Karl Hampton
MINISTER FOR SPORT AND RECREATION

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Peak Sports Body Grants Announced

Minister for Sport and Recreation Karl Hampton today announced $3.5 million in funding for Territory organisations through the 2010-11 Peak Sport and Recreation Grant Program.

“Territorians love sport, and these grants make it possible for our peak organisations to continue to deliver sport and recreation programs across the Territory,” Mr Hampton said.

“Peak bodies work with hundreds of clubs covering different activities in all corners of the NT.

“These clubs are important community centres which build self-esteem, promote healthy lifestyle habits and provide crucial pathways to nurture our young athletes,” Mr Hampton said.

The grants cover 45 peak sporting bodies and 15 recreation organisations, ranging from less than $10,000 up to $130,000 per annum contributing to operational costs or special purchases for equipment or events.

“The NT Government is proud to support these organisations, giving more Territorians the chance to take part in sport and recreation as part of everyday life by providing more services and lowering costs for participants.

“This helps build stronger communities and promotes active recreation bringing substantial benefits to health, crime prevention, the economy and education.

“From Darts to the Duke of Edinburgh, Badminton to Bowhunting, peak sports grants are the lifeblood of the community organisations that make our Territory lifestyle so varied and enjoyable.”

A full list of grants is attached.

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