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**LT. R.F ISKOV**

Bob was a Glenrowan farm boy who served in the 59th Hume Militia, 2/14 AIF Battalion and 2/23 AIF Battalion from 1938 - 1945. He saw active service in the Middle East, Papua New Guinea and Borneo.

Bob became an active community member after the war through his involvement in O & K football, tennis, CFA, Wangaratta Shire Council, Probus, Rotary, RSL and Legacy. He often sold ANZAC badges in the main street of Wangaratta, attended local schools and clubs as a guest speaker and was passionate about educating young people on Australian history.



# BOB ISKOV KOKODA SCHOLARSHIP

## OVERVIEW

The Bob Iskov Kokoda Scholarship provides a once-in-a-lifetime learning experience for Year 11 students from the Wangaratta area.

The primary aim is that young people will challenge themselves physically and emotionally while walking in the footsteps of local heroes on the Kokoda Track.

They will gain an understanding of Australian history and its significance to our lives today by visiting key sites where some local men made the ultimate sacrifice in 1942.

They will form connections with other young people and experience personal growth while developing their teamwork and leadership skills.

On return they will connect with, and give back to their school and community by sharing their stories.


## Timeline

The application process for current year 10 students will open towards the end of the year, when year 10 students will be invited to an information session at their school. Scholarships will be awarded to the chosen students, who will trek Kokoda in the June-July school holidays the following year. The application process will be available on our website via the QR code below.

## Learn more

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