



## ANGOVE FAMILY WINEMAKERS SPONSOR 140 CHILDREN ACROSS AUSTRALIA

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We are excited to announce that we have just committed to a new three-year partnership with The Smith Family, commencing 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022.

The Smith Family is the national children's education charity, providing young Australians from disadvantaged backgrounds with the extra tools and support they need to succeed at school, so they can create better futures for themselves.

The disadvantage experienced by the 1.2 million young Australians living in poverty today\* not only impacts their life at home; it also adversely affects their education, and often, the direction of their lives.

To help break the cycle of poverty and enable young people to fulfil their ambitions, The Smith Family supports young Australians at every step of their educational journey, from early childhood through to the completion of their studies. The Smith Family works with parents and carers as well to help them play an active role in supporting their child's education.

The Smith Family's flagship *Learning for Life* program provides each student with a combination of financial and personal support, as well as vital learning and mentoring programs that help them keep up and stay motivated throughout their school years.

As part of our commitment to corporate social responsibility, we will be sponsoring 140 children nationally through The Smith Family's *Learning For Life* program, which supports the education of young Australians experiencing disadvantage in three distinct ways. They provide financial support for school essentials, like uniforms and books. They provide access to additional learning and mentoring programs – tailored to each child's individual needs. And they match each child with a dedicated team member at The Smith Family to help them get to school, stay at school and go on to further training or work.

This proven three-pronged approach is equipping these children with the motivation, resilience and life skills they need to complete their schooling and go on to better futures.

We are absolutely delighted to be joining forces with The Smith Family to help Australian children realise their true potential.

\*ACOSS/UNSW Poverty Overview Report, 2020.