

FLINDERS QUARTET

Development Report

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Overview

As other Arts Organisation annual reports start to emerge, it is becoming apparent what a monumental success FQ has, in being able to remain financially stable while maintaining full wages for all staff, quartet members and guest musicians, as well as fulfilling all project obligations. This seems to be an exception rather than the norm, and something we are incredibly proud of.

FQ has recently submitted two large grant applications and has been developing additional covid safety, access and inclusion guidelines plus an organisation evaluation to support these, and future applications. \$29,000 has been raised since the last board report, and an additional \$165,000 is awaiting assessment.

Donations have increased with the launching of the End of Financial Year Campaign, raising \$65,790 since the last board report, with an additional \$15,000 pledged.

Grants

Grants total 2021 YTD: \$144,000

Grants total 2020: \$287,736

AREA	GRANT	AMOUNT
Covid grant	Victorian Government's Business Costs Assistance Program	\$2,000
Digital Engagement	City of Melbourne	\$15,000
John Noble Quartet Program	CYBEC	\$20,000
Hear Her Voice2	Victorian Women's Trust	\$10,000
Regional Engagement Program	Robert Salzer Foundation	\$6,500
Footscray High School Residency	Betty Amsden	\$20,000
Covid grant	Playking	\$30,000
General Support	Canny Quinne	\$6,000
General Support	Lyngala	\$5,000
Hear Her Voice2	Besen	\$10,000
Underrepresented voices	CV	\$19,500
TOTAL		\$144,000

Submissions Awaiting Assessment \$165,000

AREA	GRANT	AMOUNT
Composer Career pathways	RISE	\$145,000
Caring for tradition / Daring to be different	City of Melbourne	\$15,000
COVID Support	Victorian Government's Business Costs Assistance Program	\$5,000
TOTAL		\$165,000

2022 Confirmed Support \$51,000

AREA	GRANT	AMOUNT
John Noble Quartet Program	CYBEC	\$20,000
General Support	Canny Quinne	\$6,000
General Support	Lyngala	\$5,000
Hear Her Voice 3	Besen	\$20,000
TOTAL		\$51,000

Donations

Private donations 2021 YTD: \$80,172

Private donations 2020: \$104,942

Patron Engagement

Event	Date	Invitees	Aim
Open Rehearsal	7 July	General Public, Fifth String, subscribers, all supporters (Government, Trusts, Foundations)	Engage
Open Rehearsal	6 Oct	General Public, Fifth String, subscribers, all supporters (Government, Trusts, Foundations)	Engage
Post Concert Supper	25 Oct	Prospective donors, artists	Attract giving
Private Concert	TBC	Key Donors	Thank and attract new donors
VIP rehearsal Sutherland commission	Dec TBC	Key donors with special interest	Thank you