



Michele Phillips from Oakleigh South Wildlife shelter – a finalist in the Leader Local Grants program. N15MS504

Vote 1 for pet project

VOTING is open for finalists in the first round of the Leader Local Grants program.

The Moorabbin Glen Eira/Moorabbin Kingston Leader has seven finalists vying for a \$1000 grant in the first round.

Projects in the running are St Kevin's School's new out-of-hours school care service and South Oakleigh Wildlife Shelter's continuing work with orphaned and injured animals.

There's also Godfrey Street Community House's



planned children's art studio, a family fun day at Moorabbin's Gould League, new musical instruments and play equipment for Cheltenham Community Centre's children's programs, roller blinds for Bentleigh Family & Child Care Co-Operative's new outdoor learning space, and

an after-school spelling bee run by Highett Neighbourhood Community House.

Leader Local Grants are unlike other community building initiatives in that you, the newspaper readers, decide where the money – \$100,000 across all Leader mastheads over the next year – will be spent.

In each round of funding, a \$1000 grant is available for the project that readers believe most benefits the community.

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