

<b>Report to</b>	Corsham Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	18/03/2021
<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> Leafy Lane Playing Fields Ltd <b>Project Title:</b> Replacement External doors  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£3145.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Colerne Village Hall Association <b>Project Title:</b> Replacement Windows  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£3500.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Pound Arts Trust Ltd <b>Project Title:</b> Community Arts Centre Improvements  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£5000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Wiltshire Music Centre <b>Project Title:</b> Noticing Nature  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1500.00
<b>Applicant:</b> FC Colerne Colts <b>Project Title:</b> FC Colerne Colts U11 New team goals  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1870.50
<b>Applicant:</b> Springboard Chippenham <b>Project Title:</b> Outdoor safe space  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1254.55

## 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 2020/2021 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
<a href="#">4197</a>	Leafy Lane Playing Fields Ltd	Replacement External Doors	£3145.00
<b>Project Description:</b> The changing room building at Leafy Lane Playing Fields has 4 external double doors. These doors are now beyond economic repair and now require replacing.			
<b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b>			

(CEM put your input here)

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">4133</a>	Colerne Village Hall Association	Replacement Windows	£3500.00

**Project Description:**

All current double-glazed windows at Colerne Village Hall have failed. We have been advised by our supplier that repair is not an option they all need to be replaced.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

(CEM put your input here)

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">4084</a>	Pound Arts Trust Ltd	Community Arts Centre Improvements	£5000.00

**Project Description:**

We are fundraising to improve/repair/update elements of The Pound Arts Centre to benefit community users of the building. These elements include a Hearing Loop a new Lighting Desk electric works for the community courtyard garden new signage and refurbished acoustic panels for the building.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

(CEM put your input here)

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">4169</a>	Wiltshire Music Centre	Noticing Nature	£1500.00

**Project Description:**

Noticing Nature is a project within the Celebrating Age Wiltshire programme working with Wiltshire artist James Aldridge. The aim of the project is to support isolated older people living alone with carers family in sheltered housing and in care homes to actively observe their local nature gardens local walks parks. With guidance from James they are supported to get creative and document what they find. An online guidance pack and video will be available or as a printed version through the post. In person outdoor creative workshops are planned when restrictions are lifted.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

(CEM put your input here)

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">4032</a>	FC Colerne Colts	FC Colerne Colts U11 New team goals	£1870.50

**Project Description:**

Following 11 years our club is now in need of U11 resources to continue to develop our teams from U10 to U11. As part of the requirements for U11 we need to provide new goals bigger size and kit for the current U10 teams to transition into. Due to Covid fees are low and we are in need of support to buy the goals and kit within the next few months. Previously we have lost U11 local players out of sport and the community due to this issue and want to keep kids i sport and our community for longer. This funding will ensure our clubs further builds on the FA Chartered status we have and further encourage health and wellbeing of kids in our community.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

(CEM put your input here)

**Proposal**

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">4135</a>	Springboard Chippenham	Outdoor Safe Space	£1254.55

**Project Description:**

Springboard is a pre-school for children with special needs based in Chippenham but covering the whole of North Wiltshire. We would like to construct an outdoor safe space in part of our grounds not currently used. The sheltered area will provide Springboard with a safe sensory space for all year-round outdoor learning experiences through play. The area could be used for our non-mobile children as a calming area and an outdoor sensory experience area.

**Input from Community Engagement Manager:**

(CEM put your input here)

**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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