

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia



National Policy

Policy Topic	FUND RAISING - THE FRIENDS OF THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD IN AUSTRALIA INC. FUNDING
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Purpose of the Policy:

This policy recognises that the main concern and objective of the Friends the Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. is:

- Undertaking an annual fund-raising program,
- Guardianship of the tax-deductibility of gifts

The Australian National Award Authority encourages the Friends of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. to take a leadership role in fund-raising, assisting and encouraging the Divisions to raise funding and obtain sponsorship in a very professional and ethical way.

Policy:

- (1) The Friends of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. is the only national vehicle in this country for the receipt of tax-deductible gifts and tax-deductible contributions.
- (2) As an incorporated body The Friends of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. operates under the control of a Committee of Management.
- (3) The Friends of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. annual fundraising Program is to be complementary to Divisional fund-raising efforts.
- (4) The funds raised by the Friends of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. will be used for both:
 - a. a long term capital fund, and

b. National Award Office and Divisions' revenue.

- (5) Individual Divisions may submit requests for fund-raising requirements and fund-raising projects directly to The Friends of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc.
- (6) While the National Award Office is receiving subsidised accommodation it will provide the Friends of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award in Australia Inc. with free or subsidised office accommodation and essential office equipment and communications facilities support.

National Chairman