

Living Wage for Events Fund

Past Allocations

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October 2024 round Pītau Pūmanawa - Grants Subcommittee Date: 04 December 2024		
Organisation name	Support for	Amount granted
Alux Theatre under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Tecuani, an exploration of an indigenous Latin-futurism as part of the Fringe Festival	\$5,560
Hightown Studio under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Celebrating LGBTQIA+ community with "Antonio!", a pirate musical about Shakespeare's ultimate lover	\$5,560
Inconceivable Productions Limited	HAUSDOWN, a celebration of queer and neurodivergent personalities	\$5,125
Java Dance Company Limited	The Tantrum Performances for Young People bringing interactive dance theatre with live music to the public and into schools	\$5,143
KidzStuff Theatre for Children Incorporated	KidzStuff Season 2025	\$12,346
Mod Productions under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Running Wet Through A Tunnel, musical comedy show as part of the Fringe Festival	\$2,780
Newtown Festival Trust	Newtown Festival	\$25,200
Pirate and Queen Limited	Lōemis Festival 2025	\$15,954
QCT	Collaborative performance by The Queen's Closet & The Tudor Consort of Purcell's dramatick opera, Dioclesian	\$10,008
S.L.U.G (Society for Little Ugly Girls) Theatre Company under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Below The Worms an absurdist magic realism show as part of the Fringe Festival	\$2,780

Supertonic Incorporated	Mozart's Mass in C Minor, a concert in collaboration with Wellington Youth Orchestra	\$1,000
The Little Family Foundation	Ignite Pōneke, equipping rangatahi aged 15-18 with personal and professional skills through an 8-week youth development programme focused on music and events	\$6,561
Woven Productions under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Mic Drop, hip hop show set in Te Aro	\$2,780
	Total:	\$100,797

August 2024 round Pītau Pūmanawa - Grants Subcommittee Date: 09 October 2024		
Organisation name	Support for	Amount granted
Eyegum Incorporated	Eyegum 10 Year Anniversary Mini-Festival	\$6,093
Lemuria Limited	Ōtari Raranga Weavers - support for Kaiāwhina (helpers), a project revitalising traditional raranga practices	\$5,560
New Zealand Improvisation Trust	2024 New Zealand Improv Festival	\$3,725
PIVOT under TBD	ONE BEDROOM STILL AVAILABLE IN SUPER SUNNY CENTRAL WELLINGTON FLAT \$290 PER WEEK EXCLUDING EXPENSES, a site-specific, interactive theatre experience all about Aotearoa's renting crisis	\$8,245
Potentially Playing Productions Limited	Compromise, the debut production of an anthology play, written by eight young playwrights	\$5,876
QCT	A Glorious Day - a collaborative concert by The Queen's Closet and The Tudor Consort	\$5,560
Red Scare Theatre Trust	Before We Slip Beneath the Sea, an original immersive play	\$13,000
Shift Your Paradigm under Wellington Independent Arts Trust	Performances of Shift Your Paradigm (No Chairs Required)	\$13,510

Squash Court Arts Collective Limited	The Ballad of Briar Grant, a dramedy with musical elements	\$4,500
Supertonic Incorporated	Supertonic - 10th Anniversary Concert Series	\$1,000
The Humorous Arts Charitable Trust Board	Raw Meat Monday Wellington's longest-running open mic comedy night, and Weekend Laughs stand up comedy show	\$8,340
Theatre for Climate under Capital Theatre Productions Trust	Don't look Now: short plays for a changing climate	\$12,259
WIDance Trust	Delivery of inclusive dance classes, and workshops	\$7,300
	Total:	\$94,968

August 2023 round Pitau Pūmanawa - Grants Subcommittee Date: 04 October 2023		
Organisation name	Support for	Amount granted
90 Plus under Pirate and Queen Limited	Secret Lives of Extremely Old People a play at Circa challenging ageist attitudes with positive role models	\$11,000
Chris Buckland	Series of concerts at the Wellington Jazz Festival	\$7,500
Eyegum Incorporated	Great Sounds Great festival a multi-venue one-night music festival	\$5,000
KidzStuff Theatre for Children Incorporated	KidzStuff Season 2024	\$11,544
L!CK Dance Company under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Lick Off My Tears, Death is Also Dying a contemporary dance performance during Fringe .	\$3,300
Monfu Limited	Monfu Monthly Shows with Diverse Performing Artists	\$6,100
New Zealand Improvisation Trust	The 2023 New Zealand Improv Festival	\$6,620
Performance Art Aotearoa Charitable Trust	Performance Art Week Aotearoa a biannual performance art festival	\$15,600

QCT	Wassail! Performance of Baroque music at Old St Paul's	\$5,200
Ruff As Gutz Charitable Trust	MILKOWEEN	\$5,200
Slavfest Education Charitable Trust	Festival Of Slavic And Balkan Culture – “Slavfest”	\$889
	Total:	\$77,953

March 2023 round Pītau Pūmanawa - Grants Subcommittee Date: 24 May 2023		
Organisation name	Support for	Amount granted
Java Dance Company Limited	The Emperor's New Clothes dance theatre with live music at Circa Theatre	\$4,730
Lemuria Limited	Te Karanga ki ngā Taniwha uses toi Māori and mātauranga Māori to make visible the history of Te Aro from a Māori perspective	\$4,730
New Zealand Choral Federation Incorporated	The Big Sing - Wellington Secondary Schools Choir Festival	\$2,000
Pirate and Queen Limited	Lōemis Festival 2023, an artist-led, multi-arts festival consisting almost entirely of new work across multiple venues.	\$4,730
Potentially Playing Productions Limited	Naturally Curious, the presentation of a two-week season of an original New Zealand play at BATS	\$4,730
QCT	Support towards 2023 performances by The Queen's Closet	\$9,000
Squash Court Arts Collective Limited	Long Ride Home, the first staging of a new one-act play	\$4,730
Supertonic Incorporated	{SUPER}CON new arrangements of music from video games, movies and TV performed at Pipitea Marae	\$600
TAHI New Zealand Festival Of Solo Performance Limited	TAHI NZ Festival of Solo Performance at BATS Theatre and Circa Theatre	\$9,460
	Total:	\$44,710

October 2022 round Pītau Pūmanawa - Grants Subcommittee Date: 07 December 2022		
Organisation name	Support for	Amount granted
KidzStuff Theatre for Children Incorporated	KidzStuff Season 2022	\$11,352
Koneiazomenai under Creative Capital Arts Trust	Women Drinking Hemlock season at The Gryphon during the Fringe Festival 2023	\$4,730
Squash Court Arts Collective Limited	One Night Band season at BATS	\$5,681
TAHI New Zealand Festival Of Solo Performance Limited	TAHI NZ Festival of Solo Performance	\$11,475
	Total:	\$33,238