| Report to | Bradford on Avon Area Board | |
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| Date of Meeting | 11/03/2020 | |
| Title of Report | Community Area Grant funding | |

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below.

| Applicant | Amount requested |
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| Applicant: Holt Pre-School Project Title: Holt Pre-School - New Building - Kitchen Facilities View full application | £5000.00 |
| Applicant: Staverton Rangers fc Project Title: Ground maintenance View full application | £1100.00 |
| Applicant: Wiltshire Music Centre Trust Ltd. Project Title: Wiltshire Music Centre community pilot project at Selwood housing View full application | £588.79 |
| Applicant: Carer Support Wiltshire Project Title: Carers Choir View full application | £1372.00 |
| Applicant: Bradford on Avon Rowing Club Project Title: Cabinet to house defibrillator for public use in park View full application | £570.00 |

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 <u>Area Board Grants Guidance</u>

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 2019/2020 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 |
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| <u>3649</u> | HOIT Pre-School | Holt Pre-School - New Building - Kitchen Facilities | £5000.00 |

Project Description:

Holt Pre-School are in the process of replacing their existing singular mobile building which is beyond economic repair. Part of the building replacement project Holt Pre-School need funds to fit out a kitchen area to be used by staff and pre-school children. A new kitchen area would allow the children to explore their cooking skills and develop their knowledge about food where it comes from and what is healthy and unhealthy. The upgrade of these facilities will encourage a greater use of this building by the community and various groups e.g. for children's parties providing refreshments for the village scarecrow hunt and for seasonal fayres.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.



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| <u>3707</u> | Staverton Rangers fc | Ground maintenance | £1100.00 |

Project Description:

Due to the club numbers our pitches are being well used and in need of major repairs this summer to maintain the pitches we need to carry out the following 165x4 per treatment and application of 3-4 times a year oasis water conserve treatment is required this will be an additional £125 for 7v7 6v6 £120 and £145 for 9v9. Topsoil and the rye grass seed would be £715 a year total treatment £2415, £600 labour.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

| Application ID | Applicant | Project Proposal | Requested |
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| <u>3663</u> | Wiltshire Music Centre Trust Ltd. | Wiltshire Music Centre community pilot project at Selwood housing | £588.79 |

Project Description:

Wiltshire Music Centre and Selwood Housing Ltd will deliver a creative arts pilot project in three sheltered housing schemes in Bradford on Avon between May September 2020. A singing workshop will be delivered in each of the three newly refurbished community lounges of St Margaret's Court St Aldhelms and Cedar Court raising awareness of these community spaces amongst older residents and the wider community and encouraging social activity within each scheme. Residents will be invited to a further event at Wiltshire Music Centre based on the feedback and interests gathered in the sessions.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

(CEM put your input here)

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

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| <u>3641</u> | Carer Support Wiltshire | Carers Choir | £1372.00 |

Project Description:

We seek support to run a carers choir in Bradford on Avon. Singing in a choir has many health benefits - research indicates that people who participate in a choir enjoy a greater feelings of togetherness reduced stress levels and depression and improved mental and physical well-being. Carers rarely get a break and a choir will give them the opportunity to do this as well as develop their singing abilities grow in confidence and get support from their peers. We need funding to cover the costs of a venue refreshments choir director and volunteers.



Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

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| <u>3655</u> | | Cabinet to house defibrillator for public use in park | £570.00 |

Project Description:

Bradford on Avon Rowing Club has purchased a fully automatic defibrillator for use by club members. However, it is felt that if we house the unit in the exterior wall of the boathouse alongside a public footpath then it will also be available to the public users of Barton Farm Country Park

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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