

Report to	Chippenham
Date of Meeting	16/12/2019
Title of Report	Community Youth Grants

1. Purpose of the report:

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

Application	Grant Amount	
Applicant: CPM Sounds Project Title: Riverbank Studios Continued Development in 2020	£4300.00	
Applicant: The Photo Club Project Title: Young Photographers Competition	£2000.00	
Applicant: The Wiltshire Outdoor Learning Team CIC Project Title: Chippenham High Ropes and Zipwire Festival	£2150.00	

2. Main Considerations

Councillors will need to be satisfied that grants awarded in the 2019/20 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 2019/2020.

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: CPM Sounds Project Title: Riverbank Studios Continued Development in 2020	Amount Requested from Area Board: £4300.00	
This application meets grant criteria 2019/20.		
Project Summary: Riverbank Studios run by CPM Sounds CIC is a non-profit organisation providing music activities and opportunities for young people in Chippenham. Current projects include 1 the Jukebox Cafe - a youth cafe for 13-18 year olds with relaxed performance space		

for musicians and their friends 2 School of Rock - learning to play their instruments in a fun social environment 3 Rehearsal and Recording spaces subsidised to be inclusive of all young people 4 Take the Stage battle of the bands competition with big opportunities for young bands 5 Songwriter Online - safe music sharing platform for under 18s with regular prizes for users.

Applicant: The Photo Club Project Title: Young Photographers Competition	Amount Requested from Area Board: £2000.00	
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This application meets grant criteria 2019/20.

Project Summary: Young photographers' competition. Following this year's successful photography project, I would like to run it again with a better understanding of how to engage more young people in the competition. Host free 90 minuet photography sessions for young people to get involved in with free access to The Photo Club camera equipment. offer these sessions to local youth organisations and schools. After evaluating this year's project, I would like to project to run from Jan May 2020.

Applicant: The Wiltshire Outdoor Learning Team CIC Project Title: Chippenham High Ropes and Zipwire Festival	Amount Requested from Area Board: £2150.00	
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This application meets grant criteria 2019/20.

Project Summary: 3 days of climbing activities based in Monkton Park aimed at young people - to include a climbing wall 40 m zipwire and various high wire challenges in the trees.

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