

Report to	Bradford on Avon Area Board
Date of Meeting	03/03/2021
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below.

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Winsley Cricket Club Project Title: Winsley Cricket Ground Replacement Fencing View full application	£1150.00
Applicant: Wiltshire Music Centre Trust Ltd. Project Title: Wiltshire Music Centre New Boiler View full application	£5000.00
Applicant: Arts Together Project Title: Arts Together Bradford on Avon Group View full application	£3017.95
Applicant: South Wraxall Parish Council Project Title: South Wraxall Parish Defibrillators View full application	£4102.50
Applicant: Winsley Parish Council Project Title: Purchase of community amenity land in Winsley View full application	Up to £5000

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 2020/2021 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
4156	Winsley Cricket Club	Winsley Cricket Ground Replacement Fencing	£1150.00

Project Description:

The boundary fence on the Avon Valley side of the ground has become dilapidated. Fence posts are rotting wire mesh fencing breaking and young people now jump the fence to retrieve balls. The Joint Owners of the Club under the name of Winsley Cricket Management Committee have required the Club to tidy up the boundary fences. The Club has replaced the boundary fence on the Manor side of the ground at a cost of 1800.00 this winter. The boundary fences are about 120 yards long with meshed wire to prevent cricket balls having to be recovered from adjacent fields and have wooden gates to access balls that have been hit over the fence.

<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
4150	Wiltshire Music Centre Trust Ltd.	Wiltshire Music Centre New Boiler	£5000.00
<p>Project Description: Wiltshire Music Centres existing boiler and heating system is as old as the building itself over 24 years old it is no longer being manufactured as it is not able to meet the nitrogen oxide NOx emission levels set out in ErP regulation Ideal Commercial Boilers. In March 2020 in investigating a gas leak two of three boiler modules were identified as faulty one of which we were able to repair as a temporary measure. However, the third module is beyond repair. We urgently need a full boiler replacement to re-establish adequate heating levels and reduce our emissions.</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
4176	Arts Together	Arts Together Bradford on Avon Group	£3017.95
<p>Project Description: To provide meaningful creative activities for isolated and vulnerable older people to mitigate the effects of social isolation.</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
4165	South Wraxall Parish Council	South Wraxall Parish Defibrillators	£4102.50
<p>Project Description: The project is to provide and manage three community defibrillators to cover both Upper and Lower South Wraxall and Bradford Leigh which will provide invaluable medical support to anyone suffering a cardiac arrest</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

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4178	Winsley Parish Council	Purchase of community amenity land in Winsley	£0 -5000
<p>Project Description: Winsley Parish Council wants to be in a position to purchase at auction a piece of land in Winsley to ensure its continued use as community amenity land. The land has been used for recreation by the community since the Tying estate was built in the late 1960s. Whilst Winsley is surrounded by open countryside there is relatively little amenity space within the village that children can easily access. This piece of land is seen as a very important community asset particularly for younger children.</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

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

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