

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	1	£19,981.15	1	1

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

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1051	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	£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.

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
X	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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

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Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount	Source of other	Timescale		
		requested	funding	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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1052	INCHINNAN DEVELOPMENT TRUST (IDT)
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Inchinnan dogs off lead and dog foul	£566.00
awareness campaign	

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.

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.

What will the project do?

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).

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

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:

Anticipated Outcomes:

Increased awareness of the risks of unleashed dogs and undisposed dog foul.

A cleaner community woodland for all users - free of the risks posed by dog foul.

A safer community woodland for all users - free of the risks posed by off-lead dogs.

A decrease in disturbance to nesting birds (such as Skylark, Meadow Pipit and Lapwing) by unleashed dogs during the breeding season.

A decrease in disturbance/risk to farm animals (e.g., horses and livestock). Greater use of land by nesting bird species, increasing species abundance and biodiversity.

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 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:	Organisation Name:	
FR1057	Inchinnan Community Nursery	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Outdoor space	£4,500.00	

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.

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.

What will the project do?

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.

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:

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X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	Does not fit with priorities

Anticipated Outcomes:

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

Breakdown of costs

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

About the organisation:

to provide quality childcare and education to children aged 3-5 years.

	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:	Organisation Name:
FR1078	Erskine Community Council
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Erskine Town Centre Christmas Lighting	£10,000.00

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.

With a population of some 16,000 persons, it is the ambition to give the residents a focus point during the Christmas season.

What will the project do?

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.

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).

	Erskine, Inchinn	an, Bishoptor	ո & Langban	k Loca	I Priorities:
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	Key theme: Intergenerational work
	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
X	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	Does not fit with priorities

Anticipated Outcomes

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.

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

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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1081	Langbank Swing park Regeneration
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Brighten Our Street - Village Planters and	£10,000.00
Christmas Lights	

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	. Bisho	bton &	Langban	k Local	Priorities:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
\times	Community identity
\times	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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	£90.00	£90.00	N/A	N/A
improver				
3 large,	£2360.00	£2360.00	N/A	N/A
recycled plastic				
commercial				
planters				
800 litres peat	£200.00	£200.00	N/A	N/A
free compost				
potting grit	£150.00	£150.00	N/A	N/A
Up to 16	£7000.00	£7000.00	N/A	N/A
Christmas				
Lights and star				

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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1098	SNACK
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
O-Kay Café	£1,351.73

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.

What will the project do?

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.

Erskine,	Inchinnan,	Bishoptoi	n & I	Langbank	Local	Priorit	ties:

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

Anticipated Outcomes

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.

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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1099	Bonnie Bishopton
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Bonnie Bishopton Street & Barrier Planters	£ 5,000.00

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	Erskine	, Inchinnan	, Bishopton	&	Langbank	Local	Priorities
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	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
X	Community identity
X	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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	£500.00	£500.00	N/A	N/A
Compost				
Six Coloured	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	N/A	N/A
Street Planters				
with Reservoirs				
Five Barrier	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	N/A	N/A
Baskets with				
Liners				
Five Pole	£500.00	£500.00	N/A	N/A
Baskets with				
Brackets				

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 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 Ligh Main Road	
	Local Partnership	£5,000.00	Christmas Lights
	Grant		Main Road
2021/22	CHEF £4,000.00 To purchase planters with reservoir and plants and co		To purchase street planters with reservoir and buy plants and compost and topsoil.
2020/21	N/A	N/A	N/A

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1105 Erskine Community Nursery SCIO		
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Fun for all Ages	£ 6,150.00	

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.

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.

What will the project do?

This project will give multi generations the opportunity to spend time together, breaking down barriers and creating times of fun and learning.

The activities and experiences will be open ended and encouraging, provoking and enjoyable, and stimulating.

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.

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:

\times	Key theme: Intergenerational work
\boxtimes	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	Does not fit with priorities

Anticipated Outcomes

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.

Breakdown of costs							
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount	Source of other	Timescale for			
		requested	funding	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	£2,650	£2,650	N/A	N/A			

About the organisation:

Specialists

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

	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:	Organisation Name:
FR1113	Erskine Community Council
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Erskine Christmas Fayre	£6,600.00

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 8	& L	.angbank	(Loca	l Pr	iorities
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	Key theme: Intergenerational work
	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
\boxtimes	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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	Source of other	Timescale for
		requested	funding	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:

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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1122	Inchinnan Community Council
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Inchinnan play park benches	£ 1760.44

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:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
\times	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
\boxtimes	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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	Source of other	Timescale for
		requested	funding	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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR 1125	The Breastfeeding Network
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Renfrewshire Breast Buddies	£ 1,983.00

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	. Bishopt	on & La	angbank	Local	Priorities:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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 Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership	£5,384.80	Supporting existing
	Grant		volunteers, events,
			starting new group
2021/22	Local Partnership	£5,774.00	Supporting existing
	Grant		volunteers,
			supervision, events
2020/21	Local Partnership	£6,198.42	Helper training,
	Grant		supervision and
			supporting
			volunteers

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1127	Bishopton Week Group
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Bishopton Week and Gala Day	£ 7,158.40

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.

What will the project do?

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.

Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank Local Priorities:

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

Anticipated Outcomes

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.

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	Source of other funding	Timescale for funding
Wristbands for entry to Gala	£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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1139	Lamont Farm Project
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Lamont Farm Project	£5,000.00

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:

☐ Key theme: Intergenerational work
☐ Connectivity
☐ Community identity
☐ Planning & environment
☐ Community empowerment
☑ Partial fit with priorities
□ 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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1146	Erskine Arts
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Creative Adult Programme	£ 9,120.00
	*Please note this application was received
	after the deadline

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:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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 Name	Amount	Used for
2022/23	Celebrating	£2,860.00	Media Skills
	Renfrewshire		Development &
			Gaming Drop-In
	Winter Connections	£2,000	Soup Drop In
	Local Partnership	£5,000.00	Adult Music Tuition
	Grant		
2021/22	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020/21			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1148	Shopmobility Paisley and District
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Mobile Renfrewshire	£ 1,274.25

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:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
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\times	Connectivity
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	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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 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 Winter Connections	£15,000.00 £1,937.00	Salary, Insurance, Volunteer Expenses - Social Enterprise Discretionary Grant
2021/22		£15,000.00	Salary Incurance
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	113,000.00	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:	Organisation Name:
FR1149	Renfrewshire Access Panel
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Accessibility for All	£ 2561.61

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.

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

What will the project do?

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.

We are loaning out hearing loops and ramps to anyone hosting events or to local business until they can arrange their own.

Erskine	, Inchinnan	. Bishor	oton &	Langbank	Local	Priorities:
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	Key theme: Intergenerational work
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	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	Does not fit with priorities

Anticipated Outcomes

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

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount	Source of other	Timescale for
		requested	funding	funding
Mobile Phone	£153.00	£153.00	N/A	N/A
Accountancy	£1700.00	£1700.00	N/A	N/A
Fees				
Printing &	£3544.54	£3544.54	N/A	N/A
Stationary				
Office	£1624.93	£1624.93	N/A	N/A
Peripherals				
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 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:	Organisation Name:			
FR1045	Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities			
	(REEM)			
Project Name:	Amount applied for:			
Taste of Culture (Black History month)	£ 1,000.00			
Purpose of the project				
To arrange activities and events aimed at pro	moting Black History Month among ethnic			
minorities and the wider community in Scotla	ınd.			
What will the project do?				
We will arrange activities and events aimed a	t promoting Black History Month among			
ethnic minorities and the wider community in	n 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:				
☐ Key theme: Intergenerational work				
☐ Health & wellbeing				
☐ Connectivity				
□ Community identity				
☐ Planning & environment				
☐ Community empowerment				
☑ Partial fit with priorities				
☐ Does not fit with priorities				
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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				
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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	Source of other	Timescale for
		requested	funding	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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1049	C-Change Scotland
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Dates-N-Mates	£ 1,000.00

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.

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.

What will the project do?

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.

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	Key theme: Intergenerational work
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	Connectivity
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	Community empowerment
X	Partial fit with priorities
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Anticipated Outcomes:

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.

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

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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1055	Renfrewshire Walking Network
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Promote walking in Renfrewshire	£ 570.00

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.

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	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; 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	£3,980.00	£570.00	Other local	6/8 weeks
Equipment			partnerships	

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

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1061	Paisley Pirates IHC
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Provision of ICE	£ 2,019.90

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.

\boxtimes	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
X	Partial fit with priorities
	Does not fit with priorities

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

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

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 Name		Amount	Used for
2022/23	Local Partnership Grant		Help with ice costs
	Celebrating Renfrewshire		
Local Partnership Grant		£11,264.79	Help with ice costs
2020/21	Celebrating Renfrewshire		Help with ice costs

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1064	Fèis Phàislig
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Fèis Phàislig 2023/24	£ 4,470.00

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:

- 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 8	k Langbank L	ocal Priorities
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\times	Key	theme:	Intergeneration	onal work
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□ 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 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 Local Partnership Grant	£6,750.00 £527.25	Coordinator Fees Ceilidh trail 2020

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1074	SSAFA's Glasgow's Helping Heroes
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Social Groups for the Armed Forces	£ 7,571.25
Community	

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:

☐ Key theme: Intergenerational wo	rk
☑ 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 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 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:	Organisation Name:
FR1100	Rainbow Turtle
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Fair Trade Education and Promotion	£ 750.00

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:

X	Key theme: Intergenerational work
	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
X	Community empowerment
X	Partial fit with priorities
	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 Source of other Timescale for requested funding funding Education £19,000.00 £750.00 Other Local 3 months officer salary, Partnerships, membership, and office rent, educational fundraising equipment

About the organisation:

Promote and educate about Fair Trade across all of Renfrewshire

	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:	Organisation Name:
FR1106	PACE Theatre Company
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
PACE Youth Theatre Bursary Fund	£ 1,600.00

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, I	nchinnan,	Bisho	oton &	Langbank	र Local	Priorities:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
X	Partial fit with priorities
	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	Source of other	Timescale for
		requested	funding	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 Name	Grant Name Amount	
2022/22			Used for
2022/23	CHEF	£19800.00	Enchanted Forest
			Project
	Celebrating	£17,109.86	Youth Theatre
	Renfrewshire		Bursary Programme
2022/23	Local Partnership	£1260.00	Youth Theatre
	Grant		Bursaries
2021/22	RCRRF	£14000.00	COVID Recovery
	Celebrating	£7,700.00	Celebrating
	Renfrewshire		Renfrewshire
2021/22	CODF	£26680.00	Organisational
2021,22		120000.00	Development
			Development
2020/21	CODF	£26680.00	Organisational
2020/21	CODI	120000.00	
			Development
	Celebrating	£4,000.00	
	Renfrewshire		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1121	Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art
	Therapy Group
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Renfrewshire Stroke & Disability Art	£1000.00
Therapy Group	

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	. Bisho	bton &	Langban	k Local	Priorities:

	Key theme: Intergenerational work
X	Health & wellbeing
	Connectivity
	Community identity
	Planning & environment
	Community empowerment
	Partial fit with priorities
	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 an 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	

		Areas plus	
		members fees	

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.

Grant Name		Amount	Used for	
2022/23	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2021/22	Local Partnership Grant	£2000.00	Tutor & Hall Rent	
2020/21	Local Partnership Grant		Tutor & Hall Rent	