

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

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<i>Group</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Allocated</i>
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
Whitefield Painting Group	Art sessions & Room Hire	£ 250.00
Fund Remaining		£ 308.57

Pilkington Park

<i>Group</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Allocated</i>
The Big Knit	Purchase wool	£ 250.00
Hollins Village 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>
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
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>
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 & disabilities.	£ 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
Radcliffe Carnival Committee	Radcliffe Christmas Lights	£ 250.00
Bury Voluntary Rangers	Towards planning application for container	£158.95
Fund Remaining		£00.00

4.0 Small Grants Panel 2014/15

Bury Council had an annual allocation of £46,200 for the Small Grant's Fund for 2014/15. 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 round of funding for this financial year closed on 13th January and The Panel met on 3rd February to agree the final allocation of funding for the year.

Applicant	Project	Requested	Decision
SOLIDARITY	Monthly social activity for Asylum Seekers	£ 5,000.00	£ 2,102.00
Highfield Road Allotments	Drainage & Restoration	£ 5,000.00	£ 1,800.00
Hard of Hearing Support Group	Room Hire and Tutor	£ 5,000.00	£ 600.00
Azamrah Youth Group	Easter & Summer Play schemes	£ 4,912.50	£ 1,500.00
Bury Gateway	Run Pilot Project Animal Related Therapy (ART)	£ 4,382.00	£ 1,500.00
Bury People First	To set up a Forum run by Adults with learning disabilities	£ 1,140.00	£ -
New Springs Community Group	12 months Community room hire 2 lots	£ 2,536.00	£ 2,450.00
Greenmount Village pre school	ICT equipment for pre school	£ 1,537.00	£ 480.00
Bury Broncos Rugby League Club	Contribution to cost of maintenance of Pavilion	£ 3,957.00	£ 1,000.00
Holcombe Society	To purchase and fit defibrillator	£ 1,500.00	£ 250.00
Langley Allotment Holders Association	Purchase porta cabin to be used on the allotments	£ 4,200.00	£ 1,800.00
Bury District Angling Association	Materials to provide safe access and walkways	£ 5,000.00	£ 2,300.00
Sudanese Community	To play regular football on a hired pitch and kits	£ 3,872.00	£ 500.00
Greenmount Village Community Group	To establish the 'West Pennine Way' circular walk	£ 4,000.00	£ 1,368.00
Victoria TRA	Set up IT classes, homework clubs and Job Searching	£ 3,480.00	£ -
Victoria Community Building	Cover cost of Insurance and energy bills	£ 5,000.00	£ 2,350.00
Chesham Fold	Running cost for the building	£ 3,910.00	£ 2,450.00
Victoria TRA	Rent for Youth club for 12 months	£ 4,320.00	£ 500.00
First Light Project	To fund a regular film club in Chesham Fold.	£ 4,659.00	£ -
		Total allocated	£ 22,950.00

