

<b>Report To</b>	<b>Malmesbury Area Board</b>
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Tuesday, 07 June 2022</b>
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Malmesbury Area Grant Report</b>

## Purpose of the Report

- To provide detail of the grant applications made to the Malmesbury Area Board. These could include; community area grants, health and wellbeing, young person's grants and Area Board initiatives.
- To document any recommendations provided through subgroups.

## Area Board Current Financial Position

	Community Area Grants	Young People	Health and Wellbeing
<b>Opening Balance For</b> <u>2022-23</u>	£ 17,219.00	£ 14,679.00	£ 7,700.00
<b>Awarded To Date</b>	£ 0.00	£ 1,038.00	£ 0.00
<b>Current Balance</b>	£ 17,219.00	£ 13,641.00	£ 7,700.00
<b>Balance if all grants are agreed based on recommendations</b>	£ 5,004.04	£ 13,641.00	£ 7,700.00

## Grant Funding Application Summary

Application Reference	Grant Type	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
<a href="#">ABG542</a>	Community Area Grant	Oaksey Village Hall	Oaksey Village Hall Electrical Efficiency Project	£6636.60	£3318.30
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>Oaksey Village Hall is now 22 years old, and is beginning to require some updates to maintain its utility and embrace advancements in technology. The Village Hall is powered (heating and lighting) totally by electricity, the cost of which is increasing. In order to reduce costs this project intends to replace all existing lighting with more efficient LED lighting, leading to more sustainable operating costs for the Village Hall.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG594</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Charlton Parish Council	Charlton Village and Parish Platinum Jubilee Tea Party	£200.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>An open-to-all tea party in the Village Hall on Fri 3 Jun with special emphasis on childrens' games.</b></p>					

<a href="#">ABG614</a>	Community Area Grant	Caerbladon CIC	Caerbladon Arts startup costs	£10300.00	£5000.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>With encouragement from the Town Team and Town Council, we have established Caerbladon as a Community Interest Company (CIC) to offer Malmesbury residents of all ages and backgrounds the opportunity to see and be inspired by the work of local artists and makers, and also to get creative themselves by participating in artist-led workshops, creative walks, talks and events. From our new gallery/community hub on Market Cross, we will be organising exhibitions, events and activities all year round in venues across Malmesbury, working in partnership with the Abbey, Museum, Flying Monk Art Trail, WOMAD, and local schools and community organisations. We also provide art materials and supplies at affordable prices to support aspiring artists, at whatever level. As a phase one of our start-up, we used our own funds to undertake a basic fit-out of the gallery/shop, design and brand development, broadband connectivity and the setting up of a prototype holding website. We are now seeking funding towards the next stage costs for a laptop computer with creative software, additional website design and build costs, equipment and furniture for workshops and events, information displays and portable exhibition display panels for use in a variety of community venues and for outdoor events. The difference our project makes for the people of Malmesbury and the surrounding area is that there will be year-round support for anyone who wants to express themselves creatively, new opportunities to come together socially and enjoy exhibitions and events, contributing to community cohesion and individual wellbeing, and in doing so we will make Malmesbury a more confident and richer cultural destination, for the benefit of local residents and visitors alike. We also support artists and makers in the Malmesbury area by exhibiting their work and employing them to deliver workshops and other activities, and we are committed to environmental sustainability and using local supplies wherever possible.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG645</a>	Community Area Grant	Sustainable Sherston	Apple Day juicing equipment grant	£2793.33	£1396.66
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>The Food Group of Sustainable Sherston would like to repeat and build on the success of our first Apple Day and juice making last October and to make this a yearly event in the Sherston calendar. Our event was a celebration of local food and harvest, using excess apples around the village that in previous years have gone to waste, creating local juice and raising awareness about local food, food waste and the value to biodiversity of apple trees and orchards, set in our community orchard. Our Apple Day last year was a great success welcoming over 100 people of all ages, from all parts of the community with free entry, set in our newly planted community orchard. We had a variety of environmentally themed stalls, games organised by the school, the opportunity to have a go on an apple press, and information on traditional orchards and apple varieties. Everyone was invited to bring apples from their garden trees, the Sherston Guides collected some from some elderly people in the village and a local farmer brought some from an old orchard. We then took these to 'My Apple Juice' a juicing service based in Hungerford. This involved several 60-mile round trips plus costs for the juicing and bottling service. With the help of the 'Friends of Sherston School' and through local cafe's we then sold the apple juice, covering costs and making for future apple days we would like to have our own juicing equipment to reduce the food miles and enable us to juice and bottle our own juice locally that we can then sell to raise funds for other sustainability projects in the village and our local school. Our list of equipment is based on our experience last year, advice from Richard Paget from 'My Apple Juice' and Eleanor's 10 years of apple pressing experience in a community orchard in Surrey.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG664</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Malmesbury Town Council	Jubilee Picnic in the Cloister Gardens Sun 5th June 2022	£75.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>12.30 - 3.30 pm - Children's entertainment provided plus fancy-dress parade and competitions, bring you own picnic. The funding will provide food items for those who would not be able to afford picnic food and therefore enable them to attend and make the event inclusive. We will work with Heals to reach out and offer this support.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG692</a>	Community Area Grant	Leigh PCC	Disabled Eco Loo at Leigh Parish Church	£7274.00	£2500.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>The Church is the only community building in the parish and it needs toilet facilities in order to be used for community purposes. There is no room to put a toilet inside the church. Planning consent has been granted.</b></p>					

<a href="#">ABG595</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Hankerton Parish Council	Hankerton Village and Parish Platinum Jubilee Tea Party	£200.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>An open-to-all street party/tea party in the street known as Follyfield on Sun 5 Jun.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG608</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	St Paul Malmesbury Without Parish Council	Parish celebrations for the Queens Platinum Jubilee 2022	£75.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>There are 3 events planned in celebration of the Platinum Jubilee within St Paul Malmesbury Without Parish; at Rodbourne, Corston and Milbourne. Residents of all ages in the community will be welcome, especially older and vulnerable residents, so that everyone can celebrate together on this historic occasion.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG613</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Luckington Church PCC on behalf of 3 village groups	Luckington Platinum Jubilee picnic	£100.00	£100.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>This event is being organised by x 3 village groups who work together on the village Fete and other events: 1) Luckington Children's Playgrounds Charity 2) Friends of Luckington School 3) Luckington Church PCC Sunday, June 5th 2022. Outdoor picnic on the playing field for whole village starting 1200 Multifait celebration service with Rector of Gauzebrook Group, Rev Adam Beaumont starting 1400 "show and tell" of family artefacts which are 70 years old (or over) starting 1500 Jubilee cupcakes and mementoes distributed starting 1545 Event will finish at 1600</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG671</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Crudwell Parish Council	Crudwell Jubilee Village Green party	£75.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>We will be hosting a village jubilee party on The Green on Sat 4th June and will be providing musical entertainment, marquee, seating and tables. Residents can bring their own picnic food, drinks will be available to purchase. We are raising funds for local charities/community groups (Crudwell School, Crudwell Church and Wiltshire Air Ambulance).</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG674</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Little Somerford Parish Council	Somerfords and Startley Jubilee Street Party	£750.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>Little Somerford Parish Council is contributing to Somerfords Jubilee Street Party, a fully inclusive event for all residents of Little &amp; Great Somerford and Startley. This event is being provided free of charge to allow full inclusivity. There will be people who otherwise could not afford to attend. There will also be people for whom a 4-day bank holiday weekend can be a lonely time. The Party is designed to encourage all to attend. LSPC requests a £75 Jubilee Grant towards this. The Parish Council itself has pledged £750. The event is being run by volunteers from Little &amp; Great Somerford. It is not a Parish Council event.</b></p>					
<a href="#">ABG686</a>	Health and Wellbeing Grant	Ashton Keynes Parish Council	The Queens Platinum Jubilee Celebrations 2022	£75.00	£75.00
<p><b>Project Summary:</b>  <b>Ashton Keynes is celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee by hosting a village street party, the plans involve setting up the high street with tables for all the streets in the village, and we are looking to support bringing along all the older persons within the village by offering lefts down, and support to bring their picnics and chairs. We want to ensure they are fully involved and can pass on the wonderful stories they have from previous Jubilee's. We are also running various competitions 'design a crown/jubilee cake' 'colouring jubilee cartoon competition' and will end the day with a village photo and children's games'. It would be great if we could be awarded with the £75.00 to support us with getting people to and from home if needed and prizes for the competition. Thank you'</b></p>					

## 1. Background

Area Boards have authority to approve funding under powers delegated to them. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the Area Board Funding and Grants Criteria. This document is available on the council's website.

Three funding streams are available to the Area Board, each with an annually awarded amount. These funding streams are as follows:

- Community Area Grants (capital)
- Young People (revenue)
- Health and Wellbeing (revenue)

The Area Board will be advised of the funding available prior to their first meeting of each financial year.

## 2. Main Considerations

2.1. Councillors need to be satisfied that the applications meet the requirements as set out in the Area Board Funding and Grants Criteria and that the health and wellbeing and young person's funding guidelines have been adhered to.

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

2.3. Councillors need to consider any recommendations made by subgroups of the Area Boards.

## 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

Councillors must ensure that the Area Board has sufficient funding available to cover the grants awarded.

## 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.

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

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