Community Support Levy Charitable Organisation Grants Programs - Small Grants 2005-2006 Project Evaluation Sheet

Information submitted in the Project Evaluation should be 'a dot point summary' of the outcome of the project and provide information about the 'benefits of the project' to the targeted group and the wider community.

The SpineSafe Education Program for Tasmanian Secondary Colleges as set out in the Grant Funding Agreement is now complete.

The direct benefits to the community that - The SpineSafe Education Program for Tasmanian Secondary Colleges has provided is described in the 'short summary' below. A financial statement as set out in Conditions of Grant, Section 3 is attached.

In 50 words or less....

Provide information about your organisation and about the aim of the project.

- ParaQuad Tas is a not for profit charity focused on the empowerment of those with a physical disability.
- The aim of the project was to raise awareness of the consequences of risk taking behaviour and lessen the occurrence of serious accidents
- Develop partnership with students and parents.

In 50 words or less.....

Describe the project's target group or target community.

Our target group was Tasmanian secondary college students, 17 and 18 year olds who are a group at risk of undertaking reckless and unsafe behaviour which could result in them sustaining permanent disability caused through spinal cord injury.

In 50 words or less.....

How do you know if the project made a difference or change?

- To measure the results one needs to analyse the road accident statistics over a 5 year period to judge if the occurrence of serious accidents involving youth has declined.
- ParaQuad is heavily focused on lessening the occurrence of serious physical injury, and believes all of the program currently run can and do make a difference.

In 50 words or less.....

How did the target community get involved?

- Several colleges were visited by SpineSafe presenters.
- A dedicated website was developed http://www.drive-safely.org/. This website offers the opportunity for students and their parents to enter into partnerships with ParaQuad, to develop safe driving practises.
- ParaQuad is offering this program ongoing

In 50 words or less	
How can the target community continue to support or maintain the project's results?	 Ongoing partnerships are encouraged through the http://www.drive-safely.org/. website. The SpineSafe Schools Program and College program are currently running
In 50 words or less	
Do you have any suggestions about how the Grants Program can improve to better benefit the community?	(dot points please)
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in receiving information on how we can participate in an organised event that publicised the benefits of Community Support Levy Projects.	
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