

<b>Report to</b>	Southern Wiltshire Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	28/01/2016
<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> Redlynch Players <b>Project Title:</b> Redlynch Players Community Production 2016 <a href="#">View full application</a>	£500.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Woodfalls Band <b>Project Title:</b> Woodfalls Band new music stands <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Barry's Fields Sports Ground <b>Project Title:</b> Barry's Fields Pavilion New Stacking Chairs <a href="#">View full application</a>	£700.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£2200.00</b>

**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.

2.4. Funding available:

Available 2015/16	£46161.64
Spent to date (Jan 16)	£43361
Available 2015/16	£2800.64

### 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="#">1606</a>	Redlynch Players	Redlynch Players Community Production 2016	£500.00
<b>Project Description:</b> Redlynch Players is a local drama group based in Southern Wiltshire. Our plan for Spring 2016 is to do a Community Play reflecting on Holy Week. This will tour around 4 churches locally to Redlynch. This will be a free event and open to a wide range of members of the community to come and see us. In order to make this drama event free we would like some funding to make this vision a reality and bring high quality drama to many people within the Southern Wiltshire Area.			
<b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> This project meets the community grant criteria. Total project cost is £500 with no matched funding being provided. Applications up to £1000 do not require matched funding.			
<b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1666</a>	Woodfalls Band	Woodfalls Band new music stands	£1000.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> Woodfalls Band is ranked as one of the best brass bands in the world and we perform all over the UK at major events but our music stands are falling apart We need to replace 20 stands to help the band perform in our community and further afield.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> This project meets the community grant criteria. It is a capital project. Total project cost is £1000.00 with no matched funding being provided. Applications up to £1000 do not require matched funding. The application form states that the group have reserves of £15k however they confirmed that their most recent accounts will show reserves of more like £6k.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1672</a>	Barry's Fields Sports Ground	Barrys Fields Pavilion New Stacking Chairs	£700.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> Purchase of new stacking chairs to replace the old non-stackable worn out ones which are in use in the main room of the pavilion at Barrys Fields Sports Ground in Winterslow.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> This project meets the community grant criteria. It is a capital project. Total project cost is £ 906.60 with additional funding of £206.60 being raised through a donation from Winterslow Parish Council.</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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