

Hi! we're the RED FROGS.



OUR STORY

It all started in 1997 when founder Andy Gourley saw a need to look out for young people at Schoolies celebrations - hitting the streets of the Gold Coast with his skateboarding mates armed with a small team and even smaller red lollies, they started simple - offering kindness one person at a time. Watch the true story here!



Over the years, what started as small acts of care grew into a nationwide movement. Today, Red Frogs makes a big splash through small, meaningful actions - whether it's a chat, a pancake, or a frog-shaped lolly, fostering lasting relationships that has big impact for thousands of young Australians.

OUR PURPOSE

To reduce suffering and **SAFEGUARD** a generation of young people, acting as a positive peer presence to **EMPOWER** them to make **POSITIVE** life choices and become a voice of change within their **CULTURE**.

SNAPSHOT

Every young person deserves to feel safe and like they truly belong. That's why Red Frogs is all about having their backs when they need it most. Festivals, Schoolies, uni events - you'll find us there, ready with a friendly face, a helping hand, and maybe even a stack of pancakes. As Australia's largest harm reduction service for youth, our mission is to combat a culture that is largely dominated by alcohol and other substances, often leading to dangerous and life-altering behaviours for young people.



8,621+ hotline calls during schoolies/leavers



\$5.3 million worth of volunteer hours at schoolies/leavers



2.5million+ people reached



100+ festivals & concerts supported



545,000 cups of water handed out



132,728+ students educated on safer partying behaviours, mental health and self-leadership



24 tonnes of allen's red frogs



22,000+ skaters supported



3,500+ volunteers



1,100 high schools hosted education programs



1,900+ uni social events supported



58 major sporting events supported

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

LIFE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM










Preparing students practically and mentally for what happens after year 12

We see a huge need to support young people as they prepare for the changes and choices they will face once they leave school. Regardless of their chosen career path, students finishing school face major changes that go beyond just having a new occupation. Our presenters will cover some practical aspects of surviving newfound independence (such as budgeting, moving out of home and owning a car), and also examine the impact that major change has on mental health.

This program equips your students as they prepare for the changes and choices they will face once they leave school.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

-  Purpose and direction for your future
-  Choices and staying true to yourself
-  Responsibilities and expectations
-  Changes to living arrangements
-  How to manage social relations
-  How to manage mental health
-  Useful tools and safeguards for coping with change which students can begin practising now

PROGRAM DETAILS:

Audience:
Years 11-12

Running time:
To get the most out of this program we recommend at least 1 hr.

Interactive format:
Videos and targeted questions.

