

Report to	Westbury
Date of Meeting	04/04/2019
Title of Report	Community Youth Grants

1. Purpose of the report:

To ask Councillors to consider the following applications seeking funding from the Westbury Area Board.

Application	Grant Amount	
Applicant: Sovereign Housing Association Project Title: POP-up Fun Day 2019 Young Peoples Activities	£1000.00	
Total grant amount requested at this meeting	£1000.00	

2. Main Considerations

Councillors will need to be satisfied that grants awarded in the 2019/20 year are made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of the award being made.

Area Boards have authority to approve Area Grants under powers delegated to them by the Cabinet member for Communities, Campuses, Area Boards, Leisure, Libraries and Flooding. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the Area Board Grants Guidance 2019/20.

Community Youth Grants will contribute to the continuance and/or improvement of cultural, social and community activity and wellbeing in the community area, the extent and specifics of which will be dependent upon the individual project.

Community Youth Grants give all local community and voluntary groups, Town and Parish Councils an equal opportunity to receive funding towards community based projects and schemes.

3. The applications

Applicant: Sovereign Housing Association Project Title: POP-up Fun Day 2019 Young Peoples Activities	Amount Requested from Area Board: £1000.00	
Project Summary: POPCAN is a community group located in the Penleigh and Oldfield Park area of Westbury. We have been working in partnership with Team10 - a group of local young people and Sovereign Housing Association to create an annual community event held for the first time last year. We want to fund activities that attract young people to participate in this years event and gather feedback from them to help us develop strong community priorities for the area. This will involve funding another Skate Park activities session and a Performance Poet as part of the event to engage a wide range of young people. From these activities we aim to recruit some young people from the 13-25 age bracket to become engaged in ongoing young peoples engagement activities so they feel more connected to their community. CEM input This application fulfils the necessary grant criteria		

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