

# AGENDA SUPPLEMENT (1)

Meeting: Royal Wootton Bassett and Cricklade Area Board

Place: [Online meeting - Microsoft Teams](#)

Date: Wednesday 29 September 2021

Time: 6.00 pm

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## Area Board ~~update~~ Thank You!

### Autumn 2021

To show the Area Board what a difference their grant has helped us to make, we thought we'd let you know about the rapid growth and achievements of our free pre-loved uniform scheme, where we've:

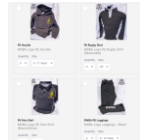
- helped around 250 local families to anonymously obtain over 2000 items of much needed free recycled uniform, since the start of the pandemic, for pre-school, primary and secondary schools in our town.



- set up a High Street Stall which helped 40 families and provided 450+ items, who fed back that it was 'fantastic', helped them 'find', 'afford' and 'recycle' needed uniform.



- set up an online ordering site for RWBA uniform to increase ease of ordering and improve picking and packing speed, using donated technical expertise.



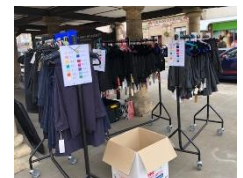
- created and communicated our QR code for quick, easy access to our site for comprehensive uniform, via RWBA.



- continued to collect 100s of items that are no longer needed from all our supportive local schools, via our collection boxes, that were designed and donated by Box & Seal.



- used our Area Board grant of £934.80 to purchase storage kit to make all this possible and accessible. Including plastic boxes, hangers, rails, rail covers and size dividers.



- made plans to continue to promote and grow this scheme, alongside our Christmas Lights Street Art wall and on our new website, when it's up and running.



So, we'd like to offer our thanks the Area Board for their generosity and recognise our incredible team of adult and youth volunteers who give extraordinary amounts of time to:

- collect; sort; wash; mend; organise; pick; pack; and deliver uniform.
- donate washing powder; make mending labels; and donate bags and hangers;
- provide systems and administration support.



## Army Welfare Service Community Support Lyneham

### Grant Use Overview

Army Welfare Service Community Supports aims to provide needs-based opportunities to serving families within local communities. MOD Lyneham is home to approximately 750 service families from various local units. During the Summer Holidays AWS was able to obtain an £800 grant from the Area Board to support the wider summer delivery programme for service families.

With a range of advertising through Wiltshire Together and various other platforms, sadly many sessions had to be cancelled due to no attendance. However, sessions that did run were successful with 5 young people attending overall.

### Fun Science

Their best bits' session will include chemical reactions, electricity, slime making and sweet making for ages 7-12 years to engage in STEM based activities

### Circus Skills

Claire provides 2-hour sessions focused around a range of circus skills and activities. Sessions are made for primary school age with young people with a range of diablos, balance beams, juggling and more.

### Self Defence

Self-defence classes are divided into three 2-hour classes in one week for 12-17 years. Sessions focus on theory and practical skills to support young people's personal safety. Young people will be provided with new skills to improve overall personal safety when returning to normal life post COVID.

### Crafternoon

Opportunity for families with older young people (7-12 years) to come together

The sessions aims were to support military young peoples tradition back into life post COVID with a range of free activities to facilitate wellbeing. The CDW was able to identify need for the 7-14 years age bracket within the community and will reflect this in future provision within MOD Lyneham

Approximately £500 is left of the grant. The CDW has contacted Cllr Bucknell to discuss using the money to support wider youth projects including; Oct Half Term delivery and to support the Youth Clubs on opening.

