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Mike Noble
Garry Nash & Co
23 Baker St,
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Dear Mike,

Re: Garry Nash & Co Community Fund

As you will be aware, the Wangaratta RSL Sub-Branch has set up the Bob Iskov Kokoda Scholarship.

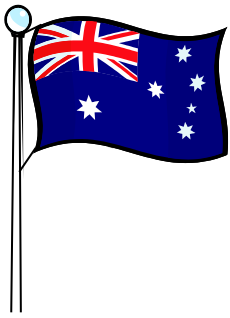
The scholarship will give three local Year 11 students the opportunity to travel to Papua New Guinea to trek the Kokoda Trail. They will challenge themselves, develop their leadership skills and deepen their understanding of Australia's World War II history.

We have engaged the support of our local State member of parliament, Tim McCurdy for the project as well as the support from our three local secondary schools. The scholarships will cover the cost of the trek for each student ex Brisbane. Each student will have to cover the costs involved getting to the departure at Brisbane.

It will cost \$6,000 for each student to participate. The Wangaratta RSL along with several other business and community organisations are currently raising the funds needed. It is envisaged that the scholarships will be an ongoing annual commitment to our local students. We are planning to send the first three students on the trek in 2023.

The Wangaratta RSL Sub-Branch would like your organisation, through your Community Fund to consider a donation of \$6,000 for this important scholarship to help us bring it to fruition. Also, consideration as an ongoing annual commitment would be greatly appreciated.

I have attached a copy of the flyer that we are distributing to the students for your further information.



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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Ash Power', written over a faint, illegible typed name.

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