

<b>Report to</b>	Tidworth Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	16/01/2017
<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> Tidworth <b>Project Title:</b> Ludgershall Memory Cafe  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£320.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Collingbourne Kingston Village Hall <b>Project Title:</b> Collingbourne Kingston Village Hall cavity wall insulation  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£966.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Tidworth and District WI <b>Project Title:</b> Tidworth and District WI equipment  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£395.97
<b>Applicant:</b> Great Bustard Group <b>Project Title:</b> Great Bustard Reintroduction and Visitor Equipment  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£2100.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Avon valley community shed <b>Project Title:</b> Avon Valley Community Shed startup funding  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£2000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> The Any Body Can Cook Community Interest Company <b>Project Title:</b> Any Body Can Cook @ Clarendon  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1450.00

<p><b>Applicant:</b> Ludgershall Youth Services  <b>Project Title:</b> Ludgershall Youth Centre Security Fencing CCTV</p> <p><a href="#">View full application</a></p>	<p>£5000.00</p>
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## 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="#">2215</a>	Tidworth	Ludgershall Memory Cafe	£320.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> Ludgershall Memory Cafe is run for the benefit of the Tidworth Area Board Community. The cafe has proved a great success within the Ludgershall area. Regular events are organised ie. Live music where members can sing along. Craft making cards table decorations Painting class Talks on other hobbies. The grant is required for the purchase of equipment to enable these activities to take place.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> Dementia Cafés provide a safe, comfortable and supportive environment for people with dementia and their carers to socialise. As well offering a range of fun and engaging activities, Dementia Cafés give both carers and people with dementia a chance to get information and advice and talk to others with similar problems. These regular social groups improve well-being and reduce isolation for whole families. New friendships are often formed and people who attend leave the sessions feeling like they have a better quality of life.</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2197</a>	Collingbourne Kingston Village Hall	Collingbourne Kingston Village Hall cavity wall insulation	£966.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> The Hall was constructed in the 1940s and has been extended twice. All the outer walls have been examined by a surveyor and found suitable for filling with insulation. Heating is a major expense for the Hall so reducing the amount of oil needed will help the Hall committee to keep hiring costs down. Youth groups in particular are currently charged a low rate which barely meets the present heating costs.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> A Village or Community Hall is one of the most valuable assets of any community. A properly maintained building can provide facilities for social, educational and recreational activities for all ages. A well equipped and up to date hall that is accessible to all is important to maintaining the health and wellbeing of local people.</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2152</a>	Tidworth and District	Tidworth and District WI	£395.97

	WI	equipment	
<p><b>Project Description:</b> We would like some help with funding for a projector and screen for use at our monthly meetings. we also intend to use banners to advertise our fundraising events. We need some financial assistance for this.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> The WI plays a unique role in providing women with educational opportunities and the chance to build new skills, to take part in a wide variety of activities and to campaign on issues that matter to them and their communities.</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2184</a>	Great Bustard Group	Great Bustard Reintroduction and Visitor Equipment	£2100.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> The project is to create a specific area for rearing the Great Bustard chicks hatched from wild eggs imported from Spain. This will leave the existing reserve area free of wild nesting birds - last year there were 7 nests made and this number will raise each year. It will also improve the conditions of rearing the birds and help further improve survival rates by releasing better birds. A second part of the project is to provide the public visitors with good quality binoculars and a telescope. Many visitors to the project are not birdwatchers and are attracted by the cultural and county associations of the Bustard. Providing good viewing optics will enhance their visit and understanding of the importance of the project.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> The Great Bustard is Wiltshire's bird but sadly in general a missing piece of UK wildlife heritage. There still remains plenty of habitat suitable for Great Bustards in the UK, in particular the rolling downland and arable fields of Salisbury Plain.. However, their population decline and fragmentation means recolonisation is unlikely to occur without this reintroduction programme.</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2190</a>	Avon valley community shed	Avon Valley Community Shed startup funding	£2000.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> The AVCS has just been setup as part of the Mens Shed movement and we need some initial funding for tools promotional materials and basic equipment.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> A recent Age UK survey revealed that more than one million people aged over 65</p>			

are often or always lonely, with two-fifths saying that their main form of company is the television.

A Community Shed provides a communal place of skills sharing, informal learning, of individual pursuits & community projects, of purpose, achievement & social interaction. Men's Sheds are social groups that are self-governed, have their own constitution, their own income and their own meeting place. How each shed looks and the activities that take place in them depend entirely on the skills and interests of the group. Shedders are gardeners, artists, collectors, story-tellers, amateur radio enthusiasts, train spotters, model makers.....Anyone is welcome!

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2195</a>	The Any Body Can Cook Community Interest Company	Any Body Can Cook @ Clarendon	£1450.00

**Project Description:**

Two 3 week cookery courses for local parents delivered through Clarendon school. We are looking to accredit these through AQA Unit award scheme and offer a slow cooker for parents to use at home after the course.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

The Child Poverty profiles for Tidworth Community Area shows that 25.5% of reception year children are obese/overweight compared to 21.2% across Wiltshire and in Year 6 the figure is 33% compared to a Wiltshire average of 29.6%.

This project will offer some targeted families the skills to cook healthy meals for their families.

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">2211</a>	Ludgershall Youth Services	Ludgershall Youth Centre Security Fencing CCTV	£5000.00

**Project Description:**

The Ludgershall Youth Centre has just been taken over by new trustees who are keen to see the youth centre reopened and available to the youth of Ludgershall area. The trustees are keen to ensure the facility is secure before opening.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

Providing positive leisure time activities for young people was one of the priorities at the recent Our Community Matters, JSA event, Seeing the Ludgershall Youth Centre reopen will help achieve this.

**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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