

## Young Arts ArtsNational Blue Mountains

In recent years, ArtsNational Blue Mountains has promoted the arts among the youth of our community by providing funding for specific programs in local schools. To that end, we hold a raffle at each of our lectures.

As we did not hold live lectures in 2020 and 2021 due to covid restrictions, we were unable to fundraise. In 2021 due to previously accumulated funds, we donated \$5 000 which was shared among four schools. Since 2022, and the recommencement of live lectures, we have been able to grow our funds so that in 2024 we will be able to again provide generously to the young arts. At this stage, we are exploring various ways that we can do so.