

## Parish/Town Council Golden Jubilee/Olympics 2012 Project Application Form -Tidworth Area Board

### 1. What is/are the project(s)?

Project Flaming Torch  
Community Events 11 July 2012

### 2. Where is/are the project(s) taking place? (name of Parish)

Tidworth & Perham Down

### 3. When will the project(s) take place?

11 July 2012

### 4. Please outline:

- **Community benefits**
- **Community groups/other partners involved**
- **Number and ages of intended beneficiaries**

The Town Council plan to use the Olympic Torch coming through Tidworth as an opportunity to engage our diverse community, a community made up of Civilian and Military personnel, private households and social housing. I and the Deputy Mayor have already met with all the schools within Tidworth with the view of holding an Olympic sports day and work throughout the term in preparation for the Olympics. I (Mayor of Tidworth) have also met with the Garrison with a view as to how the Military will play their part and have agreed that we will work together on both the Olympics & Jubilee, however the Town Council will lead on the Torch. I have also spoken with the Scouts and have more meetings in January with other groups.

We have also asked the schools if they would like to design banners, which would then be turned into Lamp post banners for the duration of the Olympics/Jubilee.

Ages catered for will be from the youngest school children through to the oldest residents in the Town.

This will be a complete community event so would think the numbers would be in the region of 1000 – 2000 people.

The Town Council have requested from the MOD the use of Tidworth Oval and Sports pitches (for the schools), the sports pitches are to be used for a Funfair and side stalls, along with activities for the Children (bouncy castles, climbing wall), it is planned that these will be free of charge to the public.

The Town Council are also looking into laying on a band or number of bands and a stage for this event.

### 5. What is/are the desired outcome/s of this/these project(s)?

The desired outcomes of this event would be for the children a greater understanding of the ethics of the Olympics and the importance of it coming to the UK and the torch coming through Tidworth.

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It will also be a good morale booster for the community bringing a feeling of togetherness across the whole Town.

## 6. Who will Project Manage this/these project(s)?

The project will be managed but a committee of councillors from Tidworth Town Council and members of the community.

## 7. Please confirm costs and provide quotes where applicable

Approximate costs:

Use of Oval and Pitches £400-600.

Funfair £500 – 1000

Toilets £?

Lamp post banners £?

Bands £10,000 – 15,000

Confirmed costs:

one children's castle, one adult castle, one children's sumo set, one adult sumo set and one space hopper race track with two members of staff to supervise all the attractions (for health and safety reasons). £360.00

## 8. Additional information in support of the project(s), including other sources of funding applied for/received and Town/Parish Council contribution.

Tidworth Town Council will be providing financial support in the region of £5-10,000 and it is hoped that the cost of the Oval and Pitches may be waived by the MOD (Aspire).

As we have both the Olympics and the Jubilee within weeks of each other we have decided that it is best to reduce the risk of over stretching ourselves by sharing the load with the MOD.

As I said at the start of this form, the Town Council are going to lead on the Olympics with assistance from the MOD and they will lead on the Jubilee with assistance from the Town Council.

Both will involve groups from within the community.

We therefore respectfully request grant funding of £1000.00

I would ask that you look favourably upon this request.

Signed

Date 12/12/2011