



Salisbury Area Board - Older and Vulnerable Adults grants report

The Salisbury Area Board’s Health and Wellbeing group met on Friday 26th May, including attendances from Karlene Jammeh (Area Board Delivery Officer), Cllr Caroline Corbin (Health and Wellbeing lead), Helen Dowse (Carers Champion) and feedback gained via email from Anne Trevett (Chair of Safer and Supportive Salisbury) and Pip Loach (Senior Prevention and Wellbeing Officer).

Grant applications were reviewed and extensively discussed by the panel of volunteers and officers that benefit and improve older and vulnerable residents’ health and wellbeing in Salisbury and seek to address the local priorities for Salisbury:



- ❖ Youth engagement, employment and positive activity opportunities
- ❖ Addressing climate change
- ❖ Supporting positive mental health and wellbeing
- ❖ Supporting under-represented groups
- ❖ Improving transport and access

The total amount remaining in the Older and Vulnerable Adults grants fund for 2023/24 is £7,700.00.

One Older and Vulnerable Adults grant application for Salisbury was presented to the group and the following recommendations have been made to the Salisbury Area Board:

Grant application	Project cost	Amount requested	Amount recommended	Rationale
Supporting Refugees in Salisbury - Movement exercise group for refugees in our community	£500.00	£500.00	£500.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The panel agreed that this project is a valuable initiative to engage and make accessible to all refugee groups and Eastern European residents in Salisbury • There is evidence from the pilot project that these sessions have positively impacted the health and wellbeing of refugees and helps with integration into the Salisbury community • The panel recommend the full amount of £500.00 to be awarded
TOTAL	£500.00	£500.00	£500.00	