

## City of Melville Suburbs

Alfred Cove, Applecross, Ardross, Attadale, Bateman, Bicton, Booragoon, Brentwood, Bull Creek, Kardinya, Leeming, Melville, Mount Pleasant, Murdoch, Myaree, Palmyra, Willagee and Winthrop.



## How to Apply?

For more information please contact:

**Social Justice Advocate**

**Ph:** 1300 635 845 | 9364 0666

**Email:** [access@melville.wa.gov.au](mailto:access@melville.wa.gov.au)

**Street Address:** City of Melville Civic Centre,  
10 Almondbury Road, Booragoon

**Postal Address:** Locked Bag 1, Booragoon WA 6954

Activelink vouchers are also available at:

**Blue Gum Community Centre**

**Address:** 33-35 Moolyeen Road, Brentwood

**Ph:** 9364 0148

**Willagee Community Centre**

corner of Archibald and Winnacott Streets, Willagee

**Ph:** 9364 0848

**National Relay Service**

**Ph:** 133 677 (TTY) 1300 555 727 (speech relay)

[www.relayservice.gov.au](http://www.relayservice.gov.au) (internet and captioned relay)

**Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS)**

**Ph:** 131 450

This information is available in alternate accessible formats on request.



# active**link**

...the key to participation



## What is Activelink?

**Activelink** supports eligible City of Melville residents of all abilities to participate in sport, recreation and leisure activities. It provides support to those who face challenges, difficulties or barriers to participate. This may include language and cultural barriers, financial difficulties, feeling isolated or having a disability (or different ability).

Within the framework of social justice and the promotion of equality for all, Activelink encourages greater social participation. It aims to improve the health, self-confidence and skills of our residents and encourages people to get to know others in their local community through activities of their choice.

Vouchers are issued to support payment of these activities (\$200 limit per calendar year).

## How does it work?

**Activelink** is brought to you by the City of Melville and a range of activity providers (incorporated sport, recreation or leisure providers, community groups, clubs, associations and commercial enterprise in sport and recreation, art, dance and other social classes). Chosen activities may be undertaken anywhere but we encourage you to use local community facilities within Melville. Other organisations may also apply to issue vouchers. The program is designed to be flexible and responsive to individual needs and circumstances.

## Who can apply (eligibility)?

**Activelink** is available to City of Melville residents of all ages, who are experiencing **challenges, difficulties or barriers** to participating in sport, recreation or leisure activities.

Some examples:

- People with a low income\*
- People with a disability (different abilities)
- People who do not communicate in English as a first language (for example they experience challenges communicating or they use sign language such as Australian Sign Language – Auslan)
- People who are newly arrived or from culturally diverse backgrounds and find it challenging to participate fully in their community
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who are experiencing challenges or barriers in participating in community activities

(\* Note: proof of low income must be provided such as a Centrelink Health Care Card, Centrelink Pensioner Concession Card or Department of Veterans' Affairs Pensioner Concession Card)



## What funding is available?

The maximum funding available for eligible residents is \$200 per calendar year (January to December each year). Vouchers are issued and paid directly to activity providers. There is a \$600 limit per family each calendar year. **Activelink** is solely funded by the City of Melville.

## My organisation would like to Issue Vouchers. How can we apply?

Please contact the City of Melville if you would like to become involved in **Activelink** as an issuing organisation or training provider. Training and assistance is available on request.

