

Media Release

Andrew Broad

Member for Mallee

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REGIONAL ARTS FUNDING

Two Quick Response Region Arts Grants totalling \$2,300 have been offered to projects in the Wimmera, Mallee and Mildura Regions under the Regional Arts Fund.

Federal Member for Mallee Andrew Broad said the grants help give regional Australians better access to opportunities to practice and experience the arts.

“As a coalition we are supporting arts, cultural projects and professional development for regional Australians to have the same opportunities as those living in big cities,” Mr Broad said.

One of the grants has been awarded to the Mildura District Brass Band and Orchestra to help them hold an Ensemble Playing Workshop. The grant of \$800 will go toward the workshop to improve the skills and musical repertoire of the Mildura District Brass Band and Orchestra by bringing two professional conductors to the region.

The second grant was awarded to artist Mr Simon Fisher of Minyip. Mr Fisher has been granted \$1500 to perform his performance artwork in an exhibition in Amsterdam this May. His performance work is titled Shadows; he will also participate in an artist talk in one of the exhibitions public forums.

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