

Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade 2012 Community Projects/Events

1. Details of Project

Name of Organisation: The Manorial Court of the Hundred and Borough of Cricklade

Please outline your project below:

To provide every school child under the age of eleven with a commemorative Mug for the Queens Diamond Jubilee at a special event to be held on 31st May 2012 to replicate a similar ceremony and distribution by the Court on the occasion of the Coronation.

To proclaim a loyal Toast to the Queen on 3rd June 2012 following a celebration Service in Cricklade as the Court has on every significant Royal occasion.

To organise and run a Jubilee Dance on 4th June 2012 which will incorporate the lighting of the Beacon. Cricklade is one of the 2012 Beacons that will be lit on this evening. This requires the manufacture and installation of a Beacon to commemorate the Queens Jubilee as a lasting and re-useable structure.

2. Where is the project taking place?

Beacon – Saxons Rest Community Garden to be lit at a community event as per the Queens jubilee beacon lighting schedule. The Court Leet has registered as an official Beacon site
Commemorative Mugs – to be given out to primary and Pre - school children to commemorate Queens Jubilee

3. When will the project take place?

Cricklade Diamond Jubilee Celebrations from 31/5/12 - 4/6/12

Activities to be included in full diary of events for Cricklade's Jubilee weekend celebrations

4. Please outline which of the criteria you feel your project meets, and why:

- **Reinvigorates our local economy**
- **Showcases what we have and what we do so well in our area**
- **Promotes our strong and vibrant community spirit**

At the Queen's Coronation The Court Leet gave mugs to local children. We plan to reproduce the Courts Crest and current Jubilee badge on the new mugs to celebrate the Jubilee. The Court is the only active Court in Wiltshire and its duties are enshrined in legislation. The Lord of the Manor acts as the Queen's representative through the Court's Officers in particular the High Bailiff which gives us a unique position in the Area and in the County. The Beacon has been registered as an official Beacon site. These events with others over the Jubilee weekend will be funded by Cricklade Town Council, Cricklade Business Association, Royal British Legion, Cricklade Churches together and others to promote the Town and its strong Community spirit. A full programme of events for all ages and groups within the community is being encouraged led by a community working party.

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5. What is the desired outcome/s of this project?

These two projects are aimed to give a lasting memory of the event. A souvenir for the young and a lasting permanent structure for the Town.

The Queen has indicated that particular emphasis should be put on involving young people in the celebrations. We consider this will not only celebrate the traditions of the past which are important for the Town, but also mean that young people are involved in the activities. The design of the mugs uses the one that was designed by a child and chosen by her as the official emblem of the Jubilee.

The Beacon is being designed so that it can be used for removable floral displays and a formal point in the Town where the Court Leet can meet for Royal and Court proclamations (These take place on such occasions as Royal Births, Marriages and Deaths) Town announcements used to be at the jubilee clock (Queen Victoria) but traffic now prohibits large safe gatherings in this location.

6. Who will project manage this project?

The High Bailiff (Clive Smith) and other members of the Court Leet

7. Please show a breakdown of costs for your project (including the sum you are applying for from the Area Board) and provide details of any other funding sources

Project Costs A Please provide a <u>full</u> breakdown e.g. equipment, installation etc.		Project Income B Please list all sources of funding for this project, as provisional (P) or confirmed (C)		
			P/C	
Purchase of 400 mugs	£1042.40	Court Leet Funds	C	£1042.40
Manufacture of Beacon	£960.00	Dance and other events self-financing (under written by Court)		£
Installation by Court members	£FOC			£
	£			£
Total	£2002.40	Total		£960.00
Amount Applying for:	£960.00			

8. Additional information in support of the project

Numbers from Schools / pre schools are confirmed and each child will be issued with a voucher to collect a mug either at school or through a central pickup point to ensure all children are included that live in the Town.

The Beacon is currently being designed by a local blacksmith to ensure the work benefits local tradesmen and economy. Planning permission is confirmed as not being required as current Section 96 is in place for the area allocated for installation and permission has been granted by Cricklade Town Council. The design is sympathetic to the location and falls within the permitted area and outside the ancient monument site of the Town Walls

The Beacon will be installed and maintained by the Court Leet and floral displays maintained by Cricklade Bloomers. Installation includes a sleeve to be placed in the ground for easy of removal and maintenance

Please email completed application forms to alison.sullivan@wiltshire.gov.uk

Notes

Please be aware that the Area Board expects those bidding for funds to have discussed their proposed project or event with their local Wiltshire Council Member and, at least in principle, to have secured their support – while the award of any funding will depend on Area Board approval.

Please note that the Area Board will not provide funding support for events which can be classed as 'street parties'.