

Grant Applications for Westbury on 12/12/2013

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Current Status: Application Appraisal

To be considered at this meeting:

12/12/2013 Westbury

1. Which type of grant are you applying for?

Community Area Grant

2. Amount of funding required?

£501 - £5000

3. Are you applying on behalf of a Parish Council?

No

4. If yes, please state why this project cannot be funded from the Parish Precept

5. Project title?

Bratton Pre-school Shaded area and storage shed

6. Project summary:

we would like to create a new shaded area in the garden to give the children a safe and versatile area out of the sun and rain by building a wooden gazebo area. This area will be a great place to learn and play, as it will be used as an outside classroom, stage, sensory area, and anything the staff and children can imagine. It will also help enable the pre-school to meet a number of statutory early years foundation requirements such as arranging flexible outdoor space and resources where children can explore, build, move and role play. in order to create this area we also need to replace our existing storage shed and would like to build some raised flower beds to give the children the opportunity to care for and grow plants and vegetables. The garden the pre-school uses is also used by many other local groups such as Brownies, church fetes and parties, all these other groups will benefit from the project aswell.

7. Which Area Board are you applying to?

Westbury

Electoral Division

8. What is the Post Code of where the project is taking place?

ba134rr

9. Please tell us which theme(s) your project supports:

Children & Young People
Countryside, environment and nature
Sport, play and recreation

If Other (please specify)

10. Finance:

10a. Your Organisation's Finance:

Your latest accounts:

03/2013

Total Income:

£4707387

Total Expenditure:

£5507621

Surplus/Deficit for the year:

£-800234

Free reserves currently held:

(money not committed to other projects/operating costs)

£2765335

Why can't you fund this project from your reserves:

The reserve account is the pre-schools contingency fund and it is in place to ensure that if the pre-school were to have very low number intake or if we were to shut we could pay any debt and redundancy pay.

We are a small community group and do not have annual accounts or it is our first year:

10b. Project Finance:

Total Project cost	£2600		
Total required from Area Board	£1150		
Expenditure (Itemised expenditure)	£	Income (Itemised income)	Tick if income confirmed £
wooden gazebo 1500		fund raising events	yes 750

storage shed	600	Westbury lions (donation)	yes	200
child access shed	200	Bratton fete committee (donation)	yes	500
raised beds	100			
gardening equipment	50			
racking and equipment trolleys	150			
Total	£2600			£1450

11. Have you or do you intend to apply for a grant from another area board within this financial year?

No

12. If so, which Area Boards?

13. Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project benefit your local community?

By creating a shaded area within our garden we will give the pre- school children a safe and versatile area to learn and play. currently the pre-school does not have a shaded area that the children can access away from the sun and rain. The area will be used in many different ways but all to meet the Early years foundation requirements. we plan to create an enabling environment with stimulating resources with the children being able to access resources and make there own choices, this will be done by having a smaller shed with recourses the children can access on trolleys so they can initiate their own play. We would like to create an area where the children can explore their environment through role play, movement and dance. This new outdoor area will give the children the opportunities to investigate the natural world and also the opportunity to design practical. attractive environments such as taking care of flower beds or vegetables. Bratton pre-school have many children who are eligible for two year funding it is important to the pre-school that these children as well as the older children have equal opportunities to experience new and stimulating learning. This project links in well with the children and young peoples local priority of focusing on intensive work with pre-school children. Giving children a safe and stimulating environment which is tailored to support the individuals interests and learning needs will promote better communication and language skills and assist in a smooth transition from pre-school to primary education.

14. How will you monitor this?

Bratton pre-school is inspected by ofsted to ensure we are meeting all the childrens needs. The pre-school also is part of The Bristol standards. The Bristol Standard is a self-evaluation framework which helps Early Years settings, Childminders and Play settings to develop and improve the quality and effectiveness of their provision through an annual cycle of reflection.

15. If your project will continue after the Wiltshire Council funding runs out, how will you continue to fund it?

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16. Is there anything else you think we should know about the project?

17. DECLARATION

Supporting information - Please confirm that the following documents will be available to inspect upon request:

Quotes:

yes I will make available on request 1 quote for individual project costs over £500 & 2 quotes for project costs over £1000 (Individual project costs are listed in the expenditure section above)

Accounts:

yes I will make available on request the organisation's **latest accounts**

Constitution:

yes I will make available on request the organisation's Constitution/Terms of Reference etc.

Policies and procedures:

yes I will make available on request the necessary and relevant policies and procedures such as Child Protection, Safeguarding Adults, Public Liability Insurance, Access audit, Health & Safety and Environmental assessments.

Other supporting information (Tick where appropriate, for some project these will not be applicable):

yes I will make available on request any other form of licence or approval for this project has been received prior to submission of this grant application.

And finally...

yes The information on this form is correct, that any award received will be spent on the activities specified.
