

Report to	Bradford on Avon Area Board
Date of Meeting	12/07/2017
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below.

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Lamb Yard Events Project Title: Bradford on Avon Music Madness View full application	£1,000
Applicant: Lamb Yard Events Project Title: BoA FEASTival and Passport Trail View full application	£1,000
Applicant: Holt PC Project Title: Holt Village Hall kitchen - new cooker View full application	£1,500

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 2017/2018 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
2417	Lamb Yard Events	Bradford on Avon Music Madness	£1,000
Project Description: A music related extravaganza which will start with a two month trail around Bradford on Avon and culminating in a programme of events over the August bank holiday weekend to be held in the centre of the town.			
Input from Community Engagement Manager: The event will contribute to the growing calendar of events and will bring vitality to the town during the peak tourist season. It is likely to attract visitors and spending for goods and services, particularly for local cafes, restaurants and pubs. The event builds on the vibrant music scene locally and is another distinctive reason to celebrate our town.			
Discussion with the applicant has resulted in a request for a reduced grant of £1,000 to reflect the short lead-in time and the reality of a more modest event this year than originally envisaged. Feedback and learning will contribute to a larger event, possibly with the involvement of the Wiltshire Music Centre, in 2018.			
Bradford on Avon Town Council has awarded £ 1,000 to the event on the same basis.			
Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
2437	Lamb Yard Events	BoA FEASTival and Passport Trail	£1,000
<p>Project Description: The Bradford on Avon FEASTival will be a celebration of all things food and drink with outlets of all shapes and sizes plus growers makers bakers and outside caterers coming together to show what a delicious and varied offer there is in the town and surrounding area. The main event will be launched on Saturday 9th September and run until 23rd with a Passport Trail of participating food and drink outlets running from July as an early entree into the FEASTival.</p> <p>Input from Community Engagement Manager: The event will celebrate local producers of food and drink, building on the success of the Farmers Market and the Food Assembly in Bradford on Avon and will help to spread the reputation of the town as a growing “foodie” destination. Through the passport trail, visitors will be drawn to the town and the delights of its restaurants, cafes and pubs.</p> <p>Discussion with the applicant has resulted in a request for a reduced grant of £1,000 to reflect the short lead-in time and the reality of a more modest event this year than originally envisaged. Feedback and learning will contribute to a larger event in 2018.</p> <p>Bradford on Avon Town Council has awarded £ 1,000 to the event on the same basis.</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			
Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
2458	Holt PC	Holt village hall kitchen - new cooker	£1500.00
<p>Project Description: The kitchen has an old gas range cooker which is past its best is very difficult to light the oven and has failed altogether several times</p> <p>Input from Community Engagement Manager: The project will benefit members of the Lunch Club and other users of the village hall. Community facilities such as this are vital to sustain a vibrant community life.</p> <p>Match-funding for the project will be fundraised locally.</p>			
<p>Proposal 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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