

To: Paisley East Local Partnership

On: 16 June 2021

Report by: Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE: Applications for Local Partnership Funding To Paisley East Local Partnership 2021/22

1. Summary

- 1.1 Applications for grant funding from the seven Local Partnership areas were invited to be submitted during March and April 2021, to be considered at the Local Partnership meetings due to be held in May and June 2021.
- 1.2 The available allocation for Paisley East Local Partnership for 2021/22 is £68,647 made up of £52,247 from the General Fund, £11,100 from Paisley Common Good Fund and £5,300 underspend carried forward from the 2020/21 General Fund budget. The carry forward of underspend was agreed due to the exceptional circumstances of the Covid pandemic during 2020/21, which impacted on the ability of community organisations to undertake activities due to restrictions in place over the period. The normal arrangement whereby underspends cannot be carried forward into the next financial year will be reinstated for 2021/22.
- 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. Paisley East Local Partnership has space for eleven community members, so the total ringfenced for expenses is £550. The total budget available for allocation by Paisley East Local Partnership is therefore £68,097. The total value of applications received is £93,937.25, with this value being £25,840.25 more than the budget available for allocation.
- 1.4 The Youth Challenge Fund component of Paisley East Local Partnership Funding for 2021/22 is £24,095. This funding will be allocated by young people through a Participatory Budgeting exercise that will take place during autumn 2021.

2. Recommendations

2.1 It is recommended that members of Paisley East 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 2021/22 have been provided with guidance, as well as a description of the Local Priorities identified by Paisley East 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 Paisley East.
- 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 Paisley East 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 Paisley East Local Partnership are:

Exploring the impact of new housing developments

The Local Partnership want to explore how they influence planning decisions around new developments, and make sure that the infrastructure is in place to support these developments, for example, roads, schools and nurseries. They want to explore how community benefits might be used to support this.

Supporting social connections

The Local Partnership want to support social connections to tackle isolation and promote mental health and wellbeing. They want to see groups in the local area working together, swapping skills and sharing resources.

Community pride and safety

The Local Partnership want to see the care and maintenance of their spaces across their area, so they are clean, safe and attractive spaces. They want to see these spaces used to promote good wellbeing across the area.

Tackling food poverty

The Local Partnership wants to tackle food poverty in the area to ensure that people are able to access supplies of food where they need it. As part of this, the Local Partnership wants to see a reduction in the amount of usable surplus food wasted and the sustainable use of resources to be key features of work to tackle food poverty.

GRANT APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY PRIORITY THEME

Paisley East Local Partnership grant application forms – amount available £68,097 (£52,247 from the 21/22 General Fund, £11,100 from Paisley Common Good Fund and £5,300 General Fund underspend from 2020/21 minus £550 expenses). The total value of applications received is £93,937.25, with this value being £25,840.25 more than the budget available for allocation.

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

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Paisley East priorities
				Social
				Connections
				Community
FR1045	Keep Safe	£816	I Am Me Scotland	Pride/Safety
	Administration, Events		Boys Brigade Paisley and	Social
FR1052	and Running Costs	£500	District Battalion	Connections
	Artworks – Creative		Outspoken Arts Scotland	Social
FR1069	Learning Workshops	£1,000	Limited	Connections
				Social
				Connections
FR1082	Fair Trade Education	£3,000	Rainbow Turtle	Food Poverty
				Social
				Connections
				Community
FR1093	Fèis Phàislig 2021/22	£2,800	Fèis Phàislig	Pride/Safety
				Social
				Connections
				Community
FR1100	Jingle Bell Run	£3,450	Active Communities	Pride/Safety
				Social
				Connections
				Community
FR1122	Jenny's Well Nature Hub	£2,900	Friends of Jenny's Well	Pride/Safety
FR1127	Community Outreach			Social
	Coaching	£3,850	Kelburne Cricket Club	Connections
FR1137	Growing Proud			New Housing
	Community Connections			Developments
	For Wellbeing and			Social
	Health	£6,300	Friends of Barshaw Park	Connections
FR1140				Community
	Ralston In Bloom	£4,275	Ralston Community Council	Pride/Safety
FR1141	Ralston Community			Community
	Centre Swing Park	£1,275	Ralston Community Council	Pride/Safety
FR1142	Community Hockey			Social
	Programme	£1,000	Kelburne Hockey Club	Connections
FR1146	Replacement of Engine		Paisley Society of Model	Community
	Shed	£3,500	Engineers	Pride/Safety
FR1161	Renfrewshire Breast		Renfrewshire Breastfeeding	Social
	Buddies	£2,394	Network	Connections
	Support For Socially			
	Distanced Scouting and			Social
FR1166	Digital Technology	£2,125	5 th Paisley Oldhall Scout Group	Connections

FR1167	Reopening of Ralston Playgroup Post Covid	£3,250	Ralston Playgroup	Social Connections
FR1179	Social Isolation Bingo Bus	£500	Darkwood Crew	Social Connections Community Pride/Safety

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

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Paisley East priorities
				Social
				Connections
			Paisley Pirates Ice	Community
FR1056	Provision of Ice	£4,063.25	Hockey Club	Pride/Safety
FR1066				Social
	Ground/facility improvements	£2,500	Ferguslie Cricket Club	Connections
	Birthdays, Christmas,			
	Hallowe'en and Easter Gift			Social
FR1076	Provision	£1,400	Renfrewshire Toy Bank	Connections
FR1088				Social
				Connections
			Mossvale Community	Community
	Sewing 2Gether	£4,800	Church	Pride/Safety
FR1098			Meikleriggs Cricket	Social
	Cricket After Covid	£4,250	Foundation	Connections
FR1099				Social
	Hall Regeneration	£1,500	Paisley Sea Cadets	Connections
FR1101				Social
				Connections
				Community
	REEM Drop-In	£2,500	REEM	Pride/Safety
FR1133				Social
	Renfrewshire Rocks	£2,190	Bungalow CIC	Connections
FR1134	Creative Technologies and			Social
	Media	£2,500	Loud'n'Proud	Connections
FR1149	Provide Transport For			
	Members and Provision of		Oakshaw Trinity	Social
	Activities	£500	Friendly Hour	Connections
FR1154				Social
	Dates-n-Mates Renfrewshire	£2,500	C-Change Scotland	Connections
FR1155			Shopmobility Paisley	Social
	Advancing Social Enterprising	£1,500	and District	Connections
				Social
FR1164	Inspiring Connections	£469	Pachedu	Connections
				Social
FR1173	Foxbar Resource Cafe	£1,150	Foxbar Resource Cafe	Connections
				Social
			Stronger Communities	Connections
FR1182	Family Food and Activity	£2,000	Glenburn	Food Poverty
			Stronger Communities	
FR1190	Online Cooking Classes	£2,500	Glenburn	Food Poverty
	Christmas Toy Bank and Food		Stronger Communities	
FR1191	Provision	£1,800	Glenburn	Food Poverty
				Social
FR1197	Different Pasts, Shared Future	£750	Pachedu	Connections

APPLICATIONS WITH PARTIAL OR NO REFERENCE TO THE PAISLEY EAST LOCAL PRIORITIES

Ref No.	Name of project	Amount Requested	Name of organisation	Contribution to Paisley East priorities
FR1048	Counselling For Children and Young People	£1,000	Wynd Centre	Partial – Social
	roung People			connections
			Bishopton Sports and	Partial – Social
FR1096	Gym	£2,000	Social Club	Connections
FR1118	Windows and Re-rendering	£4,700	Renfrewshire Model	Partial – Social
	Exterior		Railway Club	Connections
FR1132	Shelter	£430	Phoenix Flyers	No Fit
FR1188	Lamont Farm Project	£4,000	Lamont Farm Project	No Fit

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1045	I Am Me Scotland	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Keep Safe	£816	
Who benefits from the Project?		
We want to empower communities to make place by joining the Keep Safe Initiative.	their local area a safer and more inclusive	
We want to support social connections by he how to support vulnerable people and under to help make communities safer for everyone	stand the importance of reporting incidents	
We want to tackle social isolation by encoura community life free from a fear of abuse or h		
Keep Safe was developed in response to a ne community. Many people reported feeling vu the community.		
Keep Safe was designed and developed with Although originally designed for disabled peo everyone as anyone can feel vulnerable, at a	ple, Keep Safe can actually be used by	
The need for Keep Safe is increasingly important as the country moves out of lockdown. The impacts of shielding specifically mean that many people may feel nervous or anxious about re-entering the community.		
Keep Safe can help people feel supported, kn they need support. That support may only be themselves.		
This funding will enable the delivery of two Keep Safe Ambassador training sessions. This a full days training to young people aged 14-18 or adults with learning disabilities.		
Keep Safe ambassador training is delivered in partnership with Police Scotland. As ambassadors, young people will work collaboratively and sharing their own experiences and knowledge, and also have the opportunity to get more involved with I Am Me and Police Scotland to make their community a safer place.		
We will also provide Keep Safe cards for distribution to community groups within Paisley East and provide keep safe approach letters, encouraging local community buildings and businesses to sign up to become a keep safe place.		

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- $\hfill\square$ Tackling food poverty
- $\hfill\square$ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Total Cost	Amount requested
£952	£616
£200	£200
£168	£0
£255	£0
	£952 £200 £168

About the organisation:

I Am Me is a charity established in 2015 with 860 members.

To change attitudes and behaviours so that disabled and vulnerable people can feel safe in their communities.

Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2020/21	Local partnership	£3850.28	Understanding	
	(Paisley)		Disability Booklet	
			Easy Read Keep	
			Safe Animation	
2019/20	Celebrating	£18,000.00	Keep Safe Kids -	
	Renfrewshire		Anti Bullying App	
			designed and	

		developed with children and young people across Renfrewshire.
2018/19		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1052	The Boys Brigade, Paisley & District Battalion
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Admin, events & running costs	£500

Description of Project:

Battalion administration and events programme and Battalion running costs.

In addition to running costs the Battalion will be planning several events throughout Renfrewshire. These events will encourage participation in many physical activities and will include local issues such as foodbanks and fair trade. We hope and expect that these events and activities will attract new members and retain present members to experience the values of the Boys Brigade and attend regular classes and events as a diversion to anti-social behaviour.

All of our events are arranged by our various activity's committees, which cater for the whole age range of the Battalion from Primary 1 through to 18 years of age. We have 23 events which cover the whole age range of the Battalion, involving sport, physical activities, arts and crafts, quizzes, swimming, and fun days for our younger members. Over the session we expect that 750 Boys Brigade members will participate in these events which we hope will attract new members through family and friend's support. All of these events require input commitment from our leaders to make them successful in addition to their weekly commitment to their individual companies.

All boy participants are registered at each event by the organising committee. All our leaders and helpers have PVG clearance from Disclosure Scotland.

The current bank balance of this group is £29,275.92. Part time administrator's salary and running costs of the battalion are set against this balance.

This is a multi-area application – all LP's are being asked for funding ranging from $\pm 250 \pm 600$.

Who benefits from the Project?

Over many years we have been organising events to encourage participation in values that we believe will be in line with Renfrewshire Council's community plan. The activities promote being active, healthier, safer and stronger.

From a young age our boys and young men will learn that are responsible for their actions and preparation for the various events.

The Battalion has 143 members from the PNWC Local Partnership area. Two-thirds of the boys in the Battalion are under 12 years of age.

All of our events are based on developing our young people to be the best that they can be in teamwork, mentally, physically and encourage their concern for others.

We hope that many of our members will participate in our various events which provide progressive training throughout the age range. We hope and expect to see improvement in the various disciplines that our events cover. We hope that together our events programme will be a positive influence and will prepare our young people for and sustain them in their future lives.

PE Local Priorities:

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- ⊠ Supporting social connections
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Notes:

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested		
Salaries	£9,100	£900		
Hiring premises	£500	£115		
Heat & Light	£2,300	£250		
Insurance	£3,000	£350		
Printing, stationary,	£2,000	£280		
telephone & postage				
Transport	£500	£115		
Photocopier costs	£4,000	£400		
Building depreciation	£2,000	£280		
Building maintenance	£1,600	£160		
Other general expenses	£1,500	£150		
TOTALS	£26,500	£3,000		

About the organisation:

The object of the boys brigade is the advancement of Christ's kingdom among boys and the promotion of the habits of obedience, reverence, self-underpinned by respect and all that tends towards true Christian manliness.

The group have 1 part time member of staff, 230 volunteers and 995 members.

The group have £29,275.92 in their bank account, with expenditure costs of part time administrators wages and battalion running costs set against this.

Grant funding award history:

In 20/21 the Battalion was awarded £2,386.31 to provide financial assistance in running events, Battalion headquarters and administration costs. Due to COVID-19 the funding

was used for Battalion administrator and headquarters expenses. The benefits to the community were very limited due to the Covid19 restrictions, as the Battalion members were unable to have any face to face contact. In a limited way some companies were able to keep in touch with their boys through social media. The Battalion were able to keep their headquarters building and staff who met on a very limited way, social way within social distance regulations, to be prepared for when the group is able to function fully again.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Partnerships	£2,386	Battalion events & running costs
2019/20	Local Partnerships Cat C award	£1,000 £450	Battalion events & running costs Queen's badge & training
2018/19	LAC Award Cat C award	£1,626 £500	Battalion events & running costs Queen's badge & training

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1069	Outspoken Arts Scotland Ltd
Project Name:	Amount applied for: £1,000
Artworks - Creative Learning Workshops	

Description of Project:

A summer programme of Creative Learning workshops to develop the creativity and skills of young learners. To enable young people to be more open minded, constructively inquisitive, to harness imagination, to identify and solve problems and developing creative approaches to learning.

The Workshops will be delivered by professional artists in a dedicated gallery setting in the Piazza shopping centre and will feature a number of visual art forms. They will help young people learn practical knowledge of various art forms, which create pathways and transferable skills and aid further employment opportunities in the arts. The workshops will encompass film, photography, painting, jewellery making, sculpture and digital art.

Programme Vision: Provide geographically/financially accessible quality visual art workshops for young people in outer-laying communities and areas of under-provision.

This programme would consist of a series of twice weekly daytime workshops run over the Summer holidays July/Aug 2021 - 12 workshops in total. They would take place in ArtSpace37, a new gallery space in The Piazza shopping centre and would focus on a particular theme / skill / medium / practice.

Each workshop would last 2-3 hours. These workshops will be delivered under Gallery/Creative studio covid-19 regulations as directed by Scottish Govt.

a successful series of online workshops in February-March 2021 during lockdown. see this link <u>http://outspokenarts.org/creative-learning/</u>

The organisation has 43,313.40 which is ringfenced for staff costs, Office overheads, Project costs for Creative Scotland funded activity.

The organisation has 2 full time funded employees and 1 part time. They also have 12 volunteers

Who benefits from the Project? Young people aged 15-25 years

Small teams of teens of young adults will work together to produce a piece 'work'. Each workshop will be delivered by an emergent artist who is well versed in a particular type of theme, skill, medium, practice. The primary objective of these workshops is for young people to see the different career opportunities available in the arts and design.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
12 workshops - artists fees @ £29.75 per hour x 4hrs = £119 per workshop	£1,428.00	£1,000.00
Art materials and learning packs for up to 144 participants	£1,200.00	£1,000.00

About the organisation:

Outspoken Arts Scotland is a Paisley based arts organisation that champions equality and effective representation for those marginalised by society. We aim to represent all protected characteristics- age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage/civil partnership, pregnancy/maternity, race, religion/belief, sex, sexual orientation and communities of interest.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	CODF	£35,000	Staff costs
	Celebrating Renf.	£2,887.00	Creative learning workshops online
	Local Partnership	£1,376.72	East end mural
2019/20	CODF	£35,000	Staff costs
	CHEF	£20,072	Paisley suite project
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:			
FR1082	Rainbow Turtle			
Project Name:	Amount applied for:			
Fair Trade Education	£3000			
Description of Project:				
To build on Rainbow Turtle's education work locally, particularly from young people and th				
This will include the facilitation of workshops				
environmental impact, to connect not only w	ith the Fairtrade Schools awards system but			
also the Eco Schools and Rights Respecting So				
With a focus on this local partnership's intere Turtle facilitates the sharing of resources and where teachers and pupils can exchange idea	skills with our regular schools conferences,			
Collaborating with Renfrewshire Council and Zone status for the area.	local schools on issues such as Fairtrade			
The organisation has 1 part time member of	staff and 55 volunteers.			
The organisation has £14,000 in the bank which covers the cost of Monthly wage for Education officer is main outgoing, but rest spent Educational Programme Support for local Fair-Trade indicatives				
This organisation has applied to all 6 LP's for	varying amounts.			
Who benefits from the Project?				
Young people and residents within the community.				
The project was identified by local residents i				
and schools along with the Fair Trade status of				
This is turn was identified from the global Fai	r Trade movement and s desire to more			
equity in the world. The educational aspect was identified betwee	on the regular sustamors of the Bainhow			
Turtle shop, schools, teachers and students a	-			
Fair Trade and what anyone can do to make a				
Rainbow Turtle fits in with many of the priorities of the Local Partnerships by growing communities locally as well as globally.				
PE Local Priorities:				
Exploring the impact of new housing	developments			
Supporting social connections	-			
Community pride and safety				
⊠ Tackling food poverty				
Partial fit with priorities				
Does not fit with priorities				

Notes: Fair trade addresses issues of global connections, particularly around the production of food.

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

About the organisation:

The aims of the organisation are to:

To enhance the profile of Fair Trade in Renfrewshire by:

- campaigning and education e.g. talks, workshops, conferences and activities in schools and community groups;

- organising special events for Fairtrade Fortnight, producer visits etc., often in partnership with other third sector organisations;

-working in partnership with producers in developing world

- Promoting Green issues and Sustainability

Grant funding award history:

The 20/21 Local Partnership money was mainly spent on salary of an education officer who liaised with schools and other groups to educate and promote Fair Trade. We promoted Fair Trade Fortnight and started a podcast about Rainbow Turtle, Paisley and Fair Trade.

All schools were offered online resources, especially during Fair Trade Fortnight Schools were closed for most of the year which meant normal business in terms of direct education work with pupils had to be postponed. However, contact with teachers continued, with a Teacher's Blog being set up, so mainly online. A number of events were planned over the year, but by necessity these have been rescheduled.

The Education Officer built up a wide variety of materials and resources, primarily online activities which can be rolled out when circumstances change. Hence, schools will be in a much better position to embed Fair Trade into the curriculum as normal services resume. Home learning materials were developed for parents and guardians who were educating young people in the home. A wide variety of sessions, activities and digital learning opportunities were offered.

Updating the website and offering information and resources as well as drawing together links to relevant sites, was a key element of the work.

These resources were accessed by parents, teachers, partner organisations and interested members of the public who found them useful, engaging and informative.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Partnerships	£8,750	Contribution to
	in total		Education
			Programme costs
			Aug 19 – Aug 20

	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£750	Education in schools
2019/20	Local Partnerships in total and Paisley Common	£4,312	Contribution to Education Programme costs Aug 19 – Aug 20
2018/19	Local Area Committee LAC, in total	£4,606	Contribution to Education Programme costs Aug 18 – Aug 19

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1093	Fèis Phàislig
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Fèis Phàislig 2021/22	£2,800

Description of Project:

Fèis Phàislig will deliver an exciting programme of events within Paisley East that gives young people and the wider community the opportunity to engage with the traditional arts and Gaelic culture. Across 2021, the organisation will engage over 50 young people on a weekly basis through our series of instrumental classes. Our Cèilidh Trail group will provide free public concerts across the local area and to care homes, nurseries and partner organisations. We will also deliver a programme of free interactive music sessions for all schools across the local area with some of Scotland's best traditional musicians and tutors.

Who benefits from the Project?

Young people from across the Paisley East local partnership.

All members of the community will have access to the Ceilidh trail

Children and older people will benefit from concerts being delivered in their nurseries and care homes.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
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Notes:

Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested		
Ceilidh Trail Rehearsals -	£3138	£1000		
Musician Fees & Expenses				
Ceilidh Trail Concerts	£1900	£440		
Delivery - Musician Fees &				
Expenses				
Ceilidh Trail Other -	£3402	£500		
Recording, Venue Hire &				
Additional Performances				
School Visits - Musician	£860	£860		
Fees				

About the organisation:

Our central aim is to promote interest, participation and progression of young people's

knowledge and skills in traditional Gaelic music & language in Renfrewshire. This is achieved through the planning & delivery of year-round traditional arts activities for young people aged 8-18, including an annual tuition festival structured to highlight the musical, cultural & educational objectives of the Fèis.

The organisation has 1 paid employee and 8 volunteers

The organisation has £32458 in the bank, part of which is allocated against: Remaining YMI Schools Project 2020 - £5000 Remaining Weekly Lessons / Gaelic Choir 2020 - £6000 Musician in Residence (late 2021) - £12000

Grant funding award history:

The original 20/21 Local Partnership grant application was to take a group of 6 young local musicians on our annual Ceilidh Trail tour and allow them to develop their experience of touring and performing. Unfortunately, due to restrictions around Covid-19, the tour was unable to take place. Our amended application was approved to cover our recruitment costs. This included venue hire and panel fees for our audition process. Although the tour was unable to take place, the recruitment process was a success and we have 6 young musicians waiting to take their place on our next Ceilidh Trail project in late 2021. Whilst the project is currently waiting to take place later this year, the grant award ensured we were able to recruit 6 of the best young musicians from the area. When they do eventually perform their concerts together, we anticipate reaching at least 500 people within the community through traditional music and Gaelic.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Partnership	£527.25;	Ceilidh Trail
	Grant Funding;		Recruitment;
	Cultural Organisation Support Fund	£6750	Coordinator Fee
2010/20		CE 02E	Maakhy Lassansi
2019/20	CHEF Fund;	£5,935;	Weekly Lessons;
	Local Partnership Funding;	£5,949.11;	Ceilidh Trail / Weekly Lessons;
	Mòd Fund	£2,697	Promotional School Visits
2018/19	LAC Funding;	£5,376.53;	Weekly Lessons;
	Mòd Fund	£3020	Gaelic Choir +
			Drama Workshops

Reference:	Organisation Name:		
FR1100	Active Communities		
Project Name:	Amount applied for:		
Jingle Bell Run	£3,450		
Description of Project:			
The Jingle Bell Fun Run will take place on 5 D	ecember 2021.		
The main purpose of the event is to provide , get active, and have fun.	an opportunity for families to come together		
To organise a Christmas 3K family fun run &	1K fun run in Barshaw Park in Paisley.		
The Jingle Bell Fun Run is a unique family fur abilities and aims to encourage people to tak	-		
Jogging Buddies will offer a training program event.	me and beginner classes leading up to the		
The event aims to get families active and having fun while doing so.			
On the day we will provide information on opportunities for families and the local community to be active on a regular basis.			
This is an annual event which has grown in numbers every year. We identified the demand for this type of event through talking to the local community and participants in our Jogging Groups. There were no family events like this in Renfrewshire. From feedback from race participants we reduced the distance from 5K to 3K to make it more attractive families.			
for families. Local community groups have also contacted us to support and be involved with the event. Many local groups all have their members take part in the event to raise funds for their own groups.			
We have also received feedback from families about the value for money of the event with many people saying how much they appreciate the event as a family day out. One participant said last year " this event marks the start of Christmas for my whole family".			
Last year the event could not take place at the park and we have been asked by the local community if we will be able to run the event this year.			
We will:			
Organise a 3k and 1k family fun run at Barshaw park on the 1st Sunday in December.			

Provide opportunities for people to train for the event by organising a beginners Jogging group at our Jogging Buddies venues.

Promote the event through local groups, previous participants and through social media.

Encourage other local community groups to get involved in the event by asking them along to the event to participate or to promote their groups activities.

Work with partners Renfrewshire Council, Renfrewshire Health & Social Care partnership and local partners to promote the event, Paisley and Barshaw park

Provide information on the day on opportunities for people to take part in physical activity on a regular basis.

The outcomes will be:

Improved health and well being of local families Increased numbers of people using Barshaw park Promoting Barshaw park as a space for heath and wellbeing Increased opportunities to try new activities Improved fitness Improved community cohesion Raised profile of Barshaw park Local groups working together to share skills and resources to organise the event.

Who benefits from the Project?

Local families, local groups and the users of Barshaw Park will benefit from the project.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- $\boxtimes~$ Supporting social connections
- ⊠ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Medals	£2000	£1500
Marketing , poster, banners	£400	£200
Race essentials - numbers, temp paint, markers	£400	£200
Volunteer refreshments	£200	£200
First Aid	£200	£200
Permit / insurance	£150	£150
Beginners course	£750	£0
Event equipment hire - marquee, generator, DJ, van hire	£1500	£1000

About the organisation:

Active Communities is a charity established in 2009 with 70 volunteers and 200 members. It's purpose is to:

Improve health and well being reduce loneliness and isolation reduce health inequalities increase skills and knowledge of local volunteers provide employment opportunities for local people work in partnership with other local organisations

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Partnership	£2000	Jingle Bell Run
		£6018.57	Feel Good
			Johnstone
2019/20	Partnership Paisley	£3500	Jingle Bell Run
	Partnership	£4060	Health and
	Johnstone		wellbeing activities
			Asset Transfer
	Community	£50K	Development
	Empowerment		
	Fund		
2018/19	Section 10	£2000	Community Led

		Health
All LAC	£3500	Jingle Bell Run
	£8870	Youth Club
	£7600	FeelGood
	£2200	Bridge Buster
CEF	£10000	Feasibility Study

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1122	Friends of Jenny's Well	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Jenny's Well Nature Hub	£2,900	
Description of Project:		
The purpose is to create and equip a secure l		
maintaining and developing Jenny's Well Loc	al Nature Reserve.	
This will allow is to further improve the path attractive and safer place to visit.	network and make Jenny's Well a more	
The purpose is also to continue our efforts to	draw in involvement from the local	
community, build community links and foste		
Nature Reserve.		
	ELAPs. It aims to improve COMMUNITY PRIDE	
AND SAFETY - maintaining a space which is cl		
being in the area. The project will also SUPPC opportunities for tackling isolation and prom		
Volunteers will work together, learning new		
volunteers win work together, learning new	5005	
Visits to Jenny's Well by local residents in 202	20 identified that:	
The path network was neglected and overgro disabled access, and rendering it unsafe for v		
The area was heavily littered, and was being	used for fly-tipping.	
Parts of the reserve were being used for anti	social activities.	
Invasive species such as Japanese knotweed	Himalayan Balsam and Giant Hogweed were	
becoming established.	Thindayan baban and clant hogweed were	
C C		
The volunteer group has begun collecting a b	oank of tools and equipment needed for the	
work, but we need more, and we currently h	ave nowhere to store this equipment	
securely.		
Continue with the work already undertaken	her are examples of work done so far:	
Continue with the work already undertaken, her are examples of work done so far:		
Removal of 300+ binbags of rubbish from the reserve in the last 3 months. Removal of		
large quantities of fly-tipping.		
Recovering over 2 kilometres of path network which had become largely un-usable.		

We will do this by arranging public litter picks and path maintenance sessions via our Facebook page.

We will seek opportunities to enhance biodiversity throughout the reserve, contributing to Renfrewshire's Biodiversity Action Plan.

Who benefits from the Project?

Jenny's Well Nature Reserve will be a more attractive place for people to visit & enjoy the physical & mental health benefits of exercising in a local green space, increasing visitor numbers.

Volunteer numbers will increase, building a sense of community ownership and pride in the area.

Anticipated outcomes tie-in with two of the LAPs - improving COMMUNITY PRIDE AND SAFETY - maintaining a space which is clean, safe, and attractive, promoting well being in the area.

The project will also SUPPORT LOCAL CONNECTIONS, creating opportunities for tackling isolation and promoting mental health and wellbeing. Volunteers will work together, learning new skills.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- **⊠** Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
10 ft Shipping container	£2000	£2000
with lock box & delivery		
Heavy duty Lock & security	£100	£100
keys		
Assorted tools for path and	£500	£250
vegetation maintenance		
Path topping Gravel	£500	£250
(several bulk bags)		
Sundries for fence	£100	£100
maintenance and painting		
Public Liability insurance	£200	£200

About the organisation:

The group was established in 2021 and has 15 volunteers and 500+ members.

To maintain and develop the nature reserve known as 'Jenny's Well' as a community resource. To involve the local and wider community in developing 'ownership' of, and taking responsibility for, the upkeep of the nature reserve

To initiate and coordinate community activities sympathetic to the maintenance and development of the nature reserve

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Team up to Clean Up	£50	basic tools
2019/20			
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1127	Kelburne Cricket Club
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Community Outreach Coaching	£3,850
Community Outreach Coaching	±3,850

Description of Project:

It is felt that with the struggles of lockdown for both physical and mental health this is a great opportunity to get kids active post pandemic and promote the advantages of team sport. Furthermore it is hoped that by bringing kids, adults and families together, with the club acting as a community hub, it will help to tackle issues of isolation which exist in the community and promote mental health and wellbeing. As a large portion of our existing membership comes from the Paisley East area, we also feel it is important to re-engage with them post pandemic to ensure we can offer support through social interaction at the club and that, after a year without play, no members are lost to the sport. It is felt that high level coaching will aid us to do this.

The club has previously focused its community outreach program on delivering curriculum time PE coaching within local primary schools across Paisley East and this has not been possible for sometime (and potentially for the foreseeable future) due to the Covid 19 pandemic and issues around accessing schools. Whilst the club intends to resume and improve these sessions in the medium and long term (as soon as practical) we feel it is important towards our and the Paisley East communities COVID recovery to have an open access program in place for the summer of 2021. With the new housing developments around the Paisley East area, it is hoped that this will give families new to the areas a place to build social connections within the local community. The club has existing relationships with local primary schools within Paisley East through active schools and HUB membership, therefore are well placed to support the community coming together; children ,adults and families alike.

The club intends to recruit a highly experienced and qualified Club Coach to plan, lead and manage the delivery of training for both senior and junior members at the club. These sessions will be provided free of charge to the wider community to give an introduction to the sport. We will especially focus on children and young people, both boys and girls, to develop an interest in sport and healthy living post pandemic. The Club will run free senior coaching on Tuesday & Thursday evenings and free junior coaching on Wednesday & Friday evenings. This will be promoted through paid advertising on the clubs social media accounts & local leaflet drops, as well as through active school & hub links. The coach will lead a week long summer camp and will also conduct 1:1 specialised coaching with our existing members to allow them to develop their skills and remain engaged with the club.

Who benefits from the Project?

It is expected that increased engagement with the local community will result in an

increased membership for the club. As the project has a significant focus on children and young people, it is expected this group will become regular attendees at the club's junior training sessions and eventually filter into the main club as active members in the sport. The club also hopes that it will receive a general increase in membership as parents and families experience the club atmosphere and feel included as valued members of the club as a community organisation. Furthermore by providing a high level coach, we also expect that this will ensure our existing members can be retained.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- $\boxtimes~$ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Lead Club Coach	£3600	£3600
Additional Coaches	£1400	£O
Volunteer Coaching Team (minimum of 4 hours per week)	£O	£O
Advertising	£500	£250

About the organisation:

Kelburne Cricket Club is an Unincorporated Club established in 1860 with 10 volunteers and 50 members.

Participation and promotion of the sport of cricket across all sections of the community. Providing high level facilities for members, in order to allow play across all levels of the sport. Our focus for 2021, is to build on the existing youth membership through engagement with the local community to maintain the clubs sustainability and promote the physical and mental health advantages of cricket and team sport.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1137	Friends of Barshaw Park	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Growing Proud Community Connections for	£6,300	
Wellbeing and Health		
Description of Project:		
To build on social connections and communit		
involving more people of all ages in cultural, a	•	
in the Walled Garden and the wider area of B		
and interesting pastimes to younger people,		
from destructive and antisocial behaviour We		
the Walled Garden and other areas of the part		
activities to improve physical and mental hea	lth.	
Feedback from visitors and on our Facebook		
been a lifeline in the last year, beneficial for p	physical and mental health, a place daily	
health walks and peaceful relaxation		
Lack of water supply to the Walled Garden of		
toilet facilities means volunteers can only spe		
Reports of poor mental health and occasiona	l antisocial and destructive behaviour,	
demonstrates a need to welcome and engage	e more young people to our park activities.	
Who benefits from the Project?		
All members of the local community, volunte	ers and visitors to the area.	
PE Local Priorities:		
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Exploring the impact of new housing	aevelopments	
Supporting social connections		
Community pride and safety		
□ Tackling food poverty		
Partial fit with priorities		
Does not fit with priorities		
Notes:		
Breakdown of costs		
We bought bird houses, nesting boxes, bird for	odors and kits to build birdbouses and	
feeders. We printed information leaflets and		
We created a welcome pack which was delivered to new housing in the area. The pack		
contained a "Welcome to Barshaw Park" letter, and a wooden token, which we invited		

contained a "Welcome to Barshaw Park" letter, and a wooden token, which we invited recipients to decorate or write a message on, and hang from one of the laurel trees in the Walled Peace Garden in Barshaw Park.

We bought craft materials and created Easter Craft packs which were distributed to local children and community groups, and schools and invited them to create decorations to display in the Walled Peace Garden.

We had originally intended to deliver workshops in the Walled Peace Garden for local people and families to build birdboxes and learn about wild birds, and to deliver other craft workshops.

The pandemic meant that we could not deliver the sessions in person and in the park as we had intended, so we a system to deliver the projects at virtually.

Our work with the Mirin Group, an organisation for young adults who have learning difficulties, had to be put on hold as the group could not meet during the pandemic.

Paisley North West and Central: We reached over 100 households in Hawkhead with our Welcome Packs.

Paisley Abbey Scouts, and over 20 households in Hawkhead, Greenlaw, and Town Centre took part in the Birdwatch project

Paisley East: 20 Households in Paisley East took part in the birdwatch project.

The Birdwatch project was extremely popular and we distributed over 200 kits and birdhouses to households in Paisley and wider Renfrewshire. Some families were issued with both ready made birdhouses and children's kits.

Our Welcome Packs invited residents to visit Barshaw Park to enjoy it's amenities and also to join and volunteer with Friends of Barshaw Park.

We have recruited several new volunteers of different ages and backgrounds to work in the Walled Garden, and more people have joined our committee and made connections with others in the community.

People have learned new skills and developed and shared their knowledge of gardening, and have a sense in achievement in seeing the Walled Peace Garden looking beautiful with a peaceful and welcoming atmosphere. Visitors to the garden have benefited from having a lovely garden to visit and relax in.

Families and children have learned about the wild birds which visit their gardens and open areas in their local area. They are learning more as birds build nests in the Friends of Barshaw Bird boxes, and feed in the gardens and surrounding areas.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Rain water harvesting tanks and system	£1300	£1300
Hire of qualified instructors for Kids Club, yoga, dance, art, and sports activities, and purchase of equipment	£3000	£3000
Purchase and installation of composting toilet	£4000	£4000

About the organisation:

To ensure the maintenance and development of Barshaw Park for the benefit of the community and to encourage and provide activities and events which improve health and wellbeing, social connections, and pride in the Park. We will continue to work with other

community groups and organisations to recruit participants and volunteers, and work with them to involve young people in deciding on and participating in our activities and reducing anti social behaviour.

The organisation has 190 volunteers and 350 members The group have £8962 in the bank, which is set against a range of items: Barshaw Walled Garden Renovation : £3003 Community Connections project : £2012 Welcoming Barshaw : £450 Repair of vandalised seating area : £1500 Restoration of stolen trees and planting: : £725 Covid contingency: £200 Insurance and admin costs: : £1000

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Welcoming Barshaw	£2910	Delivering a birdhouses creation project, learning about different breeds of birds and their nesting and feeding habits. over 200 birdhouses delivered. Project is continuing with bird feeders to be built and installed over the next few months. Contact made with all residents of new housing developments in Hawkhead area, many participated in our wooden token scheme for Spring and Mother's Day.
2019/20	Community Connections	£4200	A series of open air Art Classes delivered over the summer months of 2019. Communications and events equipment
2018/19	Walled Garden Restoration programme	£9800	Purchase of: large container to store tools and equipment, tools and garden equipment, repair of broken windows,repair of rockery walls, recovery, restoration, and maintenance of paths, infrastructure, and flower beds. project on going with information lectern to be built and installed, and painting of

	railings, benches, repointing	1
	and general maintenance.	

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1140	Ralston Community Council
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Ralston in Bloom	£4,275
Description of Projects	

Description of Project:

We want the area to have 5 flower planters, mostly along the main (Glasgow) road so that the environment is improved. Many residents and a great deal of traffic use this route and it will offer maximum impact in terms of improving people's moods and reducing stress. it is also generally accepted that flowers increase levels of positive energy and help people feel secure and relaxed. Post covid and a whole range of mental health issues a s a consequence is probably the best time for us to propose this initiative.

Locations under consideration include large pavement area at corner shop, other shop (towards Glasgow and under pylon), corner of Tylney /Glasgow road, Pavilion and Community Centre.

We are aware of other communities who who invest their time and money in flower planters and feel that the local councils do not have the resources they once had to these initiatives.

Who benefits from the Project?

It will make the area more attractive. It will give pleasure to our residents and others who pass through. With the correct plants in will encourage wildlife. At the best locations it will (potentially) educate. Also, as we will be maintaining these through volunteers it will encourage some inter-generational activity.

Anticipated outcomes will include:

Improved mental health, health and well-being, surroundings, sense of community, pride in community, working together for the benefit of the community across many age groups).

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Planters	£3,250	£3,250
Plants	£825	£825
Soil and drainage	£700	£700

About the organisation:

Ralston Community Council was established in 1980 and has 10 members.

Its role is representing our community to the local authority, facilitating a wide range of activities for the health and well-being of all ages of the community. Bring local people together to help make things happen, protecting and promoting the identity of our community as well as looking for ways to maintain and improve its facilities.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	Ralston Community Council Games	£5,800	Postponed Games

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1141	Ralston Community Council
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Ralston Community Centre Swing Park	£1,275
Description of Project:	

Ralston Community Centre has a small swingpark/play area well utilised by young children and an excellent facility for parents and carers to benefit from when visiting the library or events/classes in the community centre itself. The application is to be able to make the area safe again for children because over time the safety ground coverings have eroded and the ground around all of the equipment had dipped significantly and to the detriment of safety.

We are aware of the issues first hand and through residents concerns and complaints to us, including photos. The actual apparatus is in reasonable repair but cannot be used with any ease due to the safety issues highlighted which worsen significantly when the ground is wet, often with huge puddles forming.

Who benefits from the Project?

It will make the entire swingpark area safe and more attractive to children to play in. It will give pleasure to our residents and their children and other children who are vising the community centre.

The project will provide exercise, fun and improved mental health, health and well-being for our youngest residents and visiting children. More attractive community centre and pride in our community.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Bouncy tarmac	£1,275	£1,275

About the organisation:

Ralston Community Council was established in 1980 and has 10 members.

Its role is representing our community to the local authority, facilitating a wide range of activities for the health and well-being of all ages of the community. Bring local people together to help make things happen, protecting and promoting the identity of our community as well as looking for ways to maintain and improve its facilities.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21			
2019/20			
2018/19	Ralston Community Council Games	£5,800	Postponed Games

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1142	Kelburne Hockey Club
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Community Hockey Programme	£1,000

Description of Project:

The purpose of this project is to deliver a structured coaching set-up through a local Primary School Hockey Development Programme in partnership with Active Schools. The programme will be delivered to all Schools in a mixture of indoor and outdoor settings, and will be planned in accordance with the Local Area sporting network requirements

- 1. Paisley Schools
- 2. Out-of-Central Renfrewshire area schools
- 3. Oher identified sporting communities

We train coaches at all ages levels within our Club to ensure we retain continuity at all levels over the years and develop more coaches able to train more players going forward. This year is our 50th half-centenary year over developing players and coaches in our all-inclusive coaching system.

The programme will be delivered through 4-week blocks of after-school/lunchtime extracurricular activities and local festivals as identified. After-School Clubs will be set-up under the banner of Kelburne Hockey Club and delivered by our trained coaches to local pupils and others in the immediate catchment area that require it.

Hockey is a sport that is physically demanding and as a result, provides significant health benefits to all players & coaches. Kelburne has a rich history of providing players and coaches in Scotland and up to International level.

We encourage general health & well-being across our Club as this is paramount to our Club Ethos, that all coaches & players of all ages and fitness levels receive every encouragement to succeed.

As part of the overall recovery from covid we have established a youth committee. Members of this group led a survey of junior members as well as focus groups. One of the key areas all identified was how much they had enjoyed and benefitted from previous club links from primary schools.

Previous programmes in partnership with Renfrewshire leisure have proved successful and have positively contributed to both a successful secondary schools programme as well as forming the basis of the Renfrewshire team which successfully won a national competition last year. 90% of the team were part of a previous schools programme.

The project will provide further opportunities for young people to take part in organised structured sport as we recover from COVID.

We will increase the number of experienced coaches who will look after these community clubs and deploy the many great hockey skills to positive benefit.

We will do this over a sustained period, working with all Renfrewshire Active Schools staff.

This will provide each of the young coaches with valuable skills for life learning and work which will develop confidence and self esteem for them as well as the skills required to plan and deliver sessions.

Who benefits from the Project?

Our young people will become much fitter much more quickly than other sporting activities. These young people will mature much faster through this Club training programme which will stand them in good stead when dealing with the rigours of the outside world when moving in to Secondary school and beyond.

We will grow more performance athletes, players who reach the pinnacle through personal self-achievement in being a part of this programme.

Our hockey Community in Renfrewshire will grow and general Social & Well-being levels will be enhanced significantly in this period.

PE Local Priorities:

□ Exploring the impact of new housing developments

- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Coach Education	£1500	£1000
Equipment	£1500	£O

About the organisation:

Kelburne Hockey Club was established in 1969 and has 40 volunteers and 260 members. Its purpose is: To offer coaching and competitive opportunities to men and women within Hockey.

To offer coaching and competitive opportunities to boys and girls within Hockey.

To promote Hockey within our local community of Renfrewshire. To provide social activities for members of the Section.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Celebrating Renfrewshire	£1500	Youth Development
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	LAC	£1000	Youth Development

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1146	Paisley Society of Model Engineers
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Replacement of Engine Shed	£3,500
Description of Ductors.	

Description of Project:

To replace the fire-damaged engine shed located in our station area with a secure container.

The engine shed structure was damaged by arson on the afternoon of 25th July 2020, and has been unusable since. It has also been the target of previous vandalism, and its sloped shape allows it to be used as a ramp for unauthorised access to the roofs of neighbouring structures. Replacing it with a secure container would replace the storage space lost and act to prevent future vandalism to other structures on the site. Use of this structure will also release space in our existing container and allow us to pursue expansion onto the station area to improve our "interaction area".

The shed will be demolished and the ground under it levelled, possibly including some material being removed from the grass bank to the side and a section of track lifted from the front of the building. The rubble would be recycled onsite as part of a project to improve drainage. The container would then be moved into position by use of a truck mounted crane.

Renfrewshire Council have given permission for this to take place. We would coordinate access of vehicles etc to the park with them.

The installation of a secure container in place of the existing shed would provide the society with secure, vandal resistant, storage for vulnerable equipment, supporting the operation and maintenance of the railway. The removal of easy access to the roofs of neighbouring structures may make these a less attractive gathering after dark, potentially reducing anti-social behaviour and litter.

It has also been suggested by Renfrewshire Council that the side of the container facing the public path could be an opportunity for a local artist(s) to create a mural.

Who benefits from the Project?

Members of the club and users of Barshaw Park, particularly young children.

PE Local Priorities:

- $\hfill\square$ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- $\boxtimes~$ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- Partial fit with priorities

Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
20' x 8' shipping container	£2500	£2500
2 day hire of small cement	£50	£50
mixer		
2 day hire of small	£200	£200
excavator		
Cement	£25	£25
Sand	£25	£25
Paint	£200	£200
Hire of skip for removal of roof material	£250	£250
Sundry materials including padlocks, footing of container and front of doors.	£250	£250

About the organisation:

Paisley Society of Model Engineers is an Unincorporated Club established in 1955 as (Rolls Royce Model Engineering Club.

Its purpose is to promote interest in model engineering as a hobby, and to offer a train service using steam and petrol powered locomotives to the users of Barshaw Park.

Provide learning in the specialist area of steam powered locomotives from building from scratch, maintaining them through to driving complete trains. Ensure a thorough appreciation of health and safety requirements.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1161	The Breastfeeding Network
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Renfrewshire Breast Buddies	£2,394

Description of Project:

To provide breastfeeding peer support and evidence based information to new families in Paisley East. This is especially important in area of multiple deprivation which addresses health inequalities, promotes inclusion, tackles loneliness and isolation, improves maternal health and wellbeing. This then improves the confidence of young mums, enabling them to go on and do further training. We want to maintain the excellent service we already provide by supporting our existing volunteers in the area.

Across Renfrewshire breastfeeding rates remain low, with only around 20% of babies being exclusively breastfed at 6-8 weeks in the most deprived areas. Evidence shows that trained peer-support helps mums to meet their own breastfeeding goals, enabling them to breastfeed for longer. This positive impact on their own mental health improves bonding and attachment helping to alleviate postnatal depression and feelings of isolation. By having the opportunity to access skilled support and evidence based information they feel part of a supportive welcoming community. Babies not breastfed are more likely to suffer from chest, ear, urinary tract and gastrointestinal infections, and at higher risk of obesity, hypertension, heart disease, stroke, diabetes, and cancer in later life.

During lockdown we have been running 3 virtual breastfeeding groups weekly on Zoom and plan to start a new face to face breastfeeding support group in the area when the pandemic restrictions ease in line with Scottish Government guidelines. We will continue with supervision and ongoing learning for our volunteer peer supporters. This is in line with the Local Partnership's priority of families accessing local health services, supporting both mums' physical and mental health and reduces social isolation, increasing social capital. The area is already welcoming and accessible to breastfeeding families, which is also in line with the Scottish Government's Breastfeeding Friendly Scotland launched in 2019. We will work closely with other local community groups, Health Improvement and Health Visiting teams. We will attend local community events providing support to both pregnant women and new families.

Who benefits from the Project?

We will continue to support vulnerable local families within the community enabling them to continue breastfeeding for as long as they wish. They will have increased knowledge and confidence and be part of a supportive community. We anticipate supporting increasing numbers of breastfeeding families on the postnatal wards, at the groups and at local community events. We will continue to support existing volunteers by helping them increase their knowledge and skills, promote our service locally and increase knowledge in the community.

We will measure attendance at groups and events by families as well as support given via

social media. By recording volunteer activity and gathering their experiences we will be able to measure increases in social capital. We will evaluate our ongoing study/supervision sessions to measure these outcomes for our volunteers. We will seek feedback from families accessing support to measure increases in knowledge and awareness around breastfeeding, and if we are meeting their needs and expectations.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs			
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	
Supervision, support and ongoing learning for	£338	£338	
volunteers			
Project coordination, partnership working and management of volunteers	£5872	£O	
Room hire costs for breastfeeding group (50 weeks) and for 3 x supervision sessions	£1090	£1090	
Volunteer expenses e.g. travel to attend groups/walks	£260	£260	
Resources e.g. masks, sanitiser and other items related to being covid secure. Hi-vis vests, rucksacks and first aid kit for walks	£250	£250	
Core cost recovery - central management support, governance, insurance, HR and finance support etc	£456	£456	

About the organisation:

The Breastfeeding Network is a Charity established in 1997.

Our vision is a society where mums and families are able to make informed decisions about breastfeeding, to access help when they need it and to become confident in their choices. For a new mum deciding how to feed her baby, talking to a mum who knows about breastfeeding can make a crucial difference and the Breastfeeding Network strives to be the best we can be at providing peer support.

Our mission is to offer independent, evidence-based information and support to help build awareness of breastfeeding to individuals and organisations and to support a mum in her choice to breastfeed.

Grant funding awar	Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for		
2020/21	Johnstone/Lin LP	£2,498.94	Ongoing training		
			and support of		
	Paisley East LP	£3,699.48	volunteers, ongoing		
			supervision		
2019/20	Johnstone/Lin LP	£6091	Training and		
			supervision of new		
	Paisley East LP	£6091	and existing peer		
			supporters,		
	Erskine LP	£6091	volunteering costs		
			and resources		
	Paisley N LP	£1760.30			
2018/19	Renfrewshire	£3941.44	Sustaining support		
	Council LACs	£615.54	groups,		
			volunteering costs,		
			venue hire, support		
			and supervision of		
			volunteers, popup		
			events		

Reference:	Organisation Name:		
FR1166	5th Paisley Oldhall Scout Group		
	Amount applied for:		
Project Name: Support for socially distanced scouting and	f2125 TBC - multi		
digital technology			
Description of Project:			
To enable more activities for beavers , cubs a	and the voungest members of the group to		
take place in Barshaw Park.	ind the youngest members of the group to		
To raise the digital skills of young people and digital demonstrations in the hall.	to allow showings of socially distanced		
The scout group programme has now restart place.	ed with an approved risk assessment in		
This requires the group to make more use of the numbers we can have in the hall at one t			
This project will support us in running scouting activities in the park and provide a richer digital experience for the group when we use the hall.			
Who benefits from the Project?			
The events shelter will give the leaders and young people an easily erected temporary shelter while running activities in Barshaw park .			
The laptop , data projector and sound system will allow the Scouts to learn , create and show their own digital productions in the hall.			
To support them develop new digital skills and support the leaders in the creation of on- line badgework.			
PE Local Priorities:			
 Exploring the impact of new housing Supporting social connections Community pride and safety Tackling food poverty Partial fit with priorities Does not fit with priorities 	developments		
Notes:			

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
2 Events Shelters	£1,000	£750
Laptop	£750	£500
Data Projector	£500	£350
Surround Sound	£500	£350
Screen	£250	£175

About the organisation:

Scouting exists to actively support and engage young people for their personal development, empowering them to make a positive contribution to society.

The group has 15 volunteers and 95 members

They have £12,969.00 in the bank which will contribute towards the refurbishment of the hall and the creation of gender-neutral toilets.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	LEC	£3850.00	Contribution
			towards new toilets
			and windows
2019/20	LEC	£2754.80	Contribution
			towards Kitchen
			and hall
			refurbishment
2018/19	LEC	£5228.00	Contribution
			towards new
			heating and lighting
			system

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1167	Ralston Playgroup
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Re-opening of Ralston Playgroup Post Covid	£3250

Description of Project:

Ralston playgroup has been closed for the entire time of the pandemic.

With restrictions lifting and education returning to normal as of April 2021 The committee along with the playgroup leaders are currently making arrangements and plans, with a view to being able to re-open as soon as possible.

Ralston playgroup has capacity for 24 children. In the past the playgroup has operated 4 mornings per week. There is demand from parents to open 5 mornings per week, and this is being considered by the committee. We will very soon start to update our social media platforms and carry on the work on the website which we started pre covid, in order to establish a waiting list and put in place a plan to re-open and be covid compliant. We plan to arrange 2 open days, to showcase our playgroup and attract new and existing families.

Ralston playgroup has been going for nearly 44 years and has always been a feature of community life in Ralston and surrounding areas. It is highly regarded by local primary schools, parents, grandparents, and childminders, and operates to capacity during the entire academic year.

We are long established and have and have an enviable reputation for excellence and the committee and the play leaders are keen to have the playgroup operational once again, to the same exacting standards as before, with an adherence to all the guidelines.

Who benefits from the Project?

We are extremely mindful of the impact that COVID has had on the development our very young children, and we recognise that they have been unable to socialise with other children, and learn through play in the manner in which they have done before, and the negative impact on health and wellbeing.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- \Box Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Outdoor – to make safe, clean and secure the outdoor play area. Repair required to AstroTurf, due to theft	£1900	£950
Outdoor – new bark laid in play area	£500	£250
Outdoor – disposal & replacement of outdoor toys	£1000	£500
Indoor playroom – disposal and replacement of toys/equipment/craft materials and dress-up/role play	£400	£200
Eating & drinking utensils and food preparation equipment	£200	£100
Covid compliant equipment / utensils	£500	£250

About the organisation:

Ralston playgroup has been going for nearly 44 years and has always been a feature of community life in Ralston and surrounding areas. The aim of the playgroup is to advance the care and education of pre-school children, providing a seamless transition to nursery and primary school so that they may take a constructive place in the community.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1179	Darkwood Crew
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Social Isolation Bingo Bus	£500

Description of Project:

Darkwood Crew would like to build on the success of their inclusive, effective and wide reaching Covid response/recovery program allowing them to tackle isolation and loneliness in an innovative and creative way whilst still observing necessary Covid related restrictions. Last spring/summer a total of 91 sessions of free social isolation bingo were hosted across every street in Ferguslie Park and also visiting Corseford on 2 occasions contributing to a real sense of community spirit and collective responsibility to emerge. This also allowed for organic support networks to form and grow as well as provide much needed relief for many residents experiencing feelings of isolation and loneliness. All children in attendance receive a small goody bag of sweets and a drink as well as everyone in attendance being offered a free 3 page triple chance session of prize social isolation bingo. A small bag of decorating materials will be made available to allow tenants and residents to decorate the street to add to the positive atmosphere and build up. It is hoped that this might encourage residents in the area to come together and think about how they might be able to organise similar activities in the area in the future. We propose to work in partnership with Williamsburgh Housing Association and others to identify where in the area this would be best hosted to maximise engagement and minimise any feelings of isolation.

Darkwood Crew was established prior to Covid however our activities have dramatically changed over the last year in direct response to identified community need. This proposed project will allow us to extend our social isolation bingo provision to an area which currently lacks local engagement. Our 5 key focus areas existed prior to Covid however have been exacerbated hugely. The empowering nature of the effective solutions identified have helped create an unrivalled sense of community spirit and if allowed to continue will ensure a locally led & sustainable wellbeing recovery.

2 sessions of social isolation bingo will be hosted in partnership with Williamsburgh Housing Association.

Who benefits from the Project?

Help tackle isolation & loneliness during a time of easing restrictions.

Introduce a sense of positive community spirit by demonstrating good practice from a neighbouring community.

Build capacity within our own volunteer pool as well as act as a catalyst for new volunteers in the Paisley East area.

A reduction in local residents feeling isolation or lonely.

An opportunity for local residents to break down any barriers which may exist and perhaps proving detrimental to local people becoming active.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Books & Administration	£100	£100
Good Bags for Kids	£150	£150
Prizes	£200	£200
Transport Costs	£50	£50

About the organisation:

Darkwood Crew is an Unincorporated Club, established in 2018.

Darkwood Crew is a constituted subsidiary of Ferguslie Community Council and was initially set up to regenerate the local village green. Using a variety of community development based approaches the group aims to tackle 5 key focus areas including food insecurity, fuel poverty, isolation & loneliness, mental health positivity and the local environment. We truly believe a greener more sustainable planet starts wiith greener more sustainable communities and Think Global, Act Local is our guiding principle. Since Covid the organisation has been instrumental in a one community response and recovery program including provisions such as the social isolation bingo bus

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Celebrating	£2000	Arts Mural on
	Renfrewshire Fund		Village Green - Not

			yet received
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	Green Spaces Fund	£4810	Not yet received
			due to planning
			process

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1056	Paisley Pirates Ice Hockey Club
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Provision of Ice	£ 4,063.25
Description of Project:	
To provide part funding of ice hire, permitting place at Braehead Arena, the only facility ava assistance to meet approximately 13% of that All other expenditure will be met from within	ilable within a 30mile radius of Paisley. Seek t total cost within a ring fence for ice costs.
Encourage more people to watch/play ice ho	ckey to promote healthier lifestyles.
The ice hockey season was cancelled for seas requests support to resurrect activities for se	
Renfrewshire Council approved a motion to a within the Paisley area, allowing all ice user conneed to apply for grant assistance (Braehead Scotland.	lubs to thrive, which would preclude the
The organisation has £8,873.11 in the bank. T Design & development of a new web site (£4, COVID - PPE etc provision (£981.11) Mascot (£1,375.00) Equipment (£1,323.00)	
The club have applied to 4 other local partner	rships for ice costs.
Who benefits from the Project? Young and older people from across Renfrew sport benefit from the activities of this projec participating in the volunteering opportunitie	t through participation in in the sport or
Members of the public with an interest in ice group through spectating opportunities.	hockey also benefit from the activities of the
The club has 75 active volunteers and 2499 m	nembers.
PE Local Priorities:	
 Exploring the impact of new housing Supporting social connections Community pride and safety Tackling food poverty Partial fit with priorities 	developments

Does not fit with priorities Notes:

reakdown of costs	-	
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Hire of Ice	£31,255.73	£4,063.25
Insurance & Affiliation	£2,875.00	£0.00
Team Equipment	£5,088.26	£0.00
Buses	£3,150.00	£0.00
Refs	£2,609.89	£0.00
Awards	£1276.25	£0.00
Misc Equipment	£756.40	£0.00

About the organisation:

Paisley Pirates were formed in 1946 & from then until the 1960's played at East Lane. In 1992 they were resurrected at the Lagoon Leisure Centre until 2006, when Renfrewshire Leisure Ltd withdrew the ice facilities. While Pirates were successful in relocation to Braehead Arena, the cost is prohibitive - pre COVID cost was £213.55/hr with an increase pending for season 2021/22. Therefore, we anticipate an hourly rate in the region of £250/hr.

Due to paucity of ice facilities, Pirates have on occasions gone as far as Dundee & Dumfries for ice.

Due to rising demands for a skills based approach, the club have appointed a second volunteer coach for the senior team & intends to appoint commensurate numbers of volunteer coaches in respect of the planned re-introduction of junior ice hockey, for players under the age of 18.

Pre COVID, the club were actively involved with Renfrewshire Council to establish an ice facility within the Renfrewshire for all ice sports. We intend to resume this work as soon as it's safe to do so.

Grant funding award	history:		
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Withdrew our application due to COVID & felt the other applicants would hopefully benefit financially from our withdrawal.		
2019/20	PPIHC ICE HIRE	£11,500	Ice Hire

2018/19 PPIHC ICE HIRE £6,100 Ice Hire				
	2018/19	PPIHC ICE HIRE	£6,100	Ice Hire

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1066	Ferguslie Cricket Club
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Ground/facility improvements	£2,500

Description of Project:

The purpose of our project is to enable the next phase of facility improvement programme to commence.

The latest phase will see the installation of underground drainage on our outfield and our surrounds thus ensuring improved drainage, better ground conditions and reducing the number of games cancelled as a result of a waterlogged pitch.

In addition, the phase will also see our practice facility completed with a sightscreen erected behind the bowlers. This will further enhance our practice facility for all users.

This is a multi-application with 4 other LP's being applied to for funds ranging from £1077 - £2500

Who benefits from the Project?

People of all ages who have an interest in participating and/or spectating in the sport of cricket.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Underground Drainage	£5,154	£1,250
Practice Facility Sightscreen Fence	£4,500	£1,250

About the organisation:

With a history in the local community dating back to 1887, Ferguslie Cricket Club is one of the main sporting and social clubs in Renfrewshire, promoting health through participation in sport, a social focus for the community and a sporting reputation that promotes Paisley and Renfrewshire on a national basis.

The group has 4 part time members of staff, 30 volunteers and 225 members The group has £13236 in the bank and have not provided any information about what this money is allocated against.

Grant funding award history:

In 20/21 the group has received funding from Gleniffer and Paisley East Local Partnerships for the purchase of Cricket Roller. The purchased cricket roller will enable the group to prepare better cricket pitches for all teams and visiting opposition. In addition, better pitches will enhance group's ability to host representative games thus attracting visitors to Paisley. All junior and senior players (circa 75 members) and visiting teams will benefit from the funding.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Partnership Fund	£2500	Roller
2019/20	Leisure Grant Partnership Fund	£500 £2,000	Sport and Social Hub Changing room
2018/19	Leisure Grant LAC General Fund Common Good	£500 £2,760 £2,760	Changing room enhancements

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1076	The Renfrewshire Toy Bank
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Birthday's, Christmas, Halloween & Easter appeals	£1,400

Description of Project:

The request for funding is to support the main function of the group.

We previously operated as "The Renfrewshire Christmas Toy Bank" however now that we have dropped Christmas from our name, we run all year round. Providing new toy and gifts for children of all ages within Renfrewshire. Only giving out new gifts takes away any stigma as well as helping struggling families. This incorporates but not limited to, Christmas, birthdays, Halloween and Easter. We work in partnership with various charities, local authority organisations, NHS groups and other local projects to cover all of Renfrewshire helping as any children as possible while keeping the service fair and confidential.

We provide new toys and gifts for local children (aged 0-18, living in Renfrewshire) through a referral process. Within Paisley North and Central we work with Paisley social work, Heath Visitors, Families First, Home link workers, Home-start, The STAR Project, Pals of the Privies, The Darkwood Crew as well as Who Cares? Scotland and other legitimate organisations working with children and families. This keeps the service fair, as well as keeping vulnerable people's private information safe in line with data protection and GDPR. This also means that the above organisations work together to reduce duplication. Within the area we also have valuable volunteers that we could not operate without.

Toys and gifts that go out are always new and we work with trading standards to ensure a high level of checks are done to provide safe and age appropriate toys for local children. We believe the toy bank is a valuable resource to assist struggling parents and Carers to be able to gift the same as other local families.

The organisation has 15 volunteer and 20+ members

They have £8,177.34 in their bank account. Part of this money has been set against other items. Currently we have no gift cards left and these will need to be replenished - around £3,000 worth. As we are now running all year round for birthdays we also need to purchase more toys and teenage gifts when the shops reopen. Halloween then also needs to be accounted for.

The group have applied to all LP's for funding to enable the project to be delivered across the whole of Renfrewshire.

Who benefits from the Project?

Families and specifically children 0-18 across Renfrewshire

Looked after children

It has been proven that children open up and learn through play, we make a point in ensuring that babies and toddlers have items that will grow with them and their development. This ethos is carried through to all ages. We also target groups that work with older children and teenagers ensuring that no matter the age everyone is included, which is imperative to mental health and wellbeing.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Storage	£2,000	£280
Toys/gifts	£4,000	£280
Gift cards	£7,000	£280
Halloween	£5,000	£280
Easter	£5,000	£280

About the organisation:

We aim to provide new toys and gifts for 0-18 year olds living within Renfrewshire who may otherwise go without for Christmas, birthdays, Halloween and Easter. This is done through a referral service to keep the project fair and keep vulnerable people's information safe.

We work with social work (all Renfrewshire divisions), Families First, the SPACE Project, schools, local charities such as Who Cares? Scotland, the STAR Project, EBI Unites and many more (please see supporting documents). Working this way allows us to cover the whole of Renfrewshire while being able to include all age groups.

Grant funding award history:			
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for

2020/21	Local Partnership Funding	£6,709.50	storage toys and gifts gift cards Easter
2019/20	Local Partnership Funding	£1,500	Gift cards
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:	
FR1088	Mossvale Community Church	
Project Name:	Amount applied for:	
Sewing2gether All Nations	£4,800	
Description of Project:		
We facilitate sewing workshops for asylum	seekers, refugees and New Scots with little or	
no English language skills.		
Use recycled materials we create upcycled i	tems of everyday practical use.	
Provide ESOL tutoring and practise conversa	tional English at workshops and written	
English in WhatsApp groups.		
-	uilding relationships within the group and the	
local community, overcoming stigma and di		
Promote health and wellbeing by encouragi	• • • •	
Encourage attendance at community based		
Cultivating volunteers, building cross-cultur	•	
	move on to further fulfilling social, educational	
and occupational opportunities.		
Who benefits from the Project?		
Asylum seekers, refugees and New Scots wi	th little or no English language skills are	
benefitting from the project		
PE Local Priorities:		
Exploring the impact of new housing	a developments	
Supporting social connections		
 Community pride and safety 		
□ Tackling food poverty		
Partial fit with priorities		
 Does not fit with priorities 		
Notes:		
Breakdown of costs		

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Project Manager (Freelance) (p/t 2.5 days per week)	£15,000	£0
Fundraising & Development Manager (Freelance) (p/t 2.5 days per week)	£15,000	£0
Sessional worker (Freelance) (£100 per workshop)	£4,800	£4,800
Sessional worker [Lived Experience Representative] (Freelance) (£100 per workshop)	£4,800	£O
Haberdashery costs Website/Printing/Publicity materials	£1,500 £300	£0
Groceries care packages / drinks & meals at workshops	£2,640	£0
Travel expenses - delivery of packages / reimbursement of bus fares for participants	£960	£0
Contingency for sewing machines repair / replacement / testing	£1,000	£0

About the organisation:

Sewing2gether All Nations is a project held within Mossvale Community Church (MCC). The project falls under the second and third aims of the MCC constitution; Community: building strong family relationships and Outreach: meeting physical, social and spiritual needs of others in our community and overseas

Mossvale Community Church has 1 full time and 2 part time members of staff. The have 70+ volunteers and over 300 members

The organisations current bank balance is £94,000.00 which is assigned to pay for structural repairs to the building.

Grant funding award history:

In response to the COVID-19 crisis the majority consensus was to maintain contact in a Whatsapp group. Members wished to continue with creative activities. Early funding provided sewing machines for many. A schedule of doorstep delivery of sewing projects was developed. Lockdown / shielding concerns led to a relationship with Glasgow Gurwara, and food parcels are now included. Funding will allow us to continue to provide doorstep and digital (Whatsapp & Zoom) services and purchase resources for the packs. We received an influx of referrals from Scottish Refugee Council and other members and now have 55 households represented, with 70 children at home. School age children are encouraged to participate and earn to sew too. Members report the vital importance of the ongoing connections, reassurance we can still provide practical supports, and boost to their wellbeing.

55 households participated in the projects, mothers and grandmothers with 70 children also taking part in some sewing projects.

In the last year we have not had any members stop participating or disengage, instead we have grown in numbers. Members report the vital importance of the ongoing connections, reassurance we can still provide practical supports, and boost to their wellbeing

_	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Section 10 Grant	£2000	Staffing
	Paisley North, West		Haberdashery costs
	& Central Local	£3,920.00	Lunch provision
	Partnership		Travel expenses
			Publicity materials
2019/20			
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1098	Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Cricket after Covid	£4,250

Description of Project:

The project aims to increase the number of people participating in regular sport within Renfrewshire and aims to address the reduction in people participating regularly in sport and active activity sessions, by providing regular cricket sessions throughout the year. Led by a qualified cricket coach, our cricket sessions will increase the activity levels in all participants and help to promote an active and healthy lifestyle throughout the local communities where our project will work.

The need for this project was identified by liaising with local groups and local people. We have become aware of the declining number of people of all ages participating regularly in sport, especially cricket. Football teams cater for a high number of people however our project seeks to cater for those who do not play football and indeed cater for people regardless of ability. We seek to promote participation in sport, through cricket for people of all ages and abilities.

Our project will provide cricket sessions for people of all ages and will focus on the following:

- in or after school cricket coaching sessions (primary schools)
- in or after school cricket coaching sessions (secondary schools)
- university and college cricket coaching sessions
- weekly, open cricket coaching sessions for all aged under 18
- weekly, open cricket coaching sessions for all aged 18 and above
- winter cricket coaching sessions for people all ages and abilities

Our project will not only help to enhance fitness levels and improve the health and wellbeing of each individual, but it will also promote key transferrable skills which people of all ages can use in their educational or employment lives. Communication and team work skills will be promoted by

our project while self-confidence, self-belief and self-esteem of each individual will be enhanced.

Our project will get people outside after a year of restrictions to participate in regular physical activity.

Who benefits from the Project?

Different age groups receiving the coaching will benefit from this project.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- Supporting social connections

- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- □ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

The group is applying for £4,250 from the Paisley East Local Partnership. Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation has applied to Local Partnerships for the total of £10,000 to contribute to the same project.

The total project cost is £11,500. The rest of the costs will be balanced from secured, existing funds.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Cricket Coaching (320 hours @ £25 p/h)	£8,000	£4000
Venue Hire	£2,500	£250
Equipment	£1,000	£0

About the organisation:

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

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

The charity aims to:

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

Grant funding award history:

In 20/21 the group sought funding from Paisley East, Gleniffer and Paisley North West & Central Local Partnerships. The funding to enable cricket coaching to be available to the community. It enabled us to provide a qualified cricket coach, when COVID restrictions allowed. Sessions encouraged people of all ages and abilities to take part outdoors in an activity which enhanced their physical and mental health and wellbeing. We reached a total of 100 people - mainly for the Paisley partnerships. The community were able to attend structured and covid friendly sessions to take part in physical activity. This was vital at a time when gyms etc were closed.

Grant Name	Amount	Used for

2020/21	Partnership Fund	£4,326	Community Cricket Coaching
2019/20	Leisure Grant	£500	Community Cricket
	Partnership Fund	£3,822	Coaching
2018/19	Leisure Grant	£500	Community Cricket
	LAC General Fun	£6,143	Coaching

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1099	Paisley Sea Cadets
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Hall regeneration	£1,500

Description of Project:

To fund running costs of the hall and provide funds to develop, maintain and improve the hall.

So far the hall has been managed exclusively by the Sea cadets. However, our funds are limited which has held back development of the hall. We are looking to get more input from other groups using the hall as well in reaching out to the local community for support and increase usage. More usage will generate more income

The hall is leased from Renfrewshire Council. We are talking to Engage Renfrewshire regards advice of how to start a community asset transfer.

We have costed 7/8 items that we need funding for so as to make repairs, and generally develop the hall;

- Running costs = Internet, hall insurance and heat/lighting
- Repairs = replace skylight in kitchen which is single glazed, ill-fitting and a security issue. We have brickwork issues that urgently need addressed. Brickwork in one corner of building is crumbling/porous
- Improvements- are to put in a permanent concrete disabled ramp, to put in a fire and burglar system & door entry system, to fit a proper steel fire escape door, and to replace carpeting

Receipt of the grant will allow us to devote more resources for hall development. The ramp will make the hall 100% accessible by wheelchair users. A new fire door will greatly improve security and safety. The fire and burglar alarm & door entry system will improve safety and hall security.

We have poor floor covering in several rooms and carpeting will make the rooms much more comfortable/inviting and reduce heating costs.

There are urgent repairs required to crumbling brickwork. A new kitchen skylight will improve security and reduce heating costs

All of the above will be out sourced to local businesses.

Who benefits from the Project?

Young people from across Renfrewshire will benefit from this project.

The Sea Cadets has 100+ members and 24+ volunteers.

Covid 19 has resulted in the complete closure hall for the last 12 months, Before this cadets /other youth groups used the hall every evening and was well used at the weekend for parties.

We are looking to further maximise hall usage especially during the day/weekends. We will be looking to encourage new groups such as playgroups/after school clubs etc. to use the hall. Our kitchen although needing upgraded is perfectly fine to use for lunch clubs as well. Increased hall usage = more income = funding running costs and maintenance.

We will be looking to obtain funds to employ a part time cleaner which is of particular importance in keeping the hall Covid secure, cleaning and to open/close the hall.

PE Local Priorities:

- $\hfill\square$ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- $\hfill\square$ Community pride and safety
- \Box Tackling food poverty
- $\hfill\square$ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

The group is applying for £1,500 from the Paisley East Local Partnership. Paisley Sea Cadets has applied to Local Partnerships for the total of £9,800 to contribute to the same project.

The total project cost is £11,800. The rest of the costs will be balanced by secured funding from Corra Foundation (£2,000) and unsecured Local Partnership funding.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Heating and lighting & internet	£2300	£O
Replace skylight	£750	£750
Hall insurance	£1000	£O
Disabled ramp	£750	£750
Fire door	£1000	£0
Fire and burglar alarm system & door entry system	£1000	£O
Carpeting	£2000	£O
Brick work repairs	£3000	£O

About the organisation:

Sea cadets - To promote the development of young people in achieving their physical, intellectual and social potential as individuals and as responsible citizens by the provision

of education and leisure time activities using a nautical theme.

Brediland hall - to develop the hall as a community asset, maximising hall usage and developing a hall that is inviting, warm and comfortable

The organisation has over 24 volunteers and over 100 members.

The organisation has £10,708, the details of which it is allocated towards are: Our running costs at the moment are about £400/ month. Our heating should decrease due to summer approaching/new boiler, but due to Covid restrictions our normal funding income = bag packing/hall hire/cadet subscriptions is £nil, and we are expecting a £3,000 deficit in the next 12 months - due to just paying hall running costs. The hall has a flat roof > 25 years old, and I am looking to hold funds in reserve as a precaution.

Grant funding award history:

We received £2,000 from Gleniffer and £495 each from Paisley north west and central/Renfrew/paisley east.

We had a new boiler installed last month and the nest unit was installed. We didn't spend anything on stationery. All of the other costs were spent as expected.

Due to covid restrictions the hall has been shut down since mid march 2020, and is still shut down, so strictly no one directly benefitted from the project as yet. Our income for 2020/2021is nil. In a normal year we would have received hall hire income, cadets subscriptions, bag packing income and gift aid. This was nil due to covid. All hall and cadet activities were completely suspended. The income received plugged the gap in our funding. The funding was used 100% as requested.

The funding has protected the hall for the future. Our reserves have taken a significant hit due to covid. Before the covid shut down the hall was used by sea cadets/brownies/rainbows and the local community. Approximately 120 young people/adults use the hall directly plus the local community for parties etc.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local partnerships	£3,485	Hall running costs and improvements
	Celebrating		
	Renfrewshire fund	£4,000	Purchase of two outboard engines for sea cadets boats
2019/20			
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1101	REEM (Renfrewshire Effort to Empower
	Minorities)
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
REEM Drop-In Centre	£2,500

Description of Project:

REEM operates a Drop-In Centre, recognized within the community as an impartial access point. A place people feel comfortable approaching for advice and advocacy. We see a wide range of people from different cultures with their own unique barriers, situations and needs. The centre is already helping a lot of people and the demand of the project has been overwhelming. There is a need to keep the centre 5 days a week due to demand.

We are looking for funding to cover basic running costs.

Who benefits from the Project?

When various minorities leave their home countries they are faced with new customs and ways of doing things. They struggle to cope with life changing events without the support of family and friends and with no one to speak to within their new community. They do not interact for several reasons, including trust issues, language difficulties or religious belief.

The project was initiated by a group of people who themselves went through a similar phase and are aware of the need.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- ☑ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Rent & Rates	£4200	£3000
Postage, Stationary, Printing and Telephone	£655	£655
Audit/accountancy fees & Promotion	£800	£800
Travel, accommodation and Training	£700	£700
Events & Activities	£2100	£2100
Telephone	£660	£660
Insurance	£950	£950

About the organisation:

Aims are to foster good relations for black and minority ethnic groups in Renfrewshire. We work towards the elimination of discrimination and promoting community integration and cohesion through advocacy, mental health and wellbeing, education and increasing access to mainstream services.

The organisation has 2 full time and 2 part time members of staff. They have 12 volunteers and 120 members.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	lac grants	£5000	Drop in centre
2019/20	lac grants	£3429	Drop in centre
2018/19	lac grants	£5047	Drop in centre

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1133	Bungalow Enterprises CIC
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Renfrewshire Rocks	£2,190

Description of Project:

Our proposal is to provide young people from across Renfrewshire with the opportunity to engage in creative and performance activities with qualified and experienced creative practitioners. The project offers young people (13 - 19) their first experience of performing on a professional stage.

We will support these young people in gaining confidence in their creative abilities and encourage them to export their thoughts through music. Through this introduction to live performance the young people will have an opportunity to find out they are a musician, songwriter or a music producer.

The workshops will include: Solo Work, Band Sessions, Song Development, Light Design, Live Sound Engineering and learning to use stage equipment.

At present young people, have to travel to Glasgow Clutha/King Tuts and beyond. There is no opportunities similar in Renfrewshire

The sessions are intended for a family audience and will be free entry.

The development of this project is a response to the growing number of young people and parents asking if we could help local young musicians who don't get the opportunity to play on a professional level stage.

Our aim is to help young artists by providing them with an opportunity to not only grow as an artist but to take their talent to another level.

We are working towards providing young people with information and knowledge, such as how to start their own record label or music video production company. We work in partnership with professionals in the music industry who provide workshops and mentoring for young people.

The aim is to have a youth music club and offer workshops in instrumental music, recording music, writing music, music video and social media over a 36 week course of 3 x 1 hour sessions a total of 108 workshops. The delivery will be a mix of group, one to one, presentations and special guests from the music industry.

We will offer RSC Grade exams to those that wish to do so.

Who benefits from the Project?

Why This Project?

According to new research from the Royal College of Music social inequality in music

provision is denying children from the poorest areas of the country the chance to pursue musical careers, and blocking the music industry's future talent pipeline.

We are close to the problem.

The Bungalow sits in an area of multiple deprivation basically with disadvantaged young people on our doorstep. This gives us an opportunity to engage with local young people who can easily get access to our venue.

Why music?

The value children get from high quality music education extends far beyond simply learning about music. The cognitive benefits are proven, as is the development in important 'soft' skills such as collaboration and communication. Music offers opportunities for pupils from all backgrounds to succeed

To this end, The Bungalow will join forces with their partners to create a place that is welcoming and understanding of their needs and tackle the problem head on.

What will it do?

The delivery of the project will promote expression through music and will encourage the development of transferable skills for learning, life and work including confidence, self-discipline and team work. Many of the intended target group generally have chaotic lifestyles outside school, mental health issues and difficulty communicating. With this in mind, the project concentrates on building positive relationships with pupils through music and does not set a prescribed programme of activity.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- $\boxtimes~$ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- \Box Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested		
2 Music Tutors 4 hours @	£5760	£2000		
£20 x 36 sessions				
includes 1 hour for				
preparation				
1 Sound and Light Engineer	£2880	£190		
4 hours @ £20 x 36				
sessions				
About the organisation:				

Bungalow Enterprises is a Community Interest Company formed in 2019.

To operate and development a live music venue which will create a space that nurtures independent artists and allows music and arts to be enjoyed and explored by audiences of all ages in order to:

bring the enjoyment of music and art to as many people as possible; create a sense of community; create sustainable jobs, voluntary and training opportunities; make live music accessible for people to enjoy in a friendly and welcoming environment; encourage community engagement by working through partnerships to host projects, classes and courses in order to nurture talent for the benefit of the community.

The group has 3 full time employees and 8 part time. They also have 12 volunteers. The group have £35000 in the bank. Below is a note of what these funds are set against: Covid BB Loan £10000

Start up Loan £5000 to be paid April/May

Sound System £5400 to be paid when opening

Suppliers Debts £4500 to be paid when opening

Grant funding award history:

Since taking over The Bungalow we looked at ways to reduce our carbon footprint. So, we set out to minimise our energy costs. We set out to replace the old boiler which we did with the grant. In addition we insulated the roof space, installed sensor taps and installed a sensor urinal flush system. Our throughput weekly is between 500 and 700 attendees. The new heating system and insulation benefits them and our staff. Our project will ensure Positive mental Health awareness, Enhancing and creating a safe and secure environment for people to learn, meet new people and learn new skills, Healthier children and adults.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Green Project	£2500	Heat insulation
2019/20			
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1134	Loud n Proud
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Creative Technologies and Media	£2,500

Description of Project:

We wish to add another dimension to what we already do. Presently we teach young people how to play, create music and perform on stage then finally record their music. The final part in this journey which is just as important as recording songs is to produce music a music video for the song. The grant will be used to is to buy the equipment which is required to facilitate a new Creative Technologies and Multimedia Department.

In today's music, video is the biggest promoter of new music. Without it, it is nearly impossible to get your music listened to. To give young musicians and bands (not just the big or adult bands) a chance to be a real part of the music scene Since Covid this has been even more important as online and livestream has become more popular. The visual part of music is key.

We have a new state of the art sound recording and editing studio. We have high end equipment to do all of what we intend to do apart from professional video equipment.

The development of the new project was in direct response to the growing number of musically talented young people who never have an opportunity to further their music through video and online platforms. The aim of the project is to help young gifted artists by providing them with an opportunity to not only grow as an artist but to take their talent to another level.

We have had a demand over the years from young people to learn more about the multimedia side of the music industry as it is a major part of the marketing and raising awareness of a band or artist's work. In response we wish to expand our services to include technical subject as well as music tuition. Our newly completed recording suite is an ideal area to deliver the new subjects.

We are working towards providing young people with information and knowledge, such as how to start their own record label or music video production company. We work in partnership with professionals in the music industry who provide workshops and mentoring for young people.

With the pandemic causing live concerts and album releases to be cancelled, audiences are finding new ways to consume music from their favourite artists. And chief among them is the music video, which accounts for 95 percent of the most popular YouTube videos.

Today, social media platforms like Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Tik Tok and YouTube have made it possible for fans to directly interact with their favourite music videos by liking, commenting, and sharing—building entire communities of music fans in the process.

This new Department will offer RSL qualifications from Debut to Grade 8. These grades will enable students to gain a globally-recognised qualification which will reflect their skills and understanding in Creative Technologies and Media. This syllabus will give participants a complete range of skills essential to today's next generation of musicians and media professionals in order to reflect the jobs of the 21st Century.

The new Department will provide a comprehensive and concise step by step introduction covering all aspects of sound and video production – what it all is, and how to use it.

Participants will work together as a group and produce sound recordings and videos together so that by the end of the course you will collectively have completed a film for a band or a promotional video. This is a practical way of learning how all the equipment works together with the end result being a piece of work ready to go online. The workshops are informal and involve interacting with others and the course leader as well as practicing on the equipment available. Each session includes all necessary theory needed to give you a good understanding of the equipment. Students then cement this knowledge by using this equipment themselves during the practical part of the session. At the end of the course participants are able to analyse their production as well as understand how to use video equipment and have a basic knowledge in video production.

Who benefits from the Project?

This project will assist us to improve the services and provisions we currently offer. Overall it will increase access, opportunity and participation in music by young people across Renfrewshire. It puts in place a structure that will support up and coming musicians, technicians and volunteers, enabling them to recognise and hone their talents and for that to blossom and eventually to find their place working in the music industry.

More young people will have the skills to volunteer their services to help other voluntary organisations.

The aims of the project is that students will be more employable, better equipped to apply for jobs, be more confident and have more experience to apply for a college course.

Now that we're spending more time at home, we're desperate to be entertained online. Music videos, Podcasting and Vlogging are the perfect form of entertainment for both our eyes and ears—and they're just as good on our mobile screens as they are on our TVs. Not only do music videos ease our boredom and anxiety, they also provide us with a much-needed escape to these current crazy times.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- $\hfill\square$ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:				
Breakdown of costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested		
Sony FX6 Camera	£5994	£2500		
Set of 4 Cinematic lenses	£1200	£0		
Camera accessories Case, Hard Drives and SD cards	£750	fO		
Gimble for moving shots	£839	£0		
Mac mini processor 32GHz i7 6Core 32gb ram with mouse and keyboard monitor screen	£1626	£0		
HP Z32 32" Z Series 4K UHD Display With USB-C	£958.99	£O		

Loud n Proud is a youth music charity established in 2001. For 20 years their aim has been to open up access to sustainable careers in music for young people particularly those who are underrepresented and to support the local music scene.

They have created studio space for talented, hardworking young musicians and performers to thrive.

They work an incredible mix of young people. Several have won National titles while most just love to make music in a safe and inspiring environment. The high amount of students that have became full time professional players, teachers, technicians and music managers is a testament to the high quality output of their work with young musicians. Their existence has had an amazing impact on young people's confidence, social practice, concentration, creativity and general outlook on life. They give their students the

confidence and encouragement to achieve their dreams whatever they may be!

The impact Loud n Proud have made in the local music scene since their inception has been invaluable.

The organisation has 2 fulltime and 5 part time members of staff. The have 12 volunteers and 85 members.

Grant funding award history:

The 20/21 funds aimed to help to produce a week long festival celebrating Danny Kyle. The money is not spent yet due to Covid as we couldn't put on a live event. The event is now scheduled for Sma' Shot Day on the 3rd July

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Partnership	£1572.45	Music event to celebrate Danny Kyle
2019/20	N/A		

2018/19	Chef Fund	£11500	To produce a musical called The Sma' Shot
	LAC	£12000	To teach young people how to play drums and the history of the Charleston Drum

Reference:	Organisation Name:		
FR1149	Oakshaw Trinity Friendly Hour		
Project Name:	Amount applied for:		
Provide transport for members and	£500		
provision of activities.	2300		
Description of Project:			
The purpose of the project is to provide trans members. We provide an afternoon of frien members to meet and develop their friendsh provided on a weekly basis from October to I	dship and fellowship that allows the ips. Entertainment and social activities are		
Entertainment includes children from a Nurse School as well as entertainment provided by Posice and Musical exercises.			
Members also have a much appreciated cup	of tea or coffee and some goodies to eat.		
The programme includes a Christmas lunch a	nd an annual outing.		
 Who benefits from the Project? The Committee identified many members would be unable to attend our weekly meetings without provision of transport. Many of our members live alone and the Friendly Hour is the only time they may see other people. It gives them the opportunity of mixing socially, allowing them to chat and at the same time give them some entertainment, thus, avoiding an afternoon of loneliness and isolation. Our average is 84 and many are quite infirm. There is a greater need for these people to be transported to a happy and lively environment for a few hours. As a result of Covid 19, it may be that we will require to provide individual taxis for our members which will obviously increase our costs considerably. 			
PE Local Priorities: Exploring the impact of new housing developments Supporting social connections Community pride and safety Tackling food poverty Partial fit with priorities Does not fit with priorities Notes:			
Breakdown of costs			

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Cost of transport	£1500	£500

The aim is to offer to all men and women over the age of 60, friendship and fellowship by providing an afternoon of social entertainment and other activities. Our membership includes men and women from the surrounding Community, local sheltered housing complexes and the Church.

Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2020/21	Local Area	£1,125.00	Not used but we	
	Committee General		have requested to	
	Grant		use it for the gifts	
			for members at	
			what would be our	
			end of session. As	
			stated we may also	
			have to purchase	
			indoor activities to	
			supplement our	
			entertainers.	
2019/20	Local Area	£600.00	Transport Costs	
	Committee General			
	Grant			
2018/19	Local Area	£923.00	Transport Costs	
	Committee General			
	Grant			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1154	C-Change Scotland
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
dates-n-mates Renfrewshire	£2,500

Description of Project:

Dates-n-mates Renfrewshire is the local branch of Scotland's national dating and friendship agency run by and for adults with learning disabilities. We transform the lives of people who are often socially isolated and lonely. We provide opportunities for people to connect, make friends and build meaningful relationships. Our monthly calendar of social events around Renfrewshire offers a safe and inclusive environment for people to meet and have fun. Members practice local journeys and improve their social skills. Over time this increases their self-confidence and independence. By building people's own natural support networks we ultimately reduce the need for paid support.

Who benefits from the Project?

With 26,000 adults with learning disabilities in Scotland (including 692 in Renfrewshire), the Scottish Government's Learning Disability Strategy 'The Keys to Life' states that improving quality of life for people with learning disabilities is a priority. They are more prone to abuse and less likely to have opportunities to form relationships. The Scottish Government strategy 'A Connected Scotland', recognises 'people with learning disabilities – and their families – are at risk of experiencing social isolation throughout their lives.' Learning Disability Alliance Scotland's 2018 survey showed 80% of adults with learning disabilities feel lonely either sometimes (11%) or a lot (69%). The recent Coronavirus crisis and lockdown has also seen dates-n-mates members and other members of the learning disability community become increasingly anxious and lonely as their usual sources of social interaction and engagement (such as day centres and clubs) became unavailable to them. By providing opportunities and support to find love and friendship (whether in person or online) dates-n-mates can and does transform people's lives.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- \Box Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Staff costs	£34,000	£2,500
Venue/entertainment costs	£4,250	£O
Administration, incl. print/postage	£200	£O
Publicity/marketing	£1,250	£0
Meeting rooms/desk space/ equipment/ mobile phones	£4,500	£0
Volunteer expenses	£250	£O
Training & learning	£1,000	£0
Travel to outreach (staff & members)	£675	£O

C-Change Scotland is a Scottish charity which provides outcome-focused personalised support to people with learning disabilities, mental health issues and other additional support needs. C-Change Scotland's work is based in a human rights approach, empowering the people it works with to live their life to the fullest and become active citizens within their communities. The charity hosts a project, dates-n-mates, which is Scotland's national dating and friendship agency run by and for people with learning disabilities. dates-n-mates Renfrewshire is one of 4 branches which support love and friendship for local people with learning disabilities.

The organisation has 151 FT employees and 70 part time employees. The have 90 volunteers and 273 members.

The organisation has 11,602.98 in the bank and while there is no significant expenditure set against this balance. However, these organisational reserves are 3 months running costs of the organisation should it enter into administration at any point (not a current issue of concern)

Grant funding award history:

The 20/21 Local Partnership funds which were received from Renfrew, Gleniffer, Paisley North West & Central and the Villages was a contribution towards direct running costs and was used as a contribution towards the salary of our Community Engagement and Event's Worker. The money was spent on direct staffing costs as originally planned, but our service delivery was different due to Covid-19. We had to cease all in person events and move our events online.

We held 5 online events a week, hosting a wide range of opportunities such as Zumba,

Quiz Nights, Karakoe, Cooking classes and bingo. We also hosted 3 daily coffee and cake chats to get member feedback and for members to take the lead in planning future online events. We also provided online friendship matching and dating opportunities to members and some feedback from members has been:

Steven (36) joined dates-n-mates in November 2020. He said 'At first I struggled to speak to people on the big Zoom calls. People speak too loud and they don't hear me. But then I met Emma and Mark through friendship matching. Mark has introduced me to some of his other friends. Over the Christmas holidays I called a few people. Mark and I are planning to have an outdoor running club when lockdown is over. I feel better now about talking to new people. Without Mark and dates-n-mates, I would have no pals.'

Two of our members also got engaged and due to the restrictions on shop closures, the member approached us and asked for support to purchase the engagement ring online.

Overall 3 Members form the Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank, 5 Members the Paisley North West & Central, 2 Members from Renfrew and 1 Member Gleniffer benefited from the project. Also over 50 people from Renfrewshire attended our online 5th Anniversary Party on 15th January to celebrate the projects 5th year. As it was an open event we didn't capture postcode data.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Renfrewshire LAC	£7,815.60	Friendship
	Grant Fund		matching:
	(Voluntary &		Development costs,
	Community		training and staff
	Organisations)		expenses for dates-
			n-mates
			Renfrewshire
2019/20	Renfrewshire LAC	£3,798.67	Delivery of dates-n-
	Grant Fund		mates Renfrewshire
(Voluntary &			Outreach Project
Community			
	Organisations)		
2018/19	Renfrewshire LAC	£2624	Developing a pilot
	Grant Fund		for dates-n-mates
	(Voluntary &		Renfrewshire
	Community		Outreach Project
	Organisations)		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1155	Shopmobility Paisley and District
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Advancing Social Enterprising	£1,500

Description of Project:

We made a concentrated effort to link with our membership during lockdown. Feedback from our surveys in the past confirmed we are a lifeline to many members. It quickly became clear that whilst our members were unable to hire scooters and wheelchairs, they needed support in other ways.

For example; picking up prescriptions, shopping, as well as taking them to GP and hospital appointments, picking up and delivering packages to and from hospital to their loved ones etc.

In addition, some scooters (including those owned by members) were breaking down, batteries needed replaced and sometimes just a conversation made people feel better. We did not have any company transport, therefore used a volunteers' car.

Whilst the car has business insurance, the needs of our members resulted in daily runs, whether that be to the hospital, shopping, GP surgeries, home visits, breakdowns etc.

Purpose of project is to ensure that we have a suitable company van which is taxed and insured to enable us to cope with the demands.

This ultimately helps those with mobility issues, and socially isolated, giving them confidence they have a good service which they can rely on to continue to provide them with what they need. It also allows us to expand our social enterprise by offering a more comprehensive scooter repairs service plus organise training for others via schemes such as Kickstart to enable us to have a contingency plan to ensure continuity of service delivery.

Surveys via our membership particularly indicated a need for us to diversify. For example, a year ago, our members came into the office to pick up equipment and hires. However, during COVID and lockdown, members were unable to get out of their house to complete the most basic of things such as shopping, exercising, picking up prescriptions, delivering packages to relatives and friends who had been admitted to hospital. We developed this project by actually responding to the needs of our members by using one of our volunteers' vehicle.

We were 'run off our feet' with requests and we visited the hospital on 104 occasions delivering packages, and picking up packages for their loved ones.

This is not withstanding the fact that we picked up prescriptions and delivered these to members as well as doing their shopping and fixing scooters.

This has been very well received and will be a service we will include in our business model going forward.

Improvement in terms of speed of response times to requests as we cannot rely on a volunteer to provide their vehicle all of the time - we need our own vehicle - Ability to offer a more professional looking service

- Will improve our marketing i.e. logo'd van

- In terms of breakdowns - we will have a suitable van which will be able to accommodate the weight and height of the equipment

- Tools can be kept in the van for 'off site' repairs

- This van will enable us to expand our social enterprise model, by raising more of our

income from offering a scooter repair service to those who have their own scooters

- Overall, we will be able to offer a much better service to our members and will continue to monitor their feedback

Members will experience a service which will meet their needs better, for example we will have transport which means we can visit them at their place of choice

- We will use our social media and website to continue to ask for feedback, as well as surveys which will direct the course of our priorities

- Improvement in terms of speed of response times to requests

- A lot of our members are classed as vulnerable and this service i.e. a logo'd van will give people confidence that it is Shopmobility coming to visit them at their place of choice, and not just a car. This is important for safety reasons.

- Will improve our professional marketing i.e. logo'd van

- In terms of breakdowns - we will have a suitable van which will be able to accommodate the weight and height of the equipment

- Tools can be kept in the van for 'off site' repairs

- Overall, we will be able to offer a much better service to our members and will continue to monitor their feedback

Who benefits from the Project?

254 members. Shopmobility supports people with disabilities to move around and engage in the community.

PE Local Priorities:

- $\hfill\square$ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- $\boxtimes~$ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- $\hfill\square$ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Purchase of a secondhand van large enough to accommodate scooters and electric wheelchairs.	£6,000	£5,000
Drivers insurance for three people. Tax for van.	£1,500	£1,000
Overnight parking charges for 12 months in the Paisley Centre Car Park	£540	£500
Running Costs for 12 months plus ramps	£3,694.60	£3,400
Signs for the van. Shopmobility logo plus we would put Renfrewshire Council's logo on as well if this would be acceptable.	£800	£100

Shopmobility Paisley and District is a Charity founded in 1995 that aims to:

Tackle the social exclusion of those with mobility problems, whether permanent or temporary

- Provide a first-class service to those who use our services
- Maintain equipment to ensure members have the best possible experience and are safe
- Be COVID compliant
- Market our services to ensure we reach the widest possible audience
- Recruit and nurture volunteers and staff
- Partnership work with public, charitable and commercial partners

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Area	£8,500	Upgrading Office
	Partnership Fund		Purchase of Tools
			and equipment
2019/20	Local Area	£4,500	Purchase of five
	Partnership Fund		new battery
			operated scooters
2018/19	Local Area	£1,200	Insurance
	Committee		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1164 Pachedu	
roject Name: Amount applied for:	
Inspiring Connections	£469
Description of Project:	
Aim of Project:	
To raise awareness of Modern Apprenticeshi	
Renfrewshire and support in accessing oppor	tunities by upskilling employability skills.
- Objectives:	
• To hold 10 modern apprenticeships awaren	
individuals targeted at 40 BAME families in R	entrewshire.
The project aims to raise awareness to BAME	communities in Penfrowshire about
different types of apprenticeships, qualificati	
by organising bespoke sessions targeting BAN	
by organising bespoke sessions targeting by in	
Provide increased opportunities for BAME co	mmunities in Renfrewshire to work in a real
world of work while learning, gaining the skill	
modern apprenticeship employers like.	
Provide more opportunities for BAME comm	unities in Renfrewshire to gain employability
qualifications accredited by Scottish Qualification	tions Authority and increasing their chances
of employability by providing an employabilit	y course.
To provide an opportunity for dialogue betwee	een BAME communities and would be
employers.	
We did a survey in which participants' feedba	ack has informed us that more work is
needed to raise awareness to Minority ethnic	
opportunities.	
We invited a key note speaker from Skills Dev	velopment Scotland. The presenter
	by ethnic minority young people which is why
it is important to raise awareness of the sche	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
A burning question was asked-How can the b	
and the discussion led to the building of this	project.
We successfully did a pilot project and suppo	rted Moses a 17 year old boy and he
successfully got a modern apprenticeship opp	portunity as an apprentice practitioner for
early years and child care.	
	tnership priority theme of focusing on young
people to see how they can be engaged and i	nvolved in work around the Local Priorities.
Mike here fits from the Ducie of 2	
Who benefits from the Project?	communities to complete COA emplement
To support 15 young individuals from BAME of accreditation.	communities to complete SQA employability

• To hold 4 community conversations within BAME communities and employer
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• To support 20 young individuals to access the modern apprenticeship opportunities.

Increased knowledge of apprenticeships among BAME groups, engaging with BAME parents, engaging with employers, some participants moving on to MA opportunities.

Provided platform for BAME population to acquire new skills.

Provide more engagement opportunities for BAME communities to access paid work experience and training, as well as a clear career pathway, in the industry of their choice.

More opportunities for parents to have access to information that will help them to support their children to make better career decisions.

More opportunities for employers to interact with BAME communities to understand barriers to accessing modern apprentices and formulate interventions.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
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Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
SQA fee, marketing & Zoom	£469	£469

About the organisation:

Pachedu was established in 2016 as a registered charity working with diverse minority ethnic groups across a broad range of protected characteristics according to Equality Act 2010.

Pachedu is based in Paisley aims to increase the capacity of diverse minorities to be more visible and pro-active in shaping their communities through partnership with various sectors to reduce inequalities for BAME communities by promoting diversity, tolerance and dignity for humanity. Our objectives include:

• Reducing isolation

- Promoting cultural diversity and equality of opportunity
- Bridging generational and diverse cultural backgrounds

• Enhancing the capacity of minority ethnic communities to advance their socio-economic activities.

Pachedu has 200+ members.

Grant funding award history

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Celebrating Renfrewshire fund	£6000	Youth brass band activities
2019/20	Culture, Heritage and Events Fund Guidance for Applicants	£3000	Cultural cafes
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1173	Foxbar Resource Café
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Foxbar Resource Café	£1,150
Description of Project:	
The purpose of the project is to provide support with the input of other agencies. We also aim to homeless, unemployed and people with mental h	bring new ideas to the community to support the
The need for this project was identified with spea seeing things first hand with individuals & family	aking and being involved with the community and who are struggling and in need of support.
We have opened a drop-in café where people ca outlet agencies and provide support to family an need.	n come and we will support them with the help of d homeless with mental health issues who are in
The anticipated outcome is to provide a most nee and get the support needed and feel safe.	eded service and a place people can come to, talk
Who benefits from the Project?	
Local people who are isolated, suffer from m unemployed young and elderly will benefit fr	
PE Local Priorities:	
Exploring the impact of new housing	developments
□ Supporting social connections	•
Community pride and safety	
Tackling food poverty	
Partial fit with priorities	
Does not fit with priorities	
Notes:	
Supports social connections, but outwith the	Paisley East area.
Breakdown of costs	

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Roofing	£1000	£1000
Flooring	£800	£800
Toilet replaced	£300	£300
Repainting of building	£600	£600
PC	£400	£400
Public Liability Insurance	£700	£700
Cooker stock	£500	£500
Total	£4,300	(£1,150 requested from Paisley East)

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

Its aim is to provide a safe environment for our community young and old. To provide support and learning and education with the outlet of other agencies.

The group has 5 volunteers.

Main activity areas of the group are:

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

Grant funding award history:

The 20/21 Local Partnership funds were used to complete the works at the Foxbar Community Café. This included £1,500 for electrical alternations & electrical testing/checks which were provided by HWES Ltd and £500 to prepare site for painting, painting large main room & 2 small offices and disposal of material. The painting works were provided by AJ Campbell Painter & Decorators.

Having the funding last year allowed us to open to people community support family in need by providing support access facilities and providing much needed essential to the community safe place for people in community come to get help.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Local Partnership (Gleniffer)	£2,000	Foxbar Resource café
2019/20	LAC funding	£2000	Electrical work,

		paint, decorator, fencing
2018/19	N/A	

Stronger Communities Glenburn
Amount applied for:
£2000

Description of Project:

SCG is a constituted group run by local parents who want to help make their community a better place for children to grow up. The group is led by parents who are committed to understanding and responding to the needs of children and families in the Renfrewshire area. Most of these children are entitled to free school meals. Therefore, many are going without that one hot meal, that they rely on in school. This also includes families who struggle to feed themselves without the added pressure of adding another meal during the holiday. We also have many working families who are struggling to put a meal on the table. Unfortunately, they are unable to access free school meals at any time.

What we would like to do is give each family a food pack and also an activity pack for the kids. We will make up the packs and deliver them to each family within the Renfrewshire area. Each pack will consist of enough food to cover lunch and breakfast for the morning.

Activities will include outdoor play equipment and arts and crafts. This will get the children away from computers and phones if they have them. Get them back outside and get them active again. It will also bring the family together as a whole.

For a few years now we have been providing a service to families within Renfrewshire. Many of them accessed our food bank last year in which we spoke to them about their needs.

On speaking to families, it became apparent there wasn't much out there for working families. These families are forgot about. The families are struggling just as much as people on benefits.

Who benefits from the Project?

We anticipate that the children and parents will form a further bond with each other. This will stop isolation for both the parents and children, by encouraging them to interact through play. It will also encourage the children to get more active.

Also giving the food parcel will take away the added pressure of trying to find spare money to feed the family during the day.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- \boxtimes Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- \boxtimes Tackling food poverty
- Partial fit with priorities

□ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

The group is applying for £4,000 from the Gleniffer Local Partnership. The group has applied to Local Partnerships for the contribution to the same project.

The total project cost is £12,000. It is not stated how the rest of the costs will be balanced.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Food parcels	£8000	£8000
£10 per head 800 heads		
Lets £10 per hour	£500	£500
Activity packs	£3500	£3500

About the organisation:

SCG is a constituted group run by local parents who want to help make their community a better place for children to grow up. The group is led by parents who are committed to understanding and responding to the needs of children and families in the Renfrewshire area. Through the provision of high quality, free/low cost activities and events. All provisions are linked to GIRFEC health and wellbeing indicators and has been identified through consultation with the community.

Stronger Communities Glenburn aims to foster a group where families can meet and share in a common purpose. We work to make our community and surrounding areas in Renfrewshire a better place for children and families to grow up. We do this by building strong local relationships in the community and by encouraging people to take part and to be responsible to local priorities. We aim to work with local people to develop community led action plans which work towards locally identified outcomes and priorities. We will promote the development of our members, through training and various opportunities, such as to become a community champion.

The group has 8 volunteers.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Organisation Name:
Stronger Communities Glenburn
Amount applied for:
£2,500

Description of Project:

Families have found it hard during lock down to pay their bills and other essential items. Unfortunately, many of them were put on furlough. The 20% that they lost in income was mostly their food bill.

Previously we ran successful cooking classes in which we taught people how to cook low cost, nutritious meals for the whole family.

We would like to continue this online. Showing people that eating and cooking fresh is a much better way of saving money. We will also do an online shopping list. In which we can help show them how to shop cheaply and efficiently.

Our plan is as follows:

- Each person/family will receive a bag that will contain ingredients for the class.
- Their will be enough for everyone in the family to get involved.
- A cooking pack will be given with utensils in it also if needed.
- Each group will run for 6 weeks, this will show them both either a starter and main course or main course and desert.
- Each group will have roughly 10 participants in it that's made up of an individual or a family.

Many families have not been taught the art of wholesome home cooking. this is through no fault of their own. Unfortunately, we live in a society where both parents need to work and do not have the time to show their children how to cook. Or simply was not shown themselves.

Previously we have had success with individuals and families. We feel showing people now how to cook and shop on a budget is more important. It is also good for their health and wellbeing.

We have people Renfrewshire wide who have been involved in this before and we will open it up to anyone in Renfrewshire again.

Who benefits from the Project?

We anticipate that the families/individuals will have a good cooking knowledge.

They will know how to cook wholesome foods on a low income.

They will be able to budget when going shopping so that their money can go further. Or even making food parcels go further.

PE Local Priorities:

 $\hfill\square$ Exploring the impact of new housing developments

□ Supporting social connections

- □ Community pride and safety
- ⊠ Tackling food poverty
- $\hfill\square$ Partial fit with priorities
- Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

The group is applying for £2,500 from the Gleniffer Local Partnership. The group has applied to other Local Partnerships for contribution to the same project.

The total project cost is £5,000. It is not stated how the rest of the costs will be balanced.

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Food	£3500	£3500
Lets	£900	£900
Printing	£100	£100
Utensils	£500	£500

About the organisation:

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The group has 8 volunteers.

Grant funding award history:			
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1191	Stronger Communities Glenburn
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
SCG Christmas Toy Bank & Food provision	£1,800
Description of Project:	
Families have found it hard during lock down Unfortunately, many of them were put on fu mostly their food bill.	
We have relied on the good will of others on more apparent that most working families an other organisations unless they go through so	d low-income families don't qualify from
Unfortunately, a lot of these families do not v just want a little help when it is needed. We are looking to help them in their time of v Christmas.	need by helping with the added stress of
we want to offer Christmas gifts and food par No one wants to see a child going without. Es been hit hard.	•
Who benefits from the Project? We delivered food parcels and toys to over 5 were able to do. There were families we coul Families were approaching us right up to Chri for their kids Christmas and nothing in the cu this is unimaginable in this day and age.	dn't help due to lack of funds. istmas eve panicking that they had nothing
PE Local Priorities: Exploring the impact of new housing Supporting social connections Community pride and safety Tackling food poverty Partial fit with priorities Does not fit with priorities Notes:	developments
Breakdown of costs	

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Food	£4000	£4000
Lets	£890	£890
Printing	£100	£100
Fuel costs volunteers	£150	£150
Gifts/toys	£6860	£6860

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The group has 8 volunteers

Grant funding award history:			
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	N/A		
2019/20	N/A		
2018/19	N/A		

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1197	Pachedu
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Different pasts, shared future	£750

Description of Project:

Fund co-production of animation video over 6-8 weeks and then develop Black history month lesson plans for primary school children.

Through discussions, young people have indicated experiencing a lot of stigma and stereotypes about Africa and African people that makes them disconnect and feel ashamed of their African heritage hence the need to want to get involved with this project. The national curriculum also does little to address this as there is a glaring lack of material that focus on Black History.

The project also fits into national and local priorities .

The Scottish Government's National Performance Framework cites that equality and human rights are core to making real progress towards all the national performance outcomes and are specifically highlighted in the outcome 'we respect, protect and fulfill human rights and live free from discrimination.'

One of the outcomes particularly talks about respecting, protecting and fulfilling human rights and living free from discrimination

Race equality framework for Scotland 2016 to 2030 sets out the Scottish Government approach to promoting race equality and tackling racism and inequality between 2016 and 2030. It is important to embed equality and human rights in public services.

The local community planning partnership themes include empowerment, community safety and promoting inclusion.

IAMME have been developing resources on hate crime hence the discussion which came up with this joint project.

Who benefits from the Project?

The project hopes to tackle discrimination and celebrate diversity in primary school children in Renfrewshire schools. These will focus on.

Celebrating Difference – activities and games to encourage children to think about the things people have in common and the importance of difference. They will also encourage celebrating diversity by learning about Black History through out the year and not only during October.

The sessions will also hope to recognise the importance of the outstanding contributions of African and Caribbean decent have made on the country over many generations Include animations / videos / children's real stories

Lessons will include voice overs from children.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- ⊠ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety

□ Tackling food poverty

□ Partial fit with priorities

□ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Production cost on a 2-	£5,000	£750
3minute animation video		
	£5,000	£750

About the organisation:

Pachedu was established in 2016 as a registered charity working with diverse minority ethnic groups across a broad range of protected characteristics according to Equality Act 2010.

Pachedu is based in Paisley aims to increase the capacity of diverse minorities to be more visible and pro-active in shaping their communities through partnership with various sectors to reduce inequalities for BAME communities by promoting diversity, tolerance and dignity for humanity. Our objectives include:

- Reducing isolation
- Promoting cultural diversity and equality of opportunity
- Bridging generational and diverse cultural backgrounds

• Enhancing the capacity of minority ethnic communities to advance their socio-economic activities.

The organisation has 5 part time employees, 20 volunteers and over 200 members.

The organisation has £17010.52 in the bank which is allocated expenditure against Salaries, project costs and overheads

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Celebrating Renfrewshire fund	£6,000	Youth brass band activities
2019/20	Culture, Heritage and Events Fund Guidance for Applicants	£3,000	Cultural cafes
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1048	The Wynd Centre
Project Name: Counselling Service for	Amount applied for:
children & young people	£1,000

Description of Project:

To provide Counselling services for Children (5-15 yrs) to compliment the current counselling services for youths and adults.

The Wynd Centre was established in 1984 and over the years has continued to change to meet the needs of the community. Following a pilot scheme, a child Play Therapy scheme was added to the youth and adult counselling schemes and has been operating for the first year of a three-year project. A report on the first year of this project is provided in the papers.

The attached report from the pilot scheme (Report a) shows the issues covered and the areas from which children were located. There is no area within Renfrewshire from which children are excluded. The Wynd Centre has been running a nationally recognised Counselling service since the centre was established since 1984 and there is already a bespoke premise for this purpose. Additional funding is required to modify the premises and purchase equipment for this specific age group and engage part-time staff responsible to the Counselling Manager. This area of activity completes the total range of counselling services provided by nationally qualified Counsellors.

This is a multi-area application. 5 other LP's are being asked for £1000 each to contribute to the project.

Who benefits from the Project?

Ref to the attached report (Report a) anticipated incomes are to improve due to the Strength and Difficulties Scores (SDQs) and to increase the available spaces available to reduce the current waiting list.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- **⊠** Partial fit with priorities
- \Box Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Counselling services will benefit young people to make social connections.

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Salaries	£21,227	£5170
Insurance, pension, Training	£1,430	£270
Equipment/ materials	£2,600	£565
Venue Hire	£3,840	£795
Admin	£903	£200

The Wynd Centre was established in 1984 and over the years has continued to change to meet the needs of the community. Following a pilot scheme a child Play Therapy scheme was added to the youth and adult counselling schemes and has been operating for the first year of a three-year project. Attached is a copy of report on first year.

The centre has 10 paid members of staff – 2 Full time and 8 part time employees. The main aims of the organisation are to provide a community Hub in the centre of Paisley which meets the needs of individuals, organisations, and communities within Renfrewshire; to play its full part in supporting Renfrewshire Council initiatives. In particular to provide a Counselling Service for children, youths and adults. We also provide facilities for Victim Support, the Scottish Courts and PACE, a local youth theatre group.

The organisation has £58,320 in the bank but have costs set against £30,095.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Paisley North-West	£2000	Counselling Services
	Paisley East	£2000	
	Gleniffer Fund	£1000	
	Bishopton &	£2000	
	surrounding areas		
2019/20	LAP East		Counselling Services
	LAP Paisley North,		
	EWest and Central		
2018/19	LAC General Fund		Counselling Services
	LAC Youth Fund		

Reference:	Organisation Name:			
FR1096	Bishopton Sports and Social Club Gym			
Project Name:	Amount applied for:			
Gym	£2,000			
Description of Project:				
We aim to bring a community gym in which t	he whole of Renfrewshire can benefit from.			
We are an easy commute with local bus and	train services.			
The gym will serve and be available to every	one in Renfrewshire.			
At only £40 a year for membership. It is a hug				
Breaking it down its only £3.34 a month.				
compared to the lowest cost gym in Renfrew	shire being £19.99 a month.			
In the modern era of exercise, health, and we	allpass functional fitness is the new craze			
Many of the bigger gyms have seen a large di	-			
community-based fitness facilities.	op on in memoersnips to smaller,			
The community is a place where the vulneral	ble feel comfortable to fail as often as they			
succeed.				
With the funding we plan to refloor the 2 roc	ms. Update the toilets and also add more			
equipment to the already existing weights an	-			
Each room was damaged by damp. As you ca	n imagine with the place not being in use			
during lock down.				
Who benefits from the Project?				
People of all ages from across the whole of R	enfrewshire can access the gym.			
PE Local Priorities:				
Exploring the impact of new housing	aevelopments			
Supporting social connections				
Community pride and safety				
□ Tackling food poverty				
Partial fit with priorities				
Does not fit with priorities				
	Notes:			
Supports social connections, but outwith the Paisley East area.				
Breakdown of costs				

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
flooring/toilet	£11,838	£1000
gym equipment	£4162	£1000

We are a non-profit organisation governed by a constituted group. We aim to support the local community's well-being and help with social isolation.

(due to covid lockdown we were unable to carry out our membership renewal, membership numbers quoted are for 2019 / 2020)

If you've tried training in large gym, that is run by a national chain. Then you will no doubt have found the whole experience less than rewarding and not very motivational. For a more fulfilling and above all effective fitness experience. You are much better off joining a smaller, independently owned community gym.

These bigger gyms are faceless and tend to have a big price tag that goes with it. At BSS Gym all we are asking is £40 a year annual membership. You will be able to use the gym as much as you would like to.

We identified that most people cannot afford the big price tag that comes along with those big corporate companies.

Also you are not always able to use the machines that you want either.

The organisation has 1 full time and 4 part time employees. They have 9 volunteers and 500 members.

The organisation has £12799 in the bank, which they have set against Staff, Wages, restocking before opening

This application is a multi-application. The group have applied to 5 LP's for £2000 and they have applied to Erskine, Inchinnan, Bishopton & Langbank for £4000

Grant funding award history:				
	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2020/21	FS294420823	£500 pw	utilities, staff costs,	
			pest control	
	FS294410823	£6000	back dated	
			payment	
			27/01/21as above	
2019/20	FS189471181	£25000	Utilities, insurance,	
			staff costs, pest	
			control, written off	

	stock replenishment, refurbishment of bar area and lounge seating to facilitate social distancing
2018/19	

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1118	Renfrewshire Model Railway Club
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Replacement windows and re-rendering	£4,700
exterior of club hall.	

Description of Project:

The club building suffers from significant dampness due to the loose and broken render on its walls allowing saturation of the brickwork, and leaks around old and damaged window frames. The windows are also thermally inefficient and allow heat to escape, so the building is both cold and damp. It is necessary to replace the render and windows in order to: (a) make the building watertight to prevent further deterioration in its structure; (b) eliminate sources of damp which have caused serious damage to the contents of the building; (c) improve thermal efficiency to save energy, reduce heating costs and allow the building to be maintained at a suitable temperature.

Dampness has been an issue for several years and the club has hitherto focussed our resources on repairing the roof. A woodworm outbreak in our layouts during 2019 highlighted the need to eliminate other sources of dampness. After several pieces of render fell off we obtained quotations for its repair, which brought to light the fact that the condition of the render was a major source of the dampness and the whole building required re-rendering. This also identified that replacement of the windows would best be done at the same time in order to prevent further damage.

The twelve large windows in the main hall will be replaced with modern energy-efficient double-glazed units. The existing damaged roughcast render will be removed and replaced with new render. The existing security grilles protecting the hall windows will then be reinstated.

All work will be carrier out by a building contractor who will be responsible for scaffolding etc. The work requires to be carried out during the drier months of summer.

Existing dampness within the hall caused by water seeping through the brickwork and leaks around windows will be eliminated.

Elimination of the damp conditions will make a recurrence of the recent woodworm problem less likely.

Increased thermal efficiency will allow the central heating to more adequately heat the structure, making it drier and more comfortable for older members. (As a separate project, the boiler has recently been replaced to further improve energy efficiency). These repairs will put the club in a position to regain lost membership and replace damaged layouts once the Covid-19 situation eases.

This is a multi application with all LP's being asked for funding

Who benefits from the Project?

30 members and 35 volunteers from the local community who are generally older people.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- $\boxtimes~$ Partial fit with priorities
- \boxtimes Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Partial fit with social connections, but outwith the Paisley East area.

Breakdown of costs			
Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested	
Replace 12 large windows in main hall with double glazed units and reinstate existing security grilles (inc. materials, labour and VAT)	£13,440	£1800	
Removal and like-for-like replacement of roughcast render over whole building (inc. materials, scaffolding, labour and VAT)	£24,000	£2900	

About the organisation:

Grant funding award history:

Renfrewshire Model Railway Club is a Charity established in 1970.

Encourage enjoyment of and participation in railway modelling; Advance knowledge and skills required to build and operate model railways; Provide opportunity for people to exchange ideas and knowledge about model railways in an enjoyable social environment; Enhance knowledge of local railway history, and make available resources and research facilities to those who wish to model them.

The group has 35 volunteers and 30 members The group has £13,014.24 in the bank with 2,500 of this allocated to payment of a recently installed boiler.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for	
2020/21	N/A			

2019/20	N/A	
2018/19	N/A	
	,	

Reference:		Organisation	Name:	
FR1132		Phoenix Flyer	rs Dog Agility Club	
Project Name:		Amount applied for:		
Shelter		£430		
Description of Project:				
To provide a suitable and	covid safe area for	handlers to she	elter during inclement	
weather.				
In past years, handlers co	uld shelter togethe	er within the sto	orage area (when equipment	
		•	o be possible again in the near	
future. If the club is to sur	vive and keep me	nbers- which in	turn benefits the community	
as well as individuals, a pe	ermanent structure	e is required. Es	timates are being sought at	
present, but costs are like	ly to be over £300	0. This would or	nly be for a 3-sided, open	
	• •	•	must be large enough to allow	
for 2mtrs distance betwee	en around 10 hand	lers at any one	time. Groups of handlers are	
-		-	dom there at the same time.	
•	-		Covid. This will ease shortly as	
the Scottish Government	relaxes the rules a	nd workers are	returning from furlough.	
Who benefits from the P	roject?			
30 members of the club				
PE Local Priorities:				
— - · · · ·				
Exploring the impa		g developments		
□ Supporting social				
Community pride	-			
□ Tackling food pove	-			
Partial fit with price				
☐ Does not fit with p	priorities			
Notes:				
Breakdown of costs				
Dreakuown of Costs				
Item of spend	Total Cost		Amount requested	
Duilding of chalter	£3000		£3000	
building of sheller				
Building of shelter				

Our members are primarily educated in dog health, safety, basic obedience and hygiene, as well as being encouraged to support the wider dog community by setting an example in aspects such as noise, dog fouling and general dog behaviour. Handlers are taught the skills of dog agility, which is an inclusive hobby that bridges all age groups. As a hobby it benefits handlers by predominantly being an outdoor healthy activity that promotes companionship between members. There are also proven benefits of regular contact with dogs to the mental wellbeing of individuals- many of whom have been isolated socially during the COVID pandemic.

The group has 20 members

The group has £2312.70 in the bank and details of some of the costs this is set against are outlined below:

Kennel club fees £95, Ground maintenance £280, Equipment purchase £1140, Remaining costs not covered by previous grant to modify equipment to conform with recent changes in Kennel Club rules. £400 Although income has almost ceased during the pandemic, these costs must still be met.

Grant funding award history:

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	Building of shelter	£1,140.00	Full amount used to acquire equipment compliant with Kennel Club regulations
2019/20			
2018/19			

Reference:	Organisation Name:
FR1188	Lamont Farm Project
Project Name:	Amount applied for:
Lamont Farm Project	£4,000

Description of Project:

This is a multi-application with requests for funding to all 7 Local Partnerships.

The aim of the project is 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, nurseries and visitors.

Lamont farm was founded by a group of individuals with a strong desire to establish a local education and community facility. We were the first City Farm in Scotland and the farm is very popular with families, nurseries and disabled groups as well as local schools. Around 10,000 people visit Lamont Farm annually. We aim to educate people from all walks of life in animal care, welfare and husbandry.

The farm is working with a local artist by providing a dis used area of the farm to build a free and legal graffiti wall, this was established to encourage more youths to use the wall rather than putting graffiti around their local areas. The hope is this wall will help to reduce the vandalism in many areas by providing something different for everyone to try. The local artist will hold regular demonstrations and the idea is proving to be popular amongst the local and surrounding communities being supported by local newspapers the paisley express and the gazette.

We regularly litter pick the pathways clearing the glass, dog mess and litter to ensure safety to the public using these paths and for any wildlife. We have had extra cctv installed after the farm itself was vandalised using graffiti which has helped reduce vandalism in the immediate area.

Who benefits from the Project?

The farm has many social connections to help promote mental health, wellbeing and to help lessen isolation. Animals are a great source of therapy and have a great ability to bring many different people together some people prefer being round the animals as a gentle way of reintroducing them into the community. Some of the connections we have are RAMH, spark of genius, community service, West college Scotland's adults with addition needs and kibble we believe everyone should have the chance to be involved in their community. These connections help provide placements for anyone suffering mental health issues, physical disabilities, someone who has been out of the community, anyone who is looking to get back into work or anyone who just wants to volunteer, its a placement where everyone is included in every aspect of the farm with no judgement. We offer work experience placements to many different high schools throughout Renfrewshire and beyond including Gleniffer high school, the placements are invaluable to pupils wishing to pursue a career in the animal sector as not many places allow under 16's to work so closely with such a variety of animals, in recent years our volunteers have went on to become fully qualified veterinary nurses. We have a working partnership with Glenburn based group Renfrewshire helping those in need we collect and distribute many items for the group helping out with people who are in need in the community. We are on an active bus route with buses coming from many different areas which helps make it easy to visit from many parts of Renfrewshire and the surrounding areas.

PE Local Priorities:

- □ Exploring the impact of new housing developments
- □ Supporting social connections
- □ Community pride and safety
- □ Tackling food poverty
- □ Partial fit with priorities
- ☑ Does not fit with priorities

Notes:

Breakdown of costs

Item of spend	Total Cost	Amount requested
Ongoing Running Cos	sts £4000	£4000

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.

The group have 20 volunteers and 30 members

They currently have £3200 in their bank account which has been set against expenditure of Vet Bill, Electricity, Gas, Insurance, Farrier, Hay and Feed

Grant funding award history:

In 20/21 Lamont farm was awarded £11,340.11 from Local Partnerships for our running costs, and with the impact of Covid (we were closed from March-July and closed again towards the end of November (we are still closed) this funding has been vital to us. We have tried to keep going with projects via the internet, eg zoom chats with local kids and a class visit remotely through google teams. It is hard to say how many people have benefited from the project, when we reopened in July we had up to 1000 visitors through the gate in 1 day from areas all over.

This year in particular we were a huge benefit to the community. Even when we have been closed we have encouraged the public to come and visit out animals in the fields where they could do so safely and within the regulations. The farm's fields have been a way of getting both adults and children alike out of the house and helping to reduce stress and depression caused by covid. When we reopened we welcomed everyone back and quite literally had a queue of up to 50-60 people waiting at a time to get in with another 40 already in the farm. We were able to do animal handling with the under 12s giving them an activity that they could take part in without a fear of infection.

	Grant Name	Amount	Used for
2020/21	local partnerships	approx 12000	running costs
2019/20	local partnerships	approx 6000	running costs
2018/19	lac	approx 8000	running costs