

Application for a Sunshine Coach

Completion of ALL QUESTIONS this form is essential

Name of organisation:

Contact person:

Position held:

Address of organisation:

Suburb: Post Code:

Phone: Mobile: Fax:

Email:

Date of establishment:

1. If you are an association of friends or a society, please give the above details in respect of yourself and for the home, school, hospital, etc. for whose use the coach is intended:

2. Is the organisation a registered charity? If yes, quote number:

3. Is your organisation income tax exempt ?

4. For what type of organisation is the coach required? (e.g. home, hospital, school, club etc.)

5. Does your organisation come under another controlling or contributing body? (e.g. Department of Education)

6. If you are an non-govt organisation, please attach a copy of your latest financial statement.

7. How many children are in your care? Current:

In 12 months time:

8. Please state the number of children in each age range:

0 – 5 years: 5 – 11 years:

11 – 18 years: 18 + years:

9. Are the children resident?

10. If they are not resident, how do they get to your organisation?

11. List disabilities:

12. How many children are in wheelchairs?

13. If you have children in wheelchairs:

a) How many need to be lifted into a coach?

b) How many need to travel in their wheelchairs?

14. Is there an active parent / teacher / friend association?

15. What transport do you have at present, and how old is it?

16. If you have transport, how were the funds raised?

17. Please give details of the use you would make of a Sunshine Coach: (continue on reverse if necessary)

18. What public transport do you have available?

19. Have you approached any other organisations for funding for a coach?

20. What amount could you contribute towards a Sunshine Coach?

21. How much could you raise over a period of 6 –12 months?

22. How many days a week would you use a Sunshine Coach and how many weeks a year?

(Please indicate times / days of use)

23. Please give an estimate of yearly mileage:

24. If necessary, could you share the Sunshine Coach with another organisation?

Yes / No

If yes, please give details:

25. Please indicate which type of coach would best meet your requirements:

- 22 Seater Wheelchair Lifter Manual Automatic
 Diesel Petrol

Coaches are fitted with: a) seat belts b) flashing yellow lights (only if required)

Note: a) all other optional extras will be at the expense of the recipient

b) wheelchair lifters significantly reduce seating numbers

c) non standard lifter conversions may not be fully funded by Variety (you will be contacted regarding your specific needs)

26. Please give the name, address and phone number of your chosen garage that would service your Sunshine Coach:

27. If you had a Sunshine Coach could you:

Provide qualified drivers? (A driver must hold a bus licence and be at least 21 years of age) Yes / No

Provide undercover garaging? Yes / No

Ensure regular and qualified servicing? Yes / No

Keep it registered and insured? Yes / No

Ensure that the specified Variety artwork is kept on the coach at all times? Yes / No

Ensure it is only used for the purpose intended,

namely for the carriage of children with adult attendants? Yes / No

a. What is your estimate of these annual costs?

b. How would they be funded?

28. If you are a stamp duty exempt organisation, you will need to provide a copy of your stamp duty exemption notice.

29. Is this your first Sunshine Coach? Yes No If not, please give the following details:

Sunshine Coach No.

Registration no.

Make & Model

Year received

Sponsor

Current mileage

30. If you already have a Sunshine Coach that you want to replace, please provide an engineer's report with this application to justify replacement.

31. It is a condition of the supply of the vehicle that it will not be sold, transferred, disposed of or generally made available to anybody whatsoever without the express written consent of Variety, the Children's Charity and that it will be returned to Variety when it is no longer required by your organisation or whenever Variety may so demand. Variety has an option to repossess coaches if it is considered appropriate.

Please confirm that you understand and agree to this point. Each applicant agrees to provide an annual report on the number of kilometres driven and children assisted along with photographs of the vehicle with children: (please indicate your agreement)

Yes No

32. If your application is approved, Variety may wish to publicise its work in conjunction with your application to both electronic and print media.

I/we give my/our consent for Variety to generate publicity should my/our appeal be successful.

Please indicate your agreement : Yes No

Please note that we cannot guarantee to replace a coach at the end of its life. You should endeavour to set up a fundraising scheme to contribute to the cost of a replacement vehicle.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to pay for all registration costs, including CTP insurance, stamp duty and comprehensive insurance .

Variety manages the purchase of all Sunshine Coaches in South Australia in addition to any required modifications.

Variety wishes to draw the attention of recipients of Sunshine Coaches to the fact that these vehicles are built to the manufacturer's specifications as passenger carrying vehicles. Government Transport Regulations prohibit the use of these vehicles for carrying passengers for hire or reward. If, at anytime, recipients are found to have used a Sunshine Coach for hire or reward, prosecution may result.

Signature

Position

Print name

Date

Privacy collection statement

Your privacy is respected by Variety. The information you provide on this form will be used to assess your eligibility, or for the administration of our Sunshine Coach program. It may be provided to organisations that assist us, or as required or authorised by law, but we will not use any of your sensitive information for marketing purposes without your prior consent.

If you have any privacy concerns or would like to verify information held about you, please contact our Privacy Officer at Variety, the Children's Charity, on 8293 8744.

I consent to Variety collecting the information provided on this form. We understand that if we do not provide the information requested on this form, we may be ineligible to receive assistance from Variety.

Signature

Date

Print name

Please return this application form and address all correspondence to:

Variety, the Children's Charity
PO Box 1235
MARLESTON SA 5033

Please answer all questions carefully and provide any additional information you feel will help us. Additionally, please ensure the information relates specifically to the organisation which would be utilising the Sunshine Coach.

Once your application has been received, Variety SA will send you a confirmation letter with an appeal number for your reference. If you do not receive this letter within 10 days, please contact our office to check that your application has been received.