

<b>Report to</b>	Westbury Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	10/12/2015
<b>Title of Report</b>	Community Area Grant funding

<b>Area Board Grants Budget</b>			
<b>Opening balance 2015/16</b>	<b>Spend to date</b>	<b>Current balance</b>	<b>Balance if all grants are agreed in November 2015</b>
<b>£39,639.00</b>	<b>£24,622.00</b>	<b>£15,017.00</b>	<b>£2,937.00</b>

**Purpose of the report:**

To consider the applications for funding listed below

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Amount requested</b>
<b>Applicant:</b> Westbury & District Cricket Club <b>Project Title:</b> Westbury Cricket Club Scoreboard replacement  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£3390.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Bratton Jubilee Hall Management Committee <b>Project Title:</b> Bratton Jubilee Hall replacement boilers. Part flat roof refurbishment  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£5000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Crosspoint (Westbury) <b>Project Title:</b> Crosspoint Counselling Facilities  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1300.00
<b>Applicant:</b> The Monday Gang <b>Project Title:</b> Equipment and Tools for the Monday Gang  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Westbury Rugby Football Club <b>Project Title:</b> New Scrum Sled  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1390.00

## 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="#">1444</a>	Westbury & District Cricket Club	Westbury Cricket Club Scoreboard replacement	£3390.00
<b>Project Description:</b>			

The project is to replace our existing scoreboard which has sadly fallen into disrepair with an electronic system that will be fitted over the existing fascia. This will give us a long-lasting modern solution which will be widely used by the cricket community and especially enjoyed by our younger members.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

The grant application meets the 2015/2016 grants criteria

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1527</a>	Bratton Jubilee Hall Management Committee	Bratton Jubilee Hall replacement boilers. Part flat roof refurbishment	£5000.00

**Project Description:**

Carried out complete refurbishment to enlarge the hall in 2002. After ingress of water it is necessary to refurbish the 30 year old part of the flat roof. The boilers now 12 years old and serviced annually but not economical to repair. One boiler not working and the other in need of repair will not cope with demand. Meetings on site with both Develop and Westbury Area Board recommend grant applications to fund this major project. The committee run and finance general repairs funded by lettings and events.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

The grant application meets the 2015/2016 grants criteria

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1502</a>	Crosspoint (Westbury)	Crosspoint counselling facilities	£1300.00

**Project Description:**

To improve the internal layout of the Crosspoint premises so that clients coming in to the centre for counselling and support/advice have access to improved facilities which allow for a greater degree of confidentiality than is currently possible.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

The grant application meets the 2015/2016 grants criteria

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1530</a>	The Monday Gang	EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS FOR THE MONDAY GANG	£1000.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b>  A group of some twenty pensioners established for over 20 years mainly responsible for Parish Churchyard upkeep but undertaking community based projects in the Bratton area. We currently mainly operate with machinery tool that are other people's cast-offs or use our own tools. The Parish Church has supplied funding for some mowers mostly second hand and finance machinery fuel costs. The local community engagement manager visited us and indicated that a grant for some new equipment would be favourably looked upon by the board.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b>  The grant application meets the 2015/2016 grants criteria</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b>  That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1564</a>	Westbury Rugby Football Club	New Scrum Sled	£1390.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b>  To purchase a new scrum sled for the club that can be used to train players at all levels. A new sled would enable the club to coach new and younger players in a safe environment. It is a vital and safe tool for coaches and will help all players to develop new skills and strength. It can be modified to encompass all age groups and strengths to pitch the training at the correct level.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b>  The grant application meets the 2015/2016 grants criteria</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b>  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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