



*Tasmanian Association of Community Houses Inc*

## EVERYDAY LITERACY FOR LOCAL COMMUNITIES

# FUNDING ROUND 3

**May 2011**

Thank you to all those who made an application. Seven applications were received covering nine Houses. Funding requests ranged from \$2,012 to just over \$49,000.

All applications were successful and, of the total of \$77,883 requested, funding to the value of \$58,484 was approved.

Applications covered a variety of approaches and funding requests. Useful general feedback on the applications is available on our website at [www.tach.asn.au](http://www.tach.asn.au). Details of the successful projects are listed below.

<b>House or Centre</b>	<b>Project Summary</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Fingal Valley Neighbourhood House	<b>I Can.</b> Work with parents of young children to improve literacy levels and develop confidence and self-esteem using both group and one to one approaches.	\$10,000
Gagebrook Community Centre	<b>Let's Get Cooking.</b> Introduce participants to literacy, numeracy and healthy eating habits through cooking activities such as following the steps in a recipe, using mathematical concepts such as measuring, temperatures, counting etc.	\$2,956
Geeveston Community Centre	<b>Cracking The Code.</b> Provide literacy resources, particularly computer based literacy software for individuals working at their own pace, with support from a mentor if appropriate.	\$2,012
Goodwood Community Centre	<b>Literature, Puppets and Oral Language.</b> A family literacy project to extend parents ideas and understanding of oral language and literature by modelling the reading of stories and the use of puppets in playgroup.	\$2,960
Ravenswood Neighbourhood House & Northern Suburbs Community Centres	<b>Literacy Links (continuation).</b> Build self-esteem and confidence with literacy needs in both groups and one to one settings using fortnightly activities and workshops at all three centres. A Literacy Links worker will facilitate classes/workshops, foster and support partnerships with local service providers and link with and undertake referrals to existing literacy services.	\$29,899
Risdon Vale Neighbourhood Centre	<b>Real World Learning.</b> Increase job seekers abilities to understand and complete paper and on-line forms, selection criteria, internet job searches with the use of an interactive whiteboard.	\$8,156
Women's Karadi Aboriginal Corporation	<b>Let's Make It Work Together.</b> Enable adults to become competent in resume building, job seeking and interacting with Centrelink by support from project worker in prose and document literacy and in using computers.	\$2,500

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