

VALUES IMPACT STORIES



Connecting Community

2019-20

ANNUAL REPORT



- * 60 volunteers (320 volunteer hours per week)
- * Managed over 600kg of food & emergency relief every month
- * Supported 50 families per month (pre-COVID19)
- * Serviced 280+ families per month managing 2000kg+ food (during COVID19)
- * 40 hours of volunteer managed activities per week at SLAC

Innovation

English for work - stories & impact

72%
of learners have
improved confidence,
pride and aspirations
to support
employment

58%
of students responded
that their children/family
know more about their
study/employments
paths

of learners said that
they would not be
studying, working or
looking for work if they
did not participate in
SLAC programs

12 learners - total social return estimated -\$83,753

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\$7.67 for every \$1 of funding

\$3158 Knowledge skills & attitude \$1525 Pride, confidence & aspirations

\$5489 Social supports

\$16,372 Physical & mental wellbeing

\$1957 Understanding challenges

\$48,319 Family relationships

\$5143 Transitions for work

Community Programs

14 different types of programs

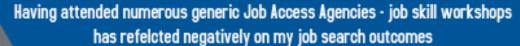
- Health & Wellbeing
- Sport & Rec
- Community development
- Access to facilities & equipment
- Employment & Job Search

Chrissie

765 program participants inc 221 in learn local programs
1200 hours of vocational learning

18,200 hours of adult literacy and numeracy

2400 hours of employment skills



Attending SLAC's Professional Resume Writing class has been a game changer for me. Not only have I learnt how to write a relevant resume for 2020 I have also learnt so much more about my professional self.

The tutors provide a relevant course for students to reflect and take home a wealth of knowledge and confidence through the exercises provided in this course.



Integrity

I arrived for my job interview at CoCOs afraid, fragile and very broken . I had no real work experience and lacked confidence.

Upon meeting staff members I felt un-judged and comfortable enough to speak openly about my past. and why I have the desire to work in community services. I was shocked and excited when I was accepted for the trainee role.

The staff at SLAC and CoCOs have made me feel safe and valued. They are patient, allow me to make mistakes and encourage my independence. My personal growth is well supported and I am so lucky to be a part of such a wonderful team!



Hannah

Staff & Comittee

- 26 staff and contractors
- 8 comittee members
 - * Getting involved with SLAC brings opportunities beyond learning English, volunteering and meeting people. When an organisation carries integrity the way SLAC does, it becomes a platform where talent is recognised, regardless of the starting point.



* Belong to a team who become staff after being a student, volunteer or community afiliate means you are working with like minded people, collaborating and working together towards a common goal.

Impact

Created 2.4 full time equivalent jobs elsewhere in a local economy

* When the people matter for who they are and diversity in talent is encouraged, productivity and excellence is no longer an expectation. It becomes culture

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