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Volunteer Managers Network

Date: Friday 26 September 2008

Time: 9.30am – 12.30pm

Venue: Volunteering Queensland Training Room, Lvl 6, 333 Adelaide St

Organisations in attendance:

Brisbane Seniors Online	Technical Aid to the Disabled Qld Inc
Community Living Program	Toughlove Qld Association Inc
Leukaemia Foundation of Qld	U3A Brisbane
Multiple Sclerosis Society of Qld	Volunteering Queensland
National Servicemen's Association of Australia	Volunteering Service
RSL Care	Women's Legal Service
Somerset Regional Council	

Topic	Dialogue
Welcome	Welcome to organisations and introductions from each organisation representative.
Funding Strategies	<p>Perry Hembury from Volunteering Queensland did a presentation on the</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Funding strategies (Click here) • How to apply for funding • Steps for preparing a grant application (Click here) • Writing a Funding Submission: www.granted.org.au • Online information of grants • VQ's web resources on • Preparing a submission or proposal (Click here) • VQ's Information sheet on Grants (Click here) • Government Website • Newspaper publication about grants & • Role of City Council (for example Gold Coast City Council website www.ourcommunity.com.au/goldcoastgives) • Source of Funding for Non Profit Organisation (Click here) <p>Maureen O'Brien did a presentation on the help received by TADQ from Foresters Community Finance. For more information on Foresters Community Finance please click on this link http://www.forestersana.com.au/CommunityFinance.aspx</p>
Volunteer Cricket Day	<i>please note that tickets are available online Order your tickets TODAY by click on this link http://www.volqld.org.au/events_networks/cricketday/</i>
Next VMN Meeting	<p>Date: Friday 31 October 08</p> <p>Time: 9.00am (for 9.30am – 12.30pm)</p> <p>Topic: Recruiting and Retaining Volunteers</p>