



Community Action Fund

The following Applications have been received by LANPAC on behalf of the Commissioner and fulfil the Terms and Conditions and Criteria laid out in the Grant Application Form.

The Commissioner is recommended to approve the level of grant funding as detailed for the following Applications:

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| 1. NAME: | Blackburn with Darwen Youth Awareness Project | | |
| AREA: | Blackburn | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime & reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,363.79 | Match Funds: | Volunteer time |
| Project Name & Cost | Investing in better youth support programme (IIBYS) £2,363.79 | | |
| Summary: | The Blackburn with Darwen Youth Awareness Project will work with young people (aged 16 – 25) in particular targeting those most vulnerable with substance misuse issues. The 12 month programme offers 1 to 1 sessions with the aim to develop employability and social skills as well as encouraging young people to access further education. | | |
| Comments: | Blackburn with Darwen Youth Awareness Project will work with local probation officers as well as the local policing team to ensure they are capturing those most vulnerable. In addition they will raise awareness of the programme through centres, schools and mosques. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,363.79 is provided to The Blackburn with Darwen Youth Awareness Project. | | |

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| 2. NAME: | Bodies in Motion | | |
| AREA: | Pendle | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime & reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,350 | Match Funds: | None |
| Project Name & Cost | The Garden Project £2,350 | | |
| Summary: | Bodies in Motion would like funding to connect the water and electrical supply to the building. | | |
| Comments: | Bodies in Motion work with those on community sentences and prison release service users offering a package of employment, training and educational support. Bodies in Motion work in partnership with Red Rose Recovery, Lancashire Environmental Fund, and Pendle Borough Council and receive referrals from National Probation Services. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,350 is provided to Bodies in Motion <u>conditional</u> they submit an effective evaluation for their previous project. | | |

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| 3. NAME: | Carnforth Community Swimming Pool Ltd. | | |
| AREA: | Lancaster | PRIORITY: | Developing safe and confident communities |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,320 | Match Funds: | None |
| Project Name & Cost | Let's get teen safe and active £2,320 | | |
| Summary: | Carnforth Community Swimming Pool would like to run a number of life guarding sessions for young people aged 8 – 14 years followed by an activity session. The aim of the project is to encourage young people to make the most of the facilities available, acting as a diversionary activity whilst providing youngsters the opportunity to learn valuable life skills. | | |
| Comments: | Lancaster CSP contributed towards the maintenance of the pool facilities. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,320 is provided to Carnforth Community Swimming Pool Ltd. | | |

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| 4. NAME: | Padiham Football Club | | |
| AREA: | Burnley | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime and reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £1,500 | Match Funds: | Other funding streams, local businesses and organisations own resources |
| Project Name & Cost | Improvements to Padiham Football Club £4,000 | | |
| Summary: | Padiham Football Club has been a victim to numerous ASB incidents and would like funding towards securing the grounds further; fencing, anti-vandal paint, signage and materials. | | |
| Comments: | Padiham Football Club also runs various community activities such as fun days, family BBQ days as well as offering the venue to charities free of charge for fund raising events. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £1,500 is provided to Padiham Football Club. | | |

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| 5. NAME: | Skem Creative Hub | | |
| AREA: | West Lancashire | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime and reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,500 | Match Funds: | Organisations own resources |
| Project Name & Cost | Positive Summer Activities Programme £4,250 | | |
| Summary: | Skem Creative Hub will run spray painting art sessions, four times per week for three weeks during the summer holiday period. Young people will be given the opportunity to try something new, each creating their own pieces of art that will be showcased in the local shopping centre. | | |
| Comments: | Skelmersdale is an area in Lancashire which suffers from high levels of Anti-Social Behaviour. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,500 is provided to Skem Creative Hub. | | |

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| 6. NAME: | The Friends of Rose | | |
| AREA: | Burnley | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime & reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,497.50 | Match Funds: | None |
| Project Name & Cost | Knife & Drug Reduction Mentoring £2,497.50 | | |
| Summary: | The Friends of Rose would like to work with a targeted group of young people, in particular those who come from families with complex needs. The nine week programme will included sessions run by ex-offender Darryl Laycock who aims to share real life experiences with the aim of diverting young people away from ASB, gang, knife and drug crime followed by group work and one to one sessions. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,497.50 is provided to the Friends of Rose. | | |

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| 7. NAME: | U2 Get Fit CIC | | |
| AREA: | Blackburn | PRIORITY: | Supporting vulnerable people & Tackling crime and reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,450 | Match Funds: | None |
| Project Name & Cost | The Billy Project £2,450 | | |
| Summary: | U2 Get Fit CIC will work with vulnerable women through sport and physical activity. Sessions will run Monday – Saturday for an 11 week period. | | |
| Comments: | U2 Get Fit CIC receive referrals from Blackburn with Darwen Safeguarding Team, Inspire Drug & Alcohol Service, The Wish Centre and the NHS Mental Health Team. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,450 is provided to U2 Get Fit CIC. | | |

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| 8. NAME: | Elswick Youth Club | | |
| AREA: | Fylde | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime and reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £3,000 | Match Funds: | Organisations own resources |
| Project Name & Cost | Elswick Youth Club £3,200 | | |
| Summary: | Elswick Youth Club will run a range of activities for young people aged 7 – 16 including sports, theme nights, team building and art and crafts for a 30 week period. | | |
| Comments: | Fylde Community Safety Partnership support the work of Elswick Youth Club as it is the only activity session young people from the village can access. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £3,000 is provided to Elswick Youth Club. | | |

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| 9. NAME: | Mitchell Ministries | | |
| AREA: | Lancaster | PRIORITY: | Supporting vulnerable people |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,405 | Match Funds: | Awards for All & Seedbed Trust |
| Project Name & Cost | Morecombe Bay Poverty Truth Commission £5,405 | | |
| Summary: | The concept of the Poverty Truth Commission is for people to talk about their lived experiences of poverty to civic commissioners, those seen to have influence locally such as the Police, Council, Councillors, NHS etc. to listen with the aim to generate community led action and projects to help combat local issues. The group has been running for over a year, building confidence and equipping testifiers and are now ready to hold a launch event on 6 th July. | | |
| Comments: | The Morecombe Bay Poverty Truth Commission has work with the City Council as well as the Police who wish to understand the concerns in the local area and then work with partners and communities to address them. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of £2,405 is provided to Mitchell Ministries. | | |

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| 10. NAME: | RELEASE into Victory | | |
| AREA: | Preston | PRIORITY: | Supporting vulnerable people and victims |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £2,370 | Match Funds: | None |
| Project Name & Cost | Inform Project £2,370 | | |
| Summary: | RELEASE into Victory would like send three staff / volunteers on training courses to increase their knowledge further. After training RELEASE into Victory will develop their own materials to enhance the workshops they deliver. | | |
| Comments: | RELEASE into Victory work with survivors of historical child sexual abuse offering both 1:1 and peer support. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner. 2. That a grant of 2,370 is provided to RELEASE into Victory. | | |

The Commissioner is asked to note the following Applications which have been received that do not match the Terms & Conditions or Criteria for the fund:

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| A. NAME: | Uthink Youth Development Services | | |
| AREA: | West Lancashire | PRIORITY: | Tackling crime & reoffending |
| AMOUNT REQUESTED: | £3,000 | Match Funds: | Organisations own resources |
| Project Name & Cost | Urban Scrawl to Canvas of Colour £5,700 | | |
| Details: | Uthink Youth Development Services will run spray painting sessions for young people throughout the summer holiday period, turning a rundown subway into something pleasant and bright. | | |
| Recommendation: | 1. That this application is NOT supported by the Commissioner. 2. That it is noted that Uthink Youth Development Services is not a local group or organisation. | | |