

Community Grants Deferred from January 2016.

Middlewich Vision FAB Partnership

Total Project Cost: £10,950

Amount Requested: £950

Withdrawn by group

Funding is required to fund activities over the weekend of the folk and boat festival, such as animal activities and crafts. No supporting documentation has been received and the bank account is that of Middlewich Vision who have already received funding within this financial year. The application was deferred in the last round pending the receipt of the correct documentation and bank account details of the fab partnership.

Following communications with Middlewich Vision – they have requested this application to be withdrawn

Evolve: Tackling Legal Highs

Total Project Cost: £1,000

Amount Requested: £1,000

Recommended: Decline

Funding has been requested to offer additional sessions for young people of Cheshire East. A breakdown of costs is not included. The application was deferred in the last round pending further information on the session costs and location as we are unable to fund staffing. We also require information on the impact and benefit of holding sessions. The organisation are not contributing towards the costs themselves and do not have funding from elsewhere.

Information has been received stating that the group charge £50 per session but are yet to confirm where the sessions are taking place or if sessions have been requested by the schools. The overall aim of the information sessions is to reduce the abuse of substances thereby benefiting the children and the wider community by preventing crime anti- social behaviour and risks to health and life.

It is recommended that the application is declined due to lack of information regarding project costs.

Cheshire School's Cricket Association

Total Project Cost: £1,650

Amount Requested: £750

Recommended: Decline

Cheshire Schools Cricket Association requires funding towards hosting cup competitions between schools in Cheshire. Supporting documentation was not submitted with the application. Cricket finals are due to take place in June/July. The application was deferred in the last round pending receipt of their supporting documentation. A constitution document has been received but no safeguarding policy has been submitted. It is recommended that the application is declined.

Wilmslow Guild

Total Project Cost: £4,667

Amount Requested: £1,800

Recommended: £1,000

Wilmslow Guild is applying for funding for the replacement of rotten windows in the stairwell and craft room. Funding was awarded in the last financial year towards window replacement. Repeat funding cannot be granted. The application was deferred pending further information on the development plans for the building, specifically if there are there any further window refurbishment phases. The window replacement is part of a 3 year development plan on the building. The group are contributing themselves and have a contribution from the Town Council. It is

recommended that they are awarded £1,000 towards this phase of the building development and that they also consider other sources of funding or fundraising. The group do have considerable reserves but have operated at a loss.

Crewe FC

Total Project Cost: £500

Amount Requested: £450

Recommended: £300

Crewe FC requires funding towards training and match balls to allow greater involvement of players in training sessions and more efficient coaching. The club have some sponsorship but are not contributing themselves or have contributions from elsewhere. It is recommended that they are awarded £300 and that they also apply to other funding sources, such as the Town Council.