

Berrybank 1 Wind Farm

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Berrybank 1 Windfarm Community Grants

The **Corangamite Shire Berrybank Wind Farm community grants committee** has met twice in the past weeks, giving consideration to **23 applications** for community support. A detailed selection criteria was applied to the applications by the committee which has made a recommendation to Council for its 26 July 2022 meeting. The inaugural **Berrybank Wind Farm Leverage Grants and Project Grants programs** were both heavily over-subscribed so that it will not be possible to fund all of the many very worthy proposals submitted to this round.

New Scholarship Program funded by GPG Australia with Federation University for renewable industry training

Federation University Australia has formally launched its Foundation Annual (scholarship) Appeal, with an announcement that Global Power Generation Australia (GPG Australia) will deliver **new scholarships worth \$575,000 over five years**.

This **new scholarship program** is one of the initiatives included in the Community Engagement and Benefit Sharing Plan associated with the Berrybank 1 Wind Farm.

GPG Australia is willing to support Federation University in the long term with the commitment to extend this agreement in successive stages for a total term of fifteen years. The scholarships to begin next year will support students to train using contemporary equipment such as laser alignment tools, diagnostic tools and working at height safety equipment.

To be eligible, students from Federation will need to be enrolled in Higher Education or TAFE courses that have a direct relationship to workforce demands. When possible, priority will be given to female, indigenous and/or low economic profile students in order to facilitate their incorporation to the renewable energy sector.

Read the full story at:

<https://www.berrybankwindfarm.globalpower-generation.com.au/new-scholarship-program-funded-by-gpg-australia/>

Clean Energy Council Awards 2022

The Clean Energy Council Awards are the Australian renewable energy industry's most prestigious awards, recognising the outstanding contribution that individuals and businesses have made to clean energy in Australia.



GPG Australia is very proud to be shortlisted as a finalist for the **Clean Energy Council Community Engagement Award 2022** for the rollout of the **Berrybank Community Solar Power Program** as part of the Community Engagement and Benefit Sharing Plan associated with the Berrybank 1 Wind Farm. The initiative installed **26 rooftop solar systems in community facilities and low-income households** throughout the region. Winners will be announced at the Australian Clean Energy Summit Gala Dinner in Sydney on 19 July 2022

Contact Us

If you are looking to **contact** GPG about the Berrybank 1 or 2 Wind Farms, you can use the specific email address to send though any **feedback** or **complaints**:

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You can still also contact our community engagement officer **Phil Beattie** by phone: **0400 403 282** or email: philip.beattie@globalpower-generation.com.au or in person at the site office located at **578 Padgetts Lane, Wallinduc Vic 3324**

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