

March 2024 funding round

The funding is part of a wider allocation of \$317,662.20 to 91 individuals and community groups for the March quarter, confirmed at a recent meeting of the DCC's Grants Subcommittee.

Biodiversity

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
Junichi Hayashishita	Contribution toward plant purchase for restoration of retired farmland contiguous with remnant podocarp forest	\$4,997.10
George Murray	Contribution toward plant purchase for wetland restoration	\$2,082.50
Ben Ponne (Matai Hill Trust)	Contribution toward contractor costs associated with site preparation and planting (including the costs of plant purchase and plant consumables) for ongoing restoration of QEII covenant	\$5,000.00
Ryan Fitzgerald	Contribution toward plant purchase for restoration of coastal forest block	\$4,992.02
Bernice Chapman	Contribution toward contractor costs associated with site preparation and planting (including plant purchase) for restoration of block in upper Tomahawk Lagoon catchment	\$4,950.00
David Malloch	Purchase herbicide for woody weed control around the periphery of a 200 ha QEII covenant	\$2,550.00
Luke Campbell	Contribution toward plants, plant consumables, traps, and herbicide for the restoration of block adjacent to Orokonui Ecosanctuary	\$4,995.38
Claire Reid	Contribution toward plants and plant consumables for restoration of harvested exotic plantation section	\$5,000.00
Puawanaga Limited (Moirā Crossman)	Contribution toward tools and fencing equipment required to fence 91 ha QEII covenant	\$4,636.88
Alec Barker	Contribution toward plant purchase for indigenous bush restoration	\$5,000.00
	Total	\$44,203.88

Community Events

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
Dunedin Folk Club	To assist with the costs of marquee hire	\$6,525.31
Dunedin Fringe Arts Trust	To assist with marketing and administration	\$5,788.00
Dunedin Indian Association	To assist with venue hire, lighting, and production costs	\$6,506.00
Dunedin Town Hall Organ Trust	To assist with advertising of concert	\$977.50

Evening Books	To assist with speaker fees	\$2,500.00
Fire In Ice Outrigger Canoe Club	To assist with venue hire, safety, and support boat fees	\$1,722.00
Indian Students Association	To assist with sound, and lighting	\$1,780.00
New Zealand Red Cross Incorporated	To assist with hire of Araiteuru Marae	\$402.50
Ōtepoti Hip-Hop Hustle	To assist with lighting and visuals	\$4,400.00
Samoan Advisory Council Dunedin - Fono Faufautua i Otago	To assist with venue hire, and equipment hire	\$1,700.00
The Little Miracles Trust (formally The Neonatal Trust)	To assist with venue, hire and children's entertainers	\$500.00
Waitati Music Festival Inc Soc	To assist with costs of staging and sound	\$6,000.00
Zumba with Alanna and Chontel	To assist with hall hire, sound and lighting	\$723.03
	Total	\$39,524.34

Community Grants

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
Aphasia New Zealand (AphasiaNZ) Charitable Trust	To help fund salary for Community Aphasia Advisor	\$2,500.00
Autism New Zealand Inc	To help fund operational expenses includes salary for Outreach Coordinator	\$2,500.00
Caversham Baptist Church	To fund wages for the food bank coordinator	\$5,000.00
Caversham Toy Library Inc	To help fund wages, rent and resources for the toy library	\$3,091.02
CCS Disability Action Otago Inc	To help fund the salary cost of Service Coordinator roles	\$2,500.00
Disabled Persons Assembly (Dunedin Region)	To help fund running forums for disabled people and the wider community of Ōtepoti	\$5,000.00
Dunedin Chinese Language & Cultural Trust	To help fund venue hire and wages	\$3,500.00
Dunedin Community Mediation	To help fund part-time manager's wages and room hire costs	\$4,000.00
Dunedin Parents Centre	To help fund cost of running eight parent education events	\$1,966.00
Dunedin Tracks Network Trust	To help fund Wages for staff and Xero accounting software subscription	\$3,000.00

English Language Partners Dunedin	To help fund rental costs for our community class venues in South Dunedin	\$4,045.98
Epilepsy New Zealand	To help fund salary for an educator	\$2,500.00
Good Bitches Trust	To help fund core operating programme	\$2,500.00
Grey Power Otago Inc	To help fund the design and development of a website	\$1,000.00
Life Education Trust Heartland Otago/Southland	To help fund salary costs for the Otago educator	\$2,500.00
Otago Asthma Society Inc	To help fund staff salaries	\$2,500.00
Otago Blind Indoor Bowls Club Inc	To help fund the cost of venue hire	\$700.00
Ōtākou Māori Women's Welfare League	To help fund venue hire, resource costs and volunteer related expenses	\$2,000.00
Pioneer Opportunities Resources Trust	To help fund wages for Hall Co-ordinator	\$4,000.00
Pregnancy Help Inc Dunedin Branch	To help fund wages for the drop-in centre	\$5,000.00
Presbyterian Support Otago Inc	To help fund the cost of wages for social workers	\$2,500.00
Royal New Zealand Plunket Trust	To help fund wages for two staff members	\$2,500.00
Sara Cohen School	To help fund provision of picnic tables for new sensory playground	\$1,647.00
Southern Youth Development	To help fund the cost of salaries and programme costs	\$4,000.00
St John South Island Region Trust Board	To help fund with operational costs for the Dunedin Health Shuttle for a period of six months	\$4,000.00
SuperGrans Dunedin Charitable Trust	To help fund wages for staff	\$4,000.00
The Sth Is (Te Waionamu) Branch of the Muscular Dystrophy Assn of NZ Inc	To help fund wages and support group expenses in Dunedin	\$2,500.00
The Straight Up Trust/Rock Solid Youth Development Programme	To help fund salaries of youth worker	\$5,000.00
Turning Point Counselling Service	To help providing subsidised services for clients	\$4,000.00
Valley Community Workspace	To help fund operational costs	\$4,000.00
Youthline Otago	To help fund wages	\$5,000.00
	Total	\$98,950.00

Creative Communities

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
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Alan Gray (Brighton Club Inc)	Admin costs, sound engineer and drum kit hire	\$2,000.00
Angelina Stanton	To cover tutor and facilitation costs for six poetry/wellness workshops	\$2,235.00
Cellists of Otago	Personnel / Production Costs	\$2,000.00
dance.happy.doom.crew	Wages, artist fees, venue hire, sound equipment hire, marketing and manaakitanga for artists	\$2,050.00
Dunedin Edinburgh Sister City Society	To contribute to remuneration for performers and presenters	\$2,000.00
Dunedin Folk Club	To contribute to remuneration for musicians and other performers	\$4,000.00
Dunedin Fringe Arts Trust	Towards the cost of contracting the Amped Co-Producers, guest tutors, guest artists and technicians to mentor the young people	\$5,000.00
Elizabeth Ann Breslin	Contractor / Artist fees + printing costs	\$3,450.00
Ellie Swann (AS Moose of Fire Productions)	Contribution to artists' fees	\$2,500.00
Jasmin Dingemans	To contribute to remuneration for musicians	\$2,000.00
Kerekere Studios (Savannah Kerekere and Michael-Lydia Winiana)	Artist fees, venue hire, marketing and promotion and materials	\$2,850.00
Lily Warring	To contribute to tutor remuneration, promotion, and materials for drawing club	\$2,840.35
Music Heals (Tamariki Together)	Facilitator wages and manaakitanga	\$5,000.40
New Lands	Artist fees / rent	\$3,266.70
Te Hou Ora Whānau Services	Artist fees, materials, and contribution to manaakitanga	\$1,800.00
Waitati Music Festival Inc Soc	To support payments for musicians and performers	\$5,000.00
Zehavit Darlington	Artist fees / Workshop consumables	\$2,217.53
	Total	\$50,209.98

DCC Arts Grants

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
Ana Teofilo (under auspice of Dunedin Fringe)	To support administrative costs, materials, and venue hire	\$4,995.17
Brighton Club Incorporated	Sound equipment hire	\$4,000.00
Cellists of Otago	Venue hire	\$5,000.00

Curiouser & Curiouser (Rosella Hart)	Wages - majority of which will be engaging specialist trainers and facilitators to deliver the identified needs of the beneficiaries	\$4,994.00
Dance Therapy NZ	Facilitator fees and venue hire	\$3,770.83
Dunedin Chinese Art/Instrument Association	To contribute to tutor and workshops costs, and venue hire	\$2,000.00
Dunedin Opera Company Incorporated	Wages for three professional singers, the two minor soloists and a pianist	\$5,000.00
Lara Macgregor (under auspice of He Waka Eke Noa Charitable Trust)	Lighting and sound hire	\$5,000.00
Manu Scripts (Māori & Pasifika Education Trust)	Support of book launch events / workshops	\$5,000.00
Music Education Otago	To contribute to the accompanists' fees for the concert	\$4,200.00
National Flash Fiction Day Ōtepoti Dunedin	Wages, event costs, venue, food, and print/ distribution of the programme	\$5,000.00
NZ Society of Authors (PEN NZ Inc) Otago Southland Branch	Wages for workshop tutors, artist and musician fees, MC for the event and a small fee for the organisers	\$2,050.00
Otago Dance Association	Lighting and sound hire, as well as advertising	\$2,600.00
South Dunedin Street Art Trail	To support a programme where school-age rangatahi can learn how to create street-art style artworks	\$5,000.00
West Harbour Arts Charitable Trust	Contribution to artist fees, marketing, and materials	\$2,000.00
	Total	\$60,610.00

Waste Minimisation Community Grants

Grant Recipient	Purpose of Grant	Amount Allocated
Dunedin Midwinter Celebrations	To subsidise waste minimisation at the 2024 Dunedin Midwinter Carnival event	\$4,244.00
New Zealand International Science Festival	To subsidise workshops that promote repurposing e-waste and educating the community on responsible e-waste management	\$4,920.00
Otago Farmers Market	To subsidise the running costs of the reusable cup programme at Otago Farmers Market	\$5,000.00

Pregnancy Help Incorporated Dunedin Branch	To purchase reusable nappies to provide for free to whānau in Dunedin.	\$5,000.00
The Gift Trust (Sew on Period Care)	To fund free information and sample kits on reusable menstruation and incontinence products to the community.	\$5,000.00
	Total	\$24,164.00