

Get Active Community Grant Application 2026

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Introduction and eligibility

Introduction and Purpose

Welcome to the application form for the Queenstown Lakes District Council (QLDC) Get Active Community Grant 2026-2027.

The purpose of local government is to play a broad role in promoting the social, economic, environmental and cultural wellbeing of communities. The Get Active Community Grant provides QLDC with the ability to support not-for-profit organisations and charities that benefit the health and wellbeing of the community by providing access to the Queenstown Event Centre, Wānaka Recreation Centre and Paetara Aspiring Centrals' facilities. This supports QLDC Sport & Recreation's mission to encourage more people to be more active, more often. This also connects with our communities' Vision Beyond 2050 outcome for Thriving people | Whakapuāwai Hapori – "Ours is a community with a strong heart and whānau roots that run deep."

Please familiarise yourself with the eligibility criteria before beginning your application. Applications to the Get Active Community Grant are welcomed from new or previous grant recipients.

If you have any questions regarding the grant, please email
marie.schmidt@qldc.govt.nz

We thank you for your time and work and look forward to reviewing your application.

Grant Structure

Thank you for taking the time to apply for the Get Active Community Grant. We are delighted to offer this grant and help improve our community's health and wellbeing.

This funding round will *only* award successful recipients single-use **physical vouchers** that grant access to our recreational facilities. The available vouchers at their valued rate include:

- **A pool pass valued at \$8.20** This can be used for a one-off pool entry, or for an aqua programmes entry, at either the Queenstown Event Centre, Arrowtown Pool, or Wānaka Recreation Centre pool.
- **A facility and programme pass valued at \$24.50** This pass provides access to all our facilities and selected programmes at Queenstown Events Centre, Wānaka Recreation Centre and Paetara Aspiring Central. At Queenstown Events Centre this includes: Pool access, gym and group fit access, climbing wall, limited spots in Youth programmes and Green prescription programmes. At Wānaka Recreation Centre and Paetara Aspiring Central this includes: Pool access (WRC only), Programme access – social pickleball, badminton, table tennis, Kiddy Kickers and Senior Strength, Yoga (PAC only)

All carers can go free. If awarded, your organisation will need to come to the Queenstown Events Centre or Wānaka Recreation Centre to receive a tour of the facility and collect the passes. **Your organisation is responsible for distributing the passes to your**

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members. Your members must bring in their physical voucher(s) to receive access to our facilities.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible to apply for the Get Active Community Grant, your community organisation must:

- be a registered charity, incorporated society or not-for-profit group and must be able to provide evidence of this status.
- be based in the Queenstown Lakes District. You can view the boundaries [here](#).

*Sports groups and businesses are **not** eligible.*

Passes must be given out to the organisations' members who currently don't have access to our facilities. Passes are not intended for the organisations' employees.

Applicant Contact Details

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Applicant details

Community organisation name *

Organisation Name

Please use the organisation's full name. Make sure you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation.

Community organisation phone number *

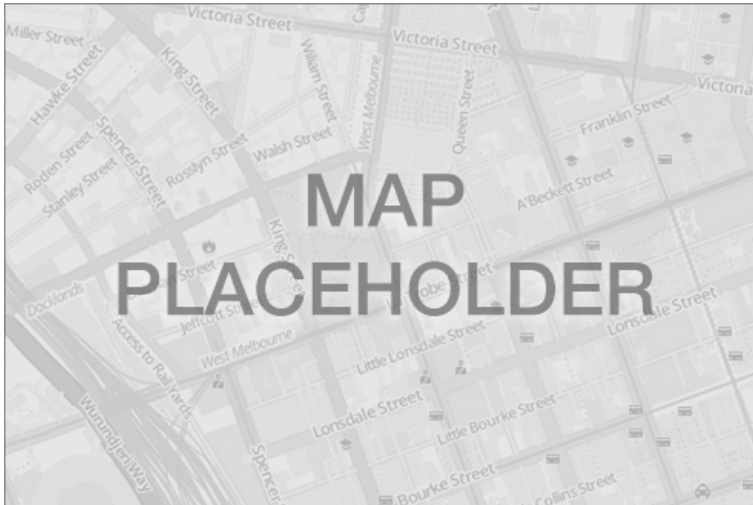
Community organisation email address *

Community organisation address

Address

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Community organisation website or social media site

Must be a URL.

Key contact details

Please make sure the contact person listed is the best person for us to communicate with about this application. If successful in the application process, this person will be the main point of contact throughout the grant year.

Key contact name *

First Name

Last Name

Key contact's role *

Your role within the organisation.

Key contact mobile phone number *

Key contact email *

About You

* indicates a required field

Short project description *

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Provide a short description (100 words recommended) of your project - what are you out to do?

Roughly how many members does your organisation reach? *

Must be a number.

Roughly how many members do you anticipate gifting the Get Active Community Grant passes to? *

Must be a number.

When did your community organisation start working in the Queenstown Lakes District? *

- ☐ Less than one year ago
- ☐ 1-5 years
- ☐ More than five years

What is your community organisation's legal structure? *

- ☐ Charitable trust
- ☐ Incorporated society
- ☐ Other:

Does your organisation have a registered Charities Registration Number (CRN)? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Applicant CRN - If you have a CRN please add, otherwise leave this field blank

The Charity Registration Number provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the Charity Registration Number correctly.

New Zealand Charities Register Information
Charity Registration Number
Organisation Name
Other Names
Status
Street Address
Postal Address
Telephone
Fax
Email

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Website

Date Registered

Must be formatted correctly.

Please, explain the status of your entity and why you do not have a CRN. *

Location

Where in the Queenstown Lakes District do you operate? *

- ☐ Whole Queenstown Lakes District
- ☐ Whole Wānaka/Upper Clutha area
- ☐ Whole Whakatipu area
- ☐ Other:

Select all locations your organisation operates in.

Wellbeing Outcomes

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Who are the primary beneficiaries of your organisation?

Click the box to see the list of options. Please choose only the group/s that are at the very core of your organisation. (Maximum of 10 options can be selected)

We would like to better understand the barriers and challenges your recipients face to physical wellbeing.

What obstacles to physical wellbeing do your recipients face, and how will these passes benefit them? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

It is essential that each organisation actively ensures that their passes are fully utilised by the recipients.

What strategies will you implement to encourage your recipients to utilise their passes? *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

The goal of this grant is to motivate individuals to continue active recreation even after the passes are used. A critical part of this outcome involves working closely with recipients to foster a long-term commitment to physical activity.

What strategies will you employ to motivate recipients towards long-term wellbeing through active recreation? *

Get Active Pass Request Details

Pass Value

One-off pool pass: **\$8.20**

One-off free facility and programmes pass: **\$24.50**

Please indicate the number of one-off free pool passes that you would like to apply for:

Must be a number and between 20 and 300.

Valid at the Queenstown Event Centre, Arrowtown Pool and Wānaka Recreation Centre.

Please indicate the number of one-off free all-facilities and programmes passes that you would like to apply for:

Must be a number and between 20 and 300.

Valid at all QLDC S&R facilities.

Certification and feedback

* indicates a required field

Certification

This section confirms that you have authorisation to submit this application on behalf of the applicant organisation.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge the statements made within this application are true and correct, and I understand that if the applicant organisation is approved for this grant, we will be required to accept the terms and conditions of the grant as outlined in the letter of approval.

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I agree *

☐ Yes

☐ No

Name of authorised person *

Title

First Name

Last Name

Must be a senior staff member, board member or appropriately authorised volunteer

Position *

Position held in applicant organisation (e.g. CEO, Treasurer)

Contact phone number *

We may contact you to verify that this application is authorised by the applicant organisation

Contact email *

Must be an email address.

Date *

Must be a date

Additional comments

Please use this space to provide any further details, explanations or clarifications relevant to your application. Your input here can help us better understand your organisation and your relationship with your members to ensure that they will utilise the Get Active Community Grant passes.

Is there anything else you would like to share with us regarding your application?

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

Applicant feedback

You are nearing the end of the application process. Before you review your application and click the **SUBMIT** button please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

As this is the first funding application round to use the new platform, we would appreciate any suggestions that could improve your experience. *Your feedback won't impact your application.*

Please indicate how you found the online application process:

☐ Very easy

☐ Easy

☐ Neutral

☐ Difficult

☐ Very difficult

How many minutes in total did it take you to complete this application?

Estimate in minutes i.e. 1 hour = 60

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Please provide us with your suggestions about any improvements and/or additions to the application process/form that you think we need to consider.