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Local Sporting Champion Grants awarded



Some happy recipients of the Local Sporting Champion Grants

The Federal Member for La Trobe, Jason Wood MP has presented the current round of Local Sporting Champion grants to some of our dynamic young sports girls and boys.

Ten individuals and one team received the grants designed to help young people pursue their sporting dreams.

The current round consisted of a diverse range of sports including softball, equestrian, hockey, basketball and target rifle shooting.

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The Local Sporting Champions program is an Australian Government initiative designed to provide financial assistance for young people aged 12-18 towards the cost of travel, accommodation, uniforms or equipment when competing, coaching or officiating at an official national sporting organisation (NSO) endorsed state, national or international sporting championships or a School Sport Australia state or national championships.

Grants of \$500 for eligible individuals and \$3,000 for eligible teams are available.

More information can be found at:-

http://www.ausport.gov.au/participating/schools_and_juniors/local_sporting_champions

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