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Report to	South West Wiltshire Area Board
Date of Meeting	22 March 2012
Title of Report	Diamond Jubilee / Olympic Torch Celebration applications in South West Wiltshire

## **Purpose of Report**

For Councillors to consider funding applications of up to £1000 (£2000 for Mere, Tisbury and Wilton), either from or with the support of Parish Councils, for the purpose of holding celebrations for the Diamond Jubilee and/or the Olympic Torch route in 2012.

Parish Council	Brief description of Celebration	Amount
Chicklade	Celebratory BBQ	£1,000
Donhead St Mary	Celebration lunch, sports day and activities followed by tea	£1,000
Hindon	Street party with teas, BBQ and children's competitions, followed by evening celebration with live band and dancing.	£1,000
Swallowcliffe	Three days of events including village meet with music and dancing, village and church commemoration, village walk and BBQ including planting of oak tree, and lighting a beacon.	£900
Teffont	Day of community activities culminating in an evening street party.	£1,000
Fovant	Five day jubilee event, including village tea, young villagers disco, cricket match, BBQ and beacon fire and tree planting workshop. Olympic Torch event including welcome breakfast and route lining.	£1,000
Sutton Mandeville	Two day Jubilee event, including bonfire and BBQ, tea party for children and planting a tree with a plaque. Olympic Torch celebratory BBQ brunch.	£1,000
Sedgehill and Semley	Tea party in Sedgehill, including a BBQ and entertainment. Fete, tea party, beacon lighting and fireworks in Semley.	£1,000
Barford St Martin	Series of celebration events, including a picnic alongside entertainment with live music/dancing in the evening.	£1,000
Burcombe	Jubilee party including hog roast, tea party, childrens' activities and entertainment.	£1,000
Dinton	Two day Jubilee event, including evening dance and BBQ, and lunch with entertainment.	£1,000
Quidhampton	Street party with entertainment, village photo competition followed by hog roast and evening disco.	£1,000
Bishopstone	'Party in the Park' including live music, disco, talent show, hog roast and activities for children and adults.	£750
TOTAL		£12,650

- 1.1 An outline of the Diamond Jubilee / Olympic Torch celebration proposal, including the criteria for consideration and the application form, is included within the documents for this Area Board meeting. Councillors allocated funds totalling £41,000 towards this proposal during the Area Board meeting on 29 February 2012 (see appendix 1).
- 1.2 The Board has received 13 requests for this funding, either from or supported by the Parish Councils listed in the table above.
- 1.3 Parish Councils will manage any funds awarded and ensure that they are spent as outlined within applications. Any unspent funds will be returned by the Parish Council within 3 months of the event being held.

<u>Recommendation:</u> To approve the funding as set out in the table above with the condition that each Parish Council that receives funding for celebrations must provide South West Wiltshire Area Board with confirmation that the event has taken place, a simple account summary detailing how funds were used and photographic / video proof within 3 months of the event being held.

Appendices:	Appendix 1 - South West Wiltshire Area Board Diamond Jubilee / Olympic Torch Celebration proposal and application form
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