

2022 Grants

 Queensland Government Department of Tourism, Innovation and Sport	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society would like to thank the Queensland Government's department of Tourism, Innovation and Sport for a grant provided under the Active Gameday Projects Fund. This program aims to deliver quality and accessible places and spaces through infrastructure solutions that respond to community needs, improve accessibility and inspire activity. The fund will provide not-for-profit sport and active recreation organisations and local governments throughout Queensland with funding to support minor infrastructure projects that benefit local communities. This funding was instrumental in completing a drainage upgrade project involving the Stockman's Arena and surrounds at Stanthorpe Showgrounds.
	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society wishes to thank the Stanthorpe RSL for their generous sponsorship of Society activities including the annual Stanthorpe Show, Stanthorpe rodeo, sheep dog trials, cookery and poultry through their 2022/2023 annual community sponsorship program.
 Southern Downs REGIONAL COUNCIL  Australian Government	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society would like to thank the Australian Government and Southern Downs Regional Council for a grant provided under the Australian Government's Drought Communities Program. This program aims to provide financial assistance to local not-for-profit organisations that have been impacted by drought. This funding was instrumental in progressing a drainage upgrade project involving Stockman's Arena at Stanthorpe Showgrounds.
 Southern Downs REGIONAL COUNCIL  Australian Government  Queensland Government	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society would like to thank the Queensland Government, Australian Government and Southern Downs Regional Council for a grant provided under the 2022 Local Events Funding Program Rd1. This program is jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland Governments as a component of the 2019 Queensland Bushfires Community Recovery Package under Category C of the Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements. This program will secure and develop a strong calendar of destination events that align and respond to the strategic priority "Facilitate and develop quality products, events and experiences" in Council's "Tourism Strategy 2017-2020" which underpins "Southern Downs Regional Council Economic Development Strategy 2017-2020". This funding was used to support the 2022 Stanthorpe Agricultural Show.
 Queensland Government	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society wishes to thank the Queensland Government for their annual show grant under the 2021-2022 Show Societies Grants Program. The aim of this program is to provide financial support to the Show Societies and affiliated Organisations throughout Queensland to conduct annual

	agricultural shows, delivering cultural, social and economic stimulus to local communities. Through this program the Society received \$15,985 (excl. GST) and these funds were directed towards the 2022 Stanthorpe Agricultural Show.
 CommonwealthBank	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society wishes to thank the Commonwealth Bank (Stanthorpe branch) for their generous sponsorship of \$500 towards the shearer's stove upgrade project.
 Australian Government Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment  Future Drought Fund  FRRR Foundation for Rural Regional Renewal This project is supported by FRRR, through funding from the Australian Government's Future Drought Fund.	The Stanthorpe Agricultural Society wishes to thank the Australian Government and the Foundation for Rural Regional Renewal for a grant funded under the Future Drought Fund's Networks to Build Drought Resilience program. The Future Drought Fund is a long-term Australian Government investment fund established under the Future Drought Fund Act 2019 and provides a sustainable source of funding to help Australian farmers and communities become more prepared for, and resilient to, the impacts of drought. The funds received through this program will see the installation of an LED sign at Stanthorpe Showgrounds. This project will support community infrastructure improvements to the Stanthorpe Showgrounds, increasing community usage of the venue to foster connectedness, improve wellbeing, and increase knowledge sharing by engaging sections of the population who are currently unable to access key community information in other ways.