SmartyGrants

Grant applications received by Baw Baw Shire Council's Community Sponsorship Program are submitted via an online system called SmartyGrants.

SmartyGrants is an online cloud-based grants management system.

SmartyGrants supports the delivery of Council's grant programs and the provision of funds for community projects and initiatives in Baw Baw and is widely used by Government grant-makers. It is the online platform where we can work with you to manage your grant and deliver your project.

SmartyGrants lets you manage your grant application from start to finish. When you begin a grant application you can save it and return later to complete and submit it. All your documents can be accessed at any time, and anyone who has been given access to the account login details can sign and do their part.

Creating an account

If you haven't already, it makes sense for Groups/Organisations to set up a single generic account for their grant-writers. Because SmartyGrants is a cloud-based system, your authorised users can log on wherever they have internet access.

Using a personal email to create an account for an organisation can lead to difficulties in managing an application and a grant if people change roles and have not shared the login details with the organisation. An example of a generic login is:

Username: secretary@orgname.com.au

Password: [something_secure_with_a_digit_and_special_character]

A successful grant application will also be managed via SmartyGrants. Aspects of the Funding Agreement are managed via SmartyGrants including Project Variations and Project Acquittal Reports.