

**Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade
2012 Community Projects/Events**

1. Details of Project

Name of Organisation: SPLASH

Please outline your project below:

'Push the Boat Out'. Days of fun and achievement on the river, for young people aged 11 – 16 years. Getting wet; kayaking, canoeing, raft building and the ultimate weir experience. Experiencing the natural high which comes from trying new, edgy, exciting activities, in a safe and organised environment. Setting personal goals and team goals in a year when individuals are testing themselves in our Olympic towns and cities, and the country is celebrating the Queens Jubilee. This project will give young people from Royal Wootton Bassett their opportunity to join in and celebrate their achievements with opportunities to gain new skills make new friends and achieve their own Paddle Power Certificate.

2. Where is the project taking place?

In and around Royal Wootton Bassett or at locations nearby.

3. When will the project take place?

Summer School Holidays, October Half Term Holidays minimum of 4 days

4. Please outline which of the criteria you feel your project meets, and why:

- **Reinvigorates our local economy**
- **Showcases what we have and what we do so well in our area**
- **Promotes our strong and vibrant community spirit**

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This project will prioritise vulnerable young people in Royal Wootton Bassett who would be unlikely to experience these types of activities due to their lack of financial support, personal needs or lack of personal support. The project will encourage them to use their leisure time in a positive way, introduce them to environments which they are unlikely to have explored or appreciated before. It will demonstrate how you can get that 'natural high' from working hard and setting personal goals and how that achievement raises self esteem and promotes self respect and leads to pride and ownership of your environment.

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5. What is the desired outcome/s of this project?

To increase opportunities for young people to participate in positive activities
 To improve young people's personal and social skills
 To reduce negative and anti social behaviour
 To introduce young people to new environments
 To signpost young people to mainstream activities
 To achieve basic paddle power entry certificate
 To improve team work
 To increase self esteem

6. Who will project manage this project?

Splash Operations Co ordinator

7. Please show a breakdown of costs for your project (including the sum you are applying for from the Area Board) and provide details of any other funding sources

Project Costs A Please provide a <u>full</u> breakdown e.g. equipment, installation etc.		Project Income B Please list all sources of funding for this project, as provisional (P) or confirmed (C)		
			P/C	
Facilitators & Youth Support Workers	£1804	Line Management, Communications phone IT etc, Staff Travel, Fundraising to match funds	C	£1320
Transport Materials Marketing	£960	Project Co ordination, Admin, Sundry Costs	C	£640
Safeguarding/Health Safety/ Nominations Project Co ordination, Admin, Sundry Costs	£1280	Marketing	C	£80
Line Management, Communications phone IT etc, Staff Travel, Fundraising to match funds	£1320			£
Total	£5364	Total		£2040
Amount Applying for:	£2000			

8. Additional information in support of the project

Splash will continue to fundraise for the shortfall on this project; if this is not achievable the project will still go ahead but with reduced days. However we are cautiously confident that we will achieve raising the shortfall. When we have run similar projects elsewhere in Wiltshire we have got really positive feedback from young people "All the activities were amazing" "The best part of the project was canoeing, I fell out lots" "All the activities were amazing"

Please email completed application forms to alison.sullivan@wiltshire.gov.uk

Notes

Please be aware that the Area Board expects those bidding for funds to have discussed their proposed project or event with their local Wiltshire Council Member and, at least in principle, to have secured their support – while the award of any funding will depend on Area Board approval.

Please note that the Area Board will not provide funding support for events which can be classed as 'street parties'.