



Funds give clubs a lift

GRANTS ALLOW WORKS AROUND DISTRICT, INCLUDING ELEVATOR INSTALLATION AT CLUBROOMS

An elevator will be fitted to the Shepparton United clubrooms at Deakin Reserve to enable the facility to conform with disability access regulations.

The club is one of a number to win funding in the most recent round of Greater Shepparton City Council's Our Sporting Future grants.

Money is provided to organisations on a dollar-for-dollar basis to improve facilities.

Shepparton United Football/Netball Club has been granted \$27 309 to install a

commercial elevator to ensure equitable access to the facility and to comply with Disability Discrimination Act 2006.

Tatura Football/Netball Club will provide a new scoreboard area and time-keeping facilities, and improve the media/coaching team area with the aid of a \$30 000 grant.

Dookie Football/Netball Club will put a \$30 000 grant towards the \$109 000 cost of installing training-quality lighting to the oval at Dookie Recreation Reserve. The project is also supported

by a \$60 000 state government grant secured by the club.

Minor Our Sporting Future grants have been awarded to Shepparton Car Club (\$2000) to concrete and install a container to house the club's driver training vehicle; Cricket Shepparton (\$15 000) for the renovation of the organisation's meeting rooms; and Tatura Cricket Club (\$7444) to install lighting for the practice nets at Frank Howley Oval.

Our Sporting Future (Sports Aid) grants, which support new

and developing sporting organisations, have been approved for two organisations.

Shepparton Table Tennis Association will use a \$4200 grant to run the Project Keenagers program and after-school programs that broaden the opportunity to play table tennis.

The Big Issue Australia, which runs a Community Street Soccer Program, has \$750 for venue hire so that the program can be established in Shepparton.