

The Salisbury Area Board's youth panel met on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, including attendances from Cllr Ricky Rogers, Karlene Jammeh (Engagement and Partnership Lead), Sam Barrett (Teacher) and 12 Pupil Parliament students from St Joseph's school.

Grant applications were reviewed that provide positive activities for young people aged 13-19 or up to 25 with SEND and seek to address the local priorities for Salisbury:

- Youth engagement, employment and positive activity opportunities
- Addressing climate change
- Supporting positive mental health and wellbeing
- Supporting under-represented groups
- Improving transport and access

The total remaining in the Youth grants fund for 2024/25 is £5,422.00.

Three Youth Area Board grant applications for Salisbury were presented to the panel and the following recommendations have been made to the Salisbury Area Board:

Application	Project cost		Amount recommended	Rationale
Salisbury Community Circus: Activities Roadshow Rig Safety Extension and Equipment	£15,265.00		£3,000.00 (£2,362.10 from youth budget and £637.90 from capital budget)	<ul> <li>The panel agreed that this is a valuable initiative, which will engage and make a positive difference to young people</li> <li>It will provide an increased opportunity to try out circus skills, by doubling their capacity at sessions and local events</li> <li>The panel have recommended to fund the project in full and £3,000.00 to be awarded</li> <li>N.B. £2,362.10 from youth budget and £637.90 from capital budget</li> </ul>
Folio Theatre:  Drama workshops for Young Carers to promote wellbeing and enhance career opportunities	£500.00	£500.00	£500.00	<ul> <li>The panel were in agreement that this project will be extremely beneficial to local young carers</li> <li>The panel felt that it is very important to support young carers in their role and this will make a positive impact for young people going forward</li> <li>The panel have recommended to fund the project in full and £500.00 to be awarded</li> </ul>
Area Board Initiative:	£30,000.00	£2,559.90	£2,559.90	<ul> <li>The panel were in agreement that this project will make a positive impact on the young people that attend and provides an opportunity for young people to be part of the design and delivery</li> </ul>







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Youth Music Festivals Programme				<ul> <li>The panel would like to see young people performing as part of the event and would be keen to be involved</li> <li>The panel have recommended to fund the project in full and £2,559.90.00 to be awarded</li> </ul>
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