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**To:** Johnstone & the Villages Local Area Committee

**On:** 18 February, 2016

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**Report by:** Director of Finance & Resources

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**Heading:** Applications For Local Area Committee Grant Funding

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**1. Summary**

- 1.1 The schedule attached as Appendix 1 to this report details an application received for grant funding from this meeting of the LAC.
- 1.2 Please contact the Committee Services Section on 0141 618 7105 should you require any further information on any of the attached grant application in advance of the meeting.
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**2. Recommendation**

- 2.1 That the application for Local Area Committee grant funding, as detailed in the schedule attached to this report, be considered.
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**Implications of this report**

**1. Financial Implications**

None.

**2. HR and Organisational Development Implications**

None.

**3. Community Plan/Council Plan Implications**

Children and Young  
People

- The provision of grants to local groups supports individuals and groups to develop

skills to improve personal achievements.

Community Care, Health and Well-being	- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals to support social, cultural and recreational activities contributes to improved health and well-being.
Empowering our Communities	- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals contributes to the development of local communities.
Greener	- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals support social, cultural and recreational activities contributes to local sustainability.

**4. Legal Implications**  
Compliance with the Council's Condition of Grants

**5. Property/Assets Implications**  
None.

**6. Information Technology Implications**  
None.

**7. Equality and Human Rights Implications**

The Recommendations contained within this report have been assessed in relation to their impact on equalities and human rights. No negative impacts on equality groups or potential for infringement of individuals' human rights have been identified arising from the recommendations contained in the report because all grant applicants must submit valid constitutions containing equality statements. If required following implementation, the actual impact of the recommendations and the mitigating actions will be reviewed and monitored, and the results of the assessment will be published on the Council's website.

**8. Health and Safety Implications**  
None.

**9. Procurement Implications**  
None.

**10. Risk Implications**  
None.

**11. Privacy Impact**  
None.

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## List of Background Papers

None

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	Name of Organisation	Amount Requested	Number of Members/ users	Purpose of Grant	LACs applied to	Comments
	<b>JOHNSTONE &amp; THE VILLAGES LAC APPLICATIONS - NEW</b>					
	Elderslie Wallace Bowling Club	£1,000	145	Schools bowling project	Johnstone & the Villages	



## Grants Summary Sheet 2016-2017

Reference		1034	
Name of Organisation/Group	1.11	ELDERSLIE WALLACE BOWLING CLUB	
How many members?	1.11	Full Time	0
		Part Time	3
		Volunteer	0
		Member	145
Address/based	1.3	3 Kings Crescent Elderslie Renfrewshire PA5 9AD	
What does your Organisation/Group do?	1.10	The Club is committed to everyone having the right to enjoy the sport of bowls, in an environment free from threat of intimidation, harassment and abuse. Open to any person regardless of race, age, gender, sexual orientation, religious belief or ability.	
If your group covers more than one Local Area Committee (LAC) area, and you are applying to more than one LAC, please tell us which LACs you are applying to	1.13	Geographical Area: Johnstone & The Villages Renfrewshire Wide  LAC Applying to:	
How much grant funding are you seeking?	2.10	1000	
What will this grant be used for? Please provide a breakdown of the costs to be incurred. (Please use a separate sheet if required)	2.3  2.9	<p>AS PART OF OUR WORK WITH THE COMMUNITY WE HAVE AN ON-GOING PROJECT WITH ELDERSLIE WALLACE PRIMARY SCHOOL, WHEREBY PRIMARY 7 CHILDREN AND THEIR TEACHERS ATTEND THE CLUB ON A WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY MORNING DURING THE FINAL SUMMER TERM AND THE FIRST AUTUMN TERM. THE CHILDREN RECEIVE INSTRUCTION IN THE SPORT OF BOWLING ALONG WITH THEIR TEACHERS. BY VIRTUE OF THE SIZE OF THE CHILDREN'S HANDS THEY ARE UNABLE TO HOLD OR THROW ADULT BOWLS AND SO REQUIRE SMALL BOWLS CUSTOM MADE FOR CHILDREN.</p> <p>THIS PROJECT HAS BEEN ONGOING FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS (AROUND 15) AND HAS BECOME AN ANNUAL EVENT FOR THE CHILDREN. WE HAVE A NUMBER OF CHILDRENS BOWLS SETS, BUT WE REQUIRE MORE TO AVOID HAVING A FEW CHILDREN BOWLING AND A LOT JUST STANDING WATCHING - BOREDOM SETS IN AND THEY SUFFER A LOSS OF INTEREST. OVER THE YEARS WITH GRANTS AND USING SOME OF OUR OWN MONEY WE HAVE PURCHASED A NUMBER OF SETS OF BOWLS AND STORAGE CONTAINERS. THE CHILDREN ALSO NEED SPECIAL FOOTWEAR - FOR SURFACE PROTECTION.</p> <p>THIS HELPS THE CHILDREN WITH DEXTERITY AND CO-ORDINATION AND WE TRY TO ENGENDER A TEAM SPIRIT TO ALLOW THEM TO DEVELOP INTER PERSONAL SKILLS AND INTER ACT WITH EACH OTHER AND ADULTS. WE DO THIS BY JOINING THE CHILDREN ON THE RINKS, TEACHING, DEMONSTRATING AND ENCOURAGING, ESPECIALLY THE LESS ABLE.</p> <p>WE WOULD HOPE THE CHILDREN ENJOY BEING OUTDOORS IN THE FRESH AIR, LEARN A NEW SKILL IN A</p>	

		GROUP ACTIVITY AND LEARNING TO ADAPT TO A TEAM GAME WITH RULES AND STRUCTURE. THIS SHOULD HELP THEM TO BECOME MORE ROUNDED ADULTS.		
What is your group's current bank balance?	1.14	23623.72		
Are there any significant items of expenditure to be set against this bank balance?	1.14	<p>Yes</p> <p>(1) RE-NEWING ROOF OF SPORTS PAVILION +/- £7,000(2) DOUBLE GLAZING OF CLUB HOUSE +/- £5,000 (3)INSTALLATION OF DISABLED TOILET +/- £10,000 (LOTTERY GRANT FUND AIDED) ALSO REFURBISHING OF EXISTING TOILETS.(4) REBUILDING OF ENTRANCE WALL WHICH FELL DOWN</p>		
Have you applied for funding from any other sources? (This includes other Council grant sources as well as external grant providers such as Lottery funding)	2.12	Source of Funding	Secured/Not Secured	Timescale for Decision if not Secured
		N/A	N/A	N/A
Please briefly explain the benefit for the Local Area Committee Area if you are awarded this grant	2.6	WE WOULD HOPE THE CHILDREN ENJOY BEING OUTDOORS IN THE FRESH AIR, LEARN A NEW SKILL IN A GROUP ACTIVITY AND LEARNING TO ADAPT TO A TEAM GAME WITH RULES AND STRUCTURE. THIS SHOULD HELP THEM TO BECOME MORE ROUNDED ADULTS.		
Previous local grant award history – previous 24 months (for office use only)	2.13	N/A	N/A	N/A
		N/A	0	N/A
		Elderslie Wallace Bowling Club	750	Childrens Bowls and Shoes
Any Additional Information/ Documents Provided with Grant Application	3.00	0		
Appendix 4 Submitted (Out of School Care Providers Only)		0		
Lead Officer Recommendation (for office use only)				