



- ~ VolunteerConnections has developed a secure interactive database that can be accessed by both volunteers and organisations.
- ~ Volunteers are able to search available volunteering positions, and can then register and apply.
- ~ Organisations are able to directly place available volunteering positions onto the portal.
- ~ The VolunteerConnections portal also provides resources that have been informed by surveys about volunteers and volunteering within our local government areas.



What we offer organisations:

- ~ Promotion of volunteer positions that are available in your organisation
- ~ Volunteer matching process which allows more suitable volunteers to be selected for your organisation.
- ~ Optional volunteer screening services which can be provided through the Ballarat Volunteer Resource Centre.
- ~ Tracking of individual volunteer applications.
- ~ Opportunity to add to the events calendar and to see other events which are available.
- ~ Access to valuable resources, including templates, guidelines, data, policy documents and research reports

VolunteerConnections initiatives aim to provide:

- ~ Information through the calendar regarding events for volunteers and volunteer coordinators.
- ~ Information about the Volunteer Coordinators Network.
- ~ Information about available resources and Best Practice models.
- ~ Support for organisations about recruiting and retaining volunteers.
- ~ Improved access to volunteering for CALD groups and people with special needs.

