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## **MEDIA RELEASE**



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### **BROOME GROUPS SUCCESSFUL IN HEALTHY CLUB SPONSORSHIP**

Sport clubs from Broome have been successful in obtaining funding through the summer round of the Healthy Club Sponsorship Program.

Broome Bowling Club Inc, Broome Sailing Club Inc, Broome Junior Cricket Club Inc, North West Fencing Inc and Broome Taekwondo Eskrima Academy Inc were successful recipients of grants up to \$2500.

The Healthy Club sponsorships are for Healthway grants which is administered by Sports Medicine Australia (WA).

These grants are awarded to assist sporting clubs and their members to become safer and healthier in their activities and to enable training and education of volunteers.

According to Sports Medicine of Australia (WA) this was a record number of successful applicants from Broome for the summer round of funding.

Four of the five successful Broome sporting organisation applicants have become incorporated within the past 12 months, which can often assist when applying for funding. The recent incorporation of these groups demonstrates the growth and development of sporting groups in Broome.

Shire President Graeme Campbell said sporting groups should be congratulated for taking the time and effort to seek funding to further benefit their members.

“Sporting groups are run by volunteers and often on a shoestring. Their commitment to applying for funding is to be commended,” he said.

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