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## Join the blues crew and get a funding boost

Around 200 people let their hair down and got into the swing of things at the K-Town Blues and Roots Concert on Friday night (19 February) thanks in part to a community grant from The Village at Wellard joint venture partners, Peet Limited and the Department of Housing.

The grant was awarded to the event's organisers, the West Coast Blues and Roots Club, to promote the local musical showcase to residents at The Village at Wellard.

The Village at Wellard Community Grants Program offers grants worth up to \$1,000 on an ongoing basis for any project or activity which benefits residents at the estate. Priority is given to projects which demonstrate community support, create partnerships with other community organisations and deliver positive social, economic or environmental outcomes.

Since its inception five years ago, the program has provided 36 different community projects with around \$48,000 in much needed funds.

Peet Limited Managing Director and CEO Brendan Gore encouraged interested groups and organisations to apply now.

"This program is an important part of the project's commitment to building the local community, supporting the groups and volunteers who are making a significant contribution to The Village at Wellard community," he said.

"We were pleased to sponsor the K-Town Blues and Roots concert, which celebrated local artistic talent and offered a safe, fun and family-friendly activity for residents of all ages to enjoy."

If you would like help expanding your existing group at The Village at Wellard or starting an exercise group, social club or community activity, please visit [www.thevillageatwellard.com.au](http://www.thevillageatwellard.com.au) to download our community grants guidelines and application form.

To discuss your project or idea further, please contact Erin at Creating Communities Australia on 9285 8028 or [erin@creatingcommunities.com.au](mailto:erin@creatingcommunities.com.au).

### **About The Village at Wellard**

The Village at Wellard, a joint venture project between Peet Limited and the Department of Housing, is Perth's first transit-oriented development on the Perth-Mandurah rail line.

It features its own train station and is close to existing shopping areas, schools, tertiary facilities and other services. On top of community facilities and high-quality landscaping, the estate



includes a private primary school and 28 hectares of landscaped parks, 17 hectares of native bush and 10 hectares of wetlands.

With more than 675 of the estate's 2,700 homesites now sold, The Village at Wellard community continues to grow with more than 350 households now established at the estate.

Find out more at [www.thevillageatwellard.com.au](http://www.thevillageatwellard.com.au).

### **About Peet Limited**

Peet Limited is a national property group that has been operating continuously in Western Australia for more than 115 years.

Peet Limited manages 75 syndicated, Company-owned and joint venture projects in Western Australia, Victoria, Queensland and New South Wales. It has one of the largest national land banks and, over more than a century of operation, Peet has earned an enviable reputation for developing quality, sustainable communities.

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