

Report

Report to:	Hamilton Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	9 July 2008
Report by:	Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

Subject:	Community Grant Applications
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

- ◆ request approval of the allocation of community grants to 23 community groups in the Hamilton area.

2. Recommendation(s)

2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-

(1) that community grants be awarded as follows:-

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| (a) | Applicant: | Low Waters Miners Welfare Bowling Club,
Hamilton (HA/3/08) |
| | Amount Requested: | £900 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £300 |
| (b) | Applicant: | Greenfield Club Bowling Section, Hamilton
(HA/76/08) |
| | Amount Requested: | £250 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Special event |
| | Amount Awarded: | £200 |
| (c) | Applicant: | Strutherhill Friendship Club, Larkhall (HA/77/08) |
| | Amount Requested: | £500 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing and entrance fees |
| | Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (d) | Applicant: | 1 st Larkhall Boys Brigade, Larkhall (HA/79/08) |
| | Amount Requested: | £600 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing and entrance fees |
| | Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (e) | Applicant: | Hillhouse Parish Church, Hamilton (HA/81/08) |
| | Amount Requested: | £220 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| | Amount Awarded: | £200 |

- (f) Applicant: St John's Friendly Hour, Hamilton (HA/89/08)
Amount Requested: £400
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (g) Applicant: Burnbank Stroke Club, Hamilton (HA/96/08)
Amount Requested: £386
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (h) Applicant: Dalserf Bowling Club (Senior's Section) (HA/97/08)
Amount Requested: £320
Purpose of Grant: Special event, outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £320
- (i) Applicant: High Blantyre Ladies' Guild, High Blantyre (HA/100/08)
Amount Requested: £200
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (j) Applicant: Larkhall Bowling Club (HA/101/08)
Amount Requested: £300
Purpose of Grant: Special event
Amount Awarded: £250
- (k) Applicant: Weavers Court Residents' Association, Hamilton (HA/102/08)
Amount Requested: £200
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (l) Applicant: Uddingston Senior Citizens', Uddingston (HA/103/08)
Amount Requested: £475
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (m) Applicant: Larkhall and District Bowling Association, Larkhall (HA/104/08)
Amount Requested: £500
Purpose of Grant: Special event
Amount Awarded: £250
- (n) Applicant: Priestfield Senior Citizens' Club, High Blantyre (HA/105/08)
Amount Requested: £250
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £250
- (o) Applicant: Auchentibber Women's Rural Institute, Blantyre (HA/106/08)
Amount Requested: £250

	Purpose of Grant:	Outing
	Amount Awarded:	£200
(p)	Applicant	Lanarkshire Family History Society, Hamilton (HA/107/08)
	Amount Requested	£998
	Purpose of Grant	Equipment
	Amount Awarded	£300
(q)	Applicant	Hillhouse Parish Church Playgroup, Hamilton (HA/108/08)
	Amount Requested	£1,000
	Purpose of Grant	Outing and equipment
	Amount Awarded	£300
(r)	Applicant	Handmades, Hamilton (HA/109/08)
	Amount Requested	£300
	Purpose of Grant	Outing
	Amount Awarded	£200
(s)	Applicant	Newcomers Club, Blantyre (HA/110/08)
	Amount Requested	£495
	Purpose of Grant	Outing and publicity costs
	Amount Awarded	£250
(t)	Applicant	Earnock Residents' Association, Hamilton (HA/111/08)
	Amount Requested	£500
	Purpose of Grant	Transport, equipment and publication costs
	Amount Awarded	£250
(u)	Applicant	Blantyre Daycare Service Users, Blantyre (HA/112/08)
	Amount Requested	£616
	Purpose of Grant	Outing
	Amount Awarded	£200
(v)	Applicant	11 th Hamilton Guides, Hamilton (HA/113/08)
	Amount Requested	£500
	Purpose of Grant	Special event
	Amount Awarded	£250
(w)	Applicant	Our Lady and St Anne Bowling Club, Hamilton (HA/114/08)
	Amount Requested	£350
	Purpose of Grant	Outing
	Amount Awarded	£200
(x)	Applicant	Whitehill Friendship Club, Hamilton (HA/115/08)
	Amount Requested	£415
	Purpose of Grant	Specialist transport and equipment
	Amount Awarded	£400

3. Background

- 3.1. The Council operates a community grants scheme to support local constituted community groups and voluntary organisations. Applications are invited continually throughout the year.

All applications require to be supported by a constitution, audited accounts and a bank statement.

4. Employee Implications

- 4.1. None

5. Financial Implications

- 5.1. The current position of the community grant allocation for the Hamilton Area in 2008/2009 is as follows:-

Total allocation	£52,000
Grants allocated so far	£31,230
Community Grants recommended in this report	£5,820
Remaining balance	£14,950

6. Other Implications

- 6.1. None

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 7.1. This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore no impact assessment is required.

- 7.2. All the necessary consultation with the community groups has taken place.

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Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

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Link(s) to Council Objectives

- ♦ Supporting our communities

Previous References

None

List of Background Papers

- ♦ Individual application forms

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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