



Area Board Project – Fund towards celebrations for the Jubilee

1. What is the Initiative?

Corsham Area Board has already agreed to support the 2012 Jubilee Celebrations by voting to attend the Jubilee Celebrations in May at Salisbury Cathedral. This will involve setting up a medieval style jousting tent to display what is unique and historical about the Corsham Community Area. Some local organisations have already agreed to provide displays for the event but will need financial support to facilitate participation.

2. Where is the initiative taking place?

This Initiative will be a one off event taking place at Salisbury Cathedral in May 2012

3. When will the initiative take place?

During May 2012.

4. What are the Community benefits/evidence of need/links to Community Plan/Community Issue?

The Corsham Area Board anticipates that many of the villages within the Community Area will want to stage community events to mark these two Jubilee celebrations in the form of street parties and have already agreed to support these events. The event in Salisbury would portray the unique qualities of the Corsham Community Area to the whole of Wiltshire, the South West and possibly a wider audience owing to the potentially high profile this event will attract as a result of members of the Royal Family attending.

5. What is the desired outcome of this initiative?

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6. Who will Project Manage this initiative?

Corsham Area Board has already agreed to support this project at its meeting on 2 February 2012. Managing the project was delegated to the Community Area Manager in consultation with the chairman.

7. Costs/quotes/ match funding?

A maximum of £2,000 from 2011/2012 budget to fund items such as a medieval style tent for the display. Any display materials needed for the event, transporting display materials to and from the site. A full breakdown of costs will be reported to the Corsham Area Board post event. Match funding is not a condition of this fund.

8. Additional information

The availability of this fund is earmarked for the specific purposes detailed above.

Wiltshire Council has applied for a grant towards staging this event. If this proves to be successful this will greatly reduce the amount of funding needed from Corsham Area Board to stage this event and will be reflected in the amount spent for this project.