



TFN Live Events | Impact Report

Thank you for completing this Impact report so we can share with our network the outcomes of the project/program that you pitched at a TFN event. Please answer as accurately/comprehensively as possible, although we appreciate that you may not have exact answers to everything. If you raised funds after the event because of your pitch, we are keen to know about your success as we track this information. To save and resume your report later, click the SAVE button at the bottom right of the page. When complete hit SUBMIT. Thank you.

1. Organisation name

Ganbina

2. Your name and position

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3. Email address

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4. Date of the TFN event at which you presented

25/02/2021

5. Please outline the project/program and funding you pitched for at the TFN event.

The Accelerated Learning Program (Internal) has been designed to further assist Ganbina participants registered in the Primary School Scholarship Program in Years 3 – 6.

e.g. We pitched to employ a Volunteer Coordinator for 2 days per week...

Impact of Funding

6. Please describe how the funding was used and the implementation of the project/program.

Fundamentals in core subjects such as English and Maths are delivered in a comfortable, inclusive environment, with the student tutor ratio kept to a minimum. Cultural elements and life skills are woven into the lesson plans to ensure the students see the practical benefits of learning.

e.g. We employed our Volunteer Coordinator in month and he/she did...

7. Please describe the impact that the TFN funding has had on your organisation.

A key theme in the feedback received from families was the personal growth and development of their child's confidence.

e.g. Having a dedicated Volunteer Coordinator has enabled us to increase the number of volunteers who support our program and to develop a more in-depth training program to support more young people...

8. How many people have been supported by programs or activities that were funded by the TFN donations?

This year 2021, 30 students registered for the Accelerated Learning Program (Internal). A key theme in the feedback received from families was the personal growth and development of their child's confidence.

e.g. 45 young people participated this year, which is 25% more than last year, thanks to the new Volunteer

Coordinator resourcing.

Also, consider and tell us about any indirect beneficiaries if you can.

9. Please tell us a short story about someone who has benefited from this funding.

Lara is an 11 year old girl. She is learning about her aboriginal culture, and most enjoys the sessions when we use the archives, like Clap Stick, Boomerang, the Marngrook and the Possum Skin cloak, from the display cabinet. Lara also likes learning her times tables and fractions. As a result of the program she told us she feels more confident now more than ever before.

e.g. Jacob is one of young boys who has been helped through our program... Please change any real names or identifying details.

Use of Funds and Evaluation

10. How much funding did you receive through the TFN event for your project/program?

\$54,034.00

11. Please provide a budget breakdown on how the funds raised at the TFN were used. If not all of the funding has been used, please explain why. We will follow up with you if the budget shows more than 10% has not been spent.

Staff Resources (Tutors) =\$ 17,475.00
Staff (Program Coordinator) = \$39,753.00
Learning Materials & Resources =\$ 2,540.00
Food & Drinks = \$130.00
IT infrastructure = \$400.00

e.g. Training - \$1500, New equipment - \$3000 etc

12. Describe if, and why, any of the funding was used differently from what you described in your original pitch/budget.

No, We used the funds to deliver the program as intended and inline with the Accelerated Learning Program delivery goals.

e.g. Due to Covid, it took about 6 months to employ the Volunteer Coordinator so some of the funding was redirected to....

13. What measures did you use to assess the impact?

Community feedback
Program participants feedback
Commercial / Funding partner feedback
Weekly Reporting
Board reporting by monthly.

e.g. We asked volunteers to complete a survey after they had been volunteering with us for 6 months etc..

14. Describe three ways that your organisation has changed in the past 12 months since the event. (You can also describe here how Covid-19 restrictions have impacted on and changed the way you work).

Understanding the environment we found ourselves operating in and in true Ganbina spirit we rose up through the past 12 months to record some remarkable achievements with our families their children and youth.

In 2021 we celebrated 24 years working in the Goulburn Valley and enjoy a wonderful legacy in the knowledge our JOBS4U2 model is extremely successful.

The importance of delivering early intervention and diversion programs to our youth had never been more important as challenges of home schooling, and the uncertainty was felt across the region like never before.

Pivoting became the theme 'Word' for the time. A restructure from early in 2020 followed and the end results for 2020 were absolutely outstanding. Records tumbled, as we supported the most primary school kids (190 up from 174), youth in jobs (78 up from 57), and overall program numbers (399 up from 355) in our history.

352 participants registered with Ganbina in 2021, we still have 349 on track to complete their relevant year of education, training or employment as at November 2021.

e.g. We have grown in size, maintained funding levels, improved services, reduced staff, relocated, secured corporate sponsorship etc...

Please upload photos of the work supported with TFN funding.

Orrvale PS School Visit2_May 2021 Hamish Zerbato_Lacey Falla_Eden Hardie_Eli James Neal Warburton.jpg

These will be published on our website and sent to donors.

Videos

If you have any videos, please provide link for downloading or sharing here (e.g. YouTube, Dropbox, Vimeo, WeTransfer)

Post Event- Additional Benefits

15. Over the past 12 months, how important was your affiliation with TFN to your organisation?

Important - We might have got to where we are now, but it would've been a lot harder without TFN

We do not make any claim on additional funding you've received. We simply want to keep track of the leverage effect of introductions made through TFN.

16. Do you feel that association with TFN has helped to increase your credibility with donors and the philanthropic sector?

Yes

17. Over the past 12 months, did you receive any goods in-kind and/or pro-bono services from anyone you met through TFN?

Other

We are keen to know about your successes. We track this information as part of our own TFN impact.

Please provide more detail

I am not really that sure. We receive plenty of interest in our work from individuals, so unless they share with us specifically this is where they first saw us, then hard to gauge.

TFN uses this information to track post-event impact. All information will be treated in the strictest confidence. Please estimate number of hours or days if pro bono time.

18. Has the TFN pitch coaching and mentoring helped you successfully secure funding from other sources after the TFN event?

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Please provide more details

The experience has helped Larissa better understand how to present Ganbina with an elevator pitch timeframe. The entire experience has been important for Ganbina and we thank TFN for selecting us.

TFN uses this information to track the impact of our pitch coaching. All information will be treated in the strictest confidence.

19. What were some of the other benefits of participating in TFN? (tick all that apply)

- Pitch Coaching
- Increased visibility
- Access to a new network and supporter base
- Greater self confidence
- A greater ability to articulate your proposition
- Meeting other non-profits
- Being introduced to the TFN Alumni Program
- Other

Being a part of the Alumni Network

As part of the TFN Alumni Network we aim to offer you continuing support to build your capacity through offering connections, opportunities and professional development experiences. We are interested to know how effective this has been in the last 12 months.

20. Have you participated in any alumni activities (please tick all that apply)

- Kilfinan Australia Mentoring
- TFN Workshops or events
- TFN Bulletins/Newsletters
- Pro bono legal or accounting advice via TFN
- Other

21. Have you been sent any relative opportunities that have helped you? Eg. Baker McKenzie Legal advice, McKinsey & Company Executive Professional Development Training, BDO Scholarship, Aus Post Mental Health Grants etc.

Not that I am aware of.

22. Have you connected or collaborated with any other TFN Alumni? If yes, has this resulted in anything beneficial?

Couldn't say for sure, as Ganbina has a large network of both supporters and partners.

Further Support

23. Please let us know two current pro-bono or in kind asks you have?

We have none at the present time.

*We will communicate these to our donor network but can not guarantee that it will be achieved.

24. Do you have any other comments or feedback on the TFN experience or funding process?

We would like to thank, all the TFN staff for guiding us through the process right to delivering the pitch. We value our relationship with TFN and look forward to working together again in the future.

Thank you so much for your support of Ganbina. The past 2 years has been very challenging for all of us.
Anthony Cavanagh