Regional Arts Development Fund Community Grants

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

Kuranda Historical Society 'STRATEGIC PLAN'

Development of a Strategic Plan to guide the activities of the Kuranda Historical Society in their mission to collect, preserve and share Kuranda's unique history.

Under the guidance of Queensland Museum, Museum Development Officer, the newly formed Kuranda Historical Society developed a Strategic Plan to guide the group's activities for the next three years and assist the group to reach shared goals.

Two workshops were held in September / October 2020 which saw Kuranda Historical Society members work together to identify shared vision, mission, purpose and values. Seven specific goals were identified to guide future actions, including the development of a collection policy, a collection management system, clear role statements for volunteers and curated displays.

The Plan will help the Kuranda Historical Society to identify, preserve, interpret Kuranda's unique stories about people, places and objects and make them accessible to both locals and visitors.

KEY STATISTICS

- Community grant round: 2020
- > Funding approved: \$5,250
- > Participants: 22
- > Artists / Cultural Workers employed: 1
- > Volunteers: 5

KEY OUTCOMES

- Identifying numerous fascinating "stories" of Kuranda's local history.
- Bringing members together with professional guidance to establish common goals, priorities and understandings.
- Development of a Strategic Plan that is both aspirational and achievable.



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