

To: Villages Local Partnership

On: 21 September 2023

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
Villages Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report

1. Summary

- 1.1 Villages 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 Villages Local Partnership in 2023/24 and current budget position is attached as an appendix to this report.

2. Recommendation

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

Villages Budget Monitoring Report 2023/24

General Grant Fund	£50,441.00 (net of Members expenses)
Carry Forward from 2022/23	£ 1,131.00
Total Funding Awards	£41,572.00
Available	£10,000.00

Grant Ref	Organisation	Awarded	Paid	Still to be paid
FR1045	REEM (Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities)	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00
FR1046	Lochwinnoch Choral Society	£1,980.00	£1,980.00	£0.00
FR1048	Lochwinnoch Arts Festival	£1,100.00	£1,100.00	£0.00
FR1050	Local Energy Action Plan	£5,000.00	£5,000.00	£0.00
FR1051	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	£900.00	£900.00	£0.00
FR1053	Lochwinnoch Community Development Trust	£5,000.00	£0.00	£5,000.00
FR1054	Calder Drama Club	£700.00	£700.00	£0.00
FR1055	Renfrewshire Walking Network	£570.00	£570.00	£0.00
FR1058	1st Bridge of Weir Scout Group	£5,000.00	£5,000.00	£0.00
FR1064	Fèis Phàislig	£4,470.00	£4,470.00	£0.00
FR1076	The Kilbarchan Singers	£3,452.00	£3,452.00	£0.00
FR1085	Elderslie Community Council	£300.00	£300.00	£0.00
FR1106	PACE Theatre Company	£1,600.00	£0.00	£1,600.00
FR1115	Lochwinnoch SWI	£250.00	£250.00	£0.00
FR1126	Bridge Of Weir Community Council	£2,300.00	£2,300.00	£0.00
FR1130	Viewfield Rovers AFC	£5,000.00	£5,000.00	£0.00
FR1133	Improving with Age	£950.00	£950.00	£0.00
FR1156	Kilbarchan Improvement Projects	£2,000.00	£2000.00	£0.00

Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund

Total funding available in 2023/24	£23,609.00
Carry Forward from 2022/23	£ 298.00
Total funding awarded in 2022/23	£23,907.00
Available funding	£ 0.00

Grant Ref	Organisation	Awarded	Paid	Still to be paid
CE1001	1st Bridge of Weir Scout Group	£3,500.00	£3,500.00	£0.00
CE1002	1st Lochwinnoch Boys' Brigade	£1,500.00	£0.00	£1,500.00
CE1003	1st Lochwinnoch Company Girls' Brigade	£2,906.00	£0.00	£2,906.00
CE1007	Bungalow Enterprises CIC	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00
CE1016	Friends of Howwood Park	£3,500.00	£0.00	£3,500.00
CE1023	Johnstone High	£1,000.00	£0.00	£1,000.00
CE1027	Lochwinnoch youth club	£3,500.00	£0.00	£3,500.00
CE1028	Loud n Proud	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00
CE1036	Rainbow Turtle	£651.00	£651.00	£0.00
CE1038	Renfrew Town Sea Scouts	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00
CE1051	Storm Gymnastics	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00
CE1052	Strathgryffe Tennis & Squash Club	£2,350.00	£2,350.00	£0.00
CE1057	Who Cares? Scotland	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£0.00

Feedback On Local Partnership Awards 2022/23

Community groups awarded funding from the Local Partnership in 2022/23 were asked to provide feedback regarding the progress of their project and benefit to the local community.

Feedback received is as follows:

FR No.	Organisation Name	Project Name	Award
FR1152	Brookfield SWI	SWI Survival	£400.00
FR1044	Lochwinnoch Choral Society	Singing development	£2,070.00
FR1047	Lochwinnoch Arts Festival	Lochwinnoch Arts Festival	£2,879.00
FR1050	Houston & Killellan Kirk Men's Shed	First Aid Training for members and supervisors	£2,500.00
FR1052	Lochwinnoch SWI	Assistance with Hall rent and cost of speakers	£300.00
FR1053	The Kilbarchan Singers	Royal Conservatoire Students	£3,010.00
FR1062	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank	£1,428.00

FR1128	Paisley sea cadets/Brediland hall	Hall improvements / running costs	£200.00
FR1145	Local Energy Action Plan	Community Larder: Facility Fit Out & Membership Development	£10,000.00
FR1175	Improving with age	Improving with age	£920.00
FR1060	1st Bridge of Weir Scout Group	Improvement of accessibility and Fire Safety,	£5,279.00
FR1036	Kilbarchan Improvement Projects	Continuation of the Centre post pandemic.	£2,000.00
FR1116	Renfrewshire Model Railway Club	Re-rendering exterior of club hall	£2,654.00
FR1127	Elderslie Community Council	Caddy Storage (inc Queens Park planting & Stoddart Sq benches)	£200.00
FR1141	Lamont Farm	Lamont Farm Project	£500.00
FR1034	Friends of Howwood Park	Pavillion Kitchen applicates and part group running costs	£1720.00
FR1120	Howwood Community Council	Social events in Howwood	£5232.00