholarships

GRANTS APPROVED		
GENERAL GRANTS		
Alzheimers Society Southland	Operating costs	\$8,000
Attic Arts Centre Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$7,500
Autism New Zealand	Operating costs for the Southland Branch	\$5,500
Bhartiya Samaj Queenstown Charitable Trust	Diwali celebrations 2025	\$4,000
Blue Light Ventures	Te Anau Youth Club programme costs	\$3,500
Bone Marrow Cancer Trust	Subsidy CTS residents staying at Ranui House Christchurch	\$19,224
C.S. Art Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$19,000
CCS Disability Action Southland	Disability Support – Child and Family, Youth and Adults	\$25,000
Central Southland Hospital Charitable Trust Board	Rural Community Support Worker position	\$10,000
Eduk8 Southland Charitable Trust	The Right Track programme	\$25,000
Epilepsy Association of New Zealand	Service delivery in CTS region	\$5,000
Forest Hill Foundation	Purchasing automatic traps	\$2,500
Invercargill Intercultural Church	Georgetown Community Ministry	\$4,000
Lakes Multicultural Collective Trust	Operating costs	\$5,000
Life Education Trust Heartland Otago Southland	Programme delivery costs in CTS region	\$8,455
Midlands Rugby	Replacing oven and extractor fans	\$2,000
Niue South	Operating costs	\$1,000
Otatara Landcare Group	Restoration costs of 14 hectares of native ecosystem	\$2,000
Queenstown Arts Society	Operating costs	\$9,000
Royal New Zealand Plunket Trust	Community services within CTS region	\$15,000
Sharks Basketball	Semi finals and finals of the National Basketball League	\$14,940
South Invercargill Urban Rejuvenation Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$15,000
Southland Badminton	Upgrading pickleball equipment	\$500
Southland Food Bank	Operating costs	\$15,500
Southland Kiribati Community Youth	Operating costs	\$3,000
Southland Regional Heritage Committee	Roving Museum Officer position	\$15,000
Te Atamira Whakatipu Community Trust	Operating costs	\$20,000
Te Kāhui Manu Tītī Charitable Trust	Set up costs for He Manawa Tītī in Waihopai	\$4,000
Te Wharekura o Arowhenua	Kapa haka uniforms for Mana Kuratahi Nationals 2025	\$2,663
The Salvation Army New Zealand Trust	Operating costs - Invercargill	\$10,000
The Stroke Foundation of New Zealand Limited	Community Stroke Navigator Service - Southland	\$4,000
Tuatapere Senior Citizens	Operating costs	\$1,500
Tuurama Trust	Rangitahi Zone at Te Aroha Marae Bluff	\$5,000
Youthline Southland	Operating costs	\$10,000
SPECIAL FUNDING		
COMPETE FUNDING		
Deaf Lawn Bowls New Zealand	Hosting the Deaf Lawn Bowls NZ Championships in Invercargill	\$2,000
FEMME - Southland Girls' High School Choir	NZCF Big Sing National Finale in Dunedin	\$2,300
Inclusive Activity Murihiku	IAM Games 2025	\$5,000
Invercargill Gymnastic Club	Southland representative team to compete at Nationals in Auckland	\$6,000
Invercargill Hockey Association	Senior Southland Hockey team to compete at National Hockey Tournament in Christchurch	\$3,220
Southland District Rugby Football League	U14 Boys and Girls teams to compete in the NZ Warriors South Island 14s Tournament	\$2,200
SCHOLARSHIPS		
Amanda Smith	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Ashton Gregory-Hunt	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Brock Monaghan-Neutze	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Callum Christie	Create Scholarship	\$500
Chris Knight	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Darren Dummigan	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Karl Bayne	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Lachlan McGregor	Create Scholarship	\$500
Natalie Paterson	Sport Scholarship	\$500
Noah Smith	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Samuel McGregor	Create Scholarship	\$500
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Arts Murihiku Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$20,000
Atuitui Charitable Trust	Steering the Future 2025 - Tertiary Prep Programme	\$5,000
Central Lakes Breastfeeding Charitable Trust	Nurture Mama: Pregnancy Strong and Breastfeeding Information Sessions	\$2,000
Central Otago Budgeting Service	Community support to Queenstown Lakes area	\$1,000
Child Cancer Foundation	Service delivery in CTS region	\$2,500
Citizens Advice Bureau Queenstown Incorporated	Operating costs	\$15,000
Community Care Trust Aotearoa	Operating costs of Invercargill Support Centre	\$7,500
English Language Partners NZ Trust	Operating costs	\$2,000
Gore Main School	Upgrading the playground	\$11,000
Head Injury Southland Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$7,825
Hedgehope School	Upgrading the playground	\$6,869
Invercargill Taekwondo Charitable Trust	Daedo Gen 3 Scoring System	\$5,000
Leukaemia & Blood Cancer NZ	Service delivery in CTS region	\$3,000
Miharo Murihiku Trust	Central Lakes Polyfest in Queenstown	\$20,000
Northern Southland Community Pool	Upgrading the filter system and pool pump	\$5,000
Pacific Island Advisory and Cultural Trust	Operating costs of the Pacific hub	\$40,000
Ronald McDonald House Charities NZ Trust	Accommodation for families from the CTS region at the Ronald McDonald Houses and Family Rooms	\$63,400
Show Me Shorts Film Festival Trust	SMSF Festival 2025 in Southland region	\$2,000
South Sea Spray Trust	South Sea Spray Te Anau	\$20,000
Southern Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP) Charitable Trust	Gifted and Talented Programme	\$23,000
Southern Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP) Charitable Trust	NCEA 4U Southland Programme	\$16,500
Southland Hug a Rig Day	Southland Hug a Rig Day 2025	\$1,000
Southland Migrant Walking Together Organisation Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$2,000
Southland Warm Homes Trust	Warmer Kiwi Homes funding initiative	\$30,000
Sport Otago	Service delivery Whakatipu Basin and West Otago	\$20,000
Te Anau Golden Age Club	Operating costs	\$1,000
Te Kura Whakatipu o Kawarau	Kapa Haka kākahu	\$4,608
Te Oruanui Marae Ohai	Operating costs	\$5,000
Te Wharekura o Arowhenua	Competing at National Primary School Kapa Haka Championships in Tauranga	\$10,000
The Scout Association of New Zealand	Support for the Scout groups within CTS region	\$6,500
Woodlands Swimming Pool & Recreation Charitable Trust	Pool repairs	\$5,000
SPECIAL FUNDING		
COMPETE FUNDING		
James Hargest College	Hargest choir Cantabella to attend the NZ Choral Federation Big Sing Cadenza in Timaru	\$1,300
Southland Triathlon and Multisport Club	Hosting NZ Schools Duathlon and NZ Age Group Duathlon Championships 2025	\$1,500
The NZ Federation of Young Farmers Clubs	Hosting the FMG Young Farmer of the Year Grand Final in Invercargill	\$6,000
Touch Southland	U16 Mixed Team to compete in the Youth Nationals Tournament	\$1,500
Touch Southland	U18 Mixed Team to compete in the Youth Nationals Tournament	\$1,500
SCHOLARSHIPS		
Daniel Harrison	Create Scholarship	\$500
Dwight Grieve	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
John Ward	Create Scholarship	\$500
Joshua Hillman	Create Scholarship	\$500
Lachie Hayes	Create Scholarship	\$2,000
Lachlan Dale	Leadership Scholarship	\$750
Rachel Checketts	Create Scholarship	\$1,000
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Barnardos New Zealand	LEAP social work service	\$50,000
COIN South	Operating costs	\$10,000
Cook Islands Christian Church (Invercargill)	Cook Island language week	\$1,500
Cystic Fibrosis Association of NZ	Service delivery in CTS region	\$2,500
Greenlight Innovations	Mentoring Programme	\$3,000
Invercargill Rowing Club	Updating boat racks and upgrading security system	\$3,000
Kalapu Maile Ua Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$3,000
New Zealand Book Awards	Transport costs for young people across Southland to attend the Books Alive event	\$3,000
Northern Southland College	Cultural uniforms	\$8,776
Ohai Senior Citizens	Operating costs	\$1,100
Southland Foundation	Operating costs	\$50,000
Southland Mountain Bike Club	Bluff Hill / Motupōhue Pump Track & Social Hub	\$40,000
Southland Multiple Sclerosis Society	Operating costs	\$12,500
Southland Nepalese Society	Nepali Cultural Events	\$2,500
Southland Regional Development Agency	CareerFest Southland 2025	\$8,500
Southland Workers Educational Association	Operating costs	\$28,500
Stewart Island Senior Citizens	Operating costs	\$2,100
Talk Link Trust	Service delivery in CTS region	\$15,000
Te Anau Volunteer Fire Brigade	First response support vehicle	\$20,000
The Boys' Brigade in New Zealand Incorporated	Operating costs	\$5,500
The Nattering Knitter Charitable Trust	Purchasing wool	\$2,500
Waikaka Primary School	Playground upgrade	\$7,503
SPECIAL FUNDING		
RSO FUNDING		
Invercargill Hockey	RSO funding for 2025/26	\$19,387
SCHOLARSHIPS		
Brad Hamill	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Harry Lightfoot	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Jakob Anderson	Sport Scholarship	\$500
Maia Lumsden	Sport Scholarship	\$500
Ryan J Conner	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
Seb Watson	Sport Scholarship	\$1,000
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Total
Approved
\$1,202,691

May 2025

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Alzheimers Disease and Related Disorders Society (ADARDS) Otago	Service delivery in Queenstown	\$2,000
Arrowtown Village Association	Macetown Rd Managed Access Project	\$10,000
Disabilities Resource Centre Southland Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$15,500
Insert Coin To Play Charitable Trust	Delivery of Good Game programme in Murihiku	\$30,000
Invercargill Filipino Dance and Talent Group	Filipino Independence Day	\$2,000
Jubilee SuperGrans Ltd	SuperSkills Community Workshops	\$5,000
Life Education Trust Southland	Programme delivery in 2024	\$19,253
Meat the Need	Operating costs in Southland	\$2,000
Mossburn School	Flying Fox	\$6,768
Re:Woven Therapy Charitable Trust	Operating costs	\$15,000
Shama, Ethnic Women's Trust	Inclusive Aotearoa Collective Tāhono	\$23,912
Showquest Charitable Trust	Showquest Southland 2025	\$3,000
Southland Community House	Operating costs	\$20,000
Southland Competitions Society	Operating costs	\$5,000
Southland Football	All weather turf upgrade and replacement	\$25,000
Southland Help - Rape and Abuse Support Centre Southland	Rebuild / Renovation Project	\$60,000
The Euphonics	Operating costs	\$500
The Institute of Directors in New Zealand	Not for Profit Governance Essentials Course	\$13,000
The Samoan Congregational Christian Trust Bd	New PA Sound system for youth group	\$2,000
Tokanui Rugby Football Club	Redevelopment of Clubrooms	\$20,000
Tūturu Charitable Trust	Matariki 2025 Wai o Tapu. The Sacred Waters.	\$15,000
Volunteer South Trust Kaitiāo o te Taitonga	Huddl operating costs	\$5,000
SPECIAL FUNDING		
COMPETE		
Bowls Southland	Southland Senior Representative Men's and Women's treams competing in National Intercentre Sevens Championships	\$3,000
Cycling Southland	2025 SBS Tour of Southland	\$20,000
Golf Southland	Southland Men's team competing at the New Zealand Interprovincial Tournament	\$2,600
Invercargill Hockey Association	Southland U18 Girls Team competing at the National Hockey Tournament in Auckland	\$6,000
Invercargill Netball Centre	Southland Under 18 Girls and Under 18 Boys Teams competing in the Netball New Zealand Under 18 Nationals	\$6,000
Otago Amateur Weightlifting Association	Hosting the New Zealand Powerlifting Open Age Group National Championships	\$5,000
Queenstown Ice Hockey Club	Queenstown U15 & U18 Junior Stampede teams competing in tournaments in Dunedin	\$6,000
Snow Sports NZ	Hosting the New Zealand Alpine Championships at Coronet Peak	\$5,000
Southland Amateur Rowing Association	Southland team competing at the 2025 Mainland Interprovincial Championships	\$1,000
Southland Blind Low Vision Bowling Club	Southland team attending the National Blind Low Vision Indoor Bowls Tournament	\$2,000
Southland Cricket Association	Southland Senior Men's Team competing in the Hawke Cup	\$2,500
Southland Kiribati Community and Youth	Costs to attend national celebrations of Independence Day	\$4,000
Southland Softball Association	Southland Senior Men's & Senior Women's Teams competing in the Jefferies Cup and Jubilee Cup Tournaments	\$1,000
Table Tennis Southland	Southland Men's and Women's teams to compete at the New Zealand Table Tennis Championships	\$1,400
Volley South	Competing in the Volleyball NZ Inter Provincial Championships in Wellington	\$4,500
RSO FUNDING		
Active Southland	Sport Opportunity	\$13,000
Athletics Southland	RSO funding for 2025/26	\$9,037
Bowls Southland		\$17,731
Croquet Southland		\$5,196
Cycling Southland		\$7,255
Disc Golf South		\$4,667
Eastern Southland Basketball Association		\$12,970
Golf Southland		\$41,042
Gymsports New Zealand		\$15,719
Ice Sports Southland		\$6,151
Marching Southland Association Incorporated		\$5,564
Oreti Surf Life Saving Club		\$4,529
Queenstown Alpine Ski Team		\$4,828
Queenstown Association Football Club		\$3,358
Queenstown Cricket Club		\$6,176
Queenstown Ice Hockey Club		\$3,933
Queenstown Inline Hockey Club		\$874
Queenstown Mountain Bike Club		\$21,275
Southern Lakes Tennis Association		\$1,599
Southland Amateur Rowing Association		\$6,910

Southland Badminton Association		\$8,819
Southland Basketball Association		\$40,950
Southland BMX Club		\$4,817
Southland Cricket Association		\$21,710
Southland District Rugby Football League		\$14,178
Southland Football Association		\$46,286
Southland Indoor Bowls Centre		\$7,347
Southland Mountain Bike Club		\$8,957
Southland Orienteering Club		\$5,208
Southland Secondary School Sport		\$19,500
Southland Softball Association		\$11,441
Southland Table Tennis		\$8,002
Southland Tennis Association		\$10,026
Southland Triathlon and Multisport Club		\$5,518
Southland Water Polo Club		\$9,359
Southland Yachting Association		\$6,749
Squash Southland		\$13,798
Swimming Southland		\$18,697
Touch Southland		\$47,309
Volley South		\$24,010

SCHOLARSHIPS

Aldine de Jager	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Benjamin Barton	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Clayre Watt	Sports Scholarship	\$500
Damian Storey	Leadership Scholarship	\$330
David Barton	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Indy Deavoll	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Jack Heslip	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Lucy Cooper	Sports Scholarship	\$500
Malik Boatwright	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000
Pierre Joubert	Sports Scholarship	\$1,000

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