

<b>Report to</b>	<b>Tidworth Area Board</b>
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>January 2012</b>
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Town and Parish Council Jubilee/Olympics celebration bids</b>
<b>Purpose of Report</b>	
<p><b>1. To ask Councillors to consider 9 (1 joint) applications seeking 2011/12 Community Area Board Funding towards celebration of the Queens Diamond Jubilee or Olympics 2012.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Collingbourne Ducis Parish Council</b> is applying for the sum of £1,000 to support two events, one to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012 and one to celebrate the Olympics on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2012.</li> <li>• <b>Everleigh Parish Council</b> is applying for the sum of £998.10 towards a street party event to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee on 4<sup>th</sup> June 2012</li> <li>• <b>Chute and Chute Forest Parish Councils</b> jointly applying for £1748.68 towards a Diamond Jubilee celebratory Chute Party to be held on Chute causeway on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012.</li> <li>• <b>Enford Parish Council</b> is applying for the sum of £990 for a celebration day to mark the Queens Diamond Jubilee, to be held on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2012.</li> <li>• <b>Netheravon Parish Council</b> is applying for the sum of £1,000 for a village celebration of the Diamond Jubilee on 5<sup>th</sup> June as well as an ambitious programme of supporting events</li> <li>• <b>Fittleton Parish Council</b> is applying for £1,000 towards a joint celebration with Netheravon</li> <li>• <b>Ludgershall Town Council</b> is applying for £1,000 toward a community fete to be held on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2012 to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee</li> <li>• <b>Tidworth Town Council</b> is applying for the sum of £1,000 towards Project Flaming Torch, a series of community events to be held on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2012 the same day as the Olympic Torch passes through the Town.</li> <li>• <b>Collingbourne Kingston Parish Council</b> is applying for £1,000 towards a community event to be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012 to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee</li> </ul>	<p><u>Officer Recommendation</u></p> <p><b>Award in full</b></p> <p><b>Award to be determined</b></p> <p><b>Award to be determined</b></p> <p><b>Award in Full</b></p> <p><b>Award in Full</b></p> <p><b>Award to be determined</b></p> <p><b>Award in Full</b></p> <p><b>Award in Full</b></p> <p><b>Award in Full</b></p>

## Area Board Member-led Project

### 1. What is the Initiative?

A fund of £11,000 from Tidworth Area Board discretionary grants budget 2011/12 for parishes/ community groups who need financial assistance stage to stage celebrations/events to mark the Olympics and/or the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

Parish councils and community groups are able to request up to a maximum of £1,000 for their local celebrations.

### 2. Where is the initiative taking place?

This fund will be managed by Tidworth Area Board and will be made available to all parishes in the Tidworth Community Area.

### 3. When will the initiative take place?

During 2012

### 4. What are the Community benefits/evidence of need/links to Community Plan/Community Issue

Tidworth Area Board anticipates that many of the parishes within the Area will want to stage community events to mark these two national celebrations, and it would like to demonstrate its support for such events, on the basis that these activities will help promote the overall objectives of community engagement and cohesion.

### 5. What is the desired outcome of this initiative?

To support and encourage parishes to organise community events associated with the 2012 Olympics and the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

### 6. Who will Project Manage this initiative?

Each community event will be managed by its own volunteers. The £11,000 fund will be allocated by Tidworth Area Board based on the merits of each application.

**7. Costs/quotes/ match funding?**

Each community event is required to demonstrate a need for financial assistance from the Board and to provide quotes and invoices evidencing the costs of each event.

Match funding is not a condition of this fund. However, the board reserves the right to exercise discretion on each request made, and would prefer to see that financial support is secured from other local sources for each event, e.g. from the parish council or local business sponsor.

**8. Additional information**

The availability of this fund is earmarked for the specific purposes detailed above only, and the Area Board reserves the right to exercise full discretion in how this fund is applied.

All bids to this fund will need to have been submitted and formally considered by the Area Board on 16<sup>th</sup> January 2012.

## **Applications received**

### **1. Collingbourne Ducis Parish Council**

Collingbourne Ducis Parish Council is applying for the sum of £1,000 to support two events, one to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012 and one to celebrate the Olympics on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2012.

The parish council has developed an ambitious programme which is intended to bring the whole parish community together, engender a feeling of national pride and neighbourliness with an emphasis on family and community.

The diamond Jubilee event is expected to attract up to 1,000 people and will consist of a street party, Barbeque, two bands, games and bar.

The Olympic gig is aimed toward the younger age groups and is expected to attract up to 200 people. The event will start in the early evening with live rock and pop classics, food and soft drinks.

The parish council has secured the support of a number of local organisations including Collingbourne school PTA, Collingbourne WI, the Tipple Inn pub, Scouts and Brownies. Other clubs, businesses and societies will also be approached.

The events are fully costed and show contributions from a range of sources, including the parish council. Match funding of £1,000 from the Area Board is required to enable the events to go ahead.

The events will be managed by the Parish Council.

**It is recommended that this bid is supported in full.**

### **2. Everleigh Parish Council**

Everleigh Parish Council is applying for the sum of £998.10 for a Royal Street Party event to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee, to be held on 4<sup>th</sup> June 2012.

The aim of the event is to promote and develop community spirit amongst residents of Everleigh.

The street party will be held on the village playground with games and activities for all ages including

- A number of gazebos/marquees enclosing a games and activities area, including Tug of War, with bunting deployed extensively.
- A Village Hog Roast Pig and Barbeque Area.
- A Bouncy Castle for children and youths.
- BMX bike competitions at the playground.

It is anticipated that over 100 people will attend the event, with ages ranging from 6 to 70 years.

The event is fully costed and the parish council will contribute £150 towards children's prizes bunting, and gas for the hog roasting. Further in kind contributions will be made in terms of setting up and clearing up after the event. Local residents will also contribute food and drinks

towards the event.

The event will be managed by two working parties of the parish council.

**It is recommended that this project is supported in part, to a level to be determined by the area board. Members may want to take into account the level of contribution from the parish council and whether this could be improved or other contributors approached.**

### **3. Chute and Chute Forest Parish Councils**

This is a joint application from the two Chute Parish councils for the sum of £1,748.68 towards a Diamond Jubilee celebratory Chute Party to be held on Chute causeway on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012.

The aim of the event is to encourage the separate villages within the Chutes to get together and meet each other.

It is expected that the event will attract over 200 people of all ages and will include a complimentary hog roast and barbecue plus a band; bouncy castle and mugs for the children. A beacon will also be lit on the causeway

The items above are costed at £1,748.68. The parish councils will fund mobile toilets, fencing, signage and publicity, estimated to total around £550. Chute Club will provide a bar.

In kind contributions will also be made in setting up and clearing up after the event.

The event will be managed by the Parish Councils.

**It is recommended that this application is supported to a level to be determined by the area board. Members may want to consider whether other local sponsors could be approached to support the event.**

### **4. Enford Parish Council**

Enford Parish council is applying for the sum of £990 for a celebration day to mark the Queens Diamond Jubilee, to be held on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2012.

The aim of the event is to maximise community spirit and boost community friendships, particularly for children. In the summer of 2012 the parish will be split into two owing to the closure of the Enford Bridge over the river Avon, this event is viewed as an opportunity to boost morale and bring the local community together.

The event will include a children's tea party for up to 70 children plus parents, a hog roast, which is expected to attract up to 200 adults, diamond jubilee mugs for children, a pageant and races.

The event is costed at £1,590 and donations totalling £600 have been received to date from the Enford Community Fund, Golden Jubilee fund, Royal Wedding Proceeds and the parish council.

**It is recommended that this application is supported in full**

### **5. Netheravon Parish Council**

Netheravon Parish Council is applying for the sum of £1,000 for a village celebration of the

Diamond Jubilee on 5<sup>th</sup> June as well as an ambitious programme of supporting events in the preceding weekends in May.

The aim is to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee and also to generate enthusiasm for community events leading to enhanced support for local events into the future.

The events will include a picnic in the park, sporting challenges, treasure hunt and art and craft exhibition. On 5<sup>th</sup> June attractions will include a bouncy castle, hog roast, Jubilee mugs for children and decorations.

The celebrations are aimed at all age groups and faiths within a large village with population of up to 1500 people.

Local groups and organisations are supporting the events including the Working Men's Club, Mothers Union, Primary School, Businesses and local military families.

The main event is fully costed and the parish council is providing match funding of £1,000.

**It is recommended that this application is supported in full**

#### **6. Fittleton Parish Council including Haxton Village**

Fittleton Parish Council is applying for £1,000 towards a joint celebration with Netheravon as outlined above.

Fittleton parish wish to contribute the cost of entertainers (£900) as well as the purchase of commemorative mugs for the children of the parish (£100).

The parish council will also contribute £300 from its reserves towards the cost of this jointly organised series of events.

**It is recommended that this application is supported to a level to be determined by the area board.**

#### **7. Ludgershall Town Council**

Ludgershall Town Council is applying for £1,000 toward a community fete to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee to be held on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2012.

The aim of the event is to commemorate the diamond jubilee as well as promoting community engagement and cohesion.

The event has the support of local schools, retailers, youth and over 60's clubs, Ludgershall church and gardening club and other local groups and organisations.

The event will include Hog roast, children's entertainment, children's fancy dress with prizes, fire brigade display and junior football competition amongst other activities. To complete the celebrations it is proposed to hold a barn dance in Ludgershall Memorial Hall.

It is anticipated that the whole community will get involved.

Ludgershall Town Council has agreed a grant of £1,000 towards the event.

**It is recommended that this application is approved in full**

### **8. Tidworth Town Council**

Tidworth Town Council is applying for the sum of £1,000 towards Project Flaming Torch, a series of community events to be held on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2012 the same day as the Olympic Torch passes through the Town.

The aim of the event is to promote the ethics and spirit of the Olympics and bring the diverse local community made up of military and civilians together.

The MOD will be a key partner in the event which will involve schools in an Olympic sports day, other local groups and organisations will be involved. Attractions include bouncy castles, sumo sets, space hoppers and race tracks.

The event is partially costed at this stage as plans are still in development. The town council will contribute funds and the MOD will assist with facilities and other resources. It is expected that the event will attract between 1,000 and 2,000 local residents.

The project will be managed by a committee of the Town Council and members of the local community.

**It is recommended that this project is supported in full.**

### **9. Collingbourne Kingston Parish Council**

Collingbourne Kingston Parish Council is applying for £1,000 towards a community event to be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012.

The aim of the event is to enable the residents of Collingbourne Kingston, Aughton and Brunton to get together to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee and the coming of the Olympic games. The desired outcome is strengthening of cohesion among the hamlets and encouraging friendly and health competition between them.

The event will include traditional races for children, an inter- hamlet tug of war, a barn dance, Bar B Que along with side events and stalls. Commemorative mugs will be given to local children. Full details have yet to be finalised.

The bid is to cover the cost of marquee and a contribution to the commemorative mugs. The village hall committee will run fundraising events to cover the cost of the other activities listed. Other local volunteers will also be involved.

The village hall committee will manage the project.

**It is recommended that this application is supported in full**

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