

2015 Volunteer Museum Small Grant - Recipients

Recipient	Project Name	Summary	Amount Awarded
Bega Pioneers Museum	Documenting the Tools of the Trade	To commission Ralph Hawkins to work with members of BVHS to identify, catalogue and number the timber planes and carpentry tools of the Thatcher Collection.	\$1,755.00
Bowraville Folk Museum	Display and Storage Space de- Humidification	To purchase one dehumidifier for the archive storage room.	\$418.18
Canowindra Historical Museum	Preservation and storage of historic dresses	To purchase archival material for the storage of historic clothing pieces.	\$1,334.75
Central Coast Interactive War Exhibit	Self-guided exhibit tour booklet	To develop a 20 page colour self-guided exhibit tour booklet / program (Exhibit Visitor Guide) to enhance the visitor experience & to explain some of the rarest of our artefacts on display.	\$2,000.00
Clarence Town & District Historical Museum	Display Showcases	To purchase two showcases.	\$1,809.00
Colonial Inn Museum	Display case purchase to house timber marker.	To purchase a glass display case to house a timber marker and to place the marker on public display in the museum this year.	\$940.00
Don Dorrigo and Guy Fawkes Historical Society Museum	What To Do With The Flat Irons?	To purchase metal shelving to install a typological display of small to medium sized objects related to domesticity as well as dairying and timber industries.	\$1,200.00
Dungog Museum	Mannequin Case	To purchase a showcase for mannequin display.	\$2,000.00
Gilgandra Rural Museum	Upgrade WW2 Exhibition in Allan Wise Gallery	Purchase custom built showcase on wheels.	\$1,000.00

Gondwana Coast Fossil Walk	Ulladulla Fossil Centre Signage	To purchase high quality signage and labels for the revised displays in the new museum building.	\$1,960.20
Harper's Mansion	Artefacts rescued from original external kitchen site at Harper's Mansion, circa 1835	To purchase a display unit for the newly refurbished exhibition room - artefacts obtained from the recent archaeological excavation of the kitchen will be displayed and conserved.	\$2,000.00
Hay Gaol Museum	Upgrade Fluorescent Lighting in Museum	To purchase and fit UV Filters to fluorescent lighting located throughout exhibition and object storage areas.	\$654.54
Headlie Taylor Header Museum	Accessioning of the Headlie Taylor Header Collection	To purchase Mosaic Collections Management Software for the documentation of the museum's collection.	\$1,400.00
Illawarra Museum	There's a disaster on!	To engage conservation consultant Kay Soderlund of Preservation Australia to present a workshop on disaster prevention, planning for and dealing with disasters to the Regional Networking group of museums in the Illawarra and nearby regions.	\$1,818.18
Kempsey Museum and Cultural Centre	Hands on activities for children	To purchase 'hands on materials' that motivates students to meaningfully engage in historic enquiry.	\$1,000.00
Lithgow Small Arms Factory Museum	Entrance mural display	To produce a graphic panel of 'The Verticals' - a watercolour from the 'Factory Folk' series by Brendorah.	\$1,317.90
McCrossin's Mill Museum	Collection management – shelving and equipment	To purchase shelving and equipment as part of a review and upgrade of collection management practices at the McCrossin's Mill Museum.	\$1,149.00
Moruya Museum	MANNEQUINS FOR MISS HAVISHAM AND FRIENDS	To purchase of four wire mannequins for effective and safe display of costumes at the Moruya and District Historical Society's museum.	\$2,000.00
Mulwaree High School Remembrance Museum	Soldiers on Parade	To purchase two mesh mannequins in order to showcase military uniforms to their best advantage.	\$1,280.00
Museum of Antiquities (UNE)	Enhancing the MoA's Schools and Community Outreach Program	To purchase interactive audio-visual display equipment to replace the broken audio-visual exhibit in the Museum of Antiquities (MoA), University of New England.	\$1,992.24

Norman Lindsay Gallery & Museum, National Trust	Preserving our collection for future generations	To purchase archival material to better protect the collection of Norman Lindsay Gallery & Museum.	\$1,000.00
NSW Lancers Memorial Museum	Purchase of new display cabinets	To purchase two anodized metal display cabinets to replace two old, wooden/masonite cabinets.	\$1,098.00
Old Courthouse Museum	The Shipping News	To commission a consultant to conduct a Significance Assessment of the local Agent's shipping ledger (Shoalhaven-Nelligen) of the Illawarra & South Coast Steam Navigation Co., 1869-1875.	\$2,000.00
Port Macquarie Museum	Safe, Secure and on Show	To purchase a tall rectangular lockable display case for use in the museum's temporary exhibition space to replace a low line shop counter style display case.	\$2,000.00
Thredbo Alpine Museum	PURCHASE OF TOWER DISPLAY CABINET - 21ST ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION	To purchase a glass Tower Mannequin Display Cabinet.	\$1,630.00
Tinonee Museum	ILLUMINATING TINONEE'S HISTORY	To purchase twin 8 watt LED spotlights with up to 360 degree movement (Museum grade) to better illuminate five exhibition rooms including kitchen display room, at the Tinonee Historical Museum, on advice received this is an option which has been determined most appropriate.	\$1,065.00
Ungarie Museum	Interpretive Signage for the Ungarie Machinery Display	To commission interpretive signage for outdoor machinery displays located at the Ungarie Museum.	\$600.00
Weethalle Whistle Stop Arts and Crafts and Museum	Interpretive Labeling for New Outdoor Exhibit	To produce 13 x A3 size interpretive signs for the machinery collection at the Weethalle Museum.	\$1,950.00
Wentworth Pioneer Museum	DISPLAY CABINETS	To purchase 4 display cases and material to prevent access to open displays.	\$2,000.00