

Report To Salisbury Area Board

Date of Meeting Thursday, 09 March 2023

Title of Report Salisbury Area Grant Report

Purpose of the Report

- To provide detail of the grant applications made to the Salisbury Area Board. These could include; community area grants, health and wellbeing, young persons grants and Area Board initiatives.
- To document any recommendations provided through sub groups.

Area Board Current Financial Position

	Community Area Grants	Young People	Health and Wellbeing
Opening Balance For <u>2022/2023</u>	£ 31,653.00	£ 24,422.00	£ 7,700.00
Awarded To Date	£ 15,350.53	£ 19,495.00	£ 6,740.00
Current Balance	£ 16,302.47	£ 4,927.00	£ 960.00
Balance if all grants are agreed based on recommendations	£ 6,950.97	£ 2,347.00	£ -260.00

Grant Funding Application Summary

Application Reference	Grant Type	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG917	Area Board Initiative	Salisbury Area Board	Youth Employment Event	£1500.00	£500.00
<p>Project Summary: The objective is to deliver a joint area board youth employment event at Wiltshire College in May 2023 (Salisbury, Southern and South West Wiltshire). The principle costs involved are transport. We would like to benefit around 100 young people from as many of the schools within these community areas. We will look to use school minibuses, but may also need to use community transport or coach hire.</p>					
ABG1042	Area Board Initiative	Cllr Caroline Corbin Salisbury Area Board	Celebrating the traveller way	£500.00	£500.00
<p>Project Summary: During Traveller History Month (June 2023), deliver a celebration fun day at Oak Tree Field Traveller site, Salisbury, in recognition of the traveller way. This Area Board led event will be organised in partnership with Cheval Mobile Homes and will draw in a range of partners from local police, fire and health services, to education, sporting and creative activity providers. Together we will deliver a family event that includes food and fun and useful service and support information for travellers in Salisbury.</p>					

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ABG1058	Community Area Grant	Experience Salisbury Salisbury BID	Christmas Star Trail	£15000.00	£5000.00
<p>Project Summary: We are looking to enhance the Salisbury Christmas Experience for 2023 and beyond by revitalising the Christmas offer and increasing the role of arts, culture and heritage with the aim to redefine what Christmas looks like in a medieval English city in the 21st Century. We are working with Fran Lee who has over 20 years experience as a Creative Director working across many different specialisms, including appearing and reaching the quarter finals of BBC Interior Design Masters 2022. Fran has also recently worked on Salisbury BID's Christmas Window dressing competition for local business in 2022, along with fellow designers from the BBC show. The Salisbury partnership has now commissioned Fran to develop a creative concept for Christmas in Salisbury 2023 and beyond. One early idea that we are keen to develop is to design and build a number of stars in 2D and 3D structures from traditional Scandinavian Stars to Moravian Stars with various finishes that would be installed in various settings across the city for the local community to explore and enjoy. Detailed costings are still being worked on, however we would hope that with this grant we could produce an additional 5x STARS to this a city Christmas trail. We appreciate the maximum grant application is £5,000 and have made this application on that basis, however should there be no other applications and reserves remaining available then this project could be scaled further on the basis of approx. £1,000 per STAR. eg with £10,000 we could produce a further 10 STARS for the city to enjoy.</p>					
ABG1072	Community Area Grant	Wiltshire Creative	Automated External Defibrillators at Salisbury Playhouse and Salisbury Arts Centre	£8703.00	£4351.50
<p>Project Summary: We are applying for a grant to install Automated External Defibrillators (AED) and external cabinets at Salisbury Playhouse and Salisbury Arts Centre, our two Salisbury city venues. These devices would be available for public use 24/7 in an emergency, with the core purpose of saving lives. On advice from South West Ambulance Service the AEDs would be placed on a non-south facing external wall, preferably with a power supply for light and heat. They also strongly recommend that AED cabinets are NOT locked as this can cause a vital delay as a responder phones for the code. In their experience, vandalism and theft of these devices is very very rare. Therefore we propose that each device would be sited outside each building and available for any members of the public to use, 24/7. At Salisbury Playhouse outside the stage door, opposite City Hall and at Salisbury Arts Centre outside the staff entrance, opposite Bourne Hill. The other 24/7 accessible AED devices in Salisbury City Centre are at the Market Square and the Old George Mall car park – both of which are a considerable distance from our venues in an emergency. To be most effective, an AED should be used 3-5 minutes after a cardiac arrest so the closer the better in order to save lives. These new devices would bring an accessible AED within useful range of the businesses on Fisherton St (many of which operate late into the evening) and Central Car Park (Salisbury Playhouse), and Salt Lane Car Park and the residential area around Wyndham Road (Salisbury Arts Centre).* *There is an AED inside Bourne Hill but it is only accessible when the building is open to the public, currently office hours, Mon – Fri. Mark Murnane, the Wilts Council Facilities Manager, advises that the device at Bourne Hill is not rated for outdoor storage. Wiltshire Creative would commit to supplying the consumables needed for the defibrillators (batteries and pads) and to ensuring that the devices and their storage cabinets are regularly checked and maintained. We would register them both on the British Heart Foundation website thecircuit.uk which is a national defibrillator register, accessible by the emergency services. This means that 999 call handlers can direct members of the public to collect and use our AEDs.</p>					
ABG961	Older and Vulnerable Adults Funding	Safer and Supportive Salisbury	All Inclusive Showcase Information from services where Everyone is welcome	£525.00	£420.00
<p>Project Summary: A showcase of what is available locally in the way of support for residents in Salisbury who may have disabilities whether hidden or visible, their carers and family members. This event is the latest Showcase organised by Safer and Supportive Salisbury which will bring service providers and users together. It is being organised by Helen Dowse, Carers Champion for Salisbury and Kez Adey, Disabilities Champion on behalf of Safer and Supportive Salisbury</p>					
ABG1063	Older and Vulnerable Adults Funding	Safer and Supportive Salisbury	Pilot health workshop for Muslim women in Salisbury on Women in Middle Life	£300.00	£300.00

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<p>Project Summary: The Rabbatul-Bait (Sisters Network Project) of Salisbury Muslim women from a wide variety of ethnicities is asking for help in delivering the first of a planned series of 3 workshops on theme of Health, focusing on the needs of women at different times in their lives. There are multiple cultural and linguistic barriers to access to healthcare for this group and it is important that such workshops are delivered by a health professional with full understanding of the cultural context. The sessions also need to take place in a sympathetic and warm environment and the provision of food is seen to be essential to this. Information giving will be followed by supper, networking and information exchange. The first (pilot) session is planned to be on Women in Middle Life, in a community venue in central Salisbury in late May 2023, and will be led by a gynaecologist who is herself a Muslim. Sessions on Coping with Anxiety and Depression and Getting Older (from the perspective of both the older person and a carer) are planned for July and September 2023 respectively. Traditional publicity through leaflets and posters is unlikely to succeed with this audience so the proposal includes outreach work with GP surgeries, schools, Salisbury District Hospital and community connectors which hopefully will help in long term development of the network.</p>					
ABG1067	Youth Grant	The Salisbury Museum	Youth led sustainable fashion show	£4160.00	£2080.00
<p>Project Summary: For this project local young people will plan, design, and produce a sustainable fashion show to be held in Salisbury in September 2023. The young people will work alongside The Salisbury Museum, and fashion experts including The Swish, a local enterprise which aims to inspire young people about sustainable fashion. The planning for the fashion show will also be supported by the organisation Sustainable Fashion Week and the event will be planned to take place during sustainable fashion week itself. The idea for the sustainable fashion show was developed by local young people and a youth panel of at least six young people will plan and organise the project. The Salisbury Museum is currently running a project called Fashioning Our World, which is working alongside young people to explore the fashion collection at the museum and discover stories of sustainability. The museum has extensive experience of working with young people and through Fashioning Our World has developed the skills needed to support the team of young people running the sustainable fashion show. In the run up to the sustainable fashion show there will be four 'inspire and skill up' workshops, each attended by approximately 8 young people. Participating young people will learn techniques for upcycling and making their own clothes, and work together to create outfits to send down the runway. Materials used for this will be sustainable for example discarded clothes and textiles otherwise destined for landfill. Local businesses such as charity shops will be approached to donate some items to this. Each workshop will be led by a sustainable fashion expert, who will show specific techniques, and guide young people's project work, but the emphasis will be on young people expressing themselves creatively and developing their individuality. Every workshop will be run as a caring, fun 'sustainable sewing bee', with young people supporting one another's efforts, and sharing their ideas. Participants can attend one or all sessions. During the event itself, young people can either model the outfits they've created, or enjoy an off-stage production role. Alongside the outfits created by the young people, we will invite other local fashion businesses to 'show' their sustainable offerings on the catwalk. The sustainable fashion show will generate community buzz and excitement around sustainable issues. The young people taking part will be enabled to share their passion for sustainable fashion and inspire others in the community to make positive fashion choices in the future and help combat climate change.</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 persons 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 sub groups 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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