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Media Release:

Singleton community groups urged to apply for funding

Community groups in the Singleton region with projects or ideas that make a positive difference to the local community are being encouraged to apply for funding in the next round of Mount Thorley Warkworth's Community Support Program.

The 2025 Community Support Program is funded by Yancoal Australia and provides financial assistance to local groups working in the areas of health, community, environment, arts, culture, education and training.

Mount Thorley Warkworth General Manager Cris Shadbolt is encouraging locals to apply for funding.

"Our Community Support Program gives us the opportunity to assist locally focused programs and initiatives capable of making a real contribution to the continued growth and sustainability of the region.

"A previously successful organisation is the Singleton Junior Rugby Union Club. With funding support from us, they were able to purchase several new pieces of training gear including tackle pads, tackle mats, tackle bag, speed sled and hit shields. We were pleased our donation could enhance the resources at the club for the safety of the rugby union players in our community.

"In the past, we have also donated to the Singleton Amateur Swimming Club so they could build a new storage shed to store the big bulky lane ropes, BBQs, chairs, marquees, and tables, ensuring they are all easily accessible during race meets.

"These are just two examples of some of the amazing projects that have been supported by our program, which will be enjoyed by many people in our community for years to come.

"If you have a project or idea that has the potential to benefit others in the Singleton region, we encourage you to apply now," said Cris.

The program is open for applications until 27 September 2024. For more information or for an application, please visit www.mtwcoal.com.au/page/community

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