

The Council has allocated £8,000 to each Township Forum to be allocated through a sub group of the Township forum four times a year in June, September, November and March. A maximum of £250 individual grant is available for formally constituted organisations.

Additionally, a borough-wide allocation of £8,000 is available for "cross-ward" applications for activity that takes place across more than one ward. The "cross-ward" applications are determined by the Council's Small Grants Panel.

Organisations applying for funding should be running projects which address at least one of the following priorities or one of those detailed in the Township plans:

- Improved employment opportunities
- Improved Community and Safety
- Improved Health and Well being
- Learning Opportunities for local residents
- Community Cohesion, Community Pride and belonging
- Environmental improvements

This report details the applications received to date including the February 2016 round of funding. The first round of applications was approved by the Small Grants Panel as there was insufficient time to form sub group of the Township Forums before the applications had to be approved.

Bury East

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
|--------------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Beasties Junior Youth Club | Big Jubilee Lunch | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 23.06.15 |
| New Springs Community Project | Community awards evening | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 05.10.15 |
| Openshaw Greens Park | maintenance | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 14/03/2016 |
| Chesham Fold | Running cost | £ 250.00 | declined | |
| SupportiveStem Community | Family Easter Event | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 14/03/2016 |
| Association of Bury Allotments | Cost towards Coach trip to flower show | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 14/03/2016 |
| | | £1500.00 | £1250.00 | |
| | | Available | £6500 | |

Bury West

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Peoples Voice | To improve site sensory garden and beds | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Walshaw Park Football Club | Junior Team Kit | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Brandlesholme Residents Association | Welcome signs North & South boundaries | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.11.15 |
| | | £ 750.00 | £ 750.00 | |
| | | Available | £7250 | |

Prestwich

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Prestwich Carnival | Carnival Event Insurance | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Village Greens Community Co-op | To increase chillers area for provision | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Big Knit | Purchase wool | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Albert Avenue Allotments | Setting up bee hives | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Seaforth Explorer Unit | Purchase new tents and pans | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.09.15 |
| St Margaret's Bowling Club | Update Kitchen facilities | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.09.15 |
| Simister Village Community Assoc. | Hold family social event for all the village | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.08.15 |
| Prestwich Methodist Youth Association | Youth Workers | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 12.11.15 |
| Bailey Street Bowling | Petrol powered grass trimmer | £ 188.00 | £ 188.00 | 10.03.2016 |
| | | £ 2188.00 | £ 1438.00 | |
| | | Available | £6562 | |

Radcliffe

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Withins Community Association | To purchase raised planters & soil | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 16.09.15 |
| Radcliffe Heritage Society | Promotional Calendars History of Radcliffe | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 16.09.15 |
| The Rotary Club of Radcliffe | Annual over 70's Christmas Party | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 18.11.15 |
| Radcliffe Business Group | Servicing for tree LED lights for 2 years | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 18.11.15 |
| Red Bank Tenants | Good quality soil | £ 200.00 | £ 200.00 | 18.11.15 |
| Radcliffe Lights | Festive Event | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Chapelfield Village Association | Planting tree package | £ 100.00 | £ 100.00 | 07.03.16 |
| | | £ 1550.00 | £ 1300.00 | |
| | | Available | £6450 | |

Ramsbottom Tottington and North Manor

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
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| Tottington & District Townswomen's guild | Organised Speakers at events | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Soroptomist | Provide a Tea Party for Ramsbottom elderly | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Tottington Park Bowling and Social Club | Purchase new equipment | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Greenmount Village Community | Signage | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 26.11.15 |
| Nangreaves Residents Association | Towards repairs of wall | £ 250.00 | - | |
| Tottington & District Townswomen | Speakers or room hire | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| Bury Rural Inequalities Forum | Promote West Pennine Way | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| Ramsbottom Heritage Society | Restore paint on urban crest | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| South Royd Street Allotment | Repair communal path on allotments | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| Affetside Society | Repairs to storage shed | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| Bury Archeological Group | hire of machinery and fencing | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| Greenmount Village Pre School | Provision of healthy snacks | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 07/03/2016 |
| | | £ 3000.00 | £ 2000.00 | |
| | | Available | £6000 | |

Whitefield and Unsworth

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Whitefield Community Graveyard | Purchase equipment & Soil | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | |
| Victoria Youth | Job Club | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 23.06.15 |
| North M/c Ladies Jewish Drama Grp | Drama piece for the group | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 08.09.15 |
| Bill Lane Improvement Scheme | Improvements & clean up on Bill Lane | £ 250.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.11.15 |
| | | £ 1,000.00 | £ 1,000.00 | |
| | | Available | £7000 | |

Cross Township

| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
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| Group | Details | Amount requested | Amount allocated | Date approved |
| Eden Garden Allotments | Equipment & items for area in allotments | £ 500.00 | £ 300.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Tottington Holiday club | Provision of Holiday club and activities | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Bury Archaeological Group | Member training, Newsletter & Excavations | £ | - | 23.06.15 |
| Tottington Sports Club | Tottingtons 'Big Day Out' | £ 500.00 | - | 23.06.15 |
| Prestwich Book Festival | Host Event for book lovers, £300 returned | £ 400.00 | £300.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Hard of Hearing | Tutor and room hire | £ 500.00 | £ 265.00 | 23.06.15 |
| Bury Widows | Towards cost of Railway lunch & day out | £ 500.00 | - | |
| Bury and Districts Home Watch | Annual Home Watch Conference | £ 500.00 | £ 200.00 | 15.09.15 |
| Unsworth Cricket Club FC | Full size foldable goal post | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 15.09.15 |
| Bury Carers Group | To run variety of activities for carers | £ 500.00 | rejected | |
| Little Britain Anglers | Lawn mower | £ | deferred | |
| Buddy's for Children with Autism | fixtures and fittings for new shop | £ 500.00 | rejected | |
| The Rotary Club of Ramsbottom | Trip for young carers to Blackpool | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 17.08.15 |

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| Bury Diabetic Support Group | To organise information events | £ 500.00 | rejected | |
| Bury Archaeological Group | Equipment | £ | rejected | |
| Well Arty | Too match fund music pilot for young people | £ 500.00 | rejected | |
| SupportiveStem Community Growth | Marketing Campaign to raise awareness | £ 470.00 | rejected | |
| Its Time 4 Change | Room Hire for Breakfast Club | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 17.11.15 |
| Bloco Ashe | Marketing & room hire for workshops | £ 500.00 | £ 240.00 | 17.11.15 |
| Bury Voluntary Ranger Service | To line and insulate container for storing tools | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 17.11.15 |
| Langley Allotments | Part payment for replacement building | £ 500.00 | £ 500.00 | 17.11.15 |
| Whitefield Horticultural Society | Centenary event | £ 480.00 | £ 250.00 | 17.11.15 |
| Bury Diabetic Society | Running costs | £ 500.00 | withdrawn | |
| Little Britain Anglers | Lawn mower | £ | deferred | |
| Radcliffe Swimming & Water Polo | Towards new equipment | £ 500.00 | £300 | 08/03/2016 |
| Jigsaw Link | Volunteer Expenses & Promotional Materials | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |

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| Little Britain Anglers | Lawn Mower | £ 450.00 | £450 | 08/03/2016 |
| Communic8te Bury | Training cost for volunteers | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Greenmount Village | Already applied this financial year | | | |
| The Rotary Club of Bury | purchase soft furnishings for families in crisis | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Whitefield Painting Group | Room Hire and insurance | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Creative Living Centre | Fridge and Freezer for centre | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Brandlesholme Warriors Juniors | Drainage of pitch | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| 2nd Ramsbottom Scout Group | New stoves | £ 482.00 | £482 | 08/03/2016 |
| Tottingtons Sports Club | Tottingtons Big Day Out | £ 500.00 | £ - | |
| Contact Bury Ind Living | Volunteers expenses , travel, activities | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Brandlesholme Scarecrow Fest | Scarecrow Festival & Family Fun Day | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Bury Somali Youth Group | Pitch hire , bibs and footballs not sent funds | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Incredible Edible | Project Beds x 3 | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |

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| Speakeasy | lap top and projector | £ 488.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| Prestwich Clough Centenary | Marquee Hire | £ 500.00 | £500 | 08/03/2016 |
| | | £ 17,782.00 Applied | £ 11,787.00 Awarded | |
| | | | £800 returned | |

On the last round of Small Grants there was an under spend throughout the financial year and the Panel where able to award over the £8000. A further amount £5995 was approved but of the awarded figure there was £800 returned.