

Frome Electorate Office

Hon Geoff Brock MP, Member for Frome



Media Release

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Northern Festival Centre receives Funding

Geoff said "The redevelopment of the 'Northern Festival Centre' formed part of my agreement with the Premier and I am extremely pleased to see \$1.4 million in the State budget being allocated to the Northern Arts Centre.

I have long lobbied the government and met with representatives of Country Arts SA and other stakeholders to have funds made available to upgrade and carry out necessary works on the centre.

The Northern Festival Centre provides visiting artists a venue to showcase their productions. In 2013-14 there were over 36,000 attendances to events, film screenings, live performances and community activities held at the Centre.

The Northern Festival Centre services a large regional area in the Yorke and Mid North with spectators coming from many smaller rural towns in the region. This facility provides people from outlying towns the opportunity to attend events that they would otherwise not be able to experience.

Geoff looks forward to the seeing the upgrades and experiencing the difference this funding will make.

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