

To: Gleniffer Local Partnership

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Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
**Applications for Local Partnership funding in Gleniffer
Local Partnership - 2020/21**

1. Summary

- 1.1 Applications for grant funding from the seven Local Partnership areas were invited in February 2020, to be considered at the Local Partnership meetings due to be held in April.
- 1.2 The Gleniffer Local Partnership meeting which was scheduled to be held on 23rd of April was cancelled due to the Coronavirus pandemic, to reflect both the 'lockdown' restrictions and the emergency planning arrangements in place put in place by Renfrewshire Council.
- 1.3 Renfrewshire Council resumed its policy board arrangements in August, and it was agreed by Renfrewshire Council's Emergencies Board that Local Partnerships would be resumed in September to allow for the allocation of Local Partnership funding for 2020/21.
- 1.4 The total allocation for Gleniffer Local Partnership is £52,214 (£43,064 from the General Grant Fund and £9,150 from Paisley Common Good Fund).
- 1.5 In addition, a sum of £50 per community representative requires to be ringfenced for potential claim of expenses. These expenses are deducted from the available allocation for the Local Partnership. As Gleniffer Local Partnership has seven spaces for community members, £350 is ringfenced for expenses. **This leaves a total budget available for allocation by Gleniffer Local Partnership of £51,864.**

- 1.6 The Youth Challenge Fund component of Gleniffer Local Partnership Funding is £19,861. This funding will be allocated by young people through a Participatory Budgeting process currently underway.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 It is recommended that members of Gleniffer Local Partnership consider the applications for Local Partnership grant funding, as set out below in Appendix 1 and 2.

3. Background

- 3.1 Applications for grant funding from the seven Local Partnership areas were invited in February 2020, to be considered at the Local Partnership meetings due to be held in April.
- 3.2 Applicants were also provided with refreshed guidance, as well as a description of the Local Priorities identified by the Gleniffer Local Partnership. A copy of this guidance has been provided at Appendix 3.
- 3.3 Following agreement by Renfrewshire Council's Emergencies Board that Local Partnerships would resume in September 2020, all applicants were contacted and provided the opportunity to amend their application or reflect any changes in circumstances that may have occurred since original applications were submitted.
- 3.4 Local Partnership members are asked to consider the applications for funding summarised at Appendix 1 and 2 of this report, and to assess these against the Local Priorities agreed by the Gleniffer Local Partnership.
- 3.5 Following feedback received by Local Partnership members in previous funding rounds, an initial assessment has been carried out by officers to support Local Partnership members in their decision-making. Where applications have made clear reference to the Local Priorities identified by the Local Partnership, this is identified in the first table at Appendix 1. Applications that make a partial or no reference to Gleniffer Local Partnership Priorities are summarised in the second table – for example, the project may work with young people with additional needs (and therefore meet the Local Priority around isolation and loneliness) but not deliver this directly in the Local Partnership area or make reference to how many young people from the area would be engaged in the project.

3.6 The priorities of the Gleniffer Local Partnership are:

Community assets

The Local Partnership want to see busy local community centres, full of activities. They also want to boost community involvement, getting more people involved in local groups and volunteering.

What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn

The Local Partnership want to develop ways to share information about what is going on locally across the area, including developing community noticeboards and networks.

Public safety and road safety

The Local Partnership want to promote public safety across the area. This includes road safety and managing the speed of traffic in the area.

Isolation and loneliness

The Local Partnership want to tackle isolation and loneliness across the area. They think a key barrier for some people is transport and being able to access activities.

Play facilities

The Local Partnership want to see development of parks and play areas for children and young people

APPENDIX 1 – GRANT APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY PRIORITY THEME

Gleniffer Local Partnership Grant application forms – amount available £52,214

TABLE 1: APPLICATIONS TO GLENIFFER LOCAL PARTNERSHIP ONLY WITH DIRECT REFERENCE TO GLENIFFER LOCAL PRIORITIES

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Gleniffer LP priority
FR1088	The Thursday Club	£4,050	The Thursday Club	Isolation and loneliness
FR1105	Outdoor Learning & Activities Project	£10,000	30th St Peters Scout Group	Isolation and loneliness
FR1108	Sharing is Caring	£7,000	Langcraigs Parent Partnership	Play facilities
FR1119	Project Open Doors	£10,000	33rd Gleniffer Paisley Gleniffer Scouts Group	Community assets
FR1129	Glenburn Seniors Forum	£2,000	Glenburn Seniors Forum	Isolation and loneliness
FR1131	Foxbar Friday Bowling Club	£1,090	Foxbar Friday Bowling Club	Isolation and loneliness
FR1132	Foxbar Keep Fit Club	£3,355	Foxbar Keep Fit Club	Isolation and loneliness
FR1133	Foxbar Elderly Forum	£950	Foxbar Elderly Forum	Isolation and loneliness
FR1148	Holiday Hunger Club (timescale now October – December 2020)	£10,000	Stronger Communities Glenburn	Isolation and loneliness
FR1149	Miles of Smiles	£5,000	Miles of Smiles (Stronger Communities Glenburn)	Isolation and loneliness
FR1154	G in the Park / Park Opening (timescale now March 2021)	£5,000	Stronger Communities Glenburn	What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn Isolation and loneliness
FR1205	Community Involvement	£4,649.09	Foxbar Rivers Community Building	Community assets What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn Isolation and loneliness
FR1211	Regaining confidence through art therapy	£2,730	Glenburn Stroke & Disability Support Group	Isolation and loneliness

TABLE 2: APPLICATIONS TO MORE THAN ONE LOCAL PARTNERSHIP WITH REFERENCE TO GLENIFFER LOCAL PRIORITIES

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Gleniffer LP priority
FR1073	Fair Trade Education	£3,000	Rainbow Turtle	Community assets Isolation and loneliness
FR1080	Paisley Pirates Ice Hockey Club (Incorporating Junior Development) - Provision of Ice	£3,489.02	Paisley Pirates Ice Hockey Club	Community assets What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn Public safety and road safety Isolation and loneliness Play facilities
FR1086	Not Threadbare - Memories and Anecdotes from the Paisley Mills	£725	Paisley People's Archive	Community assets What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn
FR1089	Brediland hall running cost, offshore costs, door replacement, Nest thermostatic unit cost and fire/burglar alarm	£5,933	Paisley Sea Cadets	Community assets Isolation and loneliness
FR1095	Promote Walking in Renfrewshire	£500	Renfrewshire Walking Network	Isolation and loneliness
FR1156	Renfrewshire Connected Champions Project	£2,311	RAMH	Isolation and loneliness
FR1172	Renfrewshire Accessibility Project	£2,239.32	Renfrewshire Access Panel	Community assets What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn Public safety and road safety Isolation and loneliness Play facilities

TABLE 3: APPLICATIONS WITH PARTIAL OR NO REFERENCE TO GLENIFFER LOCAL PRIORITIES

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Gleniffer LP priority
FR1065	Paisley and District Royal British Legion Pipe Band	£4,050.00	Paisley and District, Royal British Legion Pipe Band	Isolation and loneliness
FR1068	Community Cricket Coaching	£2,000	Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation	Isolation and loneliness
FR1074	Purchase of cricket roller	£4,000	Ferguslie Cricket Club	Community assets Isolation and loneliness
FR1099	Memorial Bench and plaque	£450	Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association	The project does not meet any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities
FR1125	REEM Drop-in Centre	£2,216.25	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities	Isolation and loneliness
FR1126	Double the fun! Renfrewshire twins group	£482.75	Home-Start Renfrewshire & Inverclyde	Isolation and loneliness
FR1128	The Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank	£1,215	Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank	The project does not meet any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities
FR1146	Dates n Mates Renfrewshire	£1,500	C-Change Scotland	Isolation and loneliness
FR1150	Establishing a Child Play Therapy Scheme for Children 5 yrs. to 15 yrs. of age.	£2,000	The Wynd Centre	The project does not meet any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities
FR1166	Community Safe Haven	£2,666	Y.M.C.A Paisley	Isolation and loneliness
FR1174	Lamont Farm Project	£4,000	Lamont Farm Project	Isolation and loneliness
FR1182	Taste of Culture (Black History month – rescheduled to September 2020 onwards)	£2,500	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities (REEM)	Isolation and loneliness
FR1183	Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour - Transport	£375	Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour	Isolation and loneliness
FR1191	Makerspace: Connecting Communities	£1,196	Y.M.C.A Paisley	What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn Isolation and loneliness
FR1209	New dog agility equipment	£570	Phoenix Flyers Dog Agility Club	The project does not meet any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities
FR1212	Advancing Shop Mobility in Renfrewshire	£1,357	Shop Mobility Paisley & District	Isolation and loneliness
FR1215	Paisley & District U3A for You (Original date June 2020, now running until December 2020)	£700	Paisley & District U3A	Isolation and loneliness

TABLE 4: APPLICATIONS WHERE ACTIVITY DATE HAS PASSED

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Gleniffer LP priority	Original date planned
FR1141	Fest - Free Community Summer Activities	£7,102	PACE Theatre Co	Community assets Isolation and loneliness	Summer 2020

APPENDIX 2 – GRANT APPLICATIONS SUMMARIES

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1065
2. Project Name	Paisley and District Royal British Legion Pipe Band
3. Organisation Name	Paisley and District Royal British Legion Pipe Band
4. Amount Applied For	£4,050 (£16,200 in total from the 3 Paisley LPs and Renfrew)
5. Description Of Project	<p>To regenerate a piping and drumming band to bring together all veterans from different regiments and the local community. To provide musical support at appropriate events to enter into pipe band competitions. To provide open and inclusive musical community group to promote wellbeing.</p> <p>It was recognised that there was insufficient numbers to make a pipe band available to service the local British Legion and veteran community event, e.g. Remembrance Sunday. Members decided to establish a local pipe band that would allow veterans, their families and the wider community members an opportunity to learn piping and drumming.</p> <p>The project will provide musical tuition twice weekly in the local RBL club who have provided the venue for the practise for a nominal fee. The musical tutors are experienced pipe and drum majors and have the expertise and knowledge to teach beginners and develop intermediate musicians.</p> <p>The project will provide regular music tuition, creating a community group which will in turn be beneficial to the members. Musical group work is known to help improve physical and mental health as well as promote and widen social bonding and networks. It is anticipated that a fully functioning marching pipe band will be formed and available to support the local branch from 2020 onwards.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The project benefits those involved in the band through, including young people and people who have experienced PTSD. It also benefits the wider community through the provision of music at community events.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The project meets the priority of loneliness & isolation as it allows veterans, their families, including young people and people who have experienced PTSD and the wider community members an opportunity to learn piping and drumming.</p>
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The total cost of the project is £21,605. The group is applying for a total of £16,200 from 3 Paisley's and Renfrew Local Partnership areas. From Gleniffer Local Partnership the group is requesting £4,050.</p>

Item of Spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Band uniforms	£18,005	£13,500
Bagpipes	£3,600	£2,700

9. About The Organisation

The organisation was established in January 2019 and now has 6 volunteers and 20 members. The Band aims to provide musical instruction to adults and children and to regenerate piping and drumming in Paisley and District.

10. Grant Funding Award History

N/A

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1068
2. Project Name	Community Cricket Coaching
3. Organisation Name	Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation
4. Amount Applied For	£2,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership. (£10,000 in total split between, 3x Paisley LPs, the Villages LP and Johnstone and Linwood LP)
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Community Cricket Coaching project will take place between 1st May 2020 and 30th April 2021.</p> <p>The project aims to increase the number of people participating in regular sport within Renfrewshire and aims to address the reduction in people participating regularly in sport and active activity sessions, by providing regular cricket sessions throughout the year. Led by a qualified cricket coach, our cricket sessions will increase the activity levels in all participants and help to promote an active and healthy lifestyle throughout the local communities where our project will work.</p> <p>The need for this project was identified by liaising with local groups and local people. We have become aware of the declining number of people of all ages participating regularly in sport, especially cricket. Football teams cater for a high number of people however our project seeks to cater for those who do not play football and indeed cater for people regardless of ability. We seek to promote participation in sport, through cricket for people of all ages and abilities.</p> <p>Our project will provide cricket sessions for people of all ages and will focus on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- in or after school cricket coaching sessions (primary schools)- in or after school cricket coaching sessions (secondary schools)- university and college cricket coaching sessions- weekly, open cricket coaching sessions for all aged under 18- weekly, open cricket coaching sessions for all aged 18 and above- winter cricket coaching sessions for people all ages and abilities <p>Our project will not only help to enhance fitness levels and improve the health and well-being of each individual, but it will also promote key transferrable skills which people of all ages can use in their educational or employment lives. Communication and team work skills will be promoted by our project while self-confidence, self-belief and self-esteem of each individual will be enhanced.</p> <p>We will monitor participation numbers at each of our activity sessions and use these figures to monitor and evaluate our projects success. In addition, informal discussions with parents and teachers will also provide an insight into the skills and confidences that may be developed by young people participating in our project.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Different age groups receiving the coaching will benefit from this project.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The project should support local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness in Gleniffer area for those involved in the activity.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total project cost is £12,000. The group is applying for £10,000 in total split between 3x Paisley LPs, the Villages LP and Johnstone and Linwood LP.

The balance of £500 will be met from unsecured leisure grant

Item of Spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Cricket Coaching (320 hours @ £25 p/h)	£8,000	£7,900
Cricket Equipment	£2,000	£1,800
Venue Hire	£2,000	£1,800

9. About The Organisation

The Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation is a registered charity (No. SC045605), based in Paisley. It was established in 2015.

The Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation has less than 10 volunteers and its main activity areas are Children & Young people and Health & Wellbeing.

The charity aims to:

- Promote cricket as a participation sport open to all regardless of age, gender, creed, colour, religion or ability;
- Provide cricket coaching and training opportunities for those sections of the community in Renfrewshire and surrounding areas who wish to play cricket;
- To promote the general health and wellbeing of individuals through their participation in sport.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grant Leisure Grant	£3,822 £500	Community cricket coaching
2018/19	LAC grant Leisure Grant	£7,760 £500	Community cricket coaching
2017/18	LAC grant Leisure Grant	£6,143 £500	Community cricket coaching

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1. Reference	FR1073
2. Project Name	Fair Trade Education
	To build on Rainbow Turtle's education work, creating informed and active global citizens locally, particularly from young people and their teachers.
3. Organisation Name	Rainbow Turtle
4. Amount Applied For	£3,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.
	<p>The organisation has also applied for funding to the following local partnerships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £3,000 from Paisley North West & Central • £3,000 from Paisley East • £750 from Johnstone & Linwood • £750 from Renfrew • £750 from The Villages • £750 from Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will run from September 2020 to September 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to build on Rainbow Turtle's education work, creating informed and active global citizens locally, particularly from young people and their teachers. This will include the facilitation of workshops and activities on Fair Trade and its environmental impact, to connect not only with the Fairtrade Schools awards system but also the Eco Schools and Rights Respecting Schools awards. With a focus on this local partnership's interest in supporting social connections, Rainbow Turtle facilitates the sharing of resources and skills with our regular schools' conferences, where teachers and pupils can exchange ideas on Fair Trade and global citizenship.</p> <p>The project aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to meet increased demand to host schools' conferences during the year, enabling young people to engage actively with issues of social justice, the environment, Global Citizenship and Fair Trade; • to host and facilitate at least 1 producer visit, combining with one of the above conferences as we have in 2020 and in previous years; • to work directly with the young people on school Fair Trade and Eco committees to embed Fair Trade issues deeper into the curriculum. <p>Demand is high from schools to provide regular input on Fair trade and Global Citizenship more widely. This has included visits to individual schools, as well as conferences where several schools from Renfrewshire share in their learning.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>Young people, schools & community groups across Renfrewshire will benefit from this project because it will:</p>

- Increase community assets through school and volunteer engagement. Gleniffer High is greatly involved with Fair Trade
- Reduce social isolation via bringing children and adults together through Fair Trade and volunteering.
- Engage more with schools, young people, teachers and community groups with Fair Trade issues, both local and global.
- Increase collaboration with Renfrewshire Council and other local organisations, building on networks already developed;
- Produce further an Education programme which will increase understanding of global issues within a local context.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

This project meets 2 of the Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities. Firstly, the project will increase the use of community assets through school and volunteer engagement. Gleniffer High school is greatly involved with Fair Trade.

Isolation & loneliness priority will also be addressed as the project aims to reduce social isolation by bringing children and adults together through Fair Trade and volunteering.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £12,000. The group is applying to 7 Local Partnerships & requesting a total of £8,000 for this project with £3,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The group will balance the total outstanding project costs of £4,000 through their own funds (£3,000 for sessional costs for Education Officer & £1,000 for conference budget costs)

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Sessional costs for Education Officer	£10,000	£2,500
Conference Budget costs	£2,000	£500

9. About The Organisation

Rainbow Turtle is charity, established in 2002, with one part-time employee and 55 members.

The aim of the organisation is to enhance the profile of Fair Trade in Renfrewshire by:

- Campaigning and education e.g. talks, workshops, conferences and activities in schools and community groups.
- Organising special events for Fairtrade Fortnight, producer visits etc, often in partnership with other third sector organisations.
- Working in partnership with producers in the developing world.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnerships and paisley Common good fund	£4,312	Contribution to Education Programme costs August 2019 - August 2020
2018/19	Local Area Committee LAC	£4,606	Contribution to Education Programme costs August 2018 - August 2019
2017/18	Local Area Committee LAC	£4576	Contribution to Education Programme costs August 2017 - August 2018

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1074
2. Project Name	Purchase of Cricket Roller
3. Organisation Name	Ferguslie Cricket Club
4. Amount Applied For	£4,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership (Group is applying for £10,000 in total of which £6,000 is split equally between, Paisley North West & Central, Paisley East, the Villages and Johnstone and Linwood LPs (£1,500 each))
5. Description Of Project	<p>The purpose of the project is to purchase a new cricket roller. The project represents the next phase in our facility improvement programme. To date our facility improvement programme has included installation of new practice nets, groundsman garage, installation of electric scoreboard, shower, toilet and changing room enhancements, purchase of mobile covers and sightscreens and the purchase of an outfield grasscutter. The purchase of a new roller would complement our existing ground equipment and would enable us to prepare better quality cricket pitches and indeed help retain our status as a Cricket Scotland Hub ground.</p> <p>The project was identified as a result of our status as a Cricket Scotland Hub Ground. This status ensures that we host representative cricket fixtures throughout the cricket season, thus helping to bring people to Paisley. Recently we have hosted the Scottish Cup Final as well as district and international representative fixtures. Our roller has been identified as requiring urgent attention given its age and condition. Our roller remains unreliable and is continually subject to repair thus impacting on our ability to prepare high quality pitches not only for representative fixtures but also our own club fixtures and youth fixtures.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The project will benefit current and future cricket players as the purchase of a new roller will enable the club to prepare high quality cricket pitches for all to use.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>This project should support the use of facilities and make the ground of Ferguslie Cricket Club more attractive, thus contributing to Gleniffer priority of community assets and possibly contributing to tackling isolation & loneliness by attracting players and spectators across Renfrewshire.</p>
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The group is applying for £4,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership</p> <p>The total cost of the project is £13,850. The group is requesting £10,000 in total split between 3x Paisley LPs, the Villages LP and Johnstone and Linwood LP.</p>

The balance to be met through unsecured fundraising		
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Purchase of roller	£13,850	£10,000

9. About The Organisation

Ferguslie Cricket Club is a Community Amateur Sports Club - CH00402.

With a history in the local community dating back to 1887, Ferguslie Cricket Club is one of the main sporting and social clubs in Renfrewshire, promoting health through participation in sport, a social focus for the community and a sporting reputation that promotes Paisley and Renfrewshire on a national basis. They now have four part time employees, 30 volunteers and 208 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grant Leisure Grant	£2,000 £500	Sport and Social Hub
2018/19	LAC funding & common good Leisure Grant	£5,520 £500	Changing room enhancements
2017/18	LAC funding & common good Leisure Grant	£9,035 £500	Sightscreens and ground equipment.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1080
2. Project Name	Paisley Pirates Ice Hockey Club (Incorporating Junior Development) - Provision of ICE
3. Organisation Name	PAISLEY PIRATES IHC
4. Amount Applied For	<p>£3,489.02 (12% of the total ice costs) from Gleniffer Local Partnership.</p> <p>The total cost of the project is £29,075.10 for the provision of ice ONLY from September until the beginning of April.</p> <p>The group has also applied for funding to additional 4 local partnerships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renfrew applied for £4,652.02 (16% of the total ice costs) • Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank applied for £2,326.01 (8% of the total ice costs) • Paisley North West & Central applied for £3,489.02 (12% of the total ice costs) • Paisley East applied for £3,489.02 (12% of the total ice costs)
5. Description Of Project	<p>To provide part funding of ice hire, permitting on ice activities for young people to take place at Braehead Arena, the only facility available within a 30mile radius of Paisley. Seek assistance to meet approximately 12% of that total cost within a ring fence for ice costs. All other expenditure will be met from within its own resources.</p> <p>Renfrewshire Council approved a motion to assist the club in developing an ice facility within the Paisley area, allowing all ice user clubs to thrive, which would preclude the need to apply for grant assistance (Braehead Arena - the most expensive facility in Scotland). We are actively working in conjunction with Renfrewshire Council to establish this.</p> <p>While Pirates were successful in relocating to Braehead Arena, the cost is prohibitive, currently standing at almost £213.55/hr with an increase pending. Because of rising demand for a skills-based approach the club has appointed a second volunteer coach for the senior team & intends to appoint commensurate numbers of volunteer coaches in respect of the planned re-introduction of junior ice hockey for players under the age of 18. The club also continues to develop off-ice skills in volunteers & adults with learning difficulties, so they are able to carry out duties on match nights requiring numeracy/organisational/interpersonal skills.</p> <p>August 2020 update:</p> <p>Following the postponement of the Spring round of Partnership meetings to allocate funds, the club took advice from agencies such as Engage Renfrewshire and Renfrewshire Council to apply to alternative sources for stop gap funding during the COVID 19 pandemic. However, the club was advised by agencies such as Resilience Funding, following completion of the subsequent application, that the club did not meet the criteria for support, while others such as the Glasgow Airport Flightpath Fund that they had similarly postponed consideration of applications, such as</p>

that which we had submitted, until a later date, meaning that the club had effectively been cut off from means of temporary support during the pandemic.

Similarly, our participation in fund raising ventures such as local Gala Days were cut off as these were cancelled.

The sport's governing body has temporarily put back the season's opening until October but while this is helpful in reducing outgoings for eg training facilities for the moment we have as yet been unable to purchase essential items such as new strips until we are able to forecast how much money we will have.

Therefore, while the club, in appreciation of the similar circumstances facing other organisations, is not increasing the sum requested from the local Partnership(s), the sum requested has taken on an acute nature as any monies allocated will have to stretch somewhat further.

6. Who Benefits From The Project?

Local adults, children, families and broadly the community will benefit from the project.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

Community Assets

Paisley Pirates prides itself on its community and 'family' reputation which extends beyond the players of the club, to its fans and volunteers. Every member of the organisation contributes on a voluntary basis, and each match night provides opportunities for volunteers to steward, goal judge, and many more activities to ensure a successful match night experience.

Indeed, the club itself may be regarded as a community asset, perhaps illustrated by its participation in local Gala Days, for example.

At the end of each season, every volunteer for the club receives recognition from the club in thanks for their service which further helps to promote the 'family' feel within the club.

What's On in Foxbar, Brediland & Glenburn

The club actively promotes its activities, particularly match nights, in all local media outlets to encourage people to attend, particularly as matches are normally played on Sunday late afternoons, at which time, by comparison, it is quieter than at other times in the week. Further, it takes part in local events such as fetes on invitation and, similarly, makes visits to local establishments to encourage healthy lifestyles through appropriate eating habits and taking part in regular exercise. The club brought forward its Sunday start time to 4.30pm to encourage families to attend on a school night by allowing an earlier finish to get youngsters home.

Public Safety and Road Safety

The club took part in the Paisley Daily Express Anti Knife Campaign, displaying a team photograph with players holding anti knife car stickers that they distributed to supporters and other members of the local community.

Isolation and loneliness

The club engenders a strong sense of family within it to encourage members of the local community to attend Pirates' activities and become 'part of the family'. A number of fans and volunteers attend from the local area. Through means such as announcing that an individual or group is attending their first match new supporters are encouraged to feel part of the bigger group and soon make friends with other people attending games. A number of our volunteers take an active part in our activities and are valued members of our group.

As well as weekly features in the Paisley Express during the season, we have our own website,

Facebook with 2436 Followers and 2415 Likes, Twitter 2303 Followers, Instagram 618 Followers and various other digital outlets within Renfrewshire such as What's on Renfrewshire etc

We have a varied age range of supporters from all over Renfrewshire, including the elderly through to preschool age groups, emphasising the family element of the club.

Play Facilities

As part of the ongoing development of the Paisley Pirates, we have currently extended our teams and creating a junior development programme which will eventually provide opportunities for younger generations to get involved in a unique sport such as Ice Hockey.

The club are actively working in conjunction with Renfrewshire Council to establish an ice facility within Renfrewshire for all ice sports.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £29,075.10. The group has applied to 5 Partnerships for funding and in total is requesting £17,445.09 across all 5 Local Partnerships, including £3,489.02 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

With the exception of ice hire, all other costs will be funded through admission, memberships & fundraising

Item of Spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Hire of Ice	£29,075.10	£4,361.27
Insurance & Affiliation	£2,770.00	0
Team Equipment	£5,013.26	0
Buses	£2,900.00	0
Refs	£2,503.52	0
Awards	£1,183.00	0
Misc. Equipment & Advertising	£686.70	0

9. About The Organisation

Paisley Pirates were first formed in 1946 & from then until the 1960's played at East Lane. In 1992 they were resurrected at the Lagoon Leisure Centre until 2006, when Renfrewshire Leisure Ltd withdrew ice facilities there.

The club was re-established in 2010 and currently has a membership of 2436 and 73 volunteers. The club aims to develop/maintain;

- A locally based community run ice hockey team
- A focus for local & junior ice hockey players to enable them to develop their skill levels
- A focus for local volunteers to enable them to develop their skills in areas such as literacy, numeracy & oral skills
- An affordable facility for locally based ice hockey supporters & parents of young players
- An interest in the sport at a local, Renfrewshire based level from an early age onwards

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grant	£11,500	Ice Hire
2018/19	LAC grant	£6,100	Ice Hire
2017/18	LAC grant	£6,123	Ice Hire

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1086
2. Project Name	Not Threadbare - Memories and Anecdotes from the Paisley Mills
3. Organisation Name	Paisley People's Archive
4. Amount Applied For	£725 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
	The group has also applied for funding of £1,450 split between Paisley North and Gleniffer Local Partnerships.
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will take place between April 2020 and September 2020.</p> <p>The project aims to capture and collate memories and anecdotes from workers employed in the various thread mills in Renfrewshire – with emphasis on the Paisley mills. There will be a digital archive of these memories and anecdotes saved and made available for future use and reference.</p> <p>As time passes and people die there is a net loss of this type of human experience and memory, this project is one attempt to hold onto this precious knowledge.</p> <p>The group has identified the need for this project through previous mill exhibitions where the photos displayed brought forth interest and memories of both former employees and non-mill workers alike. However, in the previous exhibitions there was no attempt to capture the stories and memories evoked, this application is aimed specifically at capturing these as a digital archive.</p> <p>The project will be delivered by holding a number of exhibitions in the Foxbar, Glenburn libraries as well as Coats Memorial Church.</p> <p>The exhibition will display a large selection of photographs (many, never before seen in public) relating to the Paisley mills.</p> <p>Booklets will be freely available for the public to take home as part of their experience of the exhibition.</p> <p>The emphasis will be on using the visuals as the focal point of drawing out the individual's memories and stories for recording and preserving for future reference – the memories themselves being the main outcome of the project.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The project has an educational element where local residents can learn about their connection to the Paisley Mills. The project will benefit individuals who are interested in the history of the mills as well as former employees and non-mill workers alike.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The project fits with “what’s on” and “community assets” priorities as it aims to deliver a series of</p>

exhibitions in the Foxbar, Glenburn libraries as well as Coats Memorial Church to gather local stories relating to Paisley Mills.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £1,500. The group is applying for £1,450 from Gleniffer and Paisley North, West & Central Local Partnerships of which £725 is from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

£50 of the project costs will be funded through group's account.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Booklet - Shared Memories - photos of the individual and a snap shot of some of their memories, and selected quotes.	£750.00	£750.00
Edited highlights of the anecdotes for a CD / burn copies / label.	£450.00	£450.00
Expenses for individuals carrying out the recording of the stories	£100.00	£100.00
Photo enlargements of previously unseen mill-based material.	£200.00	£200.00

9. About The Organisation

Paisley People's Archive is a not for profit group based in Glenburn.

The group was established in 2013 to promote Paisley, to foster a better understanding of the town's history, to stage exhibitions. To publish informative and interesting booklets featuring Paisley's history. To make these available to the general public and visitors to the town.

The group currently has 6 members and 36 volunteers.

Group's main activity areas are:

- Arts and Culture
- Education and Learning
- Older People
- Regeneration

10. Grant Funding Award History

Grant feedback for 2019/2020 has not been received.

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grant	£1,850.00	Reminiscence of the Anchor Thread Mills: Printing – photographic enlargements / poster sized enlargements / Travel and subsistence / 2000 full colour booklet / Facebook - multimedia utilization.
2018/19	LAC grant	£1,240.00	My Mill Memories Working for J. & P. Coats: Photo enlargement for exhibition, this pays for colour and Black & White Enlargements. /Printing costs for exhibition booklet. /Expenses for Oral History Interviewers.
2017/18			

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1. Reference	FR1088
2. Project Name	The Thursday Club
	Provides an opportunity for Gleniffer residents who are over 50 years of age to meet weekly in St Peter's Club (Braehead Road, Glenburn) & take part in different activities which are organised by the club.
3. Organisation Name	The Thursday Club
4. Amount Applied For	£4,050
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Thursday Club project is set to run between July 2020 and June 2021. The club will help tackle loneliness and isolation in the over 50's and at the same time keep them fitter both mentally and physically by providing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • exercise sessions to keep members fit and help with balance, thus preventing falls • quizzes to keep the mind alert and slow down the onset of dementia • bingo which will help to keep brain alert and also raise funds • door raffle which helps the club start promptly • tea/coffee & biscuits which will encourage interaction between club members • 4 open days to encourage new membership • Christmas lunch to build community spirit and sense of belonging • Summer trip to encourage members to go out and visit new places with their new friends • Bus runs to encourage members to become more active & use their bus pass • sing songs to help prevent the onset of dementia • a year long club which does all the above and providing a regular meeting place. <p>As a result, the members will have more active lifestyles with new friends and less loneliness. They will be fitter and less likely to fall and end up in hospital. All activities will slow down the onset of dementia, heart attacks, strokes etc.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Foxbar, Glenburn & Brediland residents who are over 50 years of age.
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness by ensuring that club members meet weekly to take part in club's activities to keep fit mentally and physically, socialise & build new friendships.
8. Breakdown of Costs	

Total project cost is £15,220 however the amount applied for from the Local partnership is £4,050.

Organisation is planning to apply for a small grant of £500 and are working with Grant Funder & Invest in Renfrewshire team to identify other sources of funding. Club members also contribute to project costs.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Exercise sessions	£980	£980
Special Dance exercise	£350	£350
Rent	£1,470	£1,470
Summer Trip	£2,800	£250
4 Open days or special events	£2,880	£400
Quizzes	£600	£600
Short trips nearer to home	£1,400	£0
Bingo expenses	£460	£0
Printing costs	£200	£0
Christmas lunch & entertainment	£200	£0
Supplies & catering	£2,080	£0

9. About The Organisation

The Thursday club is a constituted pensioners club which is run by volunteers. The club was established in 1989.

The club consists of 77 member and 15 volunteers. The group is open to all over the age of 50 years and people with disabilities.

The aim of the group is to tackle loneliness and isolation within the Gleniffer Local Partnership by providing a forum where members can develop friendships and companionships. The club has a programme of activities which help its members to stay fit mentally and physically. The main activity themes are:

- Health & wellbeing
- Older people
- Tackling inequalities
- Passing information & campaigning with Age Scotland, Age UK, The Scottish Pensioners Forum and other organisations.

The club meets once a week.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	LPs General Grant Fund	£2,075	Partial payment towards quiz, rent, open days
2018/19	LAC	£4,020	Rent, exercises, open days, quiz, special dance exercise, speaker system
2017/18	LAC	£3,050	Open days, song sheets, rent, exercise, bingo machine, quiz, tea, special dance exercise.

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1. Reference	FR1089
2. Project Name	Brediland hall running cost, offshore costs, door replacement, Nest thermostatic unit cost and fire/burglar alarm
3. Organisation Name	Paisley Sea Cadets/Brediland Hall
4. Amount Applied For	£5,933 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The organisation has also applied for funding to the following local partnerships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £495 from Paisley North West & Central • £495 from Paisley East • £495 from Johnstone & Linwood • £495 from Renfrew • £495 from The Villages • £495 from Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank 	
5. Description Of Project	<p>To ensure the survival of the Sea Cadets and the hall. To allow the hall's continued service to the cadets present and future whilst maintaining the community centre for use by the sea cadets, youth groups and for the local community. The aim is to increase the morning and afternoon usage of the hall 7 days per week. So far, the hall has been managed exclusively by the Sea cadets. However, sea cadet funds are limited which has held back development of the hall. The organisation is looking to get more input from other groups using the hall as well in reaching out to the local community for support and increased usage.</p> <p>The running cost of the centre is significant to us and is in the main funded by fund raising events - bag packing, donations, sponsored events and cadets' subscriptions etc. Receipt of this grant will take the pressure from staff and cadets and allow more time to be devoted to cadets' development.</p> <p>Cadets gain experience in a range of activities not only related to sea- and water-going skills but also related to leadership, teamwork and self-confidence. Sea cadets aim to provide our young people with opportunities they might otherwise not have. They also learn about their impact on the community and the importance of giving back through local fundraising activities and participation. Young people work through Unit-based skills and training. Cadets do archery, meteorology, engineering, first aid, cookery, swimming, football etc in the unit and at district/national level. They gain nationally recognised RYA Qualifications. Many go on to be instructors and use these qualifications for career enhancement.</p>

6. Who Benefits From The Project?

Young people and adults involved in the cadets, plus the wider local community through increased access to the Hall.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

This project contributes to 2 Gleniffer local partnership priorities. They are community assets and tackling isolation & loneliness as the project provides an opportunity to maintain the community centre which is used by the sea cadets, youth groups and the local community.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project & requested funding across all Local Partnership areas is £8,900. The group is requesting £5,933 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Mini bus insurance	£700	£700
Minibus MOT and fuel costs	£1,500	£1,500
Heat and light	£3,000	£3,000
Hall Insurance	£700	£700
Printing, postage and Stationery	£300	£300
Internet	£300	£300
Nest thermostatic unit	£400	£400
Fire and burglar alarm	£1,000	£1,000
Replacement inner door and door entry system	£1,000	£1,000

9. About The Organisation

The organisation was formed in 1939 and aims to promote the development of young people in achieving their physical, intellectual and social potential as individuals and as responsible citizens by the provision of education and leisure time activities using a nautical theme and in accordance with the principles, ethos and practices of the Marine Society & Sea Cadets (MSSC). They currently have over 20 volunteers and over 100 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

2017-18 LAC grant funding of £2667.90 towards an annual summer camp in Benbecula.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1095																		
2. Project Name	Promote walking in Renfrewshire																		
To help promote the Walking Network through the printing of promotional brochures which can be easily identified by Walkers.																			
3. Organisation Name	Renfrewshire Walking Network																		
4. Amount Applied For	£500 Gleniffer Local Partnership																		
The total funding requested is £3,500 which is split between 7 LPs.																			
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project is to help promote the Walking Network through the printing of promotional brochures which can be easily identified by Walkers. These brochures will be placed in facilities such as libraries, Community Centres, Doctor's surgeries, health professionals to pass to client's throughout Renfrewshire. The brochure will enable the group to offer a programme of walks to suit every level of ability and encourage sedentary adults to become more active. The project will also recruit more walk Leaders to deliver the project, who would be fully trained and equipped. Glenburn is one of the walking routes.</p>																		
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Residents across Renfrewshire through increased awareness and engagement in walking, with associated improvements in health and wellbeing.																		
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project would contribute to reduction of isolation & loneliness as it will bring together a group of people across Renfrewshire & offer a programme of walks to suit every level of ability.																		
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>Total cost of the project is £4,000. The group is applying for £3,500 in total from 7 Local Partnerships (£500 from each LP)</p> <p>The rest of the balance will be met through unsecured fundraising.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 35%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 35%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 30%;">Amount requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Promotional material and booklets</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Training of leaders</td> <td>£1,000</td> <td>£1,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Leaders protective equipment and First Aid kits</td> <td>£500</td> <td>£500</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hall lets</td> <td>£400</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Walk Leader expenses</td> <td>£100</td> <td>0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Promotional material and booklets	£2,000	£2,000	Training of leaders	£1,000	£1,000	Leaders protective equipment and First Aid kits	£500	£500	Hall lets	£400	0	Walk Leader expenses	£100	0
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9. About The Organisation

The group was established in 2007 and now has 28 volunteers and 723 members.

The aim of the club is to promote and organise a walking group accessible to all levels, abilities and ages, to encourage and promote social fellowship within the whole community through participation in health walks, to raise and sustain fitness levels through physical activity, and to improve the quality of life for people within all areas of Renfrewshire.

10. Grant Funding Award History

2019-20 Local Partnership funding of £1,727 for printing of booklet and pull up banners

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1. Reference	FR1099												
2. Project Name	Memorial bench & plaque for our members who have passed on. Application to sponsor a bench on behalf of Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association members who have passed away.												
3. Organisation Name	Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association												
4. Amount Applied For	£450												
5. Description of Project	<p>The purpose of the project is to sponsor a bench in a memory of a past member of the Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association. The bench will also provide an area where the people can go sit, reflect and enjoy good weather.</p> <p>The association has approached Blacklandmill bowling club about this project and the club is supportive.</p> <p>Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association will identify an already existing bench within the bowling club grounds in the "member remembrance" area and get a memorable plaque made up, stating purpose of bench. This will ensure that the bench will not be vandalised or mistreated.</p>												
6. Who Benefits from The Project?	Glenburn residents, bowling club members & Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association members will benefit from this project.												
7. Fit with Local Partnership Priorities	The project does not meet any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities.												
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9. About the Organisation	Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association was established in 1990. The association operates in Glenburn and currently has 12 volunteer members.												

The aim of the association is to help keep Glenburn a safe and happy environment for people to stay by providing support to its residents.

Glenburn Community Tenants and Residents Association main activity themes are:

- Community safety
- Environment & sustainability
- Health and Wellbeing
- Housing
- Older people
- Regeneration
- Tackling inequalities

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Annual Grant		Upkeep of Association & hall hire
2018/19	Annual Grant	£322.12	Upkeep of Association & hall hire
2017/18	Annual Grant		Upkeep of Association & hall hire

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1. Reference	FR1105
2. Project Name	<p>Outdoor learning and activities project</p> <p>To organise a weekend of adventure and water activities at Lochgoilhead Outdoor Activity Centre in Argyll & to purchase camping equipment for young people to take part in camps & expeditions in 2020.</p>
3. Organisation Name	30 th St Peters Scout Group
4. Amount Applied For	£10,000
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Outdoor learning and activities project will run from 30th May 2020 to 15th January 2021.</p> <p>The Scout group would like to organise a week of outdoor adventure and water activities at Lochgoilhead Outdoor Activity Centre in Argyll which will offer all the sections to take part in outdoor activities, land and water based such as camping, hiking, canoeing, sailing & archery.</p> <p>In order to do that the group requires to purchase camping equipment to enable greater outdoor experiences for young people and allow them an opportunity to take part in camps and expeditions during 2020.</p> <p>An outdoor fun day at Lochgoilhead for Beavers will give the youngest section (6-year olds) an opportunity of joining in with the older children (14-year olds) in fun and adventure.</p> <p>Key anticipated project outcomes are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Involving young people in challenging outdoor pursuits at Lochgoilhead centre 2. Outdoor learning opportunities for Beavers, Cubs and Scouts using equipment and trying new sports 3. Increase confidence, sharing skills and involving young people who have never normally mixed with their peer group in adventure away from home 4. Providing new equipment to allow older young people to camp and go on expeditions.
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The funding for this project will allow the group to purchase camping equipment to enable greater outdoor experiences for local young people across all the age groups. Many of which are from families on low income and are experiencing poverty & isolation due to their social circumstances.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The project fits best with the local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness as many of group's members are from families within Gleniffer local partnership area who are experiencing loneliness and isolation. Beavers clubs & scouts give the young people confidence, improve their health and fitness, and an opportunity learn new skills and take part in adventurous activities.</p>
8. Breakdown of Costs	

Total project cost is £11,000 however the amount applied for from the Local Partnership is £10,000.

The group members will contribute £800 towards Lochgoilhead weekend with the members contributing the remaining £200.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
3 Patrol tents Stormhaven heavy canvass	£2,100	£2,100
8-person lightweight patrol tent	£600	£600
Vango hike tent 3 person	£150	£150
Lochgoilhead group outdoor activity weekend	£4,500	£3,500
6 two way radios	£300	£300
6 Portable shelters	£1,200	£1,200
3 Portable site lighting	£400	£400
2 Petrol engined Generators	£700	£700
3 outdoor heaters	£600	£600
Outdoor educational, environmental and play equipment	£450	£450

9. About The Organisation

30th St. Peters Scout Group was established in 1958. The group has a charitable status. The group's membership consists of 53 members (young people) and 24 volunteers.

The aim of the Association is to promote the development of young people in achieving their full physical, intellectual, social and spiritual potential, as individuals, as responsible citizens and a member of their local, national and international communities.

Group's main activity themes are:

- Children and Young people
- Education and Learning
- Health and Wellbeing

10. Grant Funding Award History

The organisation has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1108									
2. Project Name	Sharing is Caring									
To provide 2 picnic tables with games printed on them & install soft ground in the school infant playground.										
3. Organisation Name	Langcraigs Parent Partnership									
4. Amount Applied For	£7,000									
5. Description Of Project	<p>The “sharing is caring” project is set to be delivered in September 2020.</p> <p>The project aims to provide picnic tables with games printed on them & install soft ground in the school infant playground. These tables will promote sharing and turn taking as well as mental agility for the pupils.</p> <p>Through this project a caring & sharing attitude will be promoted within the school community which will give the children the skills to use these concepts in their daily lives. The staff will reinforce the concepts in the classroom.</p> <p>Recognition of use of the caring sharing attitude will be regularly rewarded at assembly in school. Parents will also be notified and encouraged to reinforce these concepts by leading by example. This will result in a boost to the positive ethos the school strives to maintain.</p>									
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	The project aims to promote a caring, sharing attitude within Langcraigs Primary school community. Pupils of the school will benefit from this project.									
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of play facilities as through the project 2 play tables and soft ground in the school playground will be installed.									
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>Organisation is applying for £7,000 for this project from Gleniffer Local Partnership</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2 x Play Tables</td> <td>£5,000</td> <td>£5,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Soft Grounding & Installation</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	2 x Play Tables	£5,000	£5,000	Soft Grounding & Installation	£2,000	£2,000
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9. About The Organisation	Langcraigs Parent Partnership is an unincorporated group and is part of Langcraigs Parent Council.									

The parent Council was established in 1996 in order to:

- provide extracurricular/social activities for the pupils of the school.
- foster good relationships with the local community.
- provide good quality, safe equipment to make our school grounds (which are never closed and can therefore be used by the local community), a safe and fun place to be which encourages outdoor physical activity.

Langcraigs Parent Partnership currently consists of 10 volunteer members.

Group's main activity themes are:

- Children and Young People
- Community Safety
- Education and Learning
- Health and Wellbeing
- Tackling Inequalities

10. Grant Funding Award History

The group has received £23,000 from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 financial years.

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	LP General Grant Fund	£5,000	Outdoor equipment for use during all weathers.
2018/19	LAC	£8,000	Blackout curtains for the school hall.
2017/18	LAC	£10,000	Lighting and sound equipment for the school hall.

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1. Reference	FR1111
2. Project Name	Battalion Administration and Events Programme. Battalion running costs
3. Organisation Name	The Boys Brigade Paisley & District Battalion
4. Amount Applied For	<p>£250 from Gleniffer Local Partnership</p> <p>The organisation has also applied for funding to the following local partnerships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £450 from Paisley North West & Central • £500 from Paisley East • £500 from Johnstone & Linwood • £250 from Renfrew • £600 from The Villages • £450 from Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank <p>The group is applying for total of £3,000 from Local Partnerships fund.</p>
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will start in September 2020 and end on 31 August 2021.</p> <p>Events will encourage participation in physical activities and inform on local and world events such as foodbanks and Fair Trade. Events and activities will attract new members, retain existing members and act as a diversion from antisocial behaviour.</p> <p>The activities promote being active, healthier, safer and stronger and are based around developing young people to be the best they can be in teamwork, mentally, physically and encouraging their concern for others.</p> <p>23 events held throughout the age range (Primary 1 to 18 years) involving sports, physical activities, arts and crafts, swimming and fun days. Around 800 Boys Brigade members are expected to participate.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The battalion has members across Renfrewshire, including 35 from Gleniffer Local Partnership. The age range of the battalion is from Primary 1 to 18 years.</p> <p>It is hoped that the events will be a positive influence and will prepare our young people for, and sustain them through, life.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The activity fits with reducing isolation & loneliness theme as the Battalion holds 23 events across Renfrewshire through which young people get involved in sports, physical activities, arts, crafts,</p>

quizzes, swimming & fund days.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group is applying for £250 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The total project cost for this project is £27,000. The group is applying to 7 Local Partnerships (£3,000 in total).

The group currently has £22,236 which are set against running costs & part time salary. The rest of the balance of costs (£3,000) will be funded through battalion accounts (secured) and other funders (part secured).

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Salaries	£8,500	£650
Hiring premises	£500	£100
Heat and light	£2,000	£140
Insurance	£2,000	£230
Printing, Stationery, Telephone and Postage	£2,500	£260
Transport	£500	£100
Photocopier costs	£4,000	£400
Building depreciation	£2,000	£230
Building maintenance	£3,500	£750
Other general expenses	£1,500	£140
Totals	£27,000	£3,000

9. About The Organisation

The Boys Brigade was established in 1894. The object of the Boys Brigade is the advancement of Christ's Kingdom Among Boys and the promotion of Obedience, Reverence, Discipline and Self Respect.

The organisation has one part time employee, 240 volunteers and 1,000 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership funding Category C award	£1,000 £450	battalion events and running costs Queen's badge and training
2018/19	Local Area Committee award Category C award	£1,626 £500	battalion events and running costs Queen's badge and training
2017/18	Local Area Committee award Category C award	£1,804 £500	battalion events and running costs Queen's badge and training

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1. Reference	FR1119
2. Project Name	Project Open Doors
To provide new welfare facilities and refurbished patrol and meeting rooms for the cubs, scouts and leaders by upgrading a 60 years old hall (Stoney Brae) to 21st century standards.	
3. Organisation Name	33rd Gleniffer Paisley Gleniffer Scout Group
4. Amount Applied For	£10,000
5. Description Of Project	
<p>Project Open Doors is set to take place between April 2020 and December 2020.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to provide new welfare facilities and refurbished patrol and meeting rooms for the cubs, scouts and leaders, upgrading the hall to 21st century standards. This in turn will support the wellbeing and self-esteem of members and volunteer leaders.</p> <p>It will attract new members, leaders and provide a modern facility to hire out community groups, thus sustaining the development of a strong local community.</p> <p>This is the next stage of the project following a successful replacement of the Stoney Brae hall roof which was damaged due to storms. In 2019, the group and volunteers raised £28,000 to do so.</p> <p>The second phase of the project is to renew welfare facilities, refurbish and decorate the patrol and meeting rooms. This will be done by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Renewing toilets and cloakroom2. Refurbishing patrol and meeting rooms3. Replacing heating system4. Landscaping grounds5. Replacing doors6. Replacing kitchen7. LED lighting <p>The refurbishment will be carried out in stages to fit in with the group's programme of activities.</p> <p>Local companies will carry out the work and the group shall ensure compliance with all health and safety regulations.</p>	
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	
68 young people who are members of the group and volunteer leaders would benefit from the project. On the completion of the project local community groups will benefit from the project as they will have an opportunity to hire out the hall.	

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The project fits best with the local priority of community assets as the project will improve the 60 years old scout hall. As a result, it will attract new members, leaders and provide a modern facility to hire out to community groups, thus sustaining the development of a strong local community.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £29,000. The group is applying for £10,000 from Gleniffer local partnership.

The group plans to balance the rest of project costs through fundraising activity and looking into other grants. None of the other grants & funds have been secured for this project.

The group has formed a fundraising committee that meets regularly to plan and review the project and fund-raising.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Renew toilets and cloakroom	£8,000	£8,000
Replace heating system	£2,000	£2,000
Refurbish patrol and meeting rooms	£4,000	£0
Landscape grounds	£2,500	£0
Replace doors and new windows	£6,000	£0
Replace kitchen	£5,500	£0
Lighting LED energy saving	£1,000	£0

9. About The Organisation

33rd Paisley Gleniffer Scout Group was established in 1940. The group has a charitable status.

The aims of this group are:

- to promote the development of young people and volunteer leaders in achieving their full physical, intellectual, social and spiritual potentials, enabling them to become self-reliant, responsible citizens and members of the local community.
- to improve physical and mental health of children by learning new skills; camping, cooking, orienteering, music, archery, environmental and community awareness and many more.
- to ensure that young people gain confidence, self-esteem and a sense of achievement by participating in a range of badges to demonstrate these skills.
- to help young people make new friends in a safe, supported environment.
- To help volunteer leaders develop skills to improve their life chances and contribution to the community.

The group consists of 68 members and 13 volunteers.

Its main activity areas are:

- Children and Young People
- Education and Learning
- Health and Wellbeing

10. Grant Funding Award History

The organisation has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21
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1. Reference	FR1125
2. Project Name	REEM Drop In Centre
3. Organisation Name	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities (REEM)
4. Amount Applied For	£2,216.25 from Gleniffer Local Partnership £8,865 in total from the 3 Paisley LPs and Renfrew LP
5. Description Of Project	<p>REEM operates a Drop-In Centre, recognized within the community as an impartial access point. A place people feel comfortable approaching for advice and advocacy. We see a wide range of people from different cultures with their own unique barriers, situations and needs. The centre is already helping a lot of people and the demand of the project has been overwhelming. There is a need to keep the centre 5 days a week due to demand. Funding is needed to cover basic running costs.</p> <p>When various ethnic minorities leave their home countries they are faced with new customs and ways of doing things. They struggle to cope with life changing events without the support of family and friends and with no one to speak to within their new community. They do not interact for several reasons, including trust issues, language difficulties or religious belief.</p> <p>The project was initiated by a group of people who themselves went through a similar phase and are aware of the need.</p> <p>There are scheduled information clinics, in addition to staying open 5 days a week for people who need to be listened to one-on one. The centre serves as a first point of contact for people from immigrant communities. It is used by a variety of people including families, students, workers, asylum seekers and refugees; some of whom have little grasp of English while others need a translator to communicate at all. We provide some much needed training; including ESOL, job matters, & awareness on other issues, helping with housing, tackling racism, giving advice with Brexit and tackling isolation.</p> <p>We follow up with volunteers progression into training and work. Many users continue to feedback with updates when they go ahead to get jobs, get accommodation or increase their participation in the community in any other ways.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>The ethnic minority service users will have a chance to engage within the wider community in Paisley and Renfrew. The project will help local BME communities and volunteers feel less isolated and more able to participate in the wider society and want to be part of it. Volunteers will receive training to allow them to develop their skills which will enhance their employability skills.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	

This project will support local priority of tackling loneliness and isolation in local ethnic minority communities and in REEM's volunteers. It will also encourage skills swapping and resource sharing in communities.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The organisation is applying for £2,216.25 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The total cost of the project is £10,065. The group is applying to 4 local partnerships for a total of £8,865.

Rent and rates costs of £1,200 will be covered by secured funds.

Item of spend	Total cost	Amount requested
Rent and rates	£4,200	£3,000
Postage, Stationary, Printing and Telephone	£655	£655
Audit/accountancy fees & Promotion	£800	£800
Travel, accommodation and Training	£700	£700
Events and activities	£2,100	£2,100
Telephone	£660	£660
Insurance	£950	£950

9. About The Organisation

Established in October 2011, Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Communities (REEM) has an overall aim to 'create awareness and increase participation of diverse Minority Ethnic communities in Renfrewshire' We are working to achieve those aims by delivering bespoke activities which are targeted towards diverse equality groups as defined by the Equality Act 2010. Our support is to engage with marginalised and disadvantaged communities to promote community cohesion, inter-cultural dialogue and mainstream equal opportunities. REEM currently has 3 part time employees, 16 volunteers and 5 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grants	£3,429	Drop In Centre
2018/19	LAC grants	£5,047.54	Drop In Centre
2017/18	LAC grants	£6,025	Drop In Centre

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1. Reference	FR1126
2. Project Name	Double the Fun! Renfrewshire Twins Group
3. Organisation Name	Home-Start Renfrewshire and Inverclyde
4. Amount Applied For	£482.75 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The organisations is applying for £3,379.20 in total from the seven Local partnership areas (£482.75 from each LP).</p>	
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project is set to take place between 1st of June 2020 and 31st March 2021.</p> <p>Double the Fun! is the only Twins Group in Renfrewshire. It reduces social isolation by providing a unique opportunity to spend time with other twin parents, and the chance to vent in a safe place with parents who understand the unique pressures they face.</p> <p>The group is free and has been running every month since June 2018. This project increases the capacity of the group to accommodate more parents and their twins, as there is currently a waiting list for the group.</p> <p>Due to high attendance, the project will be delivered in two cohorts: (i) families with twins aged 0-2 years; (ii) families with twins aged 3-5 years.</p> <p>Each group will meet monthly with age-appropriate activities e.g. baby massage, sensory and parental-child attachment (in partnership with Let's Play Theatre) and Book bug.</p> <p>The group will be based at Klas Care in Linwood. The group has been running it in Linwood since January 2020, and it's proved very popular. It is a safe, secure environment which provides free soft floor matting for babies and educational toys and activities for toddlers, whilst also providing occasional creche facilities when parents wish to engage with each other for particular activities.</p> <p>Double the Fun! was an initiative proposed by one of the mums supported who spoke of the stigma, isolation and lack of support being felt by parents of twins in Renfrewshire. This was after the loss of a Lochwinnoch Twins Group, which meant the closest group was now in East Kilbride. Other groups are usually created with 1:1 child parent ratios in mind. With the unusually large number of twins in Renfrewshire the group opened up to the public and it has been hugely popular since.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>Families of twins aged 0-5 years of age will benefit from this project. The current project has been hugely popular with an average of 5-7 parents and 10-14 children attending the groups from across Renfrewshire.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as one of the anticipated outcomes of the project is to reduce loneliness & social isolation.</p> <p>Other anticipated outcomes of the project include:</p>

- improved parental mental health;
- improvements in parenting skills and family needs;
- improved managing children's behaviour;
- increased opportunities for early years play;
- increased Early Years educational attainment;
- improved community inclusion and connectedness for families and volunteers;

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £5,079.20. The organisations is applying for £3,379.20 in total from the seven Local partnership areas (£482.75 from each LP).

The balance of costs is funded through Renfrewshire Council Early Years Pre 5 voluntary sector. This funding is secured.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Venue Hire KLAS Care (20 sessions@£10 per hour)	£400	£400
Sessional worker 4 hours per session (4 hours x £12.24 per hour)	£979.20	£979.20
Activities (baby massage; sensory play; parenting classes)	£1,200	£1,200
Coordinator/administration costs and Parenting For All training	£1,600	£0 (Home-Start will absorb this cost)
Volunteer travel expenses (4 volunteers per session @ £5 per person)	£400	£400
Co-ordinator travel expenses	£100	£0 (Home Start will absorb this cost)
Refreshments (£20 per session)	£400	£400

9. About The Organisation

Home-Start Renfrewshire and Inverclyde was established in 2001. It has one full time and eight part time employees, with 100 volunteers and 5 members.

Home- Start offers vital practical emotional support and friendship to families through a volunteer home visiting and peer mentoring service. Families work with trained volunteers to manage and understand parenting challenges. This includes help finding local childcare groups, accompanying people to appointments, supporting people with life-changing trauma, long term conditions, mental health problems, lone parenting and child disabilities.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Early Years Pre 5 voluntary sector	£45,200	core running costs
2018/19	Early Years Pre 5 voluntary sector	£45,200	core running costs
2017/18	Early Years Pre 5 voluntary sector	£45,200	core running costs

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1128																					
2. Project Name	The Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank																					
3. Organisation Name	The Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank																					
4. Amount Applied For	£1,215 from Gleniffer Local Partnership £8,500 (total project cost), across the seven Local Partnership areas.																					
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will operate from October 2020 onwards. The application is for funding for a larger unit at Christmas and a smaller unit all year round to be able to support local families with birthdays etc.</p> <p>The Christmas Toy Bank aims to provide gift packages and gift cards for Christmas Day and extend this to birthdays and other holidays such as Easter that are significant to children. Other organisations that the Toy Bank work with have identified a similar level of need for these occasions.</p>																					
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>Children and families across Renfrewshire will benefit from this project.</p> <p>The Toy Bank has been in operation for 2 years and we have seen a 50% increase in referrals from 2018 to 2019. Last year 1,500 gift packages and £4,300 in gift cards were provided to trusted local charities and organisations.</p>																					
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>This project does not fit any Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities.</p>																					
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>Total project cost is £8,500, which is split across 7 local partnerships. The group is applying for £1,215 from Gleniffer local partnership.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 35%;">Item of Spend</th> <th style="width: 30%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 35%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Large storage for Christmas</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Insurance for Christmas unit</td> <td>£500</td> <td>£500</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Storage for the rest of the year</td> <td>£1,700</td> <td>£1,700</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Insurance for the rest of the year</td> <td>£300</td> <td>£300</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gift card fund</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Toys, Easter eggs, Halloween costumes</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of Spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Large storage for Christmas	£2,000	£2,000	Insurance for Christmas unit	£500	£500	Storage for the rest of the year	£1,700	£1,700	Insurance for the rest of the year	£300	£300	Gift card fund	£2,000	£2,000	Toys, Easter eggs, Halloween costumes	£2,000	£2,000
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9. About The Organisation

Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank is a constituted group that was established in 2019 and has 15 volunteers and 3 members.

The organisations aim is to provide underprivileged children and young people in Renfrewshire with new and safe toys, gifts and gift cards. Taking away financial burden from families and creating equality. Allowing children to have the same quality of gifts as their peers and learn through play and creativity.

10. Grant Funding Award History

2019/20 – Local Partnership funding of £1,500 used for Braehead gift cards for teenagers.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1129							
2. Project Name	Glenburn Seniors Forum							
	To enable senior citizens in the Gleniffer area to have a meeting place.							
3. Organisation Name	Glenburn Seniors Forum							
4. Amount Applied For	£2,000							
5. Description Of Project	<p>Glenburn senior's forum project aims to run between March 2020 and March 2021.</p> <p>The project purpose is to enable senior citizens in the area to have a meeting place. As well as to try and encourage older adults to get out into the community; to socialise and meet other older adults so they can communicate with each other. Funding will also cover some activities such as summer outings to Kelpies & Christmas dinner.</p> <p>Throughout the project speakers are invited to come along and talk about different subjects and show slides & films of old Paisley and the Cotton Mills.</p> <p>Anticipated outcomes of the project is to keep members' minds & bodies active.</p> <p>August 2020 update: Summer outings will be rearranged to outings later in the year due to COVID-19.</p>							
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local older adults from Gleniffer Local Partnership benefits from the project.							
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as it encourages older people to get out into community, socialise and meet other older adults, thus keeping mind and body active.							
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>From the Gleniffer LP fund the group is requesting £2,000, however the total cost of the project is £2,550. It is not stated in the application where how the remainder (£550) of the total project cost will be funded.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Hall Rent</td> <td>£800</td> <td>£800</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Hall Rent	£800	£800
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Summer outing to take Kelpies, Falkirk then high tea	£800	£600
Christmas dinner for members & deposit for hall	£950	£600

9. About The Organisation

Glenburn Seniors Forum was established in 1980s to help promote a healthy lifestyle for senior citizens; to keep them informed of local and national developments and to build a community spirit in Glenburn & surrounding areas.

Group's membership consists of 36 members and 8 volunteers.

Its main activity themes are:

- Community safety
- Environment & sustainability
- Health and wellbeing
- Older people

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20		£650	Hall rent
2018/19		£650	Hall rent
2017/18		£500	Hall rent

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1130												
2. Project Name	Foxbar Resource Café												
3. Organisation Name	Foxbar Resource Café												
4. Amount Applied For	£3,100 from Gleniffer Local Partnership. The group has also applied to Paisley North West & Central Local Partnership. In total the group is applying for £6,200 from 2 local partnerships.												
5. Description Of Project	<p>The purpose of the project is to provide a safe environment for our community. We aim to provide help and support with learning and education, mental health, homelessness, people who are isolated and unable to get out. Work with other groups in supporting community in making our centre and community a safe place.</p> <p>The need for this project was identified with getting out and getting involved with the community and seeing things first hand with individual family struggles and they don't have support in the area where they now have the centre for help.</p> <p>We have opened a drop-in café where people can come and source support from the centre and outlet agencies also give them place where they can come and get hot meal.</p> <p>We provide the most needed service in the area for the community to give them a place they can come and get the help & support they need.</p>												
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local people who are isolated, suffer from mental health problems, homeless people and unemployed young and elderly will benefit from this project.												
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project meets three of the Gleniffer priorities. They are "community assets", "what's on in Foxbar" and "isolation and loneliness" as this local café provides a space where young and elderly people from different walks of life can come together and receive support & help as required.												
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The total cost of the project is £6,200. The group has applied for funding to Gleniffer Local Partnership for £3,100 as well as to Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Flooring</td> <td>£2,000</td> <td>£2,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Upgrading, paint, décor</td> <td>£1,500</td> <td>£1,500</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PC & game console</td> <td>£500</td> <td>£500</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Flooring	£2,000	£2,000	Upgrading, paint, décor	£1,500	£1,500	PC & game console	£500	£500
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PC & game console	£500	£500											

Petrol lawnmower	£300	£300
Maintenances	£500	£500
Public liability insurance	£800	£800
Service + renewing , Fire insurance	£600	£600

9. About The Organisation

Foxbar Resource café is a new unincorporated community group based in Foxbar. The group was established in February 2018.

Its aim is to provide a facility where people can come who are isolated in home, suffer with mental health, homelessness support, help unemployed the young and elderly.

The group has 9 volunteers.

Main activity areas of the group are:

- Children & young people
- Community safety
- Education and leisure
- Sustainability
- Health & wellbeing
- Housing
- Older people

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grant	£2,000	Foxbar resource café: electric work & pool table.
2018/19			
2017/18			

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1131									
2. Project Name	Foxbar Friday Bowling Club.									
To bring older people from Foxbar & Glenburn together, play bowls and have tea & coffee in order to reduce loneliness & isolation.										
3. Organisation Name	Foxbar Friday Bowling Cub									
4. Amount Applied For	£1,090									
5. Description Of Project	<p>Foxbar Friday Bowling Cub will run between March 2020 and March 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to bring elderly people together from Foxbar and Glenburn to play bowls and have tea or coffee. This will help people that are lonely to socialise, keep active and stop isolation.</p> <p>The bowling club will run for 2 hours every Friday for 48 weeks. It will stop its operation for summer holidays and Christmas.</p> <p>The group will encourage more local, elderly people to come along.</p>									
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Older adults in Foxbar and Glenburn (club members) will benefit from this project.									
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as it aims to bring elderly people together from Foxbar and Glenburn to play bowls, socialise, keep active and stop isolation.									
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>Total cost of the project is £1,090.40, but organisation is requesting £1,090 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Hall Hire</td> <td>£842.40</td> <td>£842.40</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tea, coffee & biscuits</td> <td>£248</td> <td>£248</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Hall Hire	£842.40	£842.40	Tea, coffee & biscuits	£248	£248
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9. About The Organisation	<p>Foxbar Friday Bowling club was established in 2017 and has legal status of unincorporated club/association.</p> <p>The aim of the club is to bring older people from Foxbar & Glenburn together and not become</p>									

lonely as well as to have enjoyable afternoons playing bowls together.

The club currently has 20 members and 4 volunteers.

Its main activity themes are:

- Health and wellbeing
- Older people

10. Grant Funding Award History

The organisation has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1132												
2. Project Name	Foxbar Keep Fit Club.												
To help local people from Glenburn and Foxbar get active, socialise and improve their mental health by taking part in weekly dance & exercise sessions.													
3. Organisation Name	Foxbar Keep Fit Club												
4. Amount Applied For	£3,355												
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Foxbar keep fit club will take place between March 2020 and March 2021. The club will run one hour, every Thursday evening for 50 weeks & will stop for 2 weeks at Christmas.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to help people to get more active, fitter and feel better about themselves. It also helps with mental health and stops isolation as approximately 25 people attend weekly dance and exercise session.</p> <p>The funding will enable the club to buy new equipment, pay the rent & tutor fee.</p>												
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local people who live in Glenburn and Foxbar will benefit from this project.												
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as it aims bring local people together through weekly dance and exercise classes. It also helps with physical and mental health. Approximately 25 people attending the club weekly.												
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The organisation is applying for £3,355 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Tutor</td> <td>£1,250</td> <td>£1,250</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hall hire</td> <td>£1,105</td> <td>£1,105</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New equipment</td> <td>£1,000</td> <td>£1,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Tutor	£1,250	£1,250	Hall hire	£1,105	£1,105	New equipment	£1,000	£1,000
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Tutor	£1,250	£1,250											
Hall hire	£1,105	£1,105											
New equipment	£1,000	£1,000											
9. About The Organisation	<p>Foxbar keep fit club is an unincorporated club which was established in 2006.</p> <p>Aim of the club is to get local people more active and feeling better.</p> <p>The club consists of 2 volunteers who run it once a week for men and women of all ages. The keep</p>												

fit club currently has 25 members.

The club was established as a result of a community health event which showed that women wanted to have access to more local activities.

Health and wellbeing is the main activity area of the club.

10. Grant Funding Award History

The organisation has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1133							
2. Project Name	Foxbar elderly forum							
	To stop isolation and allow elderly to enjoy an afternoon with friends through different activities like bingo, tea & coffee.							
3. Organisation Name	Foxbar elderly forum							
4. Amount Applied For	£950							
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Foxbar elderly forum aims to stop isolation and allow elderly an afternoon with friends to socialise & enjoy activities like bingo, tea, coffee etc.</p> <p>The forum meets every week on Mondays for 3 hours.</p> <p>Local partnership funding will cover hall charges for the year which will provide a venue for forum to meet.</p>							
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local older adults from Foxbar & forum members would benefit from the project.							
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as it encourages older people to get out into community, socialise and meet their friends and enjoying different activities which are offered by the forum once a week.							
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The group is requesting £950 from Gleniffer Local Partnership for this project.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;">Item of spend</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Total Cost</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Amount Requested</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Hall charges for the year</td> <td>£950</td> <td>£950</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Hall charges for the year	£950	£950
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9. About The Organisation	<p>Foxbar elderly forum is an incorporated group which was established in 1970's in Foxbar. The aim of the group is to stop isolation and allow elderly an afternoon out to meet friends and join different activities.</p> <p>The group consists of 6 volunteers and 50 members.</p> <p>Its main activity areas are:</p>							

- Health and Wellbeing
- Older people

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Gleniffer Local Partnership (Foxbar Elderly Forum)	£950	Hall charges
2018/19			
2017/18			

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1141
2. Project Name	Fest! Free Summer Community Summer Activities
3. Organisation Name	PACE Theatre Company Limited
4. Amount Applied For	£7,102 from Gleniffer local partnership
<p>The group has applied for total of £29,800 from six Local partnerships towards a total project cost of £31,400. £3,899 x4 (Renfrew, Erskine etc., Villages, Paisley East) and £7,102 x2 (Johnstone & Linwood, Gleniffer)</p>	
5. Description Of Project	
<p>Fest! Free Community Summer Activities will take place in July/August 2020.</p> <p>PACE Community Outreach</p> <p>To provide the significant benefits of the PACE youth theatre and holiday activity experiences to young people with a genuine interest in drama and the performing arts, but who find themselves in financially challenging circumstances which would prevent them from joining or taking part in activities, or who cannot travel to Paisley town centre to take part.</p> <p>The proposal is to deliver 8 projects within 6 of the local partnership areas throughout the summer school holidays. There will be 8 separate performances created across Renfrewshire, all of which will be rehearsed and performed in local community centres. Our aim is to generate vibrant and creative activity in community halls and hubs and to improve access to participation in each area.</p> <p>One experienced theatre director from PACE would lead on the project, supported by two trainee practitioners. The team would work within each area (suggested level ages 8-11) for 4 days (5-hour session per day) to devise a unique, community inspired performance. Rehearsals will take place in local community centres which will hopefully alleviate travel barriers for young people wishing to take part. We would also like to be able to offer every participant a packed lunch for each day of the project.</p>	
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	
<p>Young people aged 8-11 will benefit from the project. There will be an increase in the number of young people engaged in creative activity across Renfrewshire, inspiring people to see the benefit of arts participation.</p> <p>Young people will be connected with their peers and be actively involved in the process of devising and creating theatre. Bringing young people together is key to tackling social isolation and promoting health and wellbeing across Renfrewshire. Rehearsing and performing in local community centres will maximise the use of community assets and buildings.</p>	
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	

The project fits with 2 Gleniffer local priorities. They are:

- community assets as it aims to generate vibrant and creative activity in community halls and hubs by maximising the use of community assets and buildings for rehearsals and performances.
- isolation and loneliness as local young people through this project will be connected with their peers and be actively involved in the process of devising and creating theatre.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group has applied for total of £29,800 from six Local partnerships towards a total project cost of £31,400. The group is applying for £7,102 from Gleniffer local partnership.

Item of Spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Project Manager (PACE in kind)	£1,600	£0
Community Venue Hire	£2,880	£2,880
Directors	£3,360	£3,360
Assistant Trainees	£2,016	£2,016
Musical Director	£1,200	£1,200
Technical Support	£1,600	£1,600
Production Costs	£1,200	£1,200
Staff Travel	£480	£480
Admin	£1,200	£1,200
Travel Bursary Pot	£600	£600
Lunches for Participants	£1,200	£1,200
PACE Bursaries (one year) x 32	£14,304	£14,304

9. About The Organisation

PACE Theatre Company Ltd was established in 1988. It has 9 full time employees, 4 part time employees, 180 volunteers and 1,025 members. The aim of the organisation is to help young people realise their creative potential, by increasing confidence, communication, self-expression and performance skills, through drama, music and performing arts workshops.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	CODF Year 1	£26,680	Fundraising Manager + Engagement Coordinator
2018/19	CHEF CHEF	£14,890 £13,900	Limitless SIMD Schools project Rep Company
2017/18	Local Area Grant Leisure Grant	£2,614 £4,000	Youth Theatre bursaries Youth Theatre Provision per Service Level Agreement

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1146
2. Project Name	dates-n-mates Renfrewshire
<p>To provide local opportunities for adults with learning disabilities to connect, make friends and build meaningful relationships, thus improving health & wellbeing.</p>	
3. Organisation Name	C-Change Scotland
4. Amount Applied For	£1,500 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The group has also applied to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renfrew Local Partnership for £2,500 • Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership for £1,000 • Paisley North West & Central Local Partnership for £5,000 	
5. Description Of Project	<p>Dates-n-mates Renfrewshire project will take place between May 2020 and March 2021.</p> <p>Dates-n-mates Renfrewshire is the local branch of Scotland's national dating and friendship agency run by and for adults with learning disabilities.</p> <p>The project aims to address social isolation and loneliness by providing local opportunities for members to connect, make friends and build meaningful relationships, thus improving health and wellbeing.</p> <p>Their monthly calendar of social events in and around Renfrew offers a safe, inclusive environment for people to meet and socialise. Group's social activities run in venues across Renfrewshire, ranging from community venues like the Ferguslie Bowling Club to accessible pubs and restaurants such as Gabriel's, Canal Station and Burger & Keg. Staff and volunteers support members to interact with one another. An informal training is provided to members e.g. 'What to say after Hello' and 'Successful Dating' and staff can chaperone dates. Members also learn local journeys e.g. practice bus journeys and support one another to get to/from events. Over time members improve their social skills and increase their self-confidence and independence, thus start going out more outside dates-n-mates.</p> <p>With 26,000 adults with learning disabilities in Scotland (including 692 in Renfrewshire), the Scottish Government's Learning Disability Strategy 'The Keys to Life' states that improving quality of life for people with learning disabilities is a priority. They are more prone to abuse and less likely to have opportunities to form relationships.</p> <p>The Scottish Government strategy 'A Connected Scotland', recognises 'people with learning disabilities – and their families – are at risk of experiencing social isolation throughout their lives.' Learning Disability Alliance Scotland's 2018 survey showed 80% of adults with learning disabilities feel lonely either sometimes (11%) or a lot (69%).</p> <p>The group will target adults with learning disabilities in Gleniffer Ward to make them aware of the project and its benefits, partnering with local GPs, pharmacies, West College, Carers' Centre and</p>

local advocacy services. Their outreach workers provide opportunities and support to connect, make friends and form meaningful relationships.

August 2020 Update:

In normal circumstances our monthly programme of social activities usually run in venues across this ward, including community venues and accessible pubs and restaurants such as Canal Station and The Gleniffer Hotel. We issue a monthly programme of events and our staff and volunteers support members to interact with one another. We also provide informal training such as 'What to say after Hello' and 'Successful Dating' and can even chaperone couples on dates. Members learn local journeys and support one another to get to/from events. Regular 'Open' events create opportunities for non-members, ie those who may be ineligible for membership, and the wider community to join in.

We hope that as current restrictions ease, we will be able to resume these face-to-face activities. However, since the imposition of the lockdown, dates-n-mates has developed a regular programme of online social activities and events to help our members and other members of the wider community retain the social contacts which are vital to the maintenance of good mental health.

These online activities give members the chance to talk to others, have some fun and helps them to improve their digital skills.

Our members now desire to get back to 'normal' but there is an increasing anxiety regarding the 'new normal' and what it will be. dates-n-mates is now therefore planning for coming out of lockdown in a way that allows these vulnerable people to stay safe but have the social interaction they so desperately need and want.

We wish to adapt the previous funding application to include this new way of supporting members.

We have developed and piloted a 'friendship matching' process, matching people with others who have similar likes and interests to enable them to meet up in smaller groups very locally, rather than joining larger groups (our normal process).

This new matching process will include researching database packages for profiling that will allow us to identify members with similar interests. From there we will facilitate online introductions by video to allow people to get to know each other and minimise any initial awkwardness when meeting in person. And, should Stage 4 of the Scottish Government release from lockdown process be further delayed (ie. permitting events and larger groups), it will allow members to have safe, local social interaction sooner than would otherwise be the case.

With this in mind, we want to implement a friendship matching service for our members in Renfrewshire to be piloted in August with wider roll-out from September. Our aim is to ensure that adults with learning disabilities in this ward have the opportunity to develop a very local friendship circle to support them at least until the current pandemic is over – and hopefully longer.

We will seek to recruit and train 2-4 local volunteer chaperones to assist members with the initial 'getting to know you' phase of each small, local friendship circle and to help with safeguarding these vulnerable adults.

With this in mind, we would still ask for £1,500 as a contribution towards the costs of running

dates-n-mates Renfrewshire this year.																													
<p>6. Who Benefits From The Project?</p> <p>Adults with learning disabilities in Gleniffer will benefit from the project as they will have opportunities and support to make and sustain natural friendships and close personal relationships; develop the skills and abilities to make decisions about, develop and sustain close personal relationships and friendships; will be able to participate in the social, economic and cultural life of Renfrewshire.</p>																													
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<p>8. Breakdown of Costs</p> <p>The total cost of the project is £47,925; however, the group is requesting £1,500 of funding from Gleniffer Local Partnership.</p> <p>C-Change Scotland will balance the rest of the costs from other funding sources. They are</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £15,000 from R S Macdonald Charitable Trust for Staff costs (secured) • £12,525 from C-Change (in kind) (secured) • £8,500 from other Renfrewshire Local Partnerships (not secured) • £10,400 from membership fees, event & raffle income, fundraising <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Item of spend</th><th>Total Cost</th><th>Amount Requested</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Staff costs</td><td>£34,000</td><td>£1,500</td></tr> <tr> <td>Venue/entertainment costs</td><td>£4,250</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Administration, incl. print/postage</td><td>£2,000</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Publicity/marketing</td><td>£1,250</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Meeting rooms/desk space/ equipment/ mobile phones</td><td>£4,500</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Volunteer expenses</td><td>£250</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Training & learning</td><td>£1,000</td><td>£0</td></tr> <tr> <td>Travel to outreach (staff & members)</td><td>£675</td><td>£0</td></tr> </tbody> </table>			Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Staff costs	£34,000	£1,500	Venue/entertainment costs	£4,250	£0	Administration, incl. print/postage	£2,000	£0	Publicity/marketing	£1,250	£0	Meeting rooms/desk space/ equipment/ mobile phones	£4,500	£0	Volunteer expenses	£250	£0	Training & learning	£1,000	£0	Travel to outreach (staff & members)	£675	£0
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<p>9. About The Organisation</p> <p>C-Change was founded in 2001 and now has 151 full time employees, 70 part time employees, 90 volunteers and 273 members.</p> <p>C-Change Scotland is a Scottish charity which provides outcome-focused personalised support to people with learning disabilities, mental health issues and other additional support needs. C-Change Scotland's work is based in a human rights approach, empowering the people it works with to live their life to the fullest and become active citizens within their communities. The charity hosts a project, dates-n-mates, which is Scotland's national dating and friendship agency run by and for people with learning disabilities. dates-n-mates Renfrewshire is one of 4 branches which support love and friendship for local people with learning disabilities.</p>																													

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Renfrewshire LP General Grant Fund (Voluntary & Community Organisations)	£3,798.67	Delivery of dates-n-mates Renfrewshire outreach projects
2018/19	Renfrewshire LAC Grant Fund (Voluntary & Community Organisations)	£2,624	Delivery of dates-n-mates Renfrewshire Outreach Project
2017/18	Renfrewshire LAC Grant Fund (Voluntary & Community Organisations)	£3,434	Developing a pilot for dates-n-mates Renfrewshire Outreach Project

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1. Reference	FR1148
2. Project Name	Holiday Hunger Club
	To give each child who attends the club a meal, an activity and a give-away a breakfast bag daily during the holidays.
3. Organisation Name	Stronger Communities Glenburn
4. Amount Applied For	£10,000
5. Description Of Project	<p>The Holiday Hunger Club is set to run between June and October 2020.</p> <p>The project purpose is to provide high quality, free/low cost activities and events for children & families during holiday. All provisions are linked to GIRFEC health and wellbeing indicators and has been identified through consultation with the community.</p> <p>Most of these children are entitled to free school meals. Therefore, many are going without that one hot meal, that they rely on in school. This also includes families who struggle to feed themselves without the added pressure of adding another meal during the holiday. Some of these families are working and struggle just as much as people on benefits.</p> <p>The group will give each child a meal and activity daily. They also plan to give them away a breakfast bag with them.</p> <p>This will run at lunch time or teatime depending on the activity.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local families who struggle to feed themselves during holidays will benefit from this project.
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priority of isolation and loneliness as through it the children and parents will form new bonds within the community. This will stop social isolation for both the parents and children. It will also encourage the children to play with others.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group is applying for £10,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership for this project.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
lets	£1,785	£1,785
food this is based on 50 people at £3 a head	£5,250	£5,250
Activities e.g. laser tag, educational days	£2,965	£2,965

9. About The Organisation

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Group's main activity areas are:

- Children and Young People
- Community Safety
- Education and Learning
- Health and Wellbeing

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership General Grant Fund (Gleniffer LP)	£6,000	To host a community gala day
		£2,000	Glenbairns - to provide a safe fun environment for children 0-5 to come together, learn to socialise, share and develop their cognitive behaviour skills.
		£5,000	Glenbairns active club - to bring families together through playtime and sport.
2018/19			
2017/18			

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1. Reference	FR1149															
2. Project Name	Miles Of Smiles															
	To provide a safe fun environment for children 0-5 years to come together, learn to socialise, share and develop their cognitive behaviour skills.															
3. Organisation Name	Miles Of Smiles (Stronger Communities Glenburn)															
4. Amount Applied For	£5,000															
5. Description Of Project	<p>Miles of Smiles project aims to provide a safe fun environment for children 0-5 to come together, learn to socialise, share and develop their cognitive behaviour skills.</p> <p>The group plans to use each week, to help children through arts, craft, and play time develop their cognitive behaviour skills. It will also allow the parents and children to socialize in a safe environment weekly.</p> <p>The group has previously identified that there is nothing for children aged 0-5 in Glenburn unless they had a place in the nursery. The group sat down with local nurseries and parents and came up with the idea of having a parent and toddler group.</p>															
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		£5,000	Glenbairns active club - to bring families together through playtime and sport.
2018/19			
2017/18			

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1150
2. Project Name	Establishing a Child Play Therapy Scheme for Children 5 yrs. to 15 yrs. of age.
3. Organisation Name	The Wynd Centre
4. Amount Applied For	£2,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
	<p>The total project cost is £88,500 over three years; however, application is for one year only which cost for 1st year is £29,000.</p> <p>The group has also applied for Local Partnership funding in Renfrew, Paisley North West & Central, Paisley East, Johnstone & Linwood and Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank. The total amount applied for across 6 Local Partnerships is £12,000.</p>
5. Description Of Project	<p>Following a pilot scheme, completed in 2019 the scheme will become permanent in 2020.</p> <p>The project purpose is to provide a counselling service for children across Renfrewshire aged 5 -15 yrs. to complement the already counselling services available at The Wynd.</p> <p>Between 1st March – 30th May 2019, 13 children have been supported as a result of this Play Therapy Pilot project. This pilot scheme established that Issues behind initial referrals have been due to, social isolation, bullying, social anxiety, bereavement, anger-management and social anxiety specifically due to a diagnosis of Autism. The pilot was funded by "Go for It" which established the need for this type of counselling.</p> <p>The Wynd centre has been running a nationally recognised Counselling service since The Centre was established in 1984 and there is already bespoke premises for this purpose. Additional funding is required to modify the premises and purchase equipment for this specific age group and engage part time staff responsible to the Counselling Manager. This area of activity will complete the total range of counselling services provided by nationally qualified Counsellors.</p> <p>Anticipated outcomes are to improve the Strength and Difficulties Scores (SDQs) and to increase the available spaces in order to reduce the current waiting list.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Children and young people aged 5-15 years who require counselling will benefit from this project.
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project does not meet any Gleniffer local priorities.
8. Breakdown of Costs	The group is applying for £2,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The total project cost is £88,500 over three years; however, application is for one year only which cost for 1st year is £29,000.

The group has also applied for Local Partnership funding in Renfrew, Paisley North West & Central, Paisley East, Johnstone & Linwood and Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Salaries	£20,528	£4,247
Insurance, pension, Training	£1,304	£270
Equipment/ materials	£2,520	£521
Venue Hire	£3,840	£795
Admin	£808	£167

9. About The Organisation

They Wynd Centre has charitable status and is located in Paisley North Local Partnership area.

It was established in 1984 and over the years has continued to change to meet the needs of the community.

The centre aims to provide a community Hub in the Centre of Paisley which meets the needs of individuals, organisations and communities within Renfrewshire; to play its full part in supporting Renfrewshire Council initiatives. In particular to provide a Counselling Service for children, Youths and adults, and facilities for Victim Support, SSAFA and PACE, a local Youth Theatre group.

The centre has 1 full time and 7 part-time employees as well as 64 volunteers.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	LP East	£4,000	Counselling Services
	LP Paisley North, West and Central	£1,156	
2018/19	LAC general Fund	£2,400	Adult Counselling Youth Counselling
	LAC Youth Fund	£2,592	
2017/18	LAC General Fund	£3,855	Adult Counselling Youth Counselling
	LAC Youth Fund	£3,855	

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1154
2. Project Name	G in the Park/Park opening
	To celebrate the new park being built in Glenburn & to bring local community together.
3. Organisation Name	Stronger Communities Glenburn
4. Amount Applied For	£10,000
5. Description Of Project	<p>G in the Park & Park opening in Glenburn will take place in March 2021 (depending on how the situation COVID-19 develops).</p> <p>Stronger communities Glenburn will host a party in the Skye Crescent park to celebrate the new park being built in Glenburn. It will enable adults and children of the community to come together. It will help facilitate local awareness of the events and groups that are running within the area. It will also act as a vehicle for getting more people involved within local groups. In addition, it will help with community spirit, helping people to come together through a joyous occasion.</p> <p>It is planned to have stalls, sports events, inflatables, stage shows, information stall to let people know what is going on within their area.</p> <p>It is hoped to involve local businesses and local talent by inviting them to perform on the day.</p> <p>It is anticipated that the community will be more informed about groups and clubs within the area. It is hoped that people will have come together to make new friendships within the local area, therefore tackling isolation. It will help promote the local areas businesses by them being involved.</p> <p>It will allow local people to become involved in social issues in their area by joining clubs and groups volunteering.</p> <p>It will allow the local people to celebrate the park opening.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Local community, group, clubs and businesses will benefit from the project.
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>It is anticipated that the community will be more informed about groups and clubs within the area, therefore the project meets “what’s on in Foxbar, Brediland & Glenburn” priority.</p> <p>It is also hoped that people will come together to make new friendships within the local area, therefore tackling isolation and loneliness. This means that the project meets 2nd local</p>

partnership priority of “isolation & loneliness”.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group is applying for £10,000 from Gleniffer Local Partnership for this project.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Entertainers	£400	£400
Inflatables	£2,000	£2,000
Stage hire	£1,000	£1,000
Decorations	£300	£300
Advertising	£300	£300
Silent disco	£1,200	£1,200
Food	£1,800	£1,800
Funfair	£3,000	£3,000

9. About The Organisation

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10. Grant Funding Award History

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2018/19			
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Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1156
2. Project Name	Renfrewshire Connected Champions Project
3. Organisation Name	RAMH
4. Amount Applied For	£2,311 from Gleniffer LP (£13,868 applied for from six local partnerships, excluding the Villages local partnership)
5. Description Of Project	<p>Renfrewshire Connected Champions Project will take place between 21th May 2020 and 27th March 2021.</p> <p>The Connectedness Champions Project will raise awareness of social isolation and how to build connections in the community. Because loneliness is so personal, it's often seen as a private feeling, but we have learned that it is something that can be addressed.</p> <p>Between October 2017 and March 2018 ACUMEN and RAMH carried out research on social connectedness within Renfrewshire. The highest loneliness scores came from those who identified mental health problems as being a barrier to social connectedness.</p> <p>The research identified the importance of providing information on local services, including formal and informal peer support to build people's confidence in accessing services. The report went on to note that one of the key aspirations for individuals was to form relationships which were epitomised by 'greater intimacy' (more meaningful). This led to the creation of Renfrewshire Connectedness Champions Project.</p> <p>It's clear that loneliness affects children, young people and families in Scotland. In the past loneliness was sometimes seen as a problem for older people.</p> <p>Within the identified Local Partnerships, we will deliver Generations Working Together Workshops with pupils, this allows them to discuss issues affecting them and take part in specialist-run workshops it is extremely important for young people to feel they have a voice and are included and empowered to look at social isolation the perceived stigma around loneliness and promote the concept of a supportive, non-judgemental community.</p> <p>RCCP will deliver the same themed workshops working with teachers.</p> <p>If we are to begin to tackle the issue of loneliness in children, young people and families in the community, then there is a role for each and every one of us.</p> <p>We want pupils to speak about their feelings, to feel they have a voice and are included and empowered to look at social isolation the perceived stigma around loneliness and promote the concept of a supportive, non-judgemental community.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Pupils who will be part of the workshops delivered by RAMH in Renfrew; Paisley North West &

Central; Gleniffer; Paisley East; Johnstone & Linwood; Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank will benefit from the project.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The project fits with isolation and loneliness local priority as through this project pupils will be able speak about their feelings, feel that they have a voice and are included and empowered to look at social isolation the perceived stigma around loneliness and promote the concept of a supportive, non-judgemental community.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £13,868. The organisation applied for funding of this project to six local partnerships. The organisation is applying for £2,311 from Gleniffer LP.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Hire of facilities	£1,200	£1,200
Volunteer and Peer training and expense	£6,060	£6,060
Catering	£2,400	£2,400
Insurance	£200	£200
Evaluation	£2,000	£2,000
Social media and Video blogs	£768	£768
Materials	£490	£490
Communication and awareness raising	£750	£750

9. About The Organisation

RAMH is a company limited by guarantee with a charitable status.

It was established in 1978. It currently has 100 full time and 80 part time employees, 60 volunteers and 7,232 members.

RAMH promotes recovery from mental ill health, and empowers people to build independent, fulfilled lives.

- RAMH believes that everyone has the capability to recover from mental ill health
- RAMH uses the ideals of recovery and support to reinforce hope, respect and equality
- RAMH recognises individuals' strengths and empowers individuals to find solutions and create aspirations

RAMH's main activity areas are tackling inequalities, Health & wellbeing (specifically mental health)

10. Grant Funding Award History

RAMH has not received funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 financial years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1166
2. Project Name	Community Safe Haven
3. Organisation Name	Y.M.C.A Paisley
4. Amount Applied For	£ 2,666 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The organisation has also applied for funding to Paisley North, West & Central and Paisley East Local Partnerships. The organisation applied for £8,000 in total across 3 LPs.</p>	
<p>5. Description Of Project</p> <p>Community Safe Haven will run between 1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of this application is to allow assistance in the overall running costs of the organisation in order to ensure that the current work being undertaken is continued which enables the longer-term strategies to be progressed so that they impact on the lives of those involved.</p> <p>The excellent community work being undertaken has been carried out over many years and continues to develop with the needs and requirements of the community.</p> <p>Over the past year in particular, we have identified that there is a greater requirement for there to be a central 'safe haven' where people who suffer loneliness and isolation can come in to build relationships with other people who are in a similar position whilst developing personal and practical skills.</p> <p>We will run activities and planned sessions that will include various speakers who provide insight and advice on topics such as personal finance, IT skills, arts and crafts, along with details of services provided by other charities and groups that may be of further benefit to the members.</p> <p>The anticipation would be for Paisley YMCA to remain a "safe haven" for all age groups, community groups and vulnerable members of society.</p>	
<p>6. Who Benefits From The Project?</p> <p>All age groups, community groups and vulnerable members of society from Paisley North West & Central, Gleniffer and Paisley East local partnerships will benefit from the project.</p>	
<p>7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities</p> <p>The project meet local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness as it provides a space where people who suffer loneliness and isolation can come to build relationships with other.</p>	
<p>8. Breakdown of Costs</p> <p>The total cost of the project is £190,757. The group is applying for £8,000 from Local Partnership</p>	

General Grant Fund. Paisley Y.M.C.A applied to Gleniffer, Paisley North, West & Central and Paisley East Local Partnerships (£2,666 from each).

The rest of the project costs will be balanced by group's secured own funds.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Salaries	£112,217	£5,700
General Administration	£45,900	£2,300
Programme	£32,640	Nil

9. About The Organisation

YMCA Paisley is an unincorporated club with a charitable status. It was established in 1832.

YMCA Paisley is committed to the aims and purposes of the worldwide YMCA.

It aims to provide a meeting place "safe haven" which belongs to the community and allows them to develop activities that stimulate and challenge them in an environment that enables them to take responsibility and find a sense of achievement.

The group has 3 full time and 3 part time employees as well as 8 volunteers.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund	£3,000	Youth Club Activity
2018/19			
2017/18	Education Category C LAC Youth Challenge Fund	£3,000 £8,468	Salaries & Administration Makerspace Paisley

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference FR1172
2. Project Name Renfrewshire Accessibility Project
3. Organisation Name Renfrewshire Access Panel
4. Amount Applied For £2,239.32 from Gleniffer Local Partnership The group is applying for £15,675.24 in total across 7 LPs (£2,239.32 each)
5. Description of Project <p>The project will take place between 1st April 2020 and 31st March 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the Grant is to assist the Local Partnership meet the objectives they have set out for this year. This project will enable all members of the community to access all the services they require and enjoy the benefits of facilities in the local partnership. Our main priority is the disabled community but ensuring that the area is suitable for them, we include other age groups such as the elderly, children learning to walk and even people with sports injuries and so many more. Renfrewshire Access Panel would like to ensure that everyone in the community is included to reduce isolation and loneliness. We would also like to ensure that the members of the local partnership are able to read and interpret plans for future meetings so that the best possible changes are made to any renovation or new build in the community ensuring all the current buildings and venues are used to their full potential. We would also like to offer training and assistance to the what's on guide for the area, whether its use of a computer or even a quiet space to work on it, we would be happy to assist.</p> <p>The need for the project has been established by the concerns of the Local Area Partnership and we will assist in any way we can to ensure safe places for children to play in the current green spaces available by ensuring accessible equipment for all children. We also provide work experience for children from mainstream and additional needs schools as well as adults returning to work by providing volunteering opportunities for them. We have also identified that a lot of the disabled community have little or no access to technology which we can provide training for and we will provide this training for any member of the community.</p> <p>We will provide access audits/surveys to ensure spaces are safe and meet the requirements for accessibility. We will also provide advice on the best accessible play equipment for unused green spaces to ensure disabled children can play safely and interact with other children. We will provide training and work experience for both children and adults on technology along other training courses we provide and offer volunteering opportunities for anyone in the community.</p> <p>We would also like to offer training to the Local Area Partnership on reading and interpreting plans to ensure everyone is fully aware of the process and implications.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project? <p>Residents of the Gleniffer Local Partnership will benefit from this project. Disabled community, elderly, children learning to walk, people with sports injuries in particular will benefit from the apparent improvements of roads and pavements within the Local Area Partnership which this</p>

project will bring. In turn the social isolation will be reduced and groups will be using community assets, the organisation will assist as many people as they can which will increase the health and wellbeing of the residents of the whole Local Area Partnership.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The outcomes that are anticipated are that the Local Partnership will meet many of the objectives they have raised for this year for community assets, what's on guide, public safety and play facilities as result of including disabled people within the community by boosting confidence and showing them how to be part of the community which in turn reduces isolation and by assisting with the roads, pavements and park walkways are safe to walk on so that everyone can work/play in a safe environment of their peers and disabled children and adults can walk easily wherever they would like to go.

8. Breakdown of Costs

Renfrewshire Access Panel is applying for £2,239.32 from Gleniffer Local Partnership

The total cost of the project is £15,675.25. The group is applying for the total cost of the project across 7 Local Partnerships.

If the costs will be balanced by unsecured funding from Renfrewshire Council (Section 10 and Local Partnerships)

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Office Rental	£3,899.99	£3,899.99
Phone Line	£1,254.71	£1,254.71
Mobile Phone	£268.62	£268.62
Accountancy Fees	£1,300	£1,300
Insurance	£1,400	£1,400
Printing/Stationery	£3,544.54	£3,544.54
Office Peripherals	£1,007.39	£1,007.39
Volunteer Expenses	£1,007.39	£1,007.39

9. About The Organisation

Renfrewshire Access Panel is a small charity (SCO36804) based in Renfrewshire dealing with accessibility. The organisation was established in 1995. Originally the organisation started with access to the built and natural environment and access to services although now it is at the forefront of promoting access across its widest remit and endeavours to be fully inclusive in its approach. This means working across the private, public and third sector to remove physical and attitudinal barriers to equality, and to promote all aspects of independent living within the Renfrewshire community.

The organisation has 8 volunteers and 207 members. Its main activity areas are:

Arts and Culture; Children and Young People; Community Safety; Education and Learning; Environment and Sustainability; Health and Wellbeing; Housing; Older People; Regeneration and Tackling Inequalities.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Section 10	£2,000	Accountancy Fees & Part of telephone bill
	LACS	£11,609.71	Office Rent/Utilities, Training
2018/19	Section 10	£2000.00	Accountancy Fees & Part of telephone bill
	LACS	£5758.00	Office Rent/Utilities, Training
2017/18	Section 10	£930.00	Accountancy Fees & Part of telephone bill
	LACS	£2452.40	Office Rent/Utilities, Training

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1174
2. Project Name	Lamont Farm Project
3. Organisation Name	Lamont Farm Project
4. Amount Applied For	£4,000
<p>The group has applied for funding in all Local Partnerships requesting total amount of £28,000 (£4,000 from each local partnership)</p>	
5. Description Of Project	<p>Lamont farm was founded by a group of individuals with a strong desire to establish a local education and community facility. We were the first City Farm in Scotland and the farm is very popular with families, nurseries and disabled groups as well as local schools. Around 10,000 people visit Lamont Farm annually. We aim to educate people from all walks of life in animal care, welfare and husbandry.</p> <p>The project educates and provides hands on animal care and welfare facilities to the local community and surrounding areas. Lamont Farm offers a wide variety of services to various groups and organisations within the local area and further afield, work experience placements are provided to jobcentres, high schools, community service, kibble project and many more. The farm provides hands on experience for over 40 children who wish to pursue a career in animal care and veterinary practice, educational workshops are ran throughout the year for primary schools, nurseries and visitors.</p> <p>The farm has many social connections to help promote mental health, wellbeing and to help lessen isolation. Animals are a great source of therapy and have a great ability to bring many different people together some people prefer being round the animals as a gentle way of reintroducing them into the community. Some of the connections we have are RAMH, spark of genius, community service, West college Scotland's adults with addition needs and kibble we believe everyone should have the chance to be involved in their community. These connections help provide placements for anyone suffering mental health issues, physical disabilities, someone who has been out of the community, anyone who is looking to get back into work or anyone who just wants to volunteer, it's a placement where everyone is included in every aspect of the farm with no judgement. We offer work experience placements to many different high schools throughout Renfrewshire and beyond including Gleniffer high school, the placements are invaluable to pupils wishing to pursue a career in the animal sector as not many places allow under 16's to work so closely with such a variety of animals, in recent years our volunteers have went on to become fully qualified veterinary nurses. We have a working partnership with Glenburn based group - helping those in need we collect and distribute many items for the group helping out with people who are in need in the community. We are on an active bus route with buses coming from many different areas which helps make it easy to visit from many parts of Renfrewshire and the surrounding areas.</p> <p>The farm runs regular education and fun workshops to bring the community together to learn different aspects of animal care, our parent and toddler workshops are hugely popular bringing parent and toddlers from many areas Foxbar included. These workshops offer great fun for all participants as there are no other parent and toddler events which involve animals. We have great connections with the local and beyond nurseries and childminding groups providing them</p>

with workshops and tour and handling session where the children have great fun with the animals.

We have a small secure play area based within the farm which is decorated by colourful cartoon animals which is hugely popular, and many happy hours are spent by children and parents. We also now have the only animal facility in the local area, with the recent closure of both Barshaw Park Pet's Corner and Robertson Park Pet's corner (fortunately we were able to offer a new home to several animals from both facilities), therefore are finding that we have even more young visitors from the local partnerships attending the farm in the hope of seeing some familiar furry friends.

The farm has supplied manure to many of the local and surrounding community allotments courtesy of the community service team, we share regular information to anyone looking to have a small plot and happy to pass the details on for the area they live in.

The grant will help towards running costs to ensure the project can continue to provide a variety of services and continue to work with a number of local educational establishments within the community.

August 2020 update:

With the effects of Covid-19 it is more critical than ever that we receive funding from all possible sources.

Due to the nature of our project and the contact with the public we had to make the difficult decision to close mid-March, even before an official lockdown was announced, to minimise any risk to either the public or to our volunteers. We had to cease all activities with our Kids Clubs (junior volunteers) and reduce any volunteering from adults to a bare minimum of one volunteer plus a member of management each day, with these adults working at a social distance throughout the time.

We were closed for 15 weeks, losing an average donation of £150 per week or more, as the spring and summer months generally are our busiest months, especially at the weekends. Even now, although we have been able to reopen, we have had to keep two days closure to allow for a deep clean, to ensure the maximum safety of all volunteers and visitors. Normally the donations would have increased during these times due to school and nursery summer holidays, but we feel that safety is of the utmost importance.

Also there have been increased costs incurred, as disinfecting has been increased and PPE for volunteers has been purchased.

Now that we have reopened we are receiving very positive feedback in that we are providing a safe place and activity for people far and wide to assist them firstly venturing away from home and also to increasing the possibilities of children being able to have contact with animals and other children without having to fear contracting Covid-19. We are providing an affordable day out for families (no entry fee) to allow anyone who may be struggling through or after furlough or after redundancy due to Coronavirus.

6. Who Benefits From The Project?

Local communities across Renfrewshire will benefit from this project. This includes:

- anyone suffering mental health issues, physical disabilities, someone who has been out of the community, anyone who is looking to get back into work or anyone who just wants to volunteer
- families through parent and toddler workshops
- Gleniffer high school pupils as they offer placements to pupils wishing to pursue a career in the animal sector.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The farm has many social connections to help promote mental health, wellbeing and to help lessen isolation, therefore it fits with the “isolation and loneliness” local priority.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £45,000. The group has applied to all local partnerships for funding. In total applying for £28,000 and requesting £4,000 from Gleniffer local partnership.

The project cost will be balanced with unsecured funding from the rest of the local partnerships and unsecured donations, other grant and own fundraising.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Ongoing running costs	£4,000	£4,000

9. About The Organisation

The Lamont Farm project has charitable status. It was established in 1977.

It aims to educate children and adults on all aspects of animal husbandry and animal welfare and to provide a local establishment in the community for families to visit for a hands-on experience with a wide variety of animals.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local partnership funding Celebrating Renfrewshire	approx. £6,000 £12,000	running costs Lamont Farm Project
2018/19	LAC grant	approx. £8,000	running costs
2017/18	LAC grant	approx. £8,000	running costs

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1182
2. Project Name	Taste of Culture (Black History Month)
3. Organisation Name	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities (REEM)
4. Amount Applied For	£2,500 (£10,000 in total across 3x Paisley LPs and Renfrew LP)
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will take place between September 2020 and May 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to arrange activities and events aimed at promoting Black History Month among ethnic minorities and the wider community in Scotland to create awareness about black history month and organise different activities in Renfrewshire schools.</p> <p>When various minorities leave their home countries they are faced with new customs and ways of doing things. They struggle to cope with life changing events without the support of family and friends and with no one to speak to within their new community. They do not interact for several reasons, including trust issues, language difficulties or religious belief. The project was initiated by a group of people who themselves went through a similar phase and are aware of the need.</p> <p>REEM will arrange activities and events aimed at promoting Black History Month among ethnic minorities and the wider community in Renfrewshire organizing workshops in Renfrewshire schools promoting Black History Month and also organising activities that will lead up to the event in November.</p> <p>The ethnic minorities will have a chance to engage within the wider community. The project will help people feel less isolated and more able to participate in the wider society and want to be part of it. Many volunteers progress into training and work.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>Local BME communities, the wider Paisley and Renfrew communities and schools will particularly benefit through sharing culture and raising awareness of Black History Month. The Community Planning Partnership's Diversity and Equality Alliance Renfrewshire (DEAR) Group has picked Black History Month as one of the key equality anchor events for 2020.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>This project will contribute to lessening isolation and loneliness particularly within the BAME communities as it will bring groups together help to share skills and resources. It should also build community pride through the event and associated promotion of wellbeing.</p>
8. Breakdown of Costs	<p>The total cost of the project is £10,284. The group has applied to four local partnerships and</p>

requested a total amount of £10,000. The group has applied to £2,500 from Gleniffer local partnership.

The balance will be met through unsecured fundraising

Item of spend	Total cost	Amount requested
Hall hire	£1,200	£1,200
Catering	£1,500	£1,500
Exhibition	£500	£500
Promotion	£500	£500
Main artist and performers	£3,000	£3,000
Workshop and refreshment	£1,000	£716
Sessional worker	£2,584	£2,584

9. About The Organisation

Established in October 2011, Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Communities (REEM) has an overall aim to 'create awareness and increase participation of diverse Minority Ethnic communities in Renfrewshire' We are working to achieve those aims by delivering bespoke activities which are targeted towards diverse equality groups as defined by the Equality Act 2010. Our support is to engage with marginalised and disadvantaged communities to promote community cohesion, inter-cultural dialogue and mainstream equal opportunities. REEM currently has 3 part time employees, 16 volunteers and 5 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership grants	£3,429	Drop in centre
2018/19	LAC grants	£5,047.64	Drop in centre
2017/18	LAC grants	£6,025.00	Drop in centre

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1183
2. Project Name	Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour - Transport
3. Organisation Name	Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour
4. Amount Applied For	£375 from Gleniffer Local Partnership The group has also applied for funding to Renfrew, Paisley North West and Central and Paisley East local partnerships (£1,500 in total).
5. Description Of Project	<p>Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour – Transport will take place between 6th October 2020 and 4th May 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to provide transport to and from the Friendly Hour for members. We provide an afternoon of friendship and fellowship that allows the members to meet and develop their friendships. Entertainment and social activities are provided on a weekly basis from October to May.</p> <p>Entertainment includes children from a Nursery, 2 Primary and 1 Secondary Schools, as well as entertainment provided by Adults. We also have the Community Police and Musical Exercises Members also have a much-appreciated cup of tea or coffee and goodies.</p> <p>The programme includes a Christmas Lunch and an Annual Outing.</p> <p>The Committee identified many members would be unable to attend our weekly meeting without provision of transport. Many of our members live alone and the Friendly Hour is the only time they may see other people. It gives them the opportunity of mixing socially, allowing them to chat and at the same time give them some entertainment avoiding an afternoon of loneliness and isolation. Our average age is over 85 and many are quite infirm. There is a greater need for these people to be transported to a happy and lively environment for a few hours on a weekly basis.</p> <p>By providing transport we are reaching out to people in the communities who may not be able to get out – in some cases this is the only outing of the week. We are able to bring them into a group where they get friendship and fellowship. We must remember that many people experience loneliness and isolation, and many don't have the opportunity for conversation. They welcome the joy of sharing a story or a sing-along and hearing news from the communities.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	The project will benefit men and women over the age of 60 from Gleniffer, Renfrew, Paisley North West and Central and Paisley East local partnerships.

7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities

The project meets local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness as it will provide an opportunity for group member's to have transportation to and from the Friendly Hour meeting where they are able to mix socially, chat and at the same time experience some entertainment avoiding an afternoon of loneliness and isolation. In this group many form friendships and fellowships.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £1,500. The group has applied for £375 from Gleniffer Local Partnership. The group has also applied for funding to Renfrew, Paisley North West and Central and Paisley East local partnerships.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Cost of Transport	£1,500	£1,500

9. About The Organisation

Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour is an unincorporated club. It was established in 1957.

The aim of the group is to offer to all men and women over the age of 60, friendship and fellowship by providing an afternoon of social entertainment and other activities. Their membership includes men and women from the surrounding community, local sheltered housing complexes and the Church. Currently they have 40 members and 9 volunteers.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Area Committee General Grant Fund	£600.00	Transport costs
2018/19	Local Area Committee General Grant Fund	£887.63	Transport Costs
2017/18	Local Area Committee General Grant Fund	£923.00	Transport Costs

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1191
2. Project Name	Makerspace: Connecting Communities
3. Organisation Name	Y.M.C.A Paisley
4. Amount Applied For	£1,196 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The group is applying for £5,980 in total from Local Partnership General Grant Fund. The organisation has also applied for funding to Paisley East, The Villages, Johnstone & Linwood and Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnerships.</p>	
<p>5. Description Of Project</p> <p>The project will take place between 4th May 2020 and 19th March 2021 (46 weeks).</p> <p>The purpose of this project is to open up our Makerspace to adult community groups across Renfrewshire. We are the only Digital Makerspace in the West of Scotland and we believe that everyone should be able to access digital technology and have an opportunity to learn new skills.</p> <p>We have previously hosted digital activity sessions with Roar (Men's Shed) and their feedback was very positive.</p> <p>We also gained positive feedback from when we hosted our 'Tea & Tablets' group - this was an intergenerational project where older adults came along to a group to receive advice and tutoring on how to use their smart phones and tablets in ways that would enhance their lives e.g. YouTube videos, skype, facetime, online shopping.</p> <p>Due to this positive feedback and many requests were receive asking if adults can use the Makerspace, we developed this project.</p> <p>We will host adult community groups from across Renfrewshire one afternoon per week. We will connect with Community Groups and let them know about what activities we can offer and what types of workshops we can facilitate with their members. We will do this by promoting the project on social media and via our third sector interface (Engage Renfrewshire) and we can also go along to speak to the groups.</p> <p>We can offer the following activities 3D Printing Workshop, Laser Design and Cutting, Digital Animation, Coding, Music Technology, T-shirt Design and Printing, Digital Media.</p> <p>We will also be happy to work with groups to create tailor made workshops to suit their requirements/interests.</p>	
<p>6. Who Benefits From The Project?</p> <p>Local community groups across Renfrewshire and its members will benefit from the project because it is anticipated that adults and older adults within the community will Learn new skills, Create something using digital technology, Make new connections/friendships, Have improved mental health and wellbeing, Increase confidence, Find a new hobby/passion/interest, feel included and listened to (person centred workshops) through this project.</p>	
<p>7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities</p> <p>The project meet local priority of tackling isolation and loneliness as it provides a space where</p>	

adults & older adults within community can make new connections & learn something new. It also meets the priority of “what’s on in Foxbar, Brediland & Glenburn” as Paisley YMCA will also go and speak to local community groups about this project. Through this community groups will gain or further develop their digital skills and use them to promote what’s going on locally.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group is applying for £1,196 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The total cost of the project is £30,980. The group is applying for £5,980 from Local Partnership General Grant Fund. Paisley Y.M.C.A applied to Paisley East, The Villages, Johnstone & Linwood and Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnerships.

The rest of the project costs will be balanced by group’s secured funds.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
2 x Digital Youth Workers @ £10 p/h x 4 hours x 46 weeks	£3,680	£3,680
Rental Cost of Building £25 per hour x 2 hours x 46 weeks	£2,300	£2,300
Makerspace Equipment available for use - 3D Printer, Laser Cutter, Vinyl Cutter, Heat Press, Digital Media, Equipment, VR Equipment, Computing Equipment, Music Technology Equipment	£25,000	Nil

9. About The Organisation

YMCA Paisley is an unincorporated club with a charitable status. It was established in 1832.

YMCA Paisley is committed to the aims and purposes of the worldwide YMCA.

It aims to provide a meeting place "safe haven" which belongs to the community and allows them to develop activities that stimulate and challenge them in an environment that enables them to take responsibility and find a sense of achievement.

The group has 3 full time and 5 part time employees as well as 10 volunteers and 190 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund	£3,000	Youth Club Activity
2018/19			
2017/18	Education Category C LAC Youth Challenge Fund	£3,000 £8,468	Salaries & Administration Makerspace Paisley

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1205
2. Project Name	Community Involvement
3. Organisation Name	Foxbar Rivers Community Building
4. Amount Applied For	£4,649.09 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
5. Description Of Project	<p>The project will commence in August 2020.</p> <p>Our aim is to bring community together, encourage the community to take part in various activities, training and workshops.</p> <p>Through this we would also invite children & adults with additional needs.</p> <p>We will provide an open day, inviting groups within the community to have a stall giving an information and how we can help those who require support. We will also provide a snack to encourage relationship and communication.</p> <p>The need for the project was identified through discussion with the community. It came to our attention that adults and children with additional needs don't get the opportunity to participate with groups who attend our building. The project considers equality, diversity and inclusion.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	<p>Local community will benefit from this project. This includes local community groups, including equality groups as the open day will bring diverse groups of people together to build relationships and to find out what is happening locally.</p>
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	<p>The project meets three Gleniffer Local Partnership priorities. They are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community assets as the group will organise an open day in the Gleniffer area by utilising local asset. This event will also boost community involvement in local groups as residents will be able to find out what groups are there in Gleniffer areas through organised information stalls. • What's on in Foxbar, Brediland and Glenburn as the open day is a good way to share information across the partnership. Stallholders will provide different information about local activities and attendees will make new connections and build relationships, thus building new networks. • Isolation and loneliness as open day will provide an opportunity for local residents, including diversity and equality communities, to come together and make new connections.
8. Breakdown of Costs	

The group is applying for £4,649.09 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Materials food	£600	£600
Double tank fryer	£95.99	£95.99
Microwave	£86.06	£86.06
Gopak large	£291	£291
50 chairs (£39.25 each)	£1,962.50	£1,962.50
12 Tables (£52 each)	£624	£624
Coffee percolator	£81.54	£81.54
Hotpoint coder	£409	£409
Large Fridge	£499	£499

9. About The Organisation

Foxbar Rivers Community Building is an unincorporated group which was established in 2000 in Foxbar. The group has 6 volunteers.

Its aims are to provide a service within local community and encourage community participation.

Foxbar Rivers Community Building group's main activity areas are:

- Children and young people
- Community safety
- Education and learning
- Health and Wellbeing
- Older people
- Tackling inequalities

10. Grant Funding Award History

The group has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the past 3 years.

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1209															
2. Project Name	Purchase new equipment for dog agility training															
3. Organisation Name	Phoenix Flyers Dog Agility Club															
4. Amount Applied For	£570 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.															
<p>The group has applied for funding to all 7 Local Partnerships. They are applying for £3,985 in total across 7 Local Partnerships with £570 from each.</p>																
<p>5. Description Of Project</p> <p>We are the only agility club within Renfrewshire that has permit to host kennel club shows and thus represent the West of Scotland within the greater dog agility community. The Kennel Club have introduced new standards for agility equipment to benefit canine health and safety. It is essential that we have equipment that meets these standards to host kennel club shows, maintain a safe training environment and provide affordable training to current and prospective members.</p> <p>Last year, the Kennel club announced a new standard for several pieces of equipment to be introduced this year and next year, including jumps and the dog walk. For the health and wellbeing of the dogs, heights for the jumps and dog walk have been lowered. We require new equipment to meet these standards while keeping our fees affordable.</p> <p>New equipment will allow us to host Kennel Club shows and train more safely. We will obtain quotes from agility suppliers for equipment that meets the new Kennel Club regulations. In addition, we will recruit local trade people to adjust our current equipment, thereby helping to keep our fees affordable and supporting local business.</p> <p>An anticipated outcome for the project is that we can hold Kennel Club shows in September, thereby representing Renfrewshire within the greater dog agility community.</p>																
<p>6. Who Benefits From The Project?</p> <p>The project will benefit dog agility community in Renfrewshire & Greater Glasgow.</p>																
<p>7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities</p> <p>The project does not meet any local priorities of the Gleniffer partnership.</p>																
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The group has 25 members.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20			
2018/19	LAC	£2,571	Timing equipment
2017/18	LAC	£2,717	Full amount used to purchase lawn mower & port-a-loo

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1211
2. Project Name	Regaining confidence through art therapy To help people with a disability of any description to restore confidence through Art Therapy.
3. Organisation Name	Glenburn Stroke & Disability Support Group
4. Amount Applied For	£2,730
5. Description Of Project	<p>Regaining confidence through art therapy project will run between July 2020 and June 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To restore confidence of group's members who are Stroke survivors, and anyone left with a disability from any medical, mental or natural reason • To improve their abilities i.e. ability to speak with others & improve speech, coordination improvements (hand-eye by drawing & painting) • To see they are not alone and there are others in a similar situation or worse & see how they manage • To get information and help about their disability through Chest, Heart & Stroke Scotland (CHSS) affiliation • To tackle loneliness and isolation by getting them out of the house for a couple of hours per week as this would often be their only contact with another person. <p>Prior to every session the group will start with refreshments and allow members to communicate with each other in a relaxed manner.</p> <p>Experienced art tutor will help each member to set up, offer advice on the subject they have chosen and understand the limits of the individuals.</p> <p>Hopefully it gives respite for couple of hours to carers, but mostly will help people with disability of any description to restore confidence through Art Therapy and socialise by being with other members in a class with similar problems.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Stroke survivors and anyone left with a disability from any medical, mental or natural reason & their carers will benefit from this project
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project fits best with the local priorities of isolation & loneliness and community assets as the group continues to meet & bring people with similar experiences together, make the most of the Glenburn Resource Centre and continue to increase their membership.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £3,730. The group is applying for £2,730 from Gleniffer Local Partnership for this project.

The group will balance the cost of art tutor of £1,000 through self-member fees.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Art tutor	£2,600	£1,600
Hall lets	£880	£880
Art materials	£250	£250

9. About The Organisation

Glenburn Stroke & Disability support group is affiliated to Chest, Heart & Stroke Scotland (CHSS).

The group was established in 2006 and has a charitable status.

The group has 1 part time employees, 5 volunteers and 11 members.

The aim of the group is to help gain/ regain confidence through Art Therapy in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere for stroke survivors and anyone left with a disability from any medical, mental or natural reason.

Its main activity areas are:

- Arts & Culture
- Health & Wellbeing
- Older People

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	n/a		
2018/19	n/a		
2017/18	LACs	£3,998	Glenburn Stroke & Disability Support group

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR1212
2. Project Name	Advancing Shopmobility in Renfrewshire
3. Organisation Name	Shopmobility Paisley and District
4. Amount Applied For	£1,357 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
The total amount applied for across 7 Local Partnerships is £9,500 (£1,357 from each LP)	
5. Description of Project	<p>The project will run between 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021.</p> <p>The purpose of the project is to ensure the sustainability of the mobility scooter and wheelchair service in Renfrewshire. The service provides access to a range of mobility aids to around 200 individuals tackling social isolation due to short- and long-term health issues. This supports residents to access facilities, appointments, shops and services.</p> <p>The project will focus on establishing an in-house servicing centre for the range of 14 scooters, 3 manual wheelchairs and one high function power chair (for advanced mobility disorder). This project will enable Shopmobility to ensure all equipment meets the legal safety standards, improve customer experience, enhance the long-term performance of the fleet and also create a cohort of skilled volunteer "Technician" opportunities.</p> <p>Feedback from people who use the service has indicated that they have suffered from social isolation and many only manage to get out of their house, with confidence, knowing that they can hire the equipment provided by the organisation. Many members do not have the luxury of being in a position to purchase their own scooter or wheelchair, as they are living on benefits. This service is therefore a life line.</p> <p>Major outcomes from the project will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complete refurbishment of groups front and back office functions, thus resulting in an improved environment for members, staff, volunteers alike• Improving service delivery by ensuring the office is more functional• Ensuring all equipment remains safe for service users who have mobility and health issues• Provision of up to date statistics• Creating and immediate response to equipment breakdowns• Improving utilisation of space• Creating a better environment for staff member and volunteers to operate within• Developing branding which will help in many different ways including marketing of the service across Renfrewshire
6. Who Benefits from The Project?	People with short- and long-term health and mobility issues across Renfrewshire will benefit from this project.
7. Fit with Local Partnership Priorities	

The project meets Gleniffer Local Partnership priority of isolation and loneliness as it helps people with impaired mobility to access activities by providing required equipment such as scooters and wheelchairs.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The group is applying for £1,357 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The total project cost is £10,000. The group is applying for £9,500 in total from 7 Local Partnerships. Shopmobility Paisley will pay £500 towards this project.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Hand Tools	£4,864	£4,864
Laptops, Software, Camera, Printers	£929	£929
Branded uniforms, branded floor mats, paint, painting labour costs	£4,207	£4,207

9. About the Organisation

Shopmobility Paisley is a company limited by guarantee and not having a share capital. It also has a charitable status (SC023852). It is based in Paisley and District area and was established in 1995.

The organisation aims to help persons with impaired mobility (permanent or temporary & due to physical, sensory or mental condition) to access shopping & other facilities by provision of equipment & volunteer escorts, absent distinction on basis of political, religious or other opinions. Promote integration into community. Comprehensive, confidential advice & information for persons with impaired mobility.

The organisation has 1 part time employee, 11 volunteers and 200 members.

Its main activity areas are older people and tackling inequalities.

10. Grant Funding Award History

	Grant name	Amount	Used for
2019/20	Local Partnership funding	£4,500	Purchase of 5 new scooters
2018/19	Local Area Committee	£1,200	Certificate of Employers Liability Insurance
2017/18			

Application For Local Partnership Support 2020-21

1. Reference	FR 1215
2. Project Name	Paisley and District U3A for You
3. Organisation Name	Paisley & District U3A
4. Amount Applied For	£700 from Gleniffer Local Partnership
<p>The group applied for £2,700 in total across 5 local partnerships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renfrew £500 • Paisley North West & Central £500 • Paisley East £500 • Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank £500 	
5. Description Of Project	<p>Paisley and District U3A for You project will take place between March 2020 and December 2020.</p> <p>In June the U3A UK wide is holding a communications day. Paisley & District want to celebrate this day and make known what your local U3A has to offer semi/retired Citizens. We want to highlight the amazing and diverse things that our members get up to and challenge preconceptions of what being an older adult means. We want to broaden the appeal of U3A to encourage wider participation across Paisley and District and in so doing reduce social isolation.</p> <p>During the last 6 months we have gained a number of new members who had only just heard about us from friends, through the local press or had been prescribed to attend by their GP. Several of our members wished they had come sooner as they had missed out on interesting talks, trips and group events.</p> <p>Whilst we had undertaken some promotion over the last 2 years there was clearly more required and an obvious need to attract more men to our organisation.</p> <p>The funding will give us an opportunity to expand our membership.</p> <p>It will give our existing members an opportunity to showcase their skills and explain the benefits of belonging to U3A.</p> <p>It will address social isolation for older people by inviting them to join our organisation and becoming involved in our diverse range of activities such as Garden Gang, Architecture and "On your Own" groups.</p> <p>We would like to put together a short promotional film to shown at our monthly meeting in June, following a pop-up event in Paisley town centre to celebrate U3A day.</p> <p>It will then be available on our website.</p>
6. Who Benefits From The Project?	Semi/ retired Renfrewshire citizens will benefit from the project.
7. Fit With Local Partnership Priorities	The project meets local priority of "isolation & loneliness" as it will address social isolation for

older people by inviting them to join our organisation and becoming involved in diverse range of activities such as Garden Gang, Architecture and “On your Own” groups.

8. Breakdown of Costs

The total cost of the project is £3,450. The group applied for £2,700 in total across 5 local partnerships. The group is applying for £700 from Gleniffer Local Partnership.

The rest of the project costs will be balanced from funds generated by group’s membership fees.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Promotional film	£1,500 - £2,000	£1,300
Pop up shop venue	£350	£350
Equipment: Laptop, hire of table and chairs, floor standing pull up banners	£700	£700
Printing and posters	£400	£250
Refreshments for pop up event	£200	£100

9. About The Organisation

Paisley & District U3A is an unincorporated club which was established in 2018.

The U3A motto is “Learn, Laugh, Live”. The aim is to help anyone Retired or Semi-Retired living in Paisley and District to learn for the fun of it, and so get more out of life.

The aim of the group is to reduce isolation by providing Interest Groups and monthly meetings with Guest speakers in a safe social environment – sharing knowledge, expertise and experience with others.

The group has 135 members and 20 volunteers.

10. Grant Funding Award History

The group has not received any funding from Renfrewshire Council in the last 3 financial years.



Local Partnership Grant Funding

A guide to the grant funding available from Local Partnerships and how to apply

Local Partnerships are a way for communities, elected members and public organisations to work together at a local level.

There are seven Local Partnerships in Renfrewshire, and they replaced Local Area Committees in 2018.

Each Local Partnership has agreed a set of Local Priorities, and each Partnership has grant funding they can allocate to support these priorities.

The aims of Local Partnerships are to:

- Make connections and networks between community groups and the wider community
- Identify, set and share local community priorities
- Listen to, consult and represent local communities
- Distribute grants to support local priorities

Grants available from Local Partnerships

The Local Partnerships consider applications and award grant funding that reflects their local priorities. The Local Partnerships look after grant funding streams that were previously overseen by Local Area Committees:

- the General Grant Fund;
- two Common Good Funds (Paisley Common Good and Renfrew Common Good); and
- the Youth Challenge Fund

It is strongly advised that organisations read this guidance before writing and submitting their applications.

You will find further information about each of these three funding streams and how to apply for them over the next few pages.

The most important thing to remember when applying for grant funding is to make sure you can contribute to at least one of the local priorities for the area you are applying to. It will be important to take time to find out about these priorities before applying. They are available [here](#).

Closing dates and timelines for applying for Local Partnership funding

7th February 2020

Applications for funding are invited

February/ March 2020

Local Partnership drop in sessions held

Applicants write their applications reflecting local priorities

9th March 2020

Closing date for submitting grant funding applications for consideration at April meetings

April/ May 2020

Local Partnerships make decisions to allocate funding from the General Grant Fund and Common Good Funds

From March 2020

Celebrating Renfrewshire - Participatory budgeting work takes place to allocate funding to youth projects

The Application Process

Read the Local Partnership Grant Funding Guidance and the Priorities for the Local Partnership area you are applying to.

Attend a drop in session if you would like to discuss the priorities, application process or alternative funding opportunities.

Fill in application, ensuring you address the relevant local priorities and submit to rcgrantapplications@renfrewshire.gov.uk, together with the relevant bank statement, accounts and constitution. The deadline for applications is 9th March 2020

Your application will be considered by the Local Partnership in April or May. Local Partnership meetings are public, so you are welcome to come along to the April or May meetings. You will not be required to attend, or expected to speak at the meeting.

Following the meeting, you will be informed whether your application was successful or not. If you are successful, you will be asked to agree the conditions of grant and payment arrangements will be made.

The Application Form

The standard Voluntary and Community Organisations Grant Application Form is used to apply for Local Partnership funding. The form is available [here](#) (under related documents) or please contact the Community Planning team on 0141 6184168 if you would like a paper copy sent to you.

The form has guidance notes in the right-hand column to help you with what information to put in each box. The notes below provide further information about how to make the best use of the application.

Section 1

This section is for you to tell us about your organisation and what you do. In section 1.13 you are asked about which Local Partnership area you are applying to and where your project will be operating. In section 1.13a you should tick the Local Partnership area you are applying for funding in. In 1.13b you should write which Local Partnership area(s) the project you are applying for will operate in. All applications will be treated as an individual application by each Local Partnership. In this way, your activity needs to be viable as a project in each Local Partnership area it is applying to. If you are applying for funding from more than one Local Partnership area, you will either need to make sure your one application covers at least one priority from each of the Local Partnership areas applied to, or submit separate applications tailored to the priorities of each Local Partnership area applied to. If you are submitting one application to cover more than one Local Partnership area, you will need to make it clear how much funding is being asked for from each Local Partnership. This is covered in section 2.

Section 2

This section is an opportunity to tell us about the project you would like funding for. It is very important that you use this section to explain how you will address the priorities identified by your Local Partnership. These sections will be made public through the summary reports at the Local Partnership meetings. You should provide a good description of your project in this section highlighting clearly which priorities it will address. This is information that the Local Partnership Meeting will use to decide on your application. If you are using one application to apply to more than one Local Partnership, you need to write the name of the Local Partnership applied to next to the amount requested from that Local Partnership in section 2.10.

Section 3

This section is to make sure that you have included all the necessary supporting paperwork. Your application cannot be considered until you submit all of the correct paperwork.

Section 4

If you are filling in a paper copy of the form to post, you can sign this section of the form. If you are doing the form online, a signature can be taken at a later date.

General Grant Fund

The General Grant Fund provides grants of up to £10,000. The grants are open to constituted local community, voluntary organisations and Community Planning Partners. The fund is intended to develop local activities and projects within Local Partnership areas. The total amount of General Grant funding available is slightly different in each of the seven Local Partnership areas, because funding is allocated to Local Partnerships based on their population. Activities are expected to reflect the different priorities and needs in each of the seven areas.

Eligibility Criteria

Who can and cannot apply?

- Any community or voluntary organisation with a constitution and a bank account can apply. Any organisation applying should be accountable to its members.
- Community Planning Partners can submit applications for funding, but Council services cannot. Community Planning partners should not submit applications for projects that are regarded as core functions.
- If your application is for an individual, it will not be considered.
- Your application should contribute towards at least one of the Local Partnership's key priorities. These were established by Partnerships at their March 2019 meetings and have been developed further since. Projects should be able to demonstrate real benefit to the local area by improving or complementing existing service provision.
- Organisations that work across Renfrewshire, or in a number of Local Partnership areas, can apply, but only for projects or activities which support an area's priorities, and are delivered in that area specifically.
- You cannot apply for costs of activities that have already happened.
- You cannot apply for your total running costs. You can apply to part fund running costs though.
- The General Grant Fund will very occasionally support applications to fund activities such as day trips and lunches, but only when they provide an additional community benefit (for example tackling loneliness and isolation).
- The General Grant Fund will not support projects that exist mainly to further religious or political beliefs.

- Your application must encourage equality of opportunity.
- You cannot apply to fund either a trip abroad or hospitality to other organisations.
- If you receive a grant from the General Grant Fund, it must usually be spent within this financial year.
- General Grant Fund awards are one-off and are not intended to provide ongoing funding for the same or similar activities on an annual basis.
- If you are successful in your application, you must accept and comply with the grant conditions. It is also expected that you report back on the impact the project has had once the funds are spent.
- You should plan how you will sustain your organisation, once funding from the General Grant Fund has been used.
- You cannot use the funding for events to raise funds for other charities
- You cannot use the funding to cover your Community Councils' running costs above those funded by its administration grant from the Council.
- You should provide evidence of partnership working, where applicable.

What types of activities or projects can and cannot be funded?

Activities or projects must contribute to at least one of the key priorities identified by the Local Partnership. The fund can support a variety of projects and activities. This can include supporting people back into employment; supporting young people; supporting community safety activity; supporting healthier lifestyles; tackling poverty in disadvantaged areas; and promoting equality within local areas.

These types of activities can cover an array of different projects. Examples include:

- Refurbishment of community facilities such as decorating or improving the layout of a room for community use.
- Enhancing or creating community gardens for recreational areas.
- Community events such as gala days.
- Projects that raise awareness of healthy eating and help people change eating habits.
- Projects that promote positive mental health issues.
- After school clubs that encourage development e.g. homework clubs,
- Leadership and team working skills for group members.

Common Good Funds

Common Good is funding generated from an investment portfolio where the annual income is used to support local projects. There are Common Good funds in both Renfrew and Paisley, which are distributed through the Local Partnership. In Paisley, the fund is split across the three Local Partnerships, based on the population of each area.

The general eligibility criteria for the common good funds are the same as for the General Grant Fund, although there is no specific maximum award. The main difference is that the Common Good Funds are charities and so any projects funded through the common good funds must meet their charitable objectives (the advancement of civic responsibility or community development) to benefit people in Renfrew or Paisley.

Former Youth Challenge Fund

The Youth Challenge Fund was allocated using participatory budgeting for the first time in 2019/20 and became known as “Celebrating Renfrewshire – By Young People, For Young People.” This was the first year that young people decided directly which youth projects should be funded. It is expected that this fund will be allocated in the same way this year. This funding round will be launched separately.

Further Information

Drop in sessions will be held across the Local Partnership areas. These are not specifically to address any funding concerns, but may be useful if you would like to find out more about local priorities and give your input on Local Partnerships more generally.

Any queries or applications should be directed to rcgrantapplications@renfrewshire.gov.uk or call the Community Planning Team on 0141 6184168.

Frequently Asked Questions

How will funding award decisions be made?

The members of the Local Partnership in each area will make a decision on each funding application, guided by an assessment of whether the application has met the local priorities. Remember to base your application on the local priorities of the Partnership area you are applying to. Priorities are linked [here](#)

How do I apply?

Fill in a standard grant application form on the Renfrewshire Council web site. You can do this electronically and email it in or send in a completed paper copy. You should make sure you have understood what the local priorities are for the area you are applying to before completing your application.

When is the deadline for applications?

The deadline will be 9th March 2020 for consideration at the April/ May meetings.

What happens to my application after it is submitted?

Your application and documents will be checked and then stored on the Council system. A summary of your application will be prepared to include in the papers for the relevant Local Partnership meeting. If there are any queries or clarifications needed about your application, you will be contacted before the Local Partnership papers are prepared.

When will I hear back?

You will hear back after the meeting of the Local Partnership has made a decision. The decisions will be made during the April/ May 2020 cycle of meetings. Local Partnership meetings are public, so you are welcome to come along to the meetings. You will not be required to attend or expected to speak at the meeting.

How much money can I apply for?

You can apply for a maximum of £10,000 from the General Grant Fund. If you are applying for Common Good funding, there is not specific maximum limit – but remember Common Good funding is only available in Paisley and Renfrew.

Who can apply?

Any community or voluntary organisation with a constitution and a bank account can apply. Any organisation applying should be accountable to its members. Council services will not be able to apply for funding. The wider community planning partners will be able to apply, if their project aligns with local priorities.

Can I apply to fund Christmas lights?

Unfortunately, Renfrewshire Council has very limited capacity for any further installation, storage and maintenance of Christmas lighting. If you wish to submit an application which

would require additional Council resources, you should discuss this with Council officers prior to submitting your application.

[We work across Renfrewshire, can we apply?](#)

You can apply to one or more Local Partnership. The project you are applying for, must be for the benefit of people who live in that area and the project must align with the local priorities for that area. You should focus on the areas where your project aligns most with the local priorities. You could also think about where your project is based or where most of the people using or otherwise involved in the project will be based. It might align with more than one Local Partnership area. If you do want to apply to more than one Local Partnership area, you will need to either submit separate applications or make it very clear which information applies to which Local Partnership.

[What is happening to 'multi LAC' applications?](#)

All applications will be treated as an individual application by each Local Partnership. In this way, your activity needs to be viable as a project in each Local Partnership area it is applying to. If you are applying for funding from more than one Local Partnership area, you will either need to make sure your one application covers at least one priority from each of the Local Partnership areas applied to, or submit separate applications tailored to the priorities of each Local Partnership area applied to. If you are submitting one application to cover more than one Local Partnership area, you will need to make it clear:

- How your project will specifically benefit people in each Local Partnership area applied to, and
- how much funding is being asked for from each Local Partnership.

[Is it the same process as the old LAC funding applications?](#)

There are some differences. Local Partnership grant applications must be based on the priorities for that Local Partnership area. The Youth Challenge fund decisions will be made by local young people and so follow a different process to take place later in the year.

[Is the total amount of funding the same as the old LAC funding?](#)

Yes, the total amount of funding is the same. It is still based on the population of each area, but now split between the seven Local Partnerships, rather than the five former LACs.

[What happens if money is not allocated by the end of the financial year?](#)

Where all available grant funding within a financial year is not fully committed, the balance can be carried forward only where a specific project for the forthcoming financial year has been identified and approved by the Local Partnership. This gives the Local Partnership the flexibility to set aside a proportion of its current year grant for use on a specific project the following year.

It is not intended that this year-end flexibility would be applied to carry forward a general underspend of available grant for which no specific purpose has been identified or approved.

What happens if organisations that are members of Local Partnerships apply for funding?

Organisations that are members of a Local Partnership can still apply to that Local Partnership, but they will not be allowed to speak to the application at the decision meeting and will not be allowed to vote on their own application.

If I am unsuccessful, where can I find other sources of funding?

There are other sources of funding for community groups and people who can help you in accessing it or building your capacity more broadly. Engage Renfrewshire can be found at <https://www.engagerenfrewshire.com/> or by telephone on 0141 887 7707. The Invest in Renfrewshire Communities Team can be contacted by email on Econdev.community@renfrewshire.gov.uk, via their web page www.investinrenfrewshire.com/communities or by telephone on 0300 300 1180.