

Report to	Amesbury
Date of Meeting	16/01/2020
Title of Report	Community Youth Grants

1. Purpose of the report:

To ask Councillors to consider the following applications seeking funding from the Amesbury Area Board.

Application	Grant Amount	
Applicant: Able Hands Together CIC Project Title: Building a bridge project	£5000.00	
Applicant: Evergreen Cafe, Amesbury Project Title: Evergreen Cafe Young People Cookery Group	£2500.00	
Total grant amount requested at this meeting	£7500	
Total amount allocated so far	£133050	

2. Main Considerations

2.1. Councillors will need to be satisfied that funding awarded in the 2018 / 19 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 Community youth grants are awarded to provide positive activities for young people aged 13 – 19 and up to 25 with a disability.

3. The applications

Applicant: Able Hands Together CIC Project Title: Building a bridge	Amount Requested from Area Board: £5000.00	
<p>This application meets grant criteria 2019/20</p> <p>Project Summary: We have a new location to run our farm based education service there is a small river and a bridge needs to be built over it to give the students more access to the land one the other side. The live stock will be kept on this field.</p> <p>Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project and benefit your local community: Laura Tween was a approached commissioner Vicki Duniclif to provide much needed educational services in south wiltshire that concentrated on animal management horticulture and life skills. There is an evident need in Salisbury and south wilts for a service that is outside of a conventional learning environment for young people who have learning disabilities autism or ADHD. There are many young people that are having to travel to the north of the county to receive the services they needed in further education. This service supports young people to become independent with the overall aim at the end is to prepare for employment. We will also open the farm up for weekend activities for mental health and young carers.</p>		

Applicant: Evergreen Cafe, Amesbury Project Title: Evergreen Cafe Young People Cookery Group	Amount Requested from Area Board: £2500.00	
<p>This application meets grant criteria 2019/20</p> <p>Project Summary: We are teaching young people to cook so as to give them a skill that will be helpful to them later in life and also trying to occupy them so they don't get into trouble on the streets.</p> <p>Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project and benefit your local community: We are trying to engage the young people by cooking hopefully they will be able to take it up either as a hobby or as a career. A lot of young people do not get to learn to cook at home this is an opportunity for them to learn a skill. Some are writing GCSE Food Technology this is an opportunity for them to perfect their skills for the final exam. The first half of the class is mainly discussing the class which the young people will get to have an input on how the lesson will go then we start cooking. This will give them an opportunity to understand how the lesson will progress. Our classes comprise of 15 children or young people per age group.</p> <p>The funding request is for 13 to 19 year olds and up to 25 with a disability.</p>		
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