

Report to	Amesbury Area Board
Date of Meeting	21/11/2019
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

<p>Applicant: Stonehenge Striders Running Group Project Title: Stonehenge Striders Running Group</p> <p>View full application</p>	£703.37
<p>Applicant: Shrewton Project Title: St Mary Steps</p> <p>View full application</p>	£1535.00

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. There is £38,291.03 remaining in the capital grants budget.

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
3450	Stonehenge Striders Running Group	Stonehenge Striders Running Group	£703.37
Project Description: The project is the setting up of a local running group based in Amesbury. It will create a friendly and inclusive running group which will encourage and support people from the local community who share an interest in running. The grant is to fund the initial setting up costs and equipment for the group. Input from Community Engagement Manager: This a new group. The group is planning for match funding of 1250.00 from subscriptions and also £300 in kind funding from volunteers. If awarded, the grant would fund capital items only.			
Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
3507	Shrewton	St Mary Steps	£1535.00
Project Description: Repair of steps that go up a bank in the church yard of St Marys Church Shrewton and form part of a public foot path connecting the High Street and the Upper Backway Road. Input from Community Engagement Manager: The steps are well used by the whole community, not just church goers. The grant			

meets the criteria as match funding is available and the project is capital as the steps would be re-modelled and improved.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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