## Jamieson & District Historical Society - Successful Grant Application

The Jamieson & District Historical Society was successful in its grant application for \$3000 to the Australian Museums and Galleries Association (AMAGA). The grant was part of the Culture, Heritage and Arts Regional Tourism (CHART) program, a \$3 million Australian Government program to support community cultural, heritage and arts organisations in regional Australia as they recover from the impacts of COVID-19. The Jamieson & District Historical Society greatly appreciates the grant as lockdowns and restrictions in Victoria resulted in a considerable reduction in visitor numbers at the Museum. The resultant loss of income from door takings was 56.7%

The funds are being used to provide an improved office and appealing Museum environment for visitors and volunteers as well as improved archival procedures for recording and storing of documents and historical publications, supporting the work of volunteers in responding to research requests, resulting in more thorough research outcomes and faster response times.

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