

# 2013 STARCLUB Club Development Conference

## Working with Local Government

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# What we will cover today:

- Your relationship with council
- Benefits of working with council
- Results of council partnerships



# Your clubs relationship with council?

Does a positive working relationship exist?

- If so, what have the **benefits** been for your club?
- If not, why? What have the **barriers** been?



# Working with Local Government

## Benefits:

- Funding
- Facility development
- Club development



# Funding

## Benefits of working with council:

- Key partner in obtaining funding
- Land owner
  - Contribution (Financial / In-Kind)
  - Consent
- Grant application support



# Funding

## What is ORS position on funding?

- Grants are no longer just donations
- **Strategic** decisions must now be made
- ORS is now **investing** in your facility / project
- Return on investment
- Council contribution is important!



# Facility Development

## Benefits of working with council:

- \$\$
- Facility identified in planning document
- Facility project included in council capital works budget
- Council financial contribution in grant applications

***TIP: Lobby your Elected Members!!***



# Facility Planning and Management

Planning for the development or upgrade of a facility is a complex task. It is important you speak with your local government early in the planning process to avoid any unnecessary delays.

Step	Council Involvement	Indicative Timeframe
Pre-planning	In principle approval as land owner (if applicable), input into feasibility assessment, community consultation.	3 to 6 months
Concept design	Input into future uses, shared-use opportunities, operation arrangements.	1 to 3 months
Detailed design and documentation	Development approval requirements.	1 to 3+ months
Construction and Management	Building Inspections	Small structures (e.g., lights, storage) = 1 to 3 months Medium structures (e.g., toilets, small change rooms) = 3 to 6 months Large structures (clubrooms, grandstands) = 6+ months
Completion, Operation and Management	Provide Guidance, Advice and Support	Ongoing





# Hamley Bridge HUB Master Plan

- Discussions commenced in **2010**
- **Wakefield Regional Council** partnership
- **4** sports & community involved
- All project partners contributing financially
- Final Master Plan completed **May 2013**

## Hamley Bridge Community & Sports Centre Master Plan



May 2013



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# Kimba Districts Sporting HUB



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# Club Development

**Club development is an important and ongoing process in improving local sporting and active recreation organisations.**

**Councils are now supporting clubs through club development processes because:**

- **They are the land owner**
- **Their community facilities must be operated by well managed, sustainable organisations**



# Club Development

**What are the benefits for your club?**

**Your club will:**

- be in a strong position to secure funding opportunities
- be well managed and sustainable
- have a plan and a clear vision
- be financially sustainable
- provide a strong and vibrant culture to your members
- have access to and retain volunteers who feel valued
- provide a safe and welcoming environment



# Community Presenters

## Topics Include:

- Club development
- Club management
- Committee structures
- Strategic planning
- Succession planning
- Club culture
- Child protection
- Risk management
- Volunteer management
- Inclusion



# Club Development

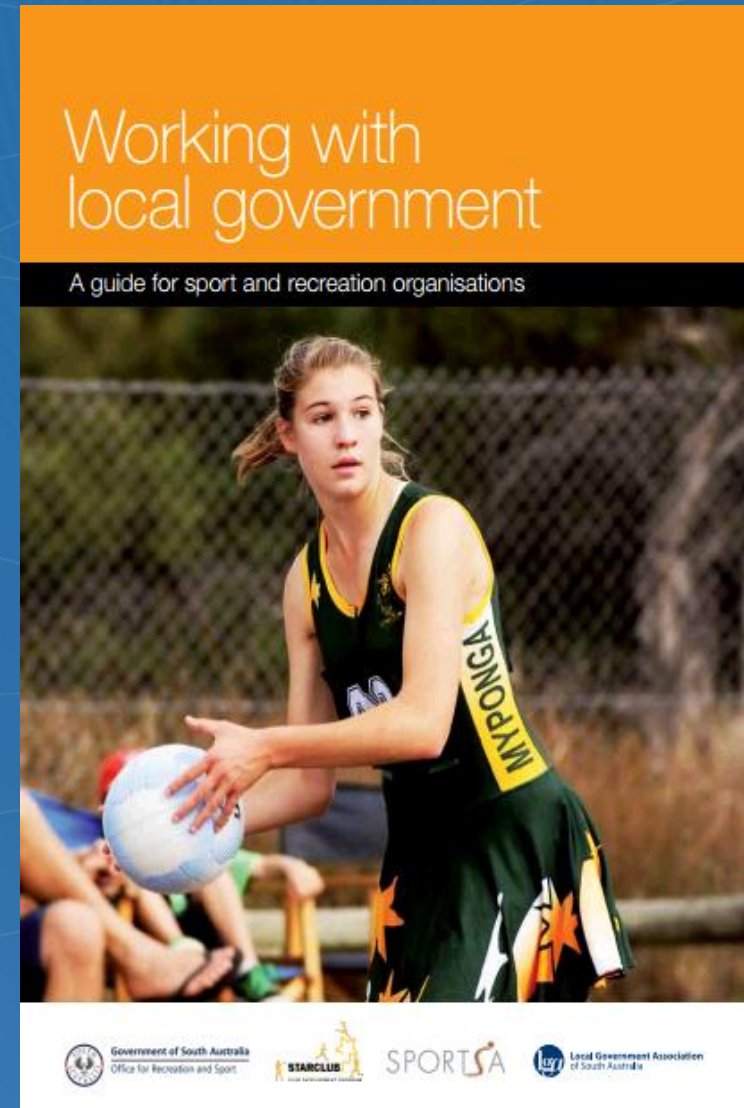
## Yorke Peninsula Councils Alliance

- **Constitutional review**
  - Southern Yorke Peninsula Target Shooting Association
- **Strategic planning**
  - Copper Coast Sport & Recreation Centre
- **Essentials for coaching children course**
  - Port Broughton Golf Club
- **Grant writing**
  - Grant Application Club Workshops



# Where to now...?

- Working with Local Government Resources
- Contacts within Local Council
- Build Relationships & Partnerships
- Register with STARCLUB
- Be aware of other programs
  - OPAL
  - Healthy Communities
  - AASC



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# Questions



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