

Notice of Meeting and Agenda

Local Partnership - Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank

Date	Time	Venue
Thursday, 11 May 2023	18:00	Remotely by MS Teams,

MARK CONAGHAN
Head of Corporate Governance

Membership

Councillor Airlie-Nicholson; Neil Barrington (Langbank Community Council); Councillor Campbell; Jacqueline Doherty (Langbank Parent Partnership); Councillor Leishman; Councillor James MacLaren; Councillor McCulloch; Margaret Morrison (Inchinnan Community Council); Councillor Mullin; Councillor Nicolson; Jacqui Reid (Erskine Development Trust); Hayden Sutherland (Bishopton Community Development Trust); David Woodrow (Bishopton Community Council)

Chair

Councillor Campbell. Chair

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Items of business

Apologies

Apologies from members.

Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare an interest in any item(s) on the agenda and to provide a brief explanation of the nature of the interest.

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| 1 | Minute of Previous Meeting | 1 - 6 |
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| 4 | Date of Next Meeting | |
| | Members are asked to note that the next meeting of the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership is scheduled to be held on 7 September 2023 at 6.00pm | |

Minute of Meeting

Local Partnership - Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank

Date	Time	Venue
Thursday, 16 February 2023	18:00	Microsoft Teams Meeting,

PRESENT

Councillor Fiona Airlie-Nicolson; Councillor Michelle Campbell; Jacqueline Doherty (Langbank Parent Partnership); Councillor Alec Leishman; Councillor James MacLaren; Margaret Morrison (Inchinnan Development Trust); and Councillor Iain Nicolson.

CHAIR

Councillor Campbell, Chair, presided.

ALSO PRESENT

A McNiven and A McBride (both Engage Renfrewshire); G Heaney, J Kennedy, P Moss and R Smith, (all Renfrewshire Council).

IN ATTENDANCE

A Armstrong-Walter, Strategic Partnership & Inequalities Manager and P Shiach, Senior Committee Services Officer (both Renfrewshire Council).

RECORDING OF MEETING

Prior to the commencement of the meeting, the Chair intimated that this meeting of the Local Partnership would be recorded and that the recording would be available to watch on the Council's website.

APOLOGIES

Councillors McCulloch and Mullin.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

Councillor Campbell declared an interest in item 6 of the agenda – Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report - as she was the Chair of the Board of Erskine Arts. Councillor Campbell indicated that as she had declared an interest, she would leave the meeting and take no part in any discussion or voting thereon.

TRANSPARANCY STATEMENT

Councillor Nicolson indicated that he had a connection to item 6 of the agenda - Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report — as he was a member of the Inchinnan Development Trust. However, he indicated that he had applied the objective test and did not consider he had an interest to declare and intimated that it was his intention to remain in the meeting and to take part in any discussion or voting thereon.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

The Chair intimated that in order to facilitate the business of the meeting she intended to take item 7, Date of Next Meeting of the agenda prior to item 6. Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report of the agenda.

1 MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

There was submitted the Minute of the meeting of Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership held on 10 November 2022.

DECIDED: That the Minute be approved.

2 INCHINNAN DEVELOPMENT TRUST UPDATE

The Convener proposed that in light of the number of members not in attendance, that this item be continued to a future meeting of the Local Partnership. This was agreed unanimously.

DECIDED: That this item be continued to a future meeting of the Local Partnership.

3 RENFREWSHIRE PLAN FOR NET ZERO

The Convener proposed that in light of the number of members not in attendance, that this item be continued to a future meeting of the Local Partnership. This was agreed unanimously.

DECIDED: That this item be continued to a future meeting of the Local Partnership.

4a **WINTER CONNECTIONS**

A Armstrong-Walter, Chief Executive's Service, gave a verbal update on the Winter Connections Programme and provided information on the network of local places who had received funding to connect people to others in their community the winter. She advised that hosts were asked to sign up to Winter Connections principles, and support was provided to all host organisations and a range of activities had been undertaken including seniors' bingo, exercise classes, croche classes and film nights. She further indicated that 33 projects in the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership area had received funding, and most of the funding provided by the Council's Leadership Board had been allocated.

In addition, a programme of activities across the Library Network had been run by OneRen, and targeted advice had been provided in a number of the Winter Connections Library locations, in recognition of the increased level of need in terms of the cost-of-living crisis.

An update was provided on the activities undertaken in Erskine and Bishopton Libraries and activities being undertaken by Erskine Arts at the Erskine Sports Centre.

DECIDED: That the update be noted.

4b **YOUDECIDE**

G Heaney, Environment and Infrastructure, provided a verbal update relative to You Decide Results on the participatory budgeting exercise across Renfrewshire and detailed the successful projects for the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership area.

The initiative gave communities a key role in deciding their priorities for environmental and physical infrastructure improvements to be undertaken throughout Renfrewshire over the next three years via a Community Investment Fund of £1.2million. The fund was split across 16 local areas and as many projects as possible had been funded until all the money had been allocated. As a result of the engagement initiatives, over 2800 proposals/ideals were submitted.

The successful projects for YouDecide had been announced and information for those in the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership area was provided.

Initiatives funded were: -

Erskine - Creation of ramps at either side of the existing steps at Holms Crescent to aid pedestrians with mobility issues; the upgrade of the Clyde Walkway Path from Newshot Drive around the river and create additional seating at the waterfront; and the installation of lighting on the link path between Bellfield View and Linburn Road;

Bishopton – Engagement with the local community to carry out roundabout improvements in the village; installation of a tarmac path and seating area along one side of the grass area on Ferry Road in front of West Porton Farm, and install outdoor exercise equipment on Churchill Drive Park;

Inchinnan – Installation of additional lighting columns around Inchinnan Park to provide lighting around the play area, installation of lighting columns on the path between Braemar Road and Old Greenock Road bus stop, installation of a gate from Inch path as required, alterations to Inchinnan Playing Fields carpark to allow direct access from the park and upgrade the path as required, resurface the footpath leading from Broompark Drive to Inchinnan Primary School, design and install interpretation boards at points of local interest around Inchinnan following engagement with the local community, and install seating and pedestrian cycle route at the A8 Greenock Road; and

Langbank - Contribution towards installing new items of play equipment at Station Road park; and upgrade the path along Langbank Playing fields to the train station.

DECIDED: That the update be noted.

4c **COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING**

A McBride, Engage Renfrewshire, provided a verbal update on Community Healthy and Wellbeing.

The Local Partnership was advised that the Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund second year of funding was now underway, and that the majority of funding had been distributed.

It was indicated that Engage Renfrewshire had received more applications for funding in the second year, 90 applications had been received and 59 groups had received awards. For Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership, this equated to five awards totalling £32,000.

Information was provided on the network which had been set up last year as part of the Community Mental Health and Wellbeing project and which was being further developed this year to ensure further promotion of the activities being undertaken. The network was made up of funded groups funded from both Engage Renfrewshire and the Renfrewshire Health & Social Care Partnership, and encouragement was being given to social proscribers from across Renfrewshire to join the network. Members were invited to submit the names of any groups they were aware of to join the network. She advised that this was the last year of funding, and she encouraged groups to potentially work together in future to hare resources to enable the work currently being undertaken to continue when the funding comes to an end.

DECIDED: That the report be noted.

5 **UPDATE FROM COMMUNITY LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT TEAM**

There was submitted a verbal update by J Kennedy, Senior Community Development Officer, Communities & Housing relative to the activities of the Community Learning & Development Team.

Information was provided information on Alice.org, a local information system for Scotland which was also used by Engage Renfrewshire and provided information on local organisations and events, green spaces funding, parks and plat areas and villages investment fund. He outlined the projects in the Local Partnership area which had benefited from funding.

The Senior Community Development Officer also indicated that the Celebrating Renfrewshire Team was looking for young people aged 12 to 25 to form a steering group to look at activities for young people in the area. Street Stuff would also be involved in event in the coming months.

DECIDED: That the update be noted.

6 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The Chair advised that the next meeting of the Partnership was scheduled for 11 May 2023.

In response to a request by Councillor MacLaren to hold the meeting in person, the Chair indicated that she would email all members to ascertain their preference and would abide by the wishes of the majority. This was agreed.

DECIDED:

(a) That it be noted that the next meeting of the Partnership would be held on 11 May 2023; and

(b) That it be agreed that members of the Partnership be contacted by email to establish their preference for either a remote (Teams) or in-person meeting.

SEDERUNT

Councillor Campbell, having previously declared an interest in the following item of business, left the meeting.

Councillor Nicolson assumed the chair in the absence of the Depute Chair.

7 **ERSKINE, INCHINNAN, BISHOPTON & LANGBANK LOCAL PARTNERSHIP BUDGET MONITORING REPORT**

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive relative to funding to community groups to undertake projects. The funding was allocated from the General Grant Fund and, through a Participating Budgeting exercise known as Celebrating Renfrewshire.

A table setting out the funds allocated by Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership in 2022/23 and current budget position was attached as an appendix to the report.

The report advised that the June 2022 meeting, three projects (FR1075 Inchinnan Development Trust, FR1126 Right2Dance and FR1083 Erskine Arts) were awarded funding that was ringfenced subject to additional information. Following submission of this additional information, the meeting held on 10 November 2022 agreed to release the ringfenced funding to these three projects.

Additional feedback on projects funded in 2021/22 was received since the November 2022 meeting from Inchinnan Development Trust and Paisley and District Boys Brigade and was included at Appendix 2.

The report intimated that applications to the 2023/24 round of Local Partnership awards would be open for 6 weeks from Friday 24 February to Sunday 9 April 2023. Updated guidance would be issued to applicants, with opportunities to attend support sessions to advise applicants and answer any queries about the process. Applications would be submitted to the May 2023 round of Local Partnership meetings for decisions on awards.

DECIDED:

(a) That the budget monitoring report 2022/23 be noted; and

(b) That the additional feedback from 2021/23 projects received since November 2022 be noted.



To: Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership

On: 11th May 2022

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report

1. Summary

- 1.1 Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership provides funding to community groups to undertake projects. This funding is allocated from the General Grant Fund and, through a Participating Budgeting exercise known as Celebrating Renfrewshire.
- 1.2 A table setting out the funds allocated by Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership in 2022/23 and current budget position is attached as an appendix to this report.
- 1.3 Feedback from projects receiving funding in 2022/23 on the outcome of projects is also attached.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 It is recommended that the budget monitoring report and feedback from recipients of funding in 2022/23 be noted.

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report 2022/23

General Grant Fund	£43,639.00(net of Members expenses)
Total funding available in 2022/23	£43,639.00
Total funding awarded in 2022/23	£43,639.00
Available Funding	£0

Grant Ref	Organisation	Awarded	Paid
FR1062	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	£1,430.00	£1,430.00
FR1067	SNACK	£7,285.00	£7,285.00
FR1071	Rainbow Turtle	£500.00	£500.00
FR1075	Inchinnan Development Trust (IDT)	£10,000.00	£10,000.00
FR1083	Erskine Arts	£6,980.00	£6,980.00
FR1089	Shopmobility Paisley & District	£645.00	£645.00
FR1118	Bonnie Bishopton	£5,000.00	£5,000.00
FR1126	right2dance	£5,670.00	£5,670.00
FR1149	Inchinnan community council	£3,100.00	£3,100.00
FR1176	Erskine New Interest Group	£2,000.00	£2,000.00
	Erskine Arts	£514.50	
	Langbank Village Centre	£514.50	

Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund	£20,288.00
Carry forward from 2021/22	£13,143.00
Total funding available in 2022/23	£33,431.00
Total funding awarded in 2022/23	£31,731.00
Available funding	£1,700.00

Grant Ref	Organisation	Awarded	Paid	Still To Be Paid
CE1010	Bungalow Enterprise	£2,550.00	£2,550.00	
CE1015	Erskine Arts	£2,860.00	£2,860.00	
CE1024	Lamont Farm Project	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	
CE1031	Pace Theatre Company	£3,000.00		£3,000.00
CE1035	Paisley Pirates Supporters Club	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	
CE1043	Renfrew Town Sea Scouts	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	
CE1046	Renfrewshire Carers Centre	£1,715.00	£1,715.00	
CE1008	Blue Triangle Housing Association	£2,906.00	£2,906.00	
CE1021	I was Gonnae	£2,200.00	£2,200.00	
CE1027	Loud n Proud	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	
CE1032	Pachedu	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	
CE1054	Who Cares? Scotland	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	

22/23 Local Partnership Feedback

1.1	Organisation Name	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank														
2.1	Project Name	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank														
2.2	Total Amount Received	£6,747.20														
2.3	What priorities did you tell us your project would meet? Education and learning Health and wellbeing Tackling inequalities Arts and culture Children and young people															
2.4	<p>What did you want to do with the money & what did you spend it on? (was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain).</p> <p>We provided new toys and gifts for children and young people living in Renfrewshire via a referral system for birthdays and Christmas as well as distributing Easter eggs and Halloween costumes. Working with various referral agencies, local businesses, groups and charities; The Renfrewshire Toy Bank reduces financial strain for local parents and carers, tackling inequalities. All toys and gifts are new and of a high quality reducing any stigma, enabling families to give to children the same as their peers in a dignified manner. We cover all areas of Renfrewshire and work in partnerships to help ensure we reach as many local children as possible that need our support.</p> <p>Without the support of local partnership funding The Renfrewshire Toy Bank could not operate. As the need for the toy bank grows so do our costs. Below is a summary on how our funding was spent:</p> <table><tr><td>Storage</td><td>£1,092.80</td></tr><tr><td>Toys and gifts</td><td>£1,785.63</td></tr><tr><td>Gift cards</td><td>£1,600.00</td></tr><tr><td>Halloween</td><td>£358.46</td></tr><tr><td>Easter</td><td>£1,952.50</td></tr><tr><td>Total</td><td>£6,789.39</td></tr><tr><td>Budget</td><td>£6,747.20</td></tr></table>		Storage	£1,092.80	Toys and gifts	£1,785.63	Gift cards	£1,600.00	Halloween	£358.46	Easter	£1,952.50	Total	£6,789.39	Budget	£6,747.20
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3.1	<p>How many people benefitted from/accessed your project? (If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your project reached in each Local Partnership area)</p> <p>Total – over 9,045* RENFREWSHIRE OVERALL</p> <p>Easter eggs – 4,267 *please note our easter campaign has not ended yet and this figure could rise</p> <p>Halloween 2022 – 707 costumers</p> <p>Christmas – 2,838 gift packages and £9,000 on gift cards</p> <p>Birthdays – 1,233 toys and gifts *please note that birthday referrals are ongoing and this number will rise</p>															

	<p>EASTER EGGS REFERRALS 2023</p> <p>Paisley North West and Central and Paisley East– 1528 *these figures and merged due to Paisley Social Workers covering both areas</p> <p>Linwood and Johnstone – 1040</p> <p>Glennifer – 724</p> <p>Erskine ,Bishopton, Inchinnan and Langbank – 413</p> <p>Renfrew – 308</p> <p>The Villages - 254</p> <p>CHRISTMAS REFERRALS 2022</p> <p>Paisley North West and Central and Paisley East – 939 *these figures and merged due to Paisley Social Workers covering both areas</p> <p>Linwood and Johnstone – 690</p> <p>Glennifer -377</p> <p>Erskine, Bishopton, Inchinnan and Langbank– 231</p> <p>Renfrew – 475</p> <p>The Villages - 126</p>
3.2	<p>How did your project benefit people in the community? (What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants)</p> <p>Thousands of parents and carers were able to gift their children with without the children knowing where the presents had come from. This dignified response helps not only financially but mentally, taking off pressure for local families. The same approach applies to Halloween and Easter, again ensuring we can reach as many areas as possible. Our gift card appeal allows young people to have a choice, something we believe strongly in and want to always include teenagers who can often be a challenging age to buy for. Organising the appeals also takes a huge pressure off of many third sector organisations that can refer to the Toy Bank such as Pals of the Privies, Glenburn Stronger Communities, EBI Unites, The STAR Project, Homestart, Who Cares? Scotland, The SPACE Project, Family Nurse Partnership etc. With children learning through play, the toy bank helps to provide educational gifts supporting with learning and creativity.</p> <p>The Toy Bank also offers a range of volunteer opportunities to the community allowing people to share their skills, time and knowledge. Working with local schools to support Duke of Edinburgh awards.</p>

1.1	Organisation Name	Shopmobility Paisley and District
2.1	Project Name	Shopmobility
2.2	Total Amount Received	£2,395
2.3	<p>What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?</p> <p>Health and Wellbeing Tackling social isolation to promote health Supporting Social connections Isolation and Loneliness</p>	
2.4	<p>What did you want to do with the money & what did you spend it on? (was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain).</p> <p>Grant funds were put towards purchases of 2 scooters, 2 wheelchairs and 2 scooter covers.</p> <p>We purchased 2 wheelchairs outright as well as 2 scooter covers. The remaining balance was enough to go towards the purchase of 1 mobility scooter.</p>	
3.1	<p>How many people benefitted from/accessed your project? (If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your project reached in each Local Partnership area)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank - Paisley North West Central - Paisley East - Gleniffer 	
3.2	<p>How did your project benefit people in the community? (What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants)</p> <p>We achieved all of the priorities, and these are all part of our strategic intentions: Health and Wellbeing Tackling social isolation to promote health Supporting Social connections Isolation and Loneliness</p> <p>This equipment has helped hundreds of people with disabilities and mobility issues hire free or low-cost equipment to get them out of their house or residential setting. Even post pandemic, we know many of our members are still hesitant to go out and lack confidence.</p> <p>Our role has been to connect with our members and let them know we have existing and new equipment to enable them to be independent and make choices to improve their life and health options. We've had over 500 hires of this equipment over the course of the year and our membership has increased which is a positive as more people are utilising the service.</p> <p>We surveyed members who hired equipment and the findings are noted below:</p> <p>100% told us they would lose their independence if we were unable to provide our service 100% said they would require support to look after their care needs 64% wouldn't be able to care for their family 98% confirmed their condition would significantly worsen 97% would be less connected and lonely/isolated</p> <p>It's clear from the above data that our members do benefit greatly from our service, which you have invested in and we and our members sincerely appreciate this. Enabling and connecting with people is essential and our role in this is to ensure that those with disabilities and mobilities are able to join other funded projects or just get out and do whatever they need by offering them choice. Our belief is that we should not forget about those who struggle with disabilities or mobility issues.</p>	

1.1	Organisation Name	INCHINNAN DEVELOPMENT TRUST LTD
2.1	Project Name	India Tyres playing fields – utility connections
2.2	Total Amount Received	£10,000
2.3	What priorities did you tell us your project would meet? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment	
2.4	What did you want to do with the money & what did you spend it on? (was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain). IDT has not been permitted to undertake any works at India tyres playing fields until the Community Asset Transfer paperwork has been completed. Unforeseen delays have pushed our electricity and water connections work back until the lease is signed, which is expected to be completed before the end of May 2023. No monies have been spent from this grant yet but will be fully spent when the works commence.	
3.1	How many people benefitted from/accessed your project? (If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your project reached in each Local Partnership area) n/a	
3.2	How did your project benefit people in the community? (What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants) n/a	

1.1	Organisation Name	Bonnie Bishopton
2.1	Project Name	Christmas Lights
2.2	Total Amount Received	£5,000
2.3	<p>What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?</p> <p>To procure Christmas lights for the village of Bishopton which will achieve equity across the towns and villages of Renfrewshire.</p> <p>To give our village an identity and promote ownership and pride amongst our villagers.</p> <p>To reduce social isolation by encouraging chat amongst our generations whilst out walking through the village.</p> <p>To achieve the feeling of community empowerment by the involvement in local participatory budgeting resulting in this much longed for aim to brighten our village at Christmas time.</p>	
2.4	<p>What did you want to do with the money & what did you spend it on? (was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain).</p> <p>To purchase 20 lighting columns at £500 each column which is £10,000. We were given £5000 which purchased 10 columns and we received a further £5000 from the village fund to cover the other £5,000 resulting in the purchase of 20 columns as requested.</p>	
3.1	<p>How many people benefitted from/accessed your project?</p> <p>(If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your project reached in each Local Partnership area)</p> <p>Our entire village population including Dargavel residents benefitted from this project. The children going to and from school and activities. The villagers out walking through the village. The people travelling to and from work cheered by the Christmas lights on dark mornings. The local traders as people perhaps stopped to view Christmas lights. The village became a beacon of festive spirit and light which cheered everyone in a difficult winter period.</p> <p>When the first lights went up everyone was talking so positively about it.</p>	
3.2	<p>How did your project benefit people in the community?</p> <p>(What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants)</p> <p>By turning on the Christmas lights event was absolutely full with families and all generations within the village, where they enjoyed carol singing and mince pies and hot drinks, a tremendous turn out of support and gratitude from the villagers. It marked the start of the Christmas festivities. They brought young and old together enjoying the brightness of our lights and hopefully reducing social isolation.</p> <p>Finally, our village achieved equity in line with all the Renfrewshire residents. A tremendous sense of ownership, pride and well-being became evident across the village. Bonnie Bishopton Facebook page was completely inundated by thanks and gratitude on the first day the lights were lit. It was an incredible response. People stopped us in the street to say thank you to Bonnie Bishopton members. Local traders were absolutely delighted and grateful to see the village lit up. Resident felt empowered at being involved in local funding issues and achieving their wishes. Community council feedback was tremendously positive from our residents.</p>	

1.1	Organisation Name	INCHINNAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL
2.1	Project Name	BRIGHTER INCHINNAN – START UP COSTS
2.2	Total Amount Received	£3,100
2.3	<p>What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?</p> <p>ICC formed a voluntary group of residents whose aim is to make Inchinnan look brighter and more welcoming with flowers and plants. Residents have been asking ICC for years about the lack of flowers and plants compared with other villages. ICC and IDT together have come up with 8 volunteers to create the new club of planters to make a start in 2022/23.</p>	
2.4	<p>What did you want to do with the money & what did you spend it on? (was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain).</p> <p>We spent the money on railing planters to hang on the railings in the village, filled them with soil and plants that will come up each season. We also bought free standing planters and placed them strategically around the village, being sure not to block any of our narrow pavements. These planters were also filled with soil and plants.</p>	
3.1	<p>How many people benefitted from/accessed your project? (If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your project reached in each Local Partnership area)</p> <p>There were 6 people involved with acting on the first stage of the project, which was to select and order the goods. A further 4 people were involved with the manual labour of sitting and planting the goods. And the whole village enjoys the visual improvement the planters have already brought to Inchinnan.</p>	
3.2	<p>How did your project benefit people in the community? (What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants)</p> <p>We successfully created a community club focused on flowers and plants to enhance the village experience for residents and visitors.</p> <p>We successfully included anyone from the village who wished to be involved with flowers and plants. We met the need raised by residents as to the village not having any planters, so the introduction of flowers and plants has been very welcomed.</p> <p>Inchinnan residents care a lot about village identity, so this club gives residents the opportunity to come together to create a brighter place for everyone to enjoy.</p>	

CR 22/23 feedback

Organisation Name: Erskine Arts

Local Partnership Area Covered: • Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank

Project Name: Media Skills Development & Gaming Drop-In

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £2,860.00

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Employability and life skills
- Culture

What did you want the money to do?

We planned to provide free industry-standard media training to young people across Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank as well as have improved drop-in services for young people who'd like to come along and make new friends in a safe, supportive and inclusive environment. We wanted to train young people to be able to utilise video editing skills either in their personal lives or to pursue further education or a career utilising these skills. Providing a games console for our users created another branch of social inclusion we would have not been able to have provided if not for this fun. Gaming much like music is a great way for young people to come together and has proved a major draw for young people who would regularly spend their Friday evenings alone at home. A purchase of a standard recording interface was planned to allow our membership to record audio and music that they are written as well as learn skills within the recording field.

What did you spend it on?

We purchased an Apple Mac Mini capable of large-scale video editing as well as accessories such as a keyboard/monitor/mouse. We also purchased a Nintendo Switch with controllers and a selection of

games requested by the young people. We purchased a recording interface with appropriate software for music and audio recording and mixing.

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

Although our attendance at our Friday Drop-In is a shared mixture of young people there to play music as well as video games, we have reached a combined number of 407 instances of young people since receiving the fund. Our 'Crew' group that utilises our media equipment on a regular basis has seen 179 individual instances of young people attending since our fund. We also have a core group of users who specifically use our media equipment for their own projects or to gain more skills with our staff helping them. We have between 5-10 young people regularly learning skills and hands-on experience with the equipment purchased with this fund.

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

Young people in our community and wider locality do not have access to the same level of equipment for free access as we go now due to this project and grant offer. Anyone can now use our media facilities to learn skills in visual and audio editing for no charge. These sorts of skills development are often only something made available in further education, or a paid course. These skills are vital in life, video editing, for example, can be used in any industry for any manner of things, all businesses advertise and with the always increasing rise and prominence of social

media both in our personal and professional lives being able to edit media clips together is going to be an essential skill for most young people growing up. Our drop-in sessions have been more popular than we could have anticipated. This is in part of us receiving funding for a games console which has brought youths together from different backgrounds to have fun and socialise whilst playing games.

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

Our strong numbers since receiving funding have been a great indication of the success and impact of the project - with the recent drop in numbers exceeding 50 young people during one session we know there is a great need for this facility in our local community. We are currently recording a short video where you will hear from the young people themselves on why this fund and subsequent grant offer has been a great success and impact for members of our local community.

Organisation Name: I Was Gonae

Local Partnership Area Covered • Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank

Project Name: Musical Experience

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £7200

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Mental and physical wellbeing

What did you want the money to do?

Provide a musical experience for young people who may come from disadvantaged background or have mental health and well being issues. Our objective is to take them through a 4 week programme which encourages participation collaboration and teamwork. They are taught how music is constructed with a professional musician and eventually they produce a song which belongs to them. They have decided the theme, rhythm, lyrics beats etc. More importantly they have learned a number of skills along the way that we hope will lead to further support or employment, further education or apprenticeships

What did you spend it on?

The money has not yet been fully spent as the project will not complete to mid April. The funding assisted with Administration, production costs equipment supply, Staff costs for delivery and associated expenses. We have been contracted to provide 3 Projects in the region. One is complete , the other starts next week and the final one starts at the end of March

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

Already approximately 20 people with a further 8 to 10 due to take part in the final session

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

It allows them to understand they can achieve something they never thought possible. They come out of their shell through the love of music. They interact with others and contribute in a team environment. Their confidence and self worth is improved all of this helps Well being and mental health

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

Feedback forms and Photographs of the participants

Organisation Name: Paisley Pirates Supporters Club

Local Partnership Area Covered: Gleniffer

Project Name: Paisley Pirates Junior Development

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £9000

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Mental and physical wellbeing

What did you want the money to do?

We wanted to establish and provide all equipment for a Junior Development section within the Paisley Pirates umbrella for youths under 19 and beyond.

What did you spend it on?

We fully kitted out 20 under 19 youths to take part in both training sessions and fully fledged games. This consisted of skates, pads, gloves, shorts and shirts for training and games and new helmets and sticks. We also provided all required accessories e.g. water bottles, stick tape, leg tape, face visors and cages. There can be high turnover of equipment due to sticks breaking and the players are still growing so replacements are often required. We also provided tracksuits for the players to give them a sense of identity. Due to the funding, we were able to play within our home rink and pay associated fees and licenses for both training and games and entry fees to competitions.

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

Originally 20 under 19-year-olds but they are also feeding into the under 16 age group. One young person has been chosen to represent Team GB in Riga, Yugoslavia this summer. We are now preparing for a further under 16 age group to feed into the under 19s.

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

We have been able to fully train and support a full team of 20 under 19 youths and are now looking to support further teams at under 16, under 14s and all the way down to learn to play sessions which would encompass basic skating skills and safety. This has helped to improve the young's people mental health especially after lockdown. There has also been a social bonus as new friendships and relationships are built with players and coaches. The young people are also taught how to care for their equipment, cleaning it and storing it properly.

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

There is photographic proof of all the youths in action at both under 19 level and with the senior team. I can also provide anecdotal evidence from the coaches and the team behind the team!!!

Organisation Name: Renfrew Town Sea Scouts

Local Partnership Area Covered –

- Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank
- Renfrew
- The Villages

Project Name: Project Inclusion

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £9000

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Mental and physical wellbeing
- Cost of living
- Employability and life skills
- Culture

What did you want the money to do?

The funds raised will be split between our operating costs (for example insurances for the hall and equipment cost in the region of £4k per annum) as well as investing in new equipment (such as paddle boards and safety boats) that will allow us to offer 50 young people the chance to participate in our water activities on a nightly basis.

What did you spend it on?

The funding spend on operating costs takes care of itself. I'd imagine around £4k will be spent on the hall and its upkeep. As we are at the start of our sailing season, we are in the process of allocating the grant and anticipate the following spend: 6 young leaders trained to level 3 RYS sailing standard. in anticipation of completing their instructor certificates. Leaders being trained in Sea kayaking, allowing sessions on the Clyde Investment in paddle boards, pending the necessary scout qualifications to be awarded Water training sessions at the Glynhill hotel pool, to train the kids in capsizing drills Obtaining minibus and trailer licences for our young leaders. Contribution to our new safety boat, cost c£20k

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

Our scout and explorer sections all benefit, this accounts for c50 kids and young adults.

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

Our water sessions will continue over the summer and will be able to be expanded with the necessary investment. we grow from strength to strength, but in order to maintain standards and to keep up with current legislation, we need to continually look at our resources. As long as we "tick the boxes" and have the correct equipment and trainers, we will continue to offer water sports to all kids in our sections.

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

I've asked the older section to make a video of our activities for forwarding.

Organisation Name: Loud n Proud

Local Partnership Area Covered

- Gleniffer
- Paisley East
- Paisley North, West & Central
- Renfrew
- The Villages

Project Name: Pen To Performance

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £7500

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Employability and life skills
- Culture

What did you want the money to do?

The purpose of the project was to help young emerging musicians in Renfrewshire develop their music from a basic song idea and turn a good idea into a great one through a series of Concept Sessions. These Concept Sessions were geared towards equipping young composers and musicians with a good awareness of: • Musical content, style, and genre • Song structure and how it can be improved • Harmony and melody • The creative process from song idea to stage and recording studio • The lyric writing process • Their individual play

What did you spend it on?

We ran a series of weekend workshops and recording sessions finishing with a live performance. Our producers worked with participants on a one to one basis in the studio, assisting the development of their lyrics and music to bring their ideas for words and melodies alive as a performance piece. The aim was to teach young bands and artists how to take a good idea for a song and develop it into a great one. As the course progressed the tutors gave young creators the skills to bring out the best in their song ideas and improve their skills as a songwriter.

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

A total of 15 workshops took place from 7 November 2022 to 6 March 2023 and 30 young artists took part. 12 young people volunteered to help with the tech crew and gained experience in sound recording and music production on each session.

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

Participants gained a better understanding of the composition, the flow and timbre of the songs that they have written before and composed during the course. The experience gave them an insight to what is required before the time it gets to the recording studio or is performed live on stage. During the sessions young artists were coached, mentored, and given guidance to support the development of both their careers and their audiences. Other benefits included: An increase in opportunities to develop their creative ambition. It gave the participants a better understanding of ways to increase awareness of their music to their fans and attract new ones.

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

We asked for feedback after each session and the main comments were: Participants gained a better understanding of what makes a good song and how to collaborate with others. All the participants felt that their song writing skills had improved. The project increased their understanding of different instruments other than their own and therefore widened the type, style and even genre of their original idea. Being together as a 'Renfrewshire Collective' strengthened their network and created a new set of connections to other music organisations and individuals. The tutors comments were: The young people were very enthusiastic and came up with lots of rough ideas and finished with a more structured way of writing songs. The overall feeling was that more projects of this type would produce better artists and bands as content is key to a musician's success. The feedback will help us to design courses in the future. We will send images and video

Organisation Name: Pachedu

Local Partnership Area Covered

- Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank
- Gleniffer
- The Villages

Project Name: Pachedu Migrant Artist

Amount Received from Celebrating Renfrewshire: £9000

What priorities did you tell us your project would meet?

- Mental and physical wellbeing
- Culture

What did you want the money to do?

To create an opportunity to give a voice and promote equality of opportunities for diverse minority communities in Renfrewshire, by giving young people with musical talent a chance to benefit from a mentorship programme to help them pursue a career in music.

What did you spend it on?

Paid the Diane Mitchell music academy who 'provided support with professional music tutorials. We identified young adults with musical talent who benefited from a mentorship programme to help them pursue a career in music. We also paid for a recording recorded in Brick Lane with an engineer.

How many young people benefited from/accessed your project?

10 young people benefited from this opportunity.

How did your project benefit young people in the community?

This opportunity gave a voice and promoted equality of opportunities for diverse minority communities in Renfrewshire, by giving young people with musical talent a chance to benefit from a mentorship programme to help them pursue a career in music.

How can you evidence the impact of your project?

We have a recording of a piece of music that the young people did and a few pictures of them in music sessions.



To: Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership

On: 11 May 2023

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:

**Applications for Local Partnership Funding to Erskine,
Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank (EIBL) Local Partnership
2023/24**

1. Summary

- 1.1 Applications for grant funding from the seven Local Partnership areas were invited to be submitted during March and April 2023, to be considered at the Local Partnership meetings due to be held in May 2023.
- 1.2 The available allocation for Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Partnership Local Partnership for 2023/24 is £43,989
- 1.3 From this total budget, 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. EIBL Local Partnership has space for seven community members, so the total ringfenced for expenses is £350. **The total budget available for allocation by EIBL Local Partnership is therefore £43,639**
- 1.4 The total value of applications for funding received is £94,206.58
- 1.5 The Youth Challenge Fund component of EIBL Local Partnership Funding for 2023/24 is £21,988.00 which includes a carry forward of £1,700.00 from 2022/23, This funding will be allocated by young people through a Participatory Budgeting exercise that will take place during May 2023 with decisions announced in June.

2. Recommendations

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

3. Background

- 3.1 Applicants for funding in 2023/24 have been provided with guidance, as well as a description of the Local Priorities identified by EIBL Local Partnership.
- 3.2 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 EIBL.
- 3.3 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 EIBL Local Priorities are summarised in the second table – for example, the project may tackle social isolation (and therefore meet the Local Priority around social isolation) but not deliver this directly in the Local Partnership area or make reference to how many people from the area would be engaged in the project.
- 3.4 The priorities of EIBL Local Partnership are:

Key theme: Intergenerational work

The Local Partnership are particularly interested in building relationships between younger and older communities across the area and exploring how intergenerational work might support their Local Priorities.

Health and wellbeing

The Local Partnership want to make sure people are aware of and can access health services, to support both physical and mental health. This includes community-led health services too. The Partnership also think tackling social isolation is key to improving health across the area.

Connectivity

The Local Partnership want to see places across Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank better connected to each other, and to the wider area. They want to see provision of good quality public transport, but also safe, clean and green routes for walking and cycling.

Community identity

The Local Partnership want to support the individual identity and history of each town and village. A key part of this should be local events which celebrate this identity, and better communication of what's on across the area to support this.

Planning and environment

The Local Partnership want to be involved in, and influence, planning decisions, and are particularly interested in land ownership and use. The Partnership see this as key to

supporting a clean and green area, which includes street cleanliness issues at a local level, but also wider green issues such as low carbon.

Community empowerment

The Local Partnership want communities to be involved in, and influencing, decision making about the area. This includes making sure communities are well informed about local issues and looking at ways to get people involved such as participatory budgeting.

APPENDIX 1 – GRANT APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY PRIORITY THEME

EIBL Local Partnership grant application forms – amount available £43,639. The total value of applications received is £90,370.72.

APPLICATIONS WITH DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE EIBL LOCAL PRIORITIES WHERE PROJECT IS LOCATED IN OR SPECIFIC TO EIBL

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to EIBL priorities
FR1051	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	£1,200	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	Community empowerment
FR1052	Inchinnan dogs off-lead and fouling awareness campaign	£566	Inchinnan Development Trust	Planning & environment
FR1057	Outdoor space	£4,500	Inchinnan Community Nursery	Intergenerational work, Health & wellbeing
FR1078	Erskine Town Centre Christmas Lighting	£10,000	Erskine Community Council	Community Identity
FR1081	Brighten Our Street	£10,000	Langbank Swing Park Regeneration	Community Identity
FR1098	O-Kay Café	£1,351.73	SNACK	Health & wellbeing
FR1099	Street & barrier planters	£5,000	Bonnie Bishopton	Health & Wellbeing, Community Identity
FR1105	Fun for all ages	£6,150	Erskine Community Nursery SCIO	Intergenerational work, Health & wellbeing
FR1113	Erskine Christmas Fayre	£6,600	Erskine Community Council	Community Identity
FR1122	Inchinnan play park benches	£1,760.44	Inchinnan Community Council	Health & wellbeing, Community empowerment
FR1125	Renfrewshire Breast Buddies	£1,983	The Breastfeeding Network	Health & wellbeing
FR1127	Bishopton Week and Gala Day	£7,158.40	Bishopton Week Group	Health & wellbeing, Community Identity
FR1139	Lamont Farm Project	£5,000	Lamont Farm	None
FR1146	Creative Adult Programme	£9,120.00	Erskine Arts	Health & Wellbeing
FR1148	Mobile Renfrewshire	£1274.25	Shopmobility Paisley & District	Health & Wellbeing, Connectivity
FR1149	Accessibility for All	£2,561.61	Renfrewshire Access Panel	Health & Wellbeing
TOTAL		£74,225.43		

APPLICATIONS WITH DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE EIBL LOCAL PRIORITIES - PROJECT

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to EIBL priorities
FR1045	Taste of Culture (Black History Month)	£1,000	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities (REEM)	Community Identity
FR1049	Dates-n-Mates	£1,000	C-Change Scotland	Health & Wellbeing
FR1055	Promote walking in Renfrewshire	£570	Renfrewshire Walking Network	Health & wellbeing
FR1061	Provision of ice	£2,019.90	Paisley Pirates IHC	Intergenerational work, Health & wellbeing
FR1064	Fèis Phàislig 23/24	£4,470	Fèis Phàislig	Intergenerational work, Health & wellbeing, Community identity
FR1074	Social Group for the Armed forces Community	£7,571.25	SSAFA's Glasgow's Helping Heroes	Health & Wellbeing
FR1100	Fair Trade Education & Promotion	£750	Rainbow Turtle	Intergenerational work, Community Identity
FR1106	PACE Youth Theatre Bursary Fund	£1,600	PACE Theatre Company	Health & Wellbeing
FR1121	Continuance of survival of Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art Therapy Group	£1,000	Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art Therapy Group	Health & wellbeing
TOTAL		£19,981.15		

APPLICATIONS WITH DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE EIBL LOCAL PRIORITIES WHERE PROJECT IS LOCATED IN OR SPECIFIC TO EIBL

Reference: FR1051	Organisation Name: The Renfrewshire Toy Bank			
Project Name: The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	Amount applied for: £1,200.00			
Purpose of the project The Renfrewshire Toy Bank wishes to continue to support thousands of children and young people with birthday and Christmas gifts as well as Halloween Costumes and Easter eggs, ensuring that we cover all of Renfrewshire, in a dignified and safe manor. The quality of gifts helps to reduce stigma and relieves families of some financial pressures. It has been proven that children learn and develop through play, feedback shows gifts from the Toy Bank have aided in this.				
What will the project do? We cover all areas of Renfrewshire by having referral organisations in all seven local partnership areas. Renfrewshire Social Work divisions, health visitors, family nurse partnership, Renfrewshire schools and nurseries, flexible learning spaces, The SPACE Project, Families First, Home start, The STAR Project, EBI Unites, Who Cares? Scotland, Pals of Privies, Glenburn Stronger Communities, YMCA, KLASS Care as well as many other organisations.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes: We engage with our community by networking with local businesses and organisations to ensure that the toy bank is reacting to the needs of our community, forward planning, allowing us to be sustainable. Working with volunteers from this area, empowering community spirit while providing EBIL's children and young people with safe toys and gifts, promoting health & wellbeing for local families, while reducing stigma and tackling social isolation.				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
gift cards	£9000.00	£350.00	fundraising/donations	3 months
storage	£3000.00	£150.00	fundraising/donations	3 months

toys and gifts	£5000.00	£400.00	fundraising/donations	3 months
Easter and Halloween	£8500.00	£300.00	fundraising/donations	3 months

About the organisation:

RCTB provides new toys & gifts for children in Renfrewshire via a referral system for birthdays, Christmas, Halloween & Easter. Referring agencies include social work, schools, nurseries, charities, grassroots organisations & NHS groups (e.g., Health Visitors & Family Nurse Partnership). We aim to reduce stigma by providing good quality, safe gifts for children to receive the same as their peers. Reducing financial strain on families, all while improving children's emotional health & well-being.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£6747.00	Christmas, birthdays, Halloween and Easter as well as storage and gift cards
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£6709.00	Christmas, birthdays, Halloween and Easter as well as storage and gift cards

Reference: FR1052	Organisation Name: INCHINNAN DEVELOPMENT TRUST (IDT)
Project Name: Inchinnan dogs off lead and dog foul awareness campaign	Amount applied for: £566.00
<p>Purpose of the project</p> <p>Develop a campaign of awareness about the risk's dogs off-lead and dog fouling poses in our community, Teucheen Wood, and adjacent farmland/grassland habitat. The project will encourage dog-owners to help avoid potential harm to residents, woodland users, and disturbance to wildlife/livestock. By encouraging dog-owners to keep their dog on a lead and properly dispose of waste will increase safety for all.</p> <p>IDT staff, landowners and members of the public have witnessed numerous dangerous incidents involving unleashed dogs and a recent increase in their frequency. Unleashed dogs present a major risk to nesting bird species over the breeding season. Dog fouling has also become an issue - posing a risk to residents, wildlife, livestock, and all woodland users (in particular children taking part in woodland education activities) due to the diseases it can carry.</p>	
<p>What will the project do?</p> <p>The campaign will include physical signage in high footfall and high-risk areas (i.e. areas of wildlife delicate to disturbance) which will both educate and encourage dog-owners to be responsible by keeping dogs on leads, picking up dog foul and ensuring they are sticking to established paths. These signs will be supported by an online campaign and print campaign (through our newsletters and leaflets).</p>	
<p>Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities <p>Anticipated Outcomes:</p> <p>Increased awareness of the risks of unleashed dogs and undisposed dog foul.</p> <p>A cleaner community woodland for all users - free of the risks posed by dog foul.</p> <p>A safer community woodland for all users - free of the risks posed by off-lead dogs.</p> <p>A decrease in disturbance to nesting birds (such as Skylark, Meadow Pipit and Lapwing) by unleashed dogs during the breeding season.</p> <p>A decrease in disturbance/risk to farm animals (e.g., horses and livestock).</p> <p>Greater use of land by nesting bird species, increasing species abundance and biodiversity.</p>	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
4 signs created by Sneddon Signs (all weather)	£480.00	£480.00	N/A	N/A
printing materials for delivering to households	£86.00	£86.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: Inchinnan Development Trust is a non-profit organisation with a focus on community-led preservation, enhancement, and management of our local greenspaces for the benefit of Inchinnan and its wider communities.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£10000.00	India tyres utilities installation - delayed with CAT	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£10000.00	India tyres fencing and utilities - partially delayed by CAT	
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Reference: FR1057	Organisation Name: Inchinnan Community Nursery
Project Name: Outdoor space	Amount applied for: £4,500.00
<p>Purpose of the project</p> <p>One of our main priorities is our children's mental health and wellbeing and this area would provide a space for outdoor play therapy, yoga, and mindfulness. It would also include extensive planters we want the children can grow, harvest, and learn to cook food then expand this project to share growing at home and money saving family meals. We then intend to use this space to liaise with community partner as covid had restricted our plans link in with local development trust/and flower planting group and start our intergenerational volunteering.</p> <p>After being relocated into new premises in April 2021 we were promised like for like from our old establishment which had a beautiful outdoor area, unfortunately the current building went over budget, and we were left with a very unpractical outdoor space that was causing accident and incident to the children. so, we had the whole outdoor space planned into 6 phases which allows us to access funding of differing amounts and with no phase dependant on another we have flexibility.</p>	
<p>What will the project do?</p> <p>Providing a space that can be used for outdoor planting and a quiet space that can be used for yoga, mindfulness and quiet we would like this space to be mainly utilised for our intergenerational projects where retired or elderly villager can visit the nursery and join in some wellbeing activities and pass on their extensive garden knowledge to the staff and children, we are also hoping the vegetables grown can be used by the local woman's guild to support families create value for money meals.</p>	
<p>Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities </p> <p>Anticipated Outcomes:</p> <p>To improve the health and wellbeing of our children and staff, we have so many children with additional support needs that this area will be used to support along with providing immediate support service whilst we wait for other agencies such as health and speech and language to support, we want to involve the whole community in the life of our nursery and our volunteer, community partner involvement and intergenerational will be a great starting point</p>	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
privacy screening/fencing	£1000.00	£1000.00	N/A	N/A
wooden planters;	£1500.00	£1500.00	N/A	N/A
decking	£4002.00	£2000.00	fundraising	N/A

About the organisation: to provide quality childcare and education to children aged 3-5 years.
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Grant funding award history:			
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference: FR1078	Organisation Name: Erskine Community Council			
Project Name: Erskine Town Centre Christmas Lighting	Amount applied for: £10,000.00			
Purpose of the project <p>Erskine Town Centre is the only town centre in Renfrewshire which is completely devoid of any seasonal lighting. This application for funding is part of the project costs, other costs including labour and power requirements shall be funded from other third-party sources.</p> <p>With a population of some 16,000 persons, it is the ambition to give the residents a focus point during the Christmas season.</p>				
What will the project do? <p>We have already identified the equipment required as per the quotations included in this submission. We have sought guidance and assurance from relevant parties within Renfrewshire Council, that our request for assistance in installation can be accommodated.</p> <p>We have sought assurances from the Current Factors acting on behalf of the tenants that this is acceptable subject to appropriate insurance being in place. (This is already considered and costed).</p>				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities 				
Anticipated Outcomes <p>This project will result in the coming together of our community in a central location accessible to all. It shall give the populace of Erskine a sense of community and recognition from our Council, as already enjoyed.</p>				
Breakdown of Costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
1 off 80w LED Gobo Projector	£910.00	£910.00	N/A	N/A

6 Off - 2.8m x 0.72m 3d Striped Trees	£8310.00	£8310.00	N/A	N/A
Seasonal Gobo (Stars and Flakes)	£95.00	£95.00	N/A	N/A
VAT	£1863.00	£685.00	Shop owners and public contributions	N/A

About the organisation:

We select the views of the community to the local authority to take such action in the interests of the Community as appears desirable and practical.

To promote the wellbeing of the Community and to foster Community spirit.

To be a vehicle for the Community to enhance their lives, welfare, environment, and amenities.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£10000.00	NINR Path Clearance and repair, purchase, and installation of seating
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£6,000.00	

Reference: FR1081	Organisation Name: Langbank Swing park Regeneration			
Project Name: Brighten Our Street - Village Planters and Christmas Lights	Amount applied for: £10,000.00			
Purpose of the project To replace wooden village planters along Main Road which have rotted over time and are no longer fit for purpose. These planters are greatly appreciated by villagers and provide an opportunity for intergenerational working with different village groups maintaining these. Proposed new Christmas lights along Main Road will provide a focal point, foster a community spirit and sense of pride in the local community. The opportunity to bring people together creates a sense of community spirit, reduces social isolation, and promotes wellbeing.				
What will the project do? Planters will provide a bright feature for villagers and visitors entering the village and provides an opportunity for inter-generational working within the community. The old flower planters along Main Road were planted and maintained by volunteers and this would continue - with all local groups being invited to participate and have ownership and responsibility for upkeep. The lights will provide a bright focus along Main Road during darkest months and hopefully encourage more villagers to enjoy winter walks and be a festive focal point.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes: To help foster a greater pride in the village and increased sense of community. In doing so this will encourage villagers of all ages to work together to help serve their community. This collaboration will hopefully then be encouraged within different areas of the village and see the different village groups and residents continue to work together, supporting each other and creating a sense of belonging and wellbeing.				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Plants	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A

400 litres soil improver	£90.00	£90.00	N/A	N/A
3 large, recycled plastic commercial planters	£2360.00	£2360.00	N/A	N/A
800 litres peat free compost	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A
potting grit	£150.00	£150.00	N/A	N/A
Up to 16 Christmas Lights and star	£7000.00	£7000.00	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:

To work closely with Langbank Community Council to improve the outdoor spaces and communal areas around the village, to provide high quality facilities for the residents and visitors of Langbank. The focus is on facilities and equipment that encourage exercise and enjoying the outdoors, to improve health and wellbeing, promote intergenerational collaboration, develop skills and create an environment for social interaction.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£79086.00	MUGA project
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£3500.00	Groundworks and demolition of existing hut
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference: FR1098	Organisation Name: SNACK			
Project Name: O-Kay Café	Amount applied for: £1,351.73			
Purpose of the project <p>The O-Kay Café will be a monthly café on a Saturday morning run by the young people of the group. This will be a not-for-profit café and will be a social enterprise where our young people can gain some work experience under the guidance of the leaders of the group. They will undertake their food hygiene certificates to allow them to undertake a range of duties including food preparation, serving, etc. We intend to give the young people a small wage as if they were employed.</p>				
What will the project do? <p>The funding will pay for the setting up costs of the café. Each of the young people involved will be required to complete a food hygiene certificate. We will have to pay to rent a venue. We will also have to purchase set up equipment to enable us to take the project forward. After the initial set up costs, any profit will go back into the café to purchase extra items required so that the café will become completely self-funding. The adults overseeing the project will do so in a voluntary capacity.</p>				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes <p>The main outcome of the project is to support our young people. We are very passionate that young people with support needs should have the same opportunities in the community. The project will give help their self-esteem and hopefully give them more confidence when applying for other positions. It will also be a safe environment for them to experience a working platform.</p>				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
5 litre vacuum jug x 2	£53.90	£53.90	N/A	N/A
Milk Jugs	£49.84	£49.84	N/A	N/A
Commercial Griddle	£235.00	£235.00	N/A	N/A

Crockery (cups, saucers, plates)	£160.00	£160.00	N/A	N/A
Coffee Urn	£129.99	£129.99	N/A	N/A
Kitchen Utensils/Cutlery	£63.00	£63.00	N/A	N/A
Rent - £20 per cafe x 12	£240.00	£240.00	N/A	N/A
Food Hygiene Certificates (initially 10 x £15)	£150.00	£150.00	N/A	N/A
Aprons	£150.00	£150.00	N/A	N/A
Miscellaneous Items (gloves/napkins/cleaning equipment)	£120.00	£120.00	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:

SNACK (Support Needs Activity Club for Kids) is a support group for young people with supportive needs. Based in Erskine, we are a safe place where people can meet to socialise and engage in creative activities, day trips, crafting, gaming, baking and much more. We are entirely voluntary and meet on Sundays for 2 hours and operate within term-time. For many of our members (and parents) this will be the only chance to meet with others who also share barriers to regular social interaction.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£7235.00	Rent/Outings/Monthly Activities/Sundries, Food and Snacks/VR Headsets
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference: FR1099	Organisation Name: Bonnie Bishopton
Project Name: Bonnie Bishopton Street & Barrier Planters	Amount applied for: £ 5,000.00
Purpose of the project To enhance and brighten the Main Road which runs through our village by taking neglected areas and transforming them into flourishing floral displays. To focus on garden sustainability within an eco-friendly chemical free environment. To encourage all villagers outside with us to create our own community identity To build on the feelings of community empowerment by being actively involved in local budgeting achieving local aims. To reduce social isolation and improve physical & mental health of locals working with us or enjoying the flowers	
What will the project do? It will build on giving our villagers a sense of achievement, pride and encourage walking along the main village road to view displays It will encourage community involvement by getting people outdoors working with us involved in nature. It will involve youth organisations helping to brighten our community by giving responsibility for a planter to a local group to plant and look after. From entry to exit of our village the main road will have bright floral displays in colourful street and barrier planters giving year-round floral attraction.	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Villagers will share a feeling of empowerment at being involved in local funding issues with visible benefits to our village. Social isolation will be reduced across all generations with a general sense of wellbeing across our village. The community are directly involved in shaping our own community identity. Improve members health physically and mentally by gardening together and making new friends. Education for all villagers on gardening responsibly using nonchemical means, encouraging bees and butterflies, and achieving "clean and green".	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Plants and Compost	£500.00	£500.00	N/A	N/A
Six Coloured Street Planters with Reservoirs	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	N/A	N/A
Five Barrier Baskets with Liners	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	N/A	N/A
Five Pole Baskets with Brackets	£500.00	£500.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: To enhance and develop the neglected areas of the village of Bishopton primarily by clearing and planting shrubs and flowers and maintaining them. To promote biodiversity and encourage wildlife. To engage with residents, community organisations, businesses and all age groups to encourage a sense of civic pride and a culture of environmental sensitivity. To bring together all ages of local people to join us thereby enhancing physical and mental health and reduce social isolation.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	Climate Fund	£3,000.00	To create a sensory garden and community garden space with recycled benches	
	Village Fund	£5,000.00	Christmas Lights Main Road	
	Local Partnership Grant	£5,000.00	Christmas Lights Main Road	
2021/22	CHEF	£4,000.00	To purchase street planters with reservoir and buy plants and compost and topsoil.	
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Reference: FR1105	Organisation Name: Erskine Community Nursery SCIO
Project Name: Fun for all Ages	Amount applied for: £ 6,150.00
<p>Purpose of the project</p> <p>Intergenerational projects are beneficial to all parties. We want to give our children and their generational counterparts the opportunity to have sweet and heart-warming interactions, to learn from each other, share ideas, enjoy each other's company, learn and practise life lasting skills and have profound impacts on each other's lives. We want to enhance the lives and experiences of members of our community by spending time together, exploring interests, pursuing ideas and friendships, sharing language and ideas, and having fun together.</p> <p>The project was suspended due to covid, and as part of our recovery process, we spoke to our staff, children, and families, prompting us to reach out to and be in communication with our local high school, care homes and skilled professionals to provide services to support our project. We acknowledge spending time together in a range of settings and environments, where we can give place to mutual learning, sharing of ideas & experiences, and to enjoy each other's company will break down barriers, and teach compassion and empathy.</p>	
<p>What will the project do?</p> <p>This project will give multi generations the opportunity to spend time together, breaking down barriers and creating times of fun and learning.</p> <p>The activities and experiences will be open ended and encouraging, provoking and enjoyable, and stimulating.</p> <p>We will visit settings, and have them visit us, we will meet externally, invite skilled professionals to deliver sessions, travel together to places of interest & learning and provide resources.</p>	
<p>Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities <p>Anticipated Outcomes</p> <p>Intergenerational mixing is high on our agenda, and we are keen to forge relations that thrive with mutually minded establishments. We would like for our children to be pioneers in our local area, giving them opportunity to encourage and respect the wellbeing of themselves and others, be inclusive, and overall, safe.</p>	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Transport	£1,100	£1,100	N/A	N/A
Resources	£1,500	£1,500	N/A	N/A
Entrance Costs	£900	£900	N/A	N/A
Outside Specialists	£2,650	£2,650	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:
 To provide high quality early learning and childcare for children aged 3years to school age, making use of local environments and facilities to further learning.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference: FR1113	Organisation Name: Erskine Community Council			
Project Name: Erskine Christmas Fayre	Amount applied for: £6,600.00			
Purpose of the project The main purpose of the project is to establish a sense of Community at this special time of the year. In 2022 a sense of upset and anger was felt by many that the traditional Xmas tree was half its normal size, was an unmerited kick in the teeth, after the privations of Covid. We hope to bring the community spirit back by having this Fayre, which shall benefit all in Erskine and Renfrewshire, and more importantly shall become a sustainable calendar event.				
What will the project do? It will give the Community of Erskine and its surrounding neighbours a focus point to meet and celebrate this special occasion. It shall achieve this by the involvement of all schools, societies, churches, and faith groups, in our annual switch on of our festive tree.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes To achieve a sense of togetherness and inclusion for the whole community, and to establish a sustainable annual event. It will by design and planning touch all groups regardless of age, gender, faith, and ethnicity.				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Pop up Gazebos	£1000.00	£1000.00	N/A	N/A
Stage erection, hire, and removal	£3000.00	£3000.00	N/A	N/A
Hire of Stalls	£1000.00	£1000.00	N/A	N/A

Sound System	£1100.00	£1100.00	N/A	N/A
Insurance	£500.00	£500.00	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:

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Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£10000.00	Supply and erection of park benches at NINR, and the repair and upkeep of pathways
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£6,000.00	

Reference: FR1122	Organisation Name: Inchinnan Community Council			
Project Name: Inchinnan play park benches	Amount applied for: £ 1760.44			
Purpose of the project the village play park only has one bench and one table with benches attached. It's the only play park in the area and so is very busy with both adults and children. residents and visitors have asked for more seating for those not able to sit on the grass.				
What will the project do? we propose to buy 2 anti-vandal, recycled benches from Glasdon and we can fit them using our local contractor who recently fitted 5 benches around Teucheen woodland, Inchinnan				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities 				
Anticipated Outcomes 1- having enough seats at the park allows our young people to visit the park with their older people. 2- improved health and wellbeing getting out of doors, to the park, with the kids, chatting to folk, and getting exercise. 3 - residents have asked ICC to try get more benches so it is empowering for the people to see positive results.				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
benches and delivery from Glasdon	£1560.44	£1560.44	N/A	N/A
labour/materials.	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: A Community Council is a voluntary organisation set up by statute by the Local Authority and run by local residents to act on behalf of its area. As well as representing the community to the local				

authority, Community Councils facilitate a wide range of activities which promote the well-being of their communities. They bring local people together to help make things happen, and many Community Councils protect and promote the identity of their community.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£3100.00	village planting club
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference: FR 1125	Organisation Name: The Breastfeeding Network
Project Name: Renfrewshire Breast Buddies	Amount applied for: £ 1,983.00
Purpose of the project To provide peer support and evidence-based information to local families in EILB. This is especially important in rural and isolated communities and promotes inclusion, tackles loneliness and isolation, improves maternal health and wellbeing, addressing health inequalities. This then improves the confidence of young mums, enabling them to go on and do further training and improving their employment prospects. We want to maintain the excellent service we already provide by supporting our existing volunteers in the area.	
What will the project do? We will reach out to and educate mums and families, allowing them to make an informed decision on infant feeding by training more peer supporters. Share information about other local support that is available. Support new mums postnatally in the RAH Free weekly group for parents at our group in Bishopton Community centre Attend community events Supervision and ongoing learning for our volunteer peer supporters Expand our network and work closely with other health improvement agencies	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Increase local low breastfeeding rates. Saves parents money, breastfeeding is free, and babies and mums benefit from lifelong health improvements. We will reach out to vulnerable young parents and support them with breastfeeding & parenting within our existing community breastfeeding group improving mental health and tackling isolation. By training to be peer supporters they will make new friends and be able to help other young parents in return. Our free accredited training can be particularly useful for young mums going on to further training.	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Supervision - ongoing coordination, support and learning for volunteers	£984.00	£984.00	N/A	N/A
Volunteer expenses	£240.00	£240.00	N/A	N/A
Resources for group and volunteers	£300.00	£300.00	N/A	N/A
Printing costs for leaflets	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A
Management and core costs e.g insurance, central support, governance	£259.00	£259.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: Our mission is to offer independent, evidence-based information and to help build awareness of breastfeeding to individuals and organisations. Our vision is a society where mums, parents and families can make informed decisions about breastfeeding, to access help when they need it and to become confident in their choices. For a new mum or parent deciding how to feed their baby, talking to a trained volunteer who knows about breastfeeding can make a crucial difference.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£5,384.80	Supporting existing volunteers, events, starting new group	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£5,774.00	Supporting existing volunteers, supervision, events	
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£6,198.42	Helper training, supervision and supporting volunteers	

Reference: FR1127	Organisation Name: Bishopton Week Group
Project Name: Bishopton Week and Gala Day	Amount applied for: £ 7,158.40
Purpose of the project <p>This is the 51st year of the village of Bishopton holding a Gala day. Several years ago, it expanded from the one day, the 3rd Saturday in June, to a whole week of fun activities ending on Bishopton Gala Day. In 2023 the week will commence with a band playing in the Community Centre on 10 June, a mini fun run for under 5s, a fun run for all ages and a children's chess tournament on 11 June, and during the week 3 magic shows for children and a children's treasure hunt around the village. On 17 June there will be a parade followed by the Gala day.</p>	
What will the project do? <p>It will bring people of all ages together for a fun memorable week of activities celebrating community spirit and identity. The participants in the week's events and on the Gala day are local and it also encourages people into the area to get involved which generates revenue. Local acts provide live music offering them a platform for their talents. A range of support for community safety and wellbeing including policing and fire safety is present. Local community projects attend, promote their cause and offer opportunities to become involved.</p>	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes <p>high volume of attendees (around 4000 in 2022); mixture of all ages of attendees; majority of stall holders from local groups/businesses; access to range of local services; information on local groups offering opportunities and support; participation in fun arena events.</p>	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Wristbands for entry to Gala Day	£554.40	£554.40	N/A	N/A
Security for Gala day	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A
Local band for performance	£800.00	£800.00	N/A	N/A
Fencing for Gala day	£600.00	£600.00	N/A	N/A
First aiders for fun run	£396.00	£396.00	N/A	N/A
Stage for Gala Day and advertising	£3,990.00	£3,990.00	N/A	N/A
First aiders for Gala day	£618.00	£618.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: To provide a fun memorable week for people of all ages to come together in the community and celebrate its identity; To promote local talent, businesses and services; To support community projects and charities; To bring revenue and people to the community.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Reference: FR1139	Organisation Name: Lamont Farm Project			
Project Name: Lamont Farm Project	Amount applied for: £5,000.00			
Purpose of the project To educate and provide 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				
What will the project do? The grant will help towards running costs and recovery from a deliberate attempt to set fire 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.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities 				
Anticipated Outcomes We support all the local priorities – Lamont Farm Project was the first City Farm in Scotland and is now the only one of its kind still existing. We work hard to encourage social inclusion and promote inclusivity in all areas, and bring together people of all ages, backgrounds and abilities. We demonstrate the use of things like natural fertilisers rather than chemicals and work closely with the allotments to help with this. We also bring in members of the community and further afield to join our committee and help with decision making. (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Ongoing running costs	£5000.00	£2500.00	N/A	N/A
Fire damage recovery	£2500.00	£2500.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation:				

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

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£3000.00	Running costs
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£8000.00	Running costs

Reference: FR1146	Organisation Name: Erskine Arts
Project Name: Creative Adult Programme	Amount applied for: £ 9,120.00 *Please note this application was received after the deadline
Purpose of the project We want to introduce art classes, drop-in sessions, an inclusive choir & continue our music lessons & Soup Sessions - all free & fully staffed activity for adults in Renfrewshire. Since starting our adult engagement, it has become clear that the positive impact on mental health, social isolation & loneliness is significant, and we are aware that there are many more people who could benefit from participation here. A community has grown significantly in Erskine Arts, and we know that a more diverse programme will empower even more people.	
What will the project do? Many of our adult members have spoken of Erskine Arts being a place of respite and, for many, the only place where they find the opportunity to socialise. By increasing our offering beyond a musical one, from participating in arts & crafts to simply coming for lunch and a chat, we will encourage even more older adults in the community to take part in our programme - as seen in our music lessons, even greater community cohesion will develop as a result. Many adults now volunteer at Erskine Arts, with one even joining our Board of Trustees.	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities 	
Anticipated Outcomes We hope to establish a vibrant, intergenerational cultural hub with a focus on community, accessibility & inclusion. In our use of culture as a catalyst for community, we will continue bringing people together in a safe environment that fosters a strong feeling of ownership, belonging, friendship & personal growth. We can offer more cultural opportunities to people who may have been unable to access them previously and with increased programming, we can offer more volunteering opportunities to help support our community and the individuals within it.	

Breakdown of Costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Soup Sessions - Food and Tea / Coffee / Biscuits @ £20 per session. 2 sessions per week x 38 weeks	£1,520.00	£1,520.00	N/A	N/A
Art for Adults - Sessional Art Teacher costs @ £100 per week x 38 weeks	£3,800.00	£3,800.00	N/A	N/A
Choir Sessions - Sessional Choir Master @ £100 per week x 38 weeks	£3,800.00	£3,800.00	N/A	N/A
About the organisation: With a dynamic programme, the main aim of our project is to empower people and remove barriers to arts and culture for all. Having operated in Erskine for over 13 years, we have always tried to respond to the changing and developing needs of our community as it grows. Our intergenerational programme brings the community together in a meaningful way and our focus on inclusion & accessibility has allowed us to develop a vibrant cultural hub for people of all ages. Almost 70% of our activity is entirely free and the remainder is affordably priced.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£2,860.00	Media Skills Development & Gaming Drop-In	
	Winter Connections	£2,000	Soup Drop In	
	Local Partnership Grant	£5,000.00	Adult Music Tuition	
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2020/21				

Reference: FR1148	Organisation Name: Shopmobility Paisley and District
Project Name: Mobile Renfrewshire	Amount applied for: £ 1,274.25
Purpose of the project As part of our service, it is always at the forefront of our priorities to ensure we have a range of safe and maintained mobility scooters and wheelchairs for hire. We hire equipment to vulnerable people with disabilities and mobility challenges, whether that be permanent or temporary. Mobility equipment we hire has a lifespan of around 4 years. We have set up a small repairs and maintenance service and our strategy is to build upon this as part of our social enterprise development. In addition, we are expanding our service across Renfrewshire	
What will the project do? Enable us to forward plan and open up services across Renfrewshire by having enough equipment to be in a position to offer our service Renfrewshire wide - Give people choice and independence – help tackle social isolation and loneliness - Improve health and mental health by offering equipment and connections - Offer new volunteering opportunities properly supported and invested in - Help develop our repairs and maintenance service by supporting with purchasing of batteries - Connect people by building stronger social connections – we will organ	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; Local priorities we will meet include: Tackling Social Isolation to Promote Health, Supporting Social Connections Isolation and Loneliness, Strengthening Social Connections, Health and Wellbeing We are committed to changing our name to Shopmobility. Renfrewshire during this year to better reflect reality in the fact that we support the whole of Renfrewshire. Recruitment of more volunteers and staff enables us to better connect with our own members making it easier for us to let people know what opportunities and support is available to them.	

Breakdown of Costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
to purchase a wheelchair	£ 350.00	£ 350.00	N/A	N/A
to purchase a wheelchair	£ 350.00	£ 350.00	N/A	N/A
for scooter mobility batteries	£574.25	£574.25	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:

Enable Renfrewshire residents 16+ who experience permanent or temporary disabilities/mobility impairment to hire quality/safe equipment to help enhance life and health options as well as opening up opportunities. Whether that be shopping, meeting friends/family, leisure, holidays, appointments, lunch, dinner or any other activities of their choice.

Provision of advice, guidance and support in a safe space. General repairs & maintenance for scooters and wheelchairs. Maintaining our own equipment.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£2,395.00	Purchased 2 wheelchairs outright as well as 2 scooter covers. Remaining balance was enough to go towards the purchase of 1 mobility scooter
	Local Partnership Grant	£15,000.00	Salary, Insurance, Volunteer Expenses - Social Enterprise Discretionary Grant
	Winter Connections	£1,937.00	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£15,000.00	Salary, Insurance, Volunteer Expenses - Social Enterprise Discretionary Grant

	Local Partnership Grant	£8,223.74	Purchased a company van, logo'd the van with company branding
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£15,000.00	Salary, Insurance, Volunteer Expenses - Social Enterprise Discretionary Grant
	Local Partnership Grant	£9,000.00	Reparation of office – damaged during COVID 19. Hand tools

Reference: FR1149	Organisation Name: Renfrewshire Access Panel
Project Name: Accessibility for All	Amount applied for: £ 2561.61
Purpose of the project <p>The purpose of the project is to ensure that Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank areas are accessible to everyone in the community and further enhancing the goals of the local partnership.</p> <p>If we ensure the accessibility of the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank this will increase the ability for the community to gain access the facilities and services the local partnership and Renfrewshire Council provide ensuring that as well as disabled people, all groups of people such as people with injuries, children learning to walk</p>	
What will the project do? <p>We will continue to assist Property Services Manager – Joe Lynch with the best placement for the changing places toilets. We are also working with residents and local groups regarding the roads, pavements and dropped kerbs where we can assist with contacting Renfrewshire Council and identifying the locations for improvement and following on from that we would advise the best outcomes for the issues at hand.</p> <p>We are loaning out hearing loops and ramps to anyone hosting events or to local business until they can arrange their own.</p>	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes <p>Our aim is to make the town fully accessible to everyone and not just disabled people therefore ensuring that business should thrive and help reduce social isolation improving community spirit</p>	

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Mobile Phone	£153.00	£153.00	N/A	N/A
Accountancy Fees	£1700.00	£1700.00	N/A	N/A
Printing & Stationary	£3544.54	£3544.54	N/A	N/A
Office Peripherals	£1624.93	£1624.93	N/A	N/A
Office Rental	£4399.99	£4399.99	N/A	N/A

About the organisation:

Renfrewshire Access Panel is a small charity based in Renfrewshire dealing with accessibility. Originally, we started with access to the built and natural environment and access to services although we are now delighted to be 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 independ

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Social Work Section 10 Grant	£2000.00	Tablet & Computer Training
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£5151.51	Office Costs
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£2000.00	Providing hot lunch and heating - Winter Connections
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

APPLICATIONS WITH DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE EIBL LOCAL PRIORITIES - PROJECT NOT LOCATED IN OR SPECIFIC TO EIBL

Reference: FR1045	Organisation Name: Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities (REEM)			
Project Name: Taste of Culture (Black History month)	Amount applied for: £ 1,000.00			
Purpose of the project To arrange activities and events aimed at promoting Black History Month among ethnic minorities and the wider community in Scotland.				
What will the project do? We will arrange activities and events aimed at promoting Black History Month among ethnic minorities and the wider community in Renfrewshire organizing workshop to schools within Renfrewshire promoting Black History Month and also organising activities that will lead up to the event in November.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; 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. (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Hall Hire	£1,200.00	£250.00	LAC	June
Promotion Cost	£500.00	£250.00	LAC	June
Workshops and Refreshment	£1,000.00	£600.00	LAC	June
About the organisation: 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

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£4625.00	Drop-in centre
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£5719.23	Drop-in centre
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£10,590.00	For the drop-in centre and black history month

Reference: FR1049	Organisation Name: C-Change Scotland
Project Name: Dates-N-Mates	Amount applied for: £ 1,000.00
<p>Purpose of the project</p> <p>Our purpose is to bring adults with learning disabilities together to build and strengthen social connections and to reduce social isolation to help improve the mental health and wellbeing of our members. We aim to get more people involved in their local communities, and to feel valued and active participants in these communities. We want to give our members the confidence to travel independently across Renfrewshire, and to become more visible in mainstream venues and therefore more confident and more accepted by the rest of society.</p> <p>SCLD's report on relationships in 2020 noted that only 5% of adults with learning disabilities lived with a partner, as compared with 56% of the general population. And only 3% were married as against 47% of the general population. Traditionally adults with learning disabilities have been discouraged from forming friendships and relationships, and the subject of sex is totally taboo. Dates-n-Mates was developed to give our members the opportunity to have the same social experiences as the rest of the adult population.</p>	
<p>What will the project do?</p> <p>We run a monthly programme of events in mainstream venues across Renfrewshire to give our members the opportunity to meet new people, make friends and build lasting meaningful relationships. We also provide workshops around confidence building, self-esteem, and sexual health, to equip our members with the knowledge they need to take control of their own lives and be responsible for their own actions. We offer a Friendship Matching Programme so members can meet on a more personal level to forge a stronger connection, based on similar interests.</p>	
<p>Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities </p> <p>Anticipated Outcomes:</p> <p>Adults with learning disabilities have opportunities to get together to develop and maintain new friendships and relationships, which reduces social isolation and improves their mental health and wellbeing.</p> <p>We will meet these Local Priorities by providing the support and the opportunities for our members to meet and socialise. We offer workshops to help with conversation skills and</p>	

self-esteem, which improves their confidence when meeting new people.

(Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Events and Activities	£10000.00	£250.00	other funders	N/A
Volunteer Expenses	£3000.00	£250.00	other funders	N/A
Publicity and Marketing	£3000.00	£250.00	other funders	N/A
Travel	£2,000.00	£250.00	other funders	N/A

About the organisation:

Dates-n-Mates is a dating and friendship agency run by and for adults with learning disabilities. We run a programme of monthly events in mainstream venues across Renfrewshire to provide opportunities for people to connect with others, to build and strengthen the relationships they need to help improve their mental health and wellbeing and to help them feel valued, less socially isolated, and more involved in their communities.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership	£5484.30	Dates-n-Mates Project
2021/22	Local Partnership	£4000	Dates-n-Mates Project
2020/21	Local Partnership	£7815.60	Dates-n-Mates Project

Reference: FR1055	Organisation Name: Renfrewshire Walking Network			
Project Name: Promote walking in Renfrewshire	Amount applied for: £ 570.00			
Purpose of the project Promote group activities to a wider community, encouraging people of all abilities to partake in physical activities by using walking as the main medium. Our services are now sought by Social Work Services, local exercise referral agencies including cardiac rehab trainers, mental health, dietician, and diabetic clinics.				
What will the project do? The project will enable of volunteers to offer a programme of walks to suit every level of ability and encourage sedentary adults to become more active. More walk leaders are required to sustain and promote the project and they require to be suitably equipped and competently trained.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; Walking is the best way to encourage sedimentary and disadvantaged people to exercise and become more active due to the fact that it is both achievable and free. Benefits to the mental and physical health are plentiful, walking may particularly help to reduce the risk of many major diseases. Walking may also be useful to reduce individual isolation by participation in a group environment. (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Training and Equipment	£3,980.00	£570.00	Other local partnerships	6/8 weeks
About the organisation: 1. Promote and organise a walking group accessible to all levels, abilities and ages				

2. Encourage and promote social fellowship in the whole community.
3. Promote health, to raise and sustain fitness levels through physical activity.
4. Improve general quality of life throughout Renfrewshire.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£3,350	Promotional material, training leaders, protective equipment.

Reference: FR1061	Organisation Name: Paisley Pirates IHC
Project Name: Provision of ICE	Amount applied for: £ 2,019.90
Purpose of the project To provide part funding of Ice Hire which would allow us to continue on ice activities for our senior & junior teams at the Braehead Arena, which is the only facility available within a 30mile radius of Paisley. Encourage more people to watch/play a diverse sport such as ice hockey, therefore promoting health from a physical & mental perspective for players, volunteers & spectators alike, within the community and surrounding areas.	
What will the project do? Continue providing a local focus for our sport given no other venue is available. Continue development of on-ice skills, including off-ice skills for volunteers & adults with learning difficulties to carry out duties on game nights requiring numeracy & organisational skills. Continue to publicise the existence of ice hockey in Renfrewshire through social media & the local press.	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities </div> Anticipated Outcomes Key theme: Intergenerational work We welcome all to our games & are always happy to work within the community when the need arises – as we did in Bishopton Primary School a few seasons back. Health and wellbeing We have a minimum of 16 events (Home games) during the season (Sept to April) with the potential to increase this number, pending competition progression. With great transport links to & from our venue, we help to tackle social isolation for all ages, ensuring the young & old have equal opportunity to attend our events. All in all, we ultimately help to improve the health & wellbeing within the community.	
Outcomes <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Development of enhanced on-ice skills through regular practice/game situations. 2. Enhanced off-ice skills through use of volunteers referred to above in various activities/learning situations. 3. Continued success in local/national awards.eg in last few years, 	

player/volunteers have achieved success in award competitions.

4. Continuing iconic name of "Paisley Pirates" throughout Scotland & beyond.

5. Continue the growth of Junior Development section.

(Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Ice	£36,725.39	£2,019.90	Other Partnership funding & through the clubs own fundraising/sponsorship	End of July 2023

About the organisation:

- Promote the playing & development of the sport of ice hockey in Renfrewshire and the surrounding area.
- Participate in local, national & international competition in accordance with the rules of the club & other governing bodies.
- Promote & encourage Coaching, Team Management & various game day skills such as, Timekeepers, Scorers, Goal Judges & Penalty Box Assistants
- Raise community spirit with families, facilitating family entertainment within the community.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£10,060.90	Help with ice costs
	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£9,000	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£11,264.79	Help with ice costs
2020/21	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£5,371.00	Help with ice costs

Reference: FR1064	Organisation Name: Fèis Phàislig
Project Name: Fèis Phàislig 2023/24	Amount applied for: £ 4,470.00
Purpose of the project Fèis Phàislig is committed to providing young people and the wider community with engaging opportunities to experience traditional arts and Gaelic culture. Our ambitious and inclusive 2023/24 programme aims to ensure access to high-quality events for all in Renfrewshire. With the upcoming Royal National Mòd in Paisley, we hope to showcase the rich heritage of our community and engage as many people as possible through our diverse range of events.	
What will the project do? Our programme will provide an immersive experience of Gaelic culture for young people and their families. It will offer participants the opportunity to develop their skills and showcase their talents at events throughout the year. We will develop our existing projects, such as our Fèis Week and Ceilidh Trail tour, as well as developing new opportunities including a new ASN project that will provide targeted workshops for pupils with additional support needs. We anticipate our 2023/24 programme will reach over 13,000 people within Renfrewshire. Here are further details on how the project will tie in with the local priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intergenerational work The inclusive approach across our programme of events will bring together audiences of all ages. Our live performances will build relationships between younger and older audiences across the local partnership area and promote intergenerational work within its towns and villages. Our Cèilidh Trail and Advance Fèis groups (aged 16-25) will promote traditional music and Gaelic as part of their project to care homes, community groups and local venues, allowing those audiences to enjoy and celebrate up-and-coming talent in their area. • Health and wellbeing The social aspect of our activity will provide both participants and the wider community with the opportunity to make new friendships in an enjoyable, safe environment. It will assist the establishment of a caring, community atmosphere within Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank and tackle social isolation through free events. As well as participants benefitting socially, Fèis Phàislig also helps promote mental health and wellbeing through live performances and creating a focal point in the community which people feel they can be a part of and contribute towards. • Community Identity With a focus on local and national heritage, identity and character within the partnership area will play a key role within our delivery. The Cèilidh Trail and Advanced Fèis groups will perform a range of local music and song within their repertoire, engaging audiences with their own cultural heritage in a unique way. Performances and events delivered with Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank will also add to the local cultural calendar. We have previously delivered Gaelic music and Song performances for early-years groups at Erskine Library and, in the coming year, we will expand on our work within the 	

community by delivering performances to even more partner organisations and groups. By taking our performances to those groups who may not be able to physically attend live performances we will ensure there are no barriers to access.

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:

- ☒ **Key theme: Intergenerational work**
- ☒ **Health & wellbeing**
- ☐ **Connectivity**
- ☒ **Community identity**
- ☐ **Planning & environment**
- ☐ **Community empowerment**
- ☐ **Partial fit with priorities**
- ☐ **Does not fit with priorities**

Anticipated Outcomes

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; Our inclusive programme will allow young people to engage in cultural activities regardless of their background or ability. Events will be hosted in various community venues across the Local Partnership area, bringing live traditional music and opportunities to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton, and Langbank. Our programme will help young people realise their full potential and encourage communities to embrace Gaelic culture.

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Running Costs	£23,550.00	£3,251.00	Fèisean nan Gàidheal, Local Partnership Groups	May 2023
Ceilidh Trail	£15,360.00	£737.00	Fèisean nan Gàidheal, Box Office / Event Fees, Flightpath Fund	N/A
Advanced Band Community Performances	£3,371.00	£482.00	Local Partnership groups	May 2023

About the organisation:

Our aim is to promote and advance traditional music and Gaelic culture among young people in Renfrewshire. We achieve this through year-round traditional arts activities for ages 5-25, including an annual Fèis Week event, ongoing instrumental classes, annual Ceilidh Trail tour, and a weekly Gaelic Choir. We aim to inspire the next generation of musicians, foster a sense of community, and ensure the preservation of our local and national heritage for future generations.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	CHEF	£14,797.00	Weekly Lessons
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£17,822.55	Fèis Week, Weekly Lessons, Ceilidh Trail, School Visits Programme
2020/21	CODF	£6,750.00	Coordinator Fees
	Local Partnership Grant	£527.25	Ceilidh trail 2020

Reference: FR1074	Organisation Name: SSAFA's Glasgow's Helping Heroes
Project Name: Social Groups for the Armed Forces Community	Amount applied for: £ 7,571.25
Purpose of the project This project will support isolated and vulnerable Armed Forces veterans in the Renfrewshire area to sustainably build stronger social connections between themselves, and with others in the wider community. It will also develop veterans' physical, social and mental health. Designed in consultation with veterans, it will do this by offering various regular structured social groups and activities, including football, a language course with additional cognitive activities, and curling for disabled veterans.	
What will the project do? Through regular weekly sessions in football, a language learning course, and curling for disabled veterans, participants can socialise, will be motivated to do physical activity, are mentally stimulated, and develop cognitive abilities and resilience. Veterans will have improved access to statutory health, social care support, and specialist local organisations which offer health services and social activities. This will enable them to develop greater social connections and promote further improvements in their overall health and wellbeing.	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; Our anticipated outcomes will meet the Local Priority of Health and Wellbeing. Outcomes include improving participants' understanding of the support available to them, and referring them to statutory health, social care support, and specialist local organisations to improve their overall wellbeing, including physical, social, mental, and financial assistance.	
(Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Glasgow Veterans United; football (10 sessions)	£6,930.00	£1,732.50	Other fundraising sources	May
Mirrors; language and cognitive skills (27 sessions)	£11,070.00	£2,767.50	Other fundraising sources	May
Curling (22 sessions)	£12,285.00	£3,071.25	Other fundraising sources	May
About the organisation: SSAFA’s mission is to relieve need, suffering and distress amongst our Armed Forces to support their independence and dignity. Glasgow’s Helping Heroes (GHH) is a specialist Glasgow outpost of SSAFA, created in partnership with Glasgow City Council in response to many homeless veterans found in the city. It is a walk-in welfare advice and assistance centre for veterans and their families. GHH has an annual turnover of approx £259,000, with central governance and organisational services by SSAFA.				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Reference: FR1100	Organisation Name: Rainbow Turtle
Project Name: Fair Trade Education and Promotion	Amount applied for: £ 750.00
Purpose of the project Promote and educate about Fair Trade across Renfrewshire, creating local, informed, active global citizens. Focus on young people, schools, students, linking with other local council and third sector organisations. Work with local partnerships to achieve their aims as well as the council, Renfrewshire achieved Fair trade status in 2009 and Scotland a Fair-Trade nation since 2013. Rainbow Turtle works towards each Local Partnerships' aims and integrates this work with school and community events to raise awareness and organise participation.	
What will the project do? * meet the increasing demand to host school conferences and visits enabling young people to engage actively with issues of social justice, the environment, Global Citizenship and Fair Trade * to host and facilitate at least one producer visit, combining with one of the above conferences * to work directly with the young people on school Fair Trade and Eco committees to embed Fair Trade issues deep into the curriculum. * work with local third sector groups and LPs. * provide work experience for a variety of disadvantaged groups	
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank; Rainbow Turtle will improve intergenerational work within schools but also in the shop and at our events. We have a new set of younger volunteers and members. This will support our older members and empower the younger ones. We have taken part in kickstart and have had school children from different schools including Mary Russell help in the shop. Rainbow Turtle believes strongly in community empowerment and has taken part in local town centre initiatives as well as having meters from across Renfrewshire (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)	

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Education officer salary, office rent, educational equipment	£19,000.00	£750.00	Other Local Partnerships, membership, and fundraising	3 months
About the organisation: Promote and educate about Fair Trade across all of Renfrewshire				
Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£6,409.72	Education Officer salary, office rent, educational supplies, meetings	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£8,410.61	Education Officer salary, office rent, educational supplies, meetings	
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant	£8,750.00	Education Officer salary, office rent, educational supplies, meetings	
	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£750.00		

Reference: FR1106	Organisation Name: PACE Theatre Company			
Project Name: PACE Youth Theatre Bursary Fund	Amount applied for: £ 1,600.00			
Purpose of the project To provide the significant benefits of the PACE Youth Theatre experience to young people with an 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. This fund will provide free places to 5 young people aged 3-21 in each local partnership area for one year.				
What will the project do? We will promote and expand the PACE Youth Theatre Bursary Fund. Applications to the bursary fund will be made online through a quick and simple application process and will fund a years' worth of weekly classes, and participation in one of our week-long school holiday performance projects. Young people awarded memberships through this process are also prioritised for future bursary or concessionary places if they still require them.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities 				
Anticipated Outcomes Health and wellbeing: Research has shown youth theatre participation can significantly benefit mental wellbeing, self-esteem, empathy, and cooperation skills as well as improving education achievement, enhancing employment prospects and broadening horizons. Youth theatre is a supportive and inclusive peer environment that particularly helps young people who may have difficulty developing social connections in school or elsewhere. (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
5 x full annual youth theatre membership	£2250.00	£1600.00	PACE (In-Kind)	N/A

About the organisation:

PACE aims to develop and nurture creativity in young people, helping as possible to benefit – educationally, socially, and culturally – from a varied programme of high-quality performing arts experiences. Our aim is to create an inclusive and welcoming environment in which young people can thrive.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	CHEF	£19800.00	Enchanted Forest Project
	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£17,109.86	Youth Theatre Bursary Programme
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant	£1260.00	Youth Theatre Bursaries
2021/22	RCRRF	£14000.00	COVID Recovery
	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£7,700.00	Celebrating Renfrewshire
2021/22	CODF	£26680.00	Organisational Development
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	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£4,000.00	

Reference: FR1121	Organisation Name: Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art Therapy Group			
Project Name: Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art Therapy Group	Amount applied for: £1000.00			
Purpose of the project To keep the Group running and support our members to regain confidence, help with speech and co-ordination. Also, to try and get new members from the surrounding areas who need our help.				
What will the project do? With the help of CHSS and other organisations such Stroke Association, Renfrew Carers, Stroke Ward in RAH and Doctor's Surgeries, Health Centres through word of mouth, leaflets, booklets, newsletters, possible Art Exhibitions of our work. We would also like to advertise in local newspapers.				
Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities: <input type="checkbox"/> Key theme: Intergenerational work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & environment <input type="checkbox"/> Community empowerment <input type="checkbox"/> Partial fit with priorities <input type="checkbox"/> Does not fit with priorities Anticipated Outcomes This will hopefully mean more members from the various disability groups will come and try our class. In turn this will bring in more funds to keep us going and offer a good service to all helping their wellbeing, social and improvement in mental health, confidence and isolation. (Note: This application has been marked as a partial fit with priorities due to a lack of specific reference to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton and Langbank)				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Tutor	£3,000.00	£500.00	Local Partnership Areas plus members fees	June 2023
Hall Rent	£2,000.00	£500.00	Local Partnership	June 2023

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About the organisation: To provide art as a therapy in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere for stroke survivors and anyone left with a disability from any other medical or natural reason.																				
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