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| Title: | Community Funding Report |
| To: | Whitefield and Unsworth Township Forum |
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1.0 Introduction

The Council has allocated £1,000 per ward to support the work of voluntary and community groups. The application funding decisions will be made by the relevant ward councillors. Individual grants to the **"ward fund"** are available for a maximum of £250. Additionally, a borough-wide allocation of £13,000 is available for **"cross-ward"** applications from third sector organisations, with a maximum individual grant of £750.

2.0 Ward Funding 2014/15

Besses

| <i>Group</i> | <i>Details</i> | <i>Allocated</i> |
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| Prestwich & Whitefield Townswomen | Mini bus hire cost towards speakers | £ 250.00 |
| Hollins Village Community Assoc | Welcome sign on Boundary | £ 191.43 |
| Hollins Village Community Assoc | Supply & erect Picnic tables | £ 250.00 |
| Whitefield Community Graveyard | Mower with collecting box | £ 250.00 |
| Fund Remaining | | £ 558.57 |

Pilkington Park

| <i>Group</i> | <i>Details</i> | <i>Allocated</i> |
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| The Big Knit | Purchase wool | £ 250.00 |
| Hollins Vill Comm Assoc Bowling Green | Ongoing maintenance for facilities | £ 250.00 |
| Little Britain Anglers | Tools to repair access along riverside | £ 250.00 |
| Whitefield Community Graveyard | Mower with collecting box | £ 250.00 |
| Fund Remaining | | £ 500.00 |

Unsworth

| <i>Group</i> | <i>Details</i> | <i>Allocated</i> |
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| Eden Gardens Allotments Assoc | Chem toilets x 2 | £ 250.00 |
| Rotary Club of Prestwich & Whitefield | Promoting Rotary to provide services | £ 250.00 |
| Elms Comm Centre | Elms in Bloom competition | £ 250.00 |
| Hollins Vill Comm Assoc Bowling Green | Ongoing maintenance for facilities | £ 250.00 |

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| Hollins Village Community Assoc | Welcome Sign on Boundary | £ 191.43 |
| Hollins Village Community Assoc | Supply & erect Picnic Tables | £ 250.00 |
| Fund Remaining | | £ 58.57 |

3.0 Cross Ward Funding 2014/15

| <i>Group</i> | <i>Details</i> | <i>Allocated</i> |
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| PUPILS | Encourage Independent living trip | £ 750.00 |
| Making Space | Further Develop Choir | £ 750.00 |
| Bury Society for Blind | Develop a sensory garden | £ 703.06 |
| Hard of Hearing | Tutor classes | £ 750.00 |
| Bury Dragons Diving Club | Diving Event | £ 750.00 |
| The Enterprise Centre | Purchase stone & hire of tractor & labour | £ 500.00 |
| Unsworth South Social Club | Signage and posters | £ 723.00 |
| Bury District Angling Society | Plywood sheets & roofing sheets | £ 250.00 |
| 23 rd Prestwich & Whitefield Scouts | Tents, benches, pans & utensils | £ 750.00 |
| Tottington Sports Club | Tottington Big Day Out Event | £ 750.00 |
| Langley Gardening Club | Replace weather boards of shop | £470.00 |
| Churches Together | Family fun day in Whitehead Park | £ 750.00 |
| Brandlesholme Scarecrow Festival | Scarecrow Festival & Harvest family fun day | £ 750.00 |
| Bury Parents Forum Ltd | Run seminars to empower Parents who have children with additional needs | £ 750.00 |
| Prestwich & Whitefield Heritage Society | Restore Memorial Stone | £ 450.00 |
| Prestwich Carnival Comm (Xmas Fair) | To put on a Christmas Fair & Santa's Grotto | £ 750.00 |
| Whitefield Horticultural Society | Folding display tables for horticultural events | £ 750.00 |
| Home Watch Conference | Hire of Elizabethan Suite | £ 600.00 |
| Friends of Bury Young Carers | Youth event | £ 750.00 |
| Carers Support | Promoting an active lifestyle | £ 303.94 |
| Fund Remaining | | £00.00 |

4.0 Small Grants Panel 2014/15

Bury Council has an annual allocation of £46,200 for the Small Grant's Fund. The current funding priority is to encourage and support grass-root community activity. This means small, community-based and locally controlled groups that manage themselves, encourage active participation from volunteers, and have minimal cash reserves and limited access to funding support.

The next round of funding for this financial year closes on 13th January and the Panel will meet on 3rd February. Application forms for the new round of funding are available from Liz Saunders 0161 253 6357 or e.saunders@bury.gov.uk

| Applicant | Project | Requested | Decision |
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| New Springs Community Group | Development of Community garden | £ 3,000.00 | £ 2,000.00 |
| Tottington Holiday Play scheme | Summer holiday playscheme | £ 3,000.00 | £ 1,500.00 |
| First Light Training | Intergenerational film and photography project | £ 4,806.30 | £ - |
| South Royd Street Allotment Assoc | Rebuilding of access path | £ 3,107.44 | £ - |
| Chesham Fold TRA – Youth Club | Six Week playscheme | £ 1,925.00 | £ 500.00 |
| Abbey Close TRA | Weekend trip to Blackpool | £ 4,227.00 | £ 500.00 |
| The Enterprise Centre | Establish and Naturally Enterprising Centre | £ 4,500.00 | £ 2,000.00 |
| Radcliffe District Scout Council | Replacement windows | £ 5,000.00 | £ 1,000.00 |
| Five Stars Appeal | Sessional workers to support volunteers | £ 5,000.00 | £ - |
| Relate | Provision of bursary fund for low cost counselling | £ 5,000.00 | £ 2,000.00 |
| Simister Village Community Association | Information boards and bench | £ 4,300.00 | £ - |
| APNA Health | Meeting health needs of BME in East Bury | £ 5,000.00 | £ - |
| Ramsbottom Young People | Youth provision in Nutall park | £ 1,613.00 | £ 1,000.00 |
| Unsworth South Social Club | Chairs and tables for community hub | £ 5,000.00 | £ 1,000.00 |
| | | | £ 11,500.00 |
| Bury Diabetic Support Goup | Running costs for the support group | £ 1,500.00 | £ 1,000.00 |
| Its Time 4 Change | Twice weekly homeless breakfast club | £ 5,000.00 | £ 5,000.00 |
| Rotary Club of Radcliffe | Over 70's Christmas Party | £ 2,550.00 | £ 1,500.00 |
| Bury Groups of Advanced Motorists | Driving skills for life course | £ 2,500.00 | £ - |
| Outwood TRA | Running costs for youth club | £ 2,492.00 | £ 1,500.00 |

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| ADAB | Disability inclusion course | £ 5,000.00 | £ - |
| Bury Cricket Club | Cricket net system | £ 5,000.00 | £ - |
| Bury Parents Forum | Special Educational needs and disability training | £ 4,275.00 | £ - |
| Bloco Ashe Samba Group | Samba Group workshops | £ 4,690.00 | £ 750.00 |
| Besses Oth Barn URC | Replacement of floor covering | £ 2,653.00 | £ - |
| Speakeasy | To update the ICT of the group | £ 4,068.00 | £ 2,000.00 |
| Holy Law Ladies for Bury | New kitchen to run nutrition course | £ 5,000.00 | £ - |
| | | | £ 11,750.00 |