

## Community Area Grant Application Form

Please ensure that you have read all the Funding Criteria and Additional Guidance Notes before completing this form **PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS TO ENSURE THAT YOUR APPLICATION CAN BE CONSIDERED**

| 1 - Your Organisation or Group   |   |
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| Name of Organisation   | BEANACRE CRICKET CLUB   |
| Contact Name   |   |
| Contact Address  |   |
| Contact number   | e-mail  |
| Organisation Type  | Non profit organisation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parish/Town Council <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 - Your Project   |   |
| In which Community Area does your project take place? (Please give name – see pp 2-4 of funding pack)  | Melksham  |
| In which Parish does your project take place?  | Town  |
| What is your project?  | Purchase of Portable Nets, All Weather Playing Surface and Cricket Bowling Machine  |
| Where will your project take place?  | King George V Playing Fields Melksham   |
| When will your project take place?   | Summer 2010   |
| Does your project demonstrate a direct link to the Community Plan for the area?<br>If YES, please provide a reference/page no.   | YES <input type="checkbox"/><br>NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  |
| Please confirm your project will be completed by 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2010   | YES <input type="checkbox"/><br>NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  |
| <b>What community benefits will your project provide and, who are the beneficiaries (e.g. numbers of people, age, gender, particular groups)</b><br>IMPORTANT: PLEASE DO NOT TYPE IN PARAGRAPHS – THIS SECTION IS LIMITED TO 1500 CHARACTERS ONLY (INCLUSIVE OF SPACES)<br>Beanacre Cricket Club is a small, community-centred club which has been based in the council-maintained King George V Playing Fields in Melksham since the early 1960s. We field three Wiltshire League sides, and also play mid-week and Sunday friendly fixtures. The Club caters for all age groups, all genders and all abilities. The Pavilion has full disabled access and facilities. The game of cricket is particularly popular amongst ethnic minority groups, especially Afro-Caribbean, Indian, Pakistani and Bangladeshi. We also have a very active youth cricket programme in place, with eighty to 100 youngsters from Melksham and the surrounding villages aged from 5 to 15 turning up for coaching each week. Three different age-groups currently play Wiltshire youth league cricket. We are looking to provide portable outdoor cricket practice nets and an artificial playing surface plus a mechanical bowling machine in order that players of all ages and abilities can practice their batting skills in a safe environment on a reliable surface with the ball coming to them in a controlled and safe manner, thereby increasing both their skills and their confidence in a team environment. |   |

**Wiltshire Council will be unable to meet the ongoing costs of your project. Please describe, therefore, how you will ensure the financial sustainability of your project beyond the period of this grant (if successful)?**

Beanacre Cricket Club is self-financing through player fees and subscriptions and is in good financial shape. However, we do not have sufficient funding for significant one-off capital costs, which is where we are looking for assistance. There will be no significant ongoing costs for this particular project beyond routine maintenance, which the Club will be able to finance itself.

**3 – Additional information to support and strengthen your application e.g consultation, community involvement, energy efficiency measures**

**Please tell us more about the organisations and groups that are involved in your project, who will benefit from the award and how will you know that it is making a difference.**

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Extensive Community consultation was undertaken by the King George V Playing Fields Deveopment Project Group, chaired by Caspar Hull under the auspices of Melksham Town Council (contact: Maggie Giddings maggie.giddings@melkshamtown.co.uk ) which identified nets and all-weather cricket facilities as one of the primary requirements in the playing fields by the young people of Melksham. Currently Melksham’s young cricketers have to travel to practice nets at Warminster Cricket Club, a distance of over 14 miles. The facilities provided by Beanacre Cricket Club will be available for hire by other, smaller cricket clubs in the district when not being used. Benefits for young people include teamwork, fresh air, enjoyment in participation, an element of fitness and mental alertness, self respect, self esteem, learning.

**4 – Relationship between your project and Wiltshire Council priorities. Which of the following statements apply to the project/service your hope to provide? Please tick as many as you think apply.**

| <b>The project will:</b>   |                                     |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Engage with local people to find out their priorities and work with them to deliver solutions  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Increase number of local people involved in regular volunteering   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Increase the number of affordable homes  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Improve access to services for people with dementia  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Improve access to primary care services for people with learning disabilities  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Encourage people to make lifestyle changes that will have a positive impact on the health of both themselves and their family        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Improve adult participation in sport   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Improve young people's participation in positive activities  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Improve business productivity through innovation e.g. provide business with specific information, knowledge events and other support | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Increase the number of people who feel safe in their community   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Improve local area through intergenerational activities such as street clean ups and community events                                | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Reduce perceptions of antisocial behaviour   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Reduce deaths through accidents  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Increase uptake of energy efficiency and renewable energy measures   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Increase levels of recycling and re-using household waste especially amongst those people who currently do not recycle               | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Increase awareness of climate change adaptation, leading to action taken by individuals, communities and businesses                  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Reduce carbon emissions from transport through development, sustainable transport, traffic management and new technology             | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Improve local biodiversity   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

**THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MUST BE PROVIDED, FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN THE APPLICATION BEING REJECTED**

**5 – Information relating to your last annual accounts (if applicable)**

|                                  |                       |                   |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Year Ending:</b> 2009         | <b>Month:</b> October | <b>Year:</b> 2009 |
| <b>Total Income:</b>             | £6322.40              |                   |
| <b>Minus Total Expenditure:</b>  | £5920.34              |                   |
| <b>Surplus/Deficit for year:</b> | £402.06               |                   |
| <b>Reserves held:</b>            | £2921.25              |                   |

**6 - Financial Information**

| <b>PROJECT COSTS A</b><br>Please provide a <u>full</u> breakdown e.g equipment, installation etc.   |               | <b>PROJECT INCOME B</b><br>Please list all sources of funding for this project, as provisional (P) or confirmed (C) |     |               |
|---|---------------|---|-----|---------------|
|   |               |   | P/C |               |
| BOLA Cricket Bowling machine<br>(see <a href="http://www.bola.co.uk/">http://www.bola.co.uk/</a> )  | £2,159        | Club savings from fund-raising  | C   | £500          |
|   | £             |   |     | £             |
|   | £             | BCC Youth Section contribution  | C   | £1,000        |
| Mobile wheeled cricket cage<br>with PVC backed playing surface<br>(see <a href="http://www.fitness-sports.co.uk">www.fitness-sports.co.uk</a> ) | £1,949        |   |     | £             |
|   | £             | Underspend from 2009/10 funds   | P   | £54           |
|   | £             |   |     | £             |
| Prices include VAT at 17.5%   | £             |   |     | £             |
|   | £             |   |     | £             |
|   | £             |   |     | £             |
|   | £             |   |     | £             |
| <b>TOTAL PROJECT EXPENDITURE</b>  | <b>£4,108</b> | <b>TOTAL PROJECT INCOME</b>   |     | <b>£1,554</b> |

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| <b>Total Project Income B</b>                         | £1,554  |
| <b>Total Project Expenditure A</b>                    | £4,108  |
| <b>Project Shortfall A - B</b>                        | £2,554  |
| <b>Award sought from Wiltshire Council Area Board</b> | £2,554  |
| <b>Is your organisation able to claim VAT?</b>        | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

**7 – Management**

**How many people are involved in the management of your group/organisation?**

|   |        |          |
|---|--------|----------|
| <b>People Over 50 years</b>               | Male 4 | Female 2 |
| <b>People Under 25 years</b>              | Male 2 | Female 1 |
| <b>Disabled People</b>                    | Male 0 | Female 0 |
| <b>Black &amp; Minority Ethnic people</b> | Male 1 | Female 0 |

**8 – Supporting Information – Please enclose the following documentation**

**Enclosed (please tick)**

- Latest inspected/audited accounts or Annual Report
- Income & expenditure budget for current financial year
- Project budget (if applicable)
- Terms of Reference/Constitution/Group Rules

**For new groups, only the group's terms of reference and a projected income and expenditure budget covering a period of 12 months is required.**

**9 – Equal Opportunities – To assist us with our equalities monitoring please indicate whether your application is specifically targeted at people within one or more of the six equality strands. You may tick yes for more than one category e.g. if your project is for ethnic minority senior citizens.**

**Please note that by answering NO to any of the following questions WILL NOT PREJUDICE your application.**

**a) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people of a specific age?**

Yes  No If 'Yes' please tick...  Under 25's  Over 50's

**b) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people with disabilities (physical or mental/emotional)?**

Yes  No

**c) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people of a specific gender?**

Yes  No If 'Yes' please tick....  Male  Female

**d) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people of a specific sexuality?**

Yes  No If 'Yes' please tick....  Gay  Lesbian  Bisexual

**e) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people from a specific ethnic background?**

Yes  No If 'Yes', indicate the ethnic background of the people who will benefit from your project.

**White**  British  Irish  Other **Mixed**  Mixed ethnic background

**Asian or Asian British**  Indian  Pakistani  Bangladeshi  Other Asian

**Black or Black British**  Caribbean  African  Other Black

**Chinese or other ethnic group**  Chinese  Other ethnic group

**f) Is your project targeted towards, or of particular relevance to, people from a specific religion or faith?**

(e.g. a Muslim women's sports club, which encourages active participation, rather than promoting religious beliefs)

Yes  No If 'Yes' please specify

**10 – Declaration (on behalf of organisation or group) – I confirm that.....**

Accounts and quotes where appropriate are enclosed.

A copy of our constitution or terms of reference are enclosed.

The information on this form is correct, that any award received will be spent on the activities specified, that I will complete a monitoring form (if requested) following completion of the project.

If an award is received, I will complete and return an evaluation sheet

That any other form of licence or approval for this project has been received prior to submission of this application

That the necessary policies and procedures will be in place prior to the commencement of the project outlined in this application.  Child Protection  Public Liability Insurance

Equal Opportunities  Access Audit  Environmental Impact

Planning permission applied for (date) or granted (date)

That acknowledgement will be given of Wiltshire Council support in any publicity or printed material.

I give permission for press and media coverage by Wiltshire Council in relation to this project.

Name:

Position in organisation:

Date: 15/02/2010

Please return your completed application to the appropriate Area Board Locality Team (see pages 9-10)