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Chinchilla and Miles community groups called to apply for funding support

Community groups in Chinchilla and Miles with projects or ideas that make a positive difference to the local community are being encouraged to apply for funding in the next round of Cameby Down's Community Support Program.

The 2026 Community Support Program is funded by Yancoal Australia and provides financial assistance to local groups working in the areas of health, community, environment, arts, culture, education and training.

Robert Craike, Operations Manager, Cameby Downs Coal Mine urged local community groups to lodge their application form to apply for funding.

"Our Community Support Program gives us the opportunity to assist locally focused programs and initiatives capable of making a real contribution to the continued growth and sustainability of the Chinchilla and Miles area.

"A previously successful organisation is the Chinchilla Community Centre. With funding assistance from us, they now offer storage lockers for the homeless and disadvantaged within Chinchilla to secure their personal belongings and items.

"This is just one example of some of the amazing projects that have been supported by our program, which improves the lives of people in our community for years to come.

"If you have a project or idea that has the potential to benefit others in the Chinchilla and Miles area, we encourage you to apply now," said Robert.

The program is open for applications from 18 August to 26 September 2025. For more information or for an application, please visit https://www.yancoal.com.au/our-sites/cameby-downs/

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