

<b>Report to</b>	Marlborough Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	28/01/2020
<b>Title of Report</b>	Community Area Grant funding

**Purpose of the report:**

To consider the applications for funding listed below

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Amount requested</b>
<b>Applicant:</b> Friends of Aldbourne Band <b>Project Title:</b> Friends of Aldbourne Band New Instruments  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£4781.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Carer Support Wiltshire <b>Project Title:</b> Carer Outreach Campaign at Savernake Community Hospital  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£2084.00

**1. Background**

Area Boards have authority to approve Area Grants under powers delegated to them. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the [Area Board Grants Guidance](#)

[The funding criteria and application forms](#) are available on the council's website.

**2. Main Considerations**

2.1. Councillors will need to be satisfied that funding awarded in the 2015/2016 year is made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of it being awarded.

2.2. Councillors must ensure that the distribution of funding is in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation to Area Boards.

2.3. Councillors will need to be satisfied that the applications meet the Community Area Board grants criteria.

**3. Environmental & Community Implications**

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

#### 4. Financial Implications

Financial provision had been made to cover this expenditure.

#### 5. Legal Implications

There are no specific legal implications related to this report.

#### 6. Human Resources Implications

There are no specific human resources implications related to this report.

#### 7. Equality and Inclusion Implications

Community Area Boards must fully consider the equality impacts of their decisions in order to meet the Council's Public Sector Equality Duty.

Community Area Grants will give local community and voluntary groups, Town and Parish Council's equal opportunity to receive funding towards community based projects and schemes, where they meet the funding criteria.

#### 8. Safeguarding Implications

The Area Board has ensured that the necessary policies and procedures are in place to safeguard children, young people and vulnerable adults.

#### 9. Applications for consideration

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">3532</a>	Friends of Aldbourne Band	Friends of Aldbourne Band New Instruments	£4781.00
<b>Project Description:</b> In line with previous Area Board decisions we wish to purchase a new high quality Eb Bass or Tuba for Aldbourne Band to enhance the musical quality of this nationally recognised brass band which is still very much a village community band.			
<b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> This application meets the community grants scheme criteria for 2019/20. Affordable access to cultural activities was selected as a local priority for the Marlborough community area in the previous Joint Strategic Needs Assessment.			
<b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">3571</a>	Carer Support Wiltshire	Carer Outreach Campaign at Savernake Community Hospital	£2084.00
<b>Project Description:</b> Carer Support Wiltshire CSW seeks support from the Marlborough Area Board to launch a carer-outreach campaign at Savernake Community Hospital. Carers often have an increased presence in hospitals because of their caring role which in turn can lead to heightened feelings of stress and anxiety and can be made worse by a			

lack of relevant accessible and practical information and advice within the hospital environment. We seek funding for resources - including posters leaflets cards volunteer uniforms and carer friendly badges for hospital staff - to better identify engage and support unpaid carers in Savernake Community Hospital.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

This application meets the health and wellbeing grants scheme criteria for 2019/20. Mental health was selected as a local priority for the Marlborough community area in the previous Joint Strategic Needs Assessment.

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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