

Report to South West Area Board
Date of meeting 3rd February 2016
Title of report Youth Grant Funding

Purpose of the Report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below together with the recommendations of the Local Youth Network (LYN) Management Group.

| Applicant | Amount requested | LYN Management Group recommendation |
|------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Tisbury Parish Council | £1,205 | To be considered on 24.02.16 |
| Area Board/LYN | £3,280 | Recommended for funding |
| Tisbury Cadets | £1,000 | Recommended for funding |
| Tisbury Parish Council | £6,678 | To be considered on 24.02.16 |

1. Background

The recommendation from the LYN Management Group has been made in accordance with the following guidelines:

- Leaders guidance for Community Area Boards on Positive Activities for Young People
- Positive Activities for Young People local Youth Network Terms of Reference
- Positive Activities Toolkit for Community Area Boards

Young people have considered this application and identified it as a priority for Area Board funding.

2. Main Considerations

- 2.1. Councillors will need to be satisfied that Youth Grant Funding awarded in the 2015/2016 year are made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of it being awarded.
- 2.2. Councillors will need to decide and be assured that young people and the community will benefit from the funding being awarded and the project/positive activity proceeding. The application should meet the identified needs, priorities and outcomes for young people in the areas, as identified in the LYN Needs Assessment and Strategic Plan.
- 2.3. Councillors will need to ensure measures have been taken in relation to safeguarding children and young people.
- 2.4. Councillors will need to ensure that young people have been central to each stage of this Youth Grant Funding application.

3. Environmental & Community Implications

Youth 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

Ensuring that Community Area Boards and LYNs fully consider the equality impacts of their decisions in designing local positive activities for young people is essential to meeting the Council's Public Sector Equality Duty.

8. Safeguarding Implications

The Area Board has ensured that the necessary policies and procedures are in place to safeguard children and young people. The Community Youth Officer has assessed this application agreed it meets safeguarding requirements.

9. Applications for consideration

| Application ID | Applicant | Project Proposal | Requested |
|---|----------------|------------------|-----------|
| 229 | Tisbury Cadets | Equipment | £1,000 |
| Project description To fund purchase of a tent, ten backpacks and a contribution towards the company banner. | | | |
| Recommendation of the Local Youth Network Management Group That the application meets the grant criteria and is approved for the amount of £1,000 | | | |

| Application ID | Applicant | Project Proposal | Requested |
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| | Area Board | Cookery courses | £3,280 |
| Project description To engage the services of 'Anyone Can Cook' to deliver 4 x 6 week courses to be delivered across the South West area, and 2 x Accredited training courses for Food Safety. | | | |
| Recommendation of the Local Youth Network Management Group That the application meets the grant criteria and is approved for the amount of £3,280, subject to the following conditions: That the inclusion of 'Anyone Can Cook' on the Procurement Register is completed. | | | |

| Application ID | Applicant | Project Proposal | Requested |
|--|------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 203 | Tisbury Parish Council | Year one 'top up' | £1,205 |
| Project description To contribute an additional £1,205 to the funding already provided for youth work provision in Tisbury for the remainder of 2015-16 financial year | | | |

Recommendation of the Local Youth Network Management Group

That the application meets the grant criteria and is approved for the amount of £1,205, subject to the following conditions:

That the application is recommended for approval by the LYN Management Group at their next meeting on 24 February 2016.

| Application ID | Applicant | Project Proposal | Requested |
|--|------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| 215 | Tisbury Parish Council | Youth Work – Year 2 (2016-17) | £6,678 |
| Project description To continue to provide youth provision, including a weekly sports session, drop-in and holiday activities. | | | |
| Recommendation of the Local Youth Network Management Group That the application meets the grant criteria and is approved for the amount of £6,678, subject to the following conditions: That the application is recommended for approval by the LYN Management Group at their next meeting on 24 February 2016. | | | |

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

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