

Report to	Salisbury
Date of Meeting	15/03/2018
Title of Report	Community Youth Grants

1. Purpose of the report:

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

Application	Grant Amount
<p>Applicant: Sarum Academy Project Title: Trampoline Enrichment and Safety Mats (full application in separate attachment)</p>	£948.00
<p>Applicant: Salisbury Live Project Title: Salisbury Live 2018 (full application in separate attachment)</p>	£2000.00
<p>Applicant: Wiltshire Council Project Title: Sarum Sports Partnership View full application</p>	£5000.00

2. Main Considerations

Councillors will need to be satisfied that grants awarded in the 2017/18 year are made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of the award being made.

Area Boards have authority to approve Area Grants under powers delegated to them by the Cabinet member for Communities, Campuses, Area Boards, Leisure, Libraries and Flooding. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the Area Board Grants Guidance 2017/2018.

Community Youth Grants will contribute to the continuance and/or improvement of cultural, social and community activity and wellbeing in the community area, the extent and specifics of which will be dependent upon the individual project.

Community Youth Grants give all local community and voluntary groups, Town and Parish Councils an equal opportunity to receive funding towards community based projects and schemes.

3. The applications

Applicant: Sarum Academy Project Title: Trampoline Enrichment and Safety Mats	£948.00
<p>This application meets grant criteria 2017/18.</p> <p>Project Summary:</p> <p>Sarum Academy would like to introduce a Trampoline Enrichment for pupils aged 11-18. This would take place after school and during extended learning days.</p> <p>Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project and benefit your local community:</p> <p>At Sarum Academy we currently have no qualified Trampoline instructors. This means that our 408 registered pupils are unable to access this sport during Physical Education lessons after school enrichments and extended learning days. It is our aim at Sarum to bring this sport to our pupils to enable them to try something different and to improve fitness over all. There are currently few Trampolining Clubs in Salisbury and those are paid clubs. Due to the diversity of our pupils many of these are unable to access this sport despite having a desire to. Having surveyed our pupils we had an overwhelming response to those who would like to take part in this sport. Fitness is important not only for Physical Health but for mental Health especially in young adults who struggle with peer pressure and emotions. Trampolining is a sport that all pupils can enjoy no matter shape or size this is a sport for everyone and the health benefits are massive. Trampolining for just 15 mins is equivalent to running for 30 minutes. Other Health benefits include: Stimulates your metabolism, increases oxygen capacity, improves your sense of balance, increases oxygen circulation to tissues, improves the circulation of the lymph through the lymph glands, strengthens the heart and cardiovascular health, increases energy and sense of vitality, firms and tones the muscles. It is our aim with this project to train three members of staff to become qualified instructors Sarum Academy would then be able to provide a free after school enrichment which would be open to pupils. Initially pupils could sign up for a 6 week course and this would be on a rotational basis per term. The course could be provided to a maximum of 60 pupils per term 360 pupils per school year. We would also be able to make it part of our extended learning days. Sarum Academy have been lucky in finding that we are able to use the Trampolines that belong to a Gymnastics club that is held in Sarum on Saturday so we do not have an outlay of cost to purchase our own Trampolines however there is an initial fee for this arrangement. We do however need 6 new gym mats at a cost of £58 each - a total of £348 to provide safety around the trampolines. We are currently having a trial 6 week course with 12 of our pupils but this is paid sessions as Sarum Academy are using an outside instructor for this to happen. This started in January 2018</p> <p>3 members of the Salisbury Local Youth Network Management Group met with 4 pupils from Bishop Wordsworth's School Council on the 27th January to consider this bid, and agreed a recommendation to approve this funding request.</p>	

Applicant: Salisbury Live Project Title: Salisbury Live 2018	£2000.00
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This application meets grant criteria 2017/18.

Project Summary:

Salisbury Live is the annual music festival that takes place every year running concurrent with the Salisbury International Arts festival. This year the Arts Festival is not going ahead so Salisbury Live is a stand alone event. Salisbury Live will take place over every weekend of May. Live music will be programmed into city pubs, clubs and venues, including three open air city centre events and a youth music festival. All events are free entry.

Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project and benefit your local community:

Salisbury Live is an all inclusive music festival, with free access to a series of events in various venues across the city. Catering for both young and old it also offers the chance to perform at open mic jam sessions as well as slots for established local artists at established venues.

Young musicians will also have the opportunity to perform at the Live in the Square event and at the proposed youth music festival. Level 2 and 3 students from Wiltshire College will be involved in helping with the marketing and production aspects of the festival. Young musicians from Wiltshire College, various schools, The Sound Emporium and RSCM will be performing at this year's event. The three main open air events are family friendly as are some select venues. The events are free entry and all venues have disabled access. SCC, BID and River Bourne Community Farm are collaborating with Salisbury Live in financing and the programming of events. The Salisbury Journal is the media sponsor for this year's Salisbury Live.

3 members of the Salisbury Local Youth Network Management Group met with 4 pupils from Bishop Wordsworth's School Council on the 27th January to consider this bid, and agreed a recommendation to approve this funding request, subject to the following points of clarification:

- Please ensure that the festival's events of benefit to 11-18 year olds in particular, are marketed well, including via schools and school councils, social media
- Clarification as to where the events for young people will take place and when
- Clarification as to how precisely the £2k youth grant will be spent on the festival's programme aspects for 11-18s

Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
Wiltshire Council	Sarum Sports Partnership	£5000.00

Project Description:

This is the first step towards the provision and installation of a much needed full size third generation artificial grass pitch 3GATP in the Salisbury Community Area. A number of potential sites in the Salisbury Community Area have been investigated by Wiltshire FA with the Sarum Academy site being the only viable option. This contribution will provide funding for the initial feasibility study at Sarum Academy to give overall project costs required by the Football Foundation FF and will be classed as part of the overall match contribution required by the Football Foundation.

It is anticipated that the Football Foundation will contribute around 70 percent of the total cost providing the actual Football Foundation Grant Application fully meets the requirements of the Football Foundation which includes a Community Access Agreement.

The match funding approx 30 percent of total cost will be gathered from a collection of other interested local groups organisations businesses councils sports clubs and local and national grant funders it is not expected that one group or organisation will fund all of the match funding. Sarum Sports Partnership is presently an informal partnership comprising of Sarum Academy, Wiltshire Council, and Wiltshire Football Association which is also seeking the support of Salisbury City Council at a council meeting later in January.

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The Wiltshire Playing Pitch Strategy WPPS was adopted by Wiltshire Council Feb 2017 this strategy clearly show that there is an under provision of 3GATPs in the south of the county specifically in the Salisbury Community Area. Wiltshire FA and their affiliated football clubs in the south of the county have put the lack of facilities as a clear reason for the reduction of junior youth football in the south of the county and have clearly identified the under provision as a reason why club teams play practice out of the area.

From a pure football perspective the mere fact that local clubs would be able to book the facility for practice throughout the calendar would be a major benefit which would be reinforced during periods of inclement weather when grass pitches would could be unplayable. From a school and community perspective the access to a first class facility increases the opportunities for physical activity throughout the year and provides opportunities for further skill development.

The need for a Community Use Agreement will ensure community access outside of school hours and will help ensure community usage and a sufficient income stream is available for ongoing maintenance and future carpet replacement.

Bemerton Heath is facility deprived and this would assist in lessening this issue as well as helping to increase the schools community offer. The facility would be open for use by other sports groups and organisations other than football during the evening weekends and especially the school holiday periods.

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