



# PROAID

*Professional Aid and Not for Profit Management Services*

## NEWSLETTER

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### WELCOME!

Welcome to ProAid NZ's monthly newsletter. Here you will find information on some of the organisations we are working with, grants and project management services provided to these organisations and updates on funding deadlines and other important information. You will also find some of our success stories and information about what we do.

### ORGANISATIONS WE ARE WORKING WITH

ProAid Ltd works with a wide variety of organisations, which have a diverse range of purposes and demographics. Some of these purposes and organisations include:

#### *Organisations Providing Services to Migrants and Refugees*

- **NZ African Welfare Society Trust:** Addressing African youth and adults' issues in NZ
- **Somali Women's Incorporated Society.** Offering projects for refugees and migrants in NZ

#### *Organisations Catering to Families/Youth*

- **Dads who Dare Win Trust:** Addressing Single Fathers and their families.
- **North New Zealand Conference:** Providing projects for at risk teenage women and men across the country
- **Calvary Community Trust:** Projects for Pacific Island and Maori groups in South Auckland area
- **Habitat for Humanity:** Building and renovating homes for low socio economic families.

#### *Organisations Offering Arts & Culture*

- **Pakuranga Band Inc:** Organising concerts and events for youth in Auckland area and providing training and mentoring in the music industry

#### *Organisations Offering International Development*

- **Horn of Africa and Asia:** Assessment of local partners and design and funding of development projects
- **Pacific Islands:** Grant writing and acquisition for Renewable energy, Climate change, Health, Disaster Management and Agriculture projects.
- **Monitoring and Evaluation Missions:** Independent review of projects in Asia and the Pacific.
- **Accreditation and registration for three agencies:** Organization review and accreditation with Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade NZ

### GRANT ALERT! SOME UPCOMING GRANT FUNDING DEADLINES:

#### *May*

- 10<sup>th</sup> May- Four Winds
- 20<sup>th</sup> May- ASB for Participation-over \$50k
- 30 May - Wyndham Charitable Trust Fund

#### *June*

- 1 June - John Logan Campbell
- 1 June Creative NZ Arts
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### UPDATES FROM PROAID

Besides writing, submitting and securing grants for organisations, ProAid has assisted organisations in the following areas:

#### *Government Approval and Accreditation*

- Child Youth and Family Accreditation
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade International Development Accreditation and Grants for NGOs
- Ministry of Social Development approval for afterschool care and holiday programme.

#### *Project Development*

- Established playgroup and childcare centres.
- Research and Design youth at risk programmes in New Zealand
- Providing monitoring, evaluation studies and reporting for community projects

## GRANTS RECEIVED BY PROAID CLIENTS

Our clients have received numerous grants from a variety of funders and donors through the services and assistance of ProAid Ltd. These grants have helped these organisations implement important projects and enact lasting positive change in their community. Some of these include:

- **360 Community Trust** received funding from Department of Internal Affairs and the Ministry of Social Development for sports, arts, youth mentoring and operating costs totalling \$25,000.
- **Aotearoa Mustard Seed Ministries Charitable Trust** received grants from the Department of Internal Affairs and Ministry of Social Development - \$25,000 for Projects addressing Maori youth and operating costs.
- **Malwa Sports Club** received a \$10,000 grant from Lion Foundation to implement a sports tournament for over 200 participants.
- **Sikh Society of Auckland** received a start up grant to set up a computer and literacy centre for migrant youth and adults in Auckland.
- **Somali Women's Incorporated Society** received grants of \$105,000 from ASB Community Trust, DIA, MSD and the Auckland Council for arts and culture projects for youth, social enterprise projects for migrant and refugee women and for operating costs.
- **International Development NGO's**- Over \$2Million to implement a sustainable Agriculture project in Cooks Islands and community development projects in Samoa, Nepal, Vietnam, Cambodia, Somalia and Mongolia.



Above: Sewing workshops and Parenting seminars run by the **Somali Women's Incorporated Society**.  
Below: **Aotearoa Mustard Seed Ministries Trust**. Gardening and enterprise project for at risk youth.



## WHAT PROAID CAN DO FOR YOUR ORGANISATION

ProAid will work with your organisation closely to provide tailored services for your individual needs. ProAid will assist in diversifying and increasing your income, conducting an independent review and accreditation, undertake feasibility study and research, assess and design project plans and documents for registration and compliance purpose, capacity development, developing good governance and goal setting strategies etc. The range of services provided will help make your organisation more sustainable and professional, with an increased and positive profile in the community.

For us to get started, prospective clients just need to provide some simple information

1. Charities Commission registration/incorporation certificate or number
2. Latest financial and or audit statement
3. One or two past funding/grant applications if available
4. Annual operating budget describing the list of projects/activities requiring funding and or project management support.

After this, ProAid will provide a free one hour consultation and then an assessment and review of your organisation. Following this, you will be presented with a contract proposal with options of services that we can provide along with fees and timeframe to deliver results.

**BOOK YOUR FREE CONSULTATION TODAY!!**

## New Zealand Grant Alert and Tender Opportunities!!

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### July

- 1 July – Trusts Community Foundation
- 1 July – Whanau Ora
- 12 July – JR McKenzie Trust
- 17 July – Lotteries Community Facilities Fund
- 31 July – COGS

### August

- 1 Aug- Whanau Ora
- 19 Aug- ASB People – over \$50k
- 22 Aug – TODD Foundation

## Pacific Regional Grant Alert and Tender Opportunities!!

- Global Environment Facility - GEF: Eligible projects are classified as Full-Sized (USD 1 million or more) and Medium-Sized (up to USD 1 million). Both types of projects can be financed to NGOs; communities; Civil Society Organizations.
- French Fund - French territories as well as Fiji, Nauru, Tuvalu and Tonga – 300,000 euro per project.
- UN Pacific- provides programme close to \$14mill USD to 10 Pacific Island Countries. The Fiji Multi Country Office (MCO) collaborates with civil society organizations in the projects implementation and/or policy dialogue processes.
- GIZ- A five country programme for marine and ecosystem with a total funding contribution of 8\$mill euro over 5 years, deforestation and degradation in Vanuatu/SI and PNG with a total of 4.9mill euros and 19.2 mill euros for a 12 country wide approach to climate change.
- ADB- PNG-\$49 mill to rural primary health services delivery. 2. Solomon Islands - \$5 mill to economic recovery support programme, \$4 mill for second road improvement programme. 3. Timor Leste - \$11 mill for district capital water supply, \$12 mill for mid-level skills training. 4. Vanuatu -\$12.6 mill for interisland shipping support and 31 mills for Port villa urban development. Total grants made to the rest of the pacific are \$35.1 mill in grants.
- NZ-AID Pacific region distributes \$5mill per year to smaller projects at local country office level which is accessible to NGO’s/CSO’s
- AusAID \$16 mill DRR programme for four countries in the Pacific

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