

Report

Report to:	Hamilton Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	5 December 2007
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 15 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: | Eddlewood Bowling Club (Junior Section)
(HA/91/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £300 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £300 |
| (b) | Applicant: | Uddingston and Bothwell Women's Rural Institute
(HA/106/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £250 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Start-up costs |
| | Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (c) | Applicant: | Nethan Valley Angling Association, Larkhall
(HA/115/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £500 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £300 |
| (d) | Applicant: | The Celtic Boys Club (92), Hamilton (HA/116/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £826 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Equipment and transport costs |
| | Amount Awarded: | £300 |
| (e) | Applicant: | 140 th Lanarkshire St Mary's Episcopalian Scouts,
Hamilton (HA/119/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £300 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outings |

- (f) Amount Awarded: £200
 Applicant: Strathclyde Bowling Club (Senior Section) (HA/122/07)
 Amount Requested: £300
 Purpose of Grant: Special event
 Amount Awarded: £300
- (g) Applicant: Eddlewood Bowling Club Seniors Section (HA/124/07)
 Amount Requested: £300
 Purpose of Grant: Special event
 Amount Awarded: £300
- (h) Applicant: Tiny Totz Toddler Group, Blantyre (HA/136/07)
 Amount Requested: £500
 Purpose of Grant: Outings and equipment
 Amount Awarded: £300
- (i) Applicant: St John's Church Guild, Hamilton (HA/139/07)
 Amount Requested: £330
 Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
 Amount Awarded: £250
- (j) Applicant: Chatelherault Primary School PTA (HA/140/07)
 Amount Requested: £300
 Purpose of Grant: Special event
 Amount Awarded: £200
- (k) Applicant: Bothwell Community Council (HA/141/07)
 Amount Requested: £590
 Purpose of Grant: Special event and printing costs
 Amount Awarded: £200
- (l) Applicant: Blantyre Bowling Club (Ladies' Section) (HA/142/07)
 Amount Requested: £795
 Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
 Amount Awarded: £250
- (m) Applicant: Quarter Boolin Club (Seniors' Section) (HA/144/07)
 Amount Requested: £400
 Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
 Amount Awarded: £250
- (n) Applicant: Uddingston District Churches Men's Fellowship (HA/145/07)
 Amount Requested: £524
 Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
 Amount Awarded: £250
- (o) Applicant: Hamilton North Church Guild (HA/146/07)
 Amount Requested: £300

Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £250

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 2007/2008 is as follows:-

Total allocation	£52,000
Grants allocated so far	£41,685
Community Grants recommended in this report	£3,900
Remaining balance	£6,415

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)

14 November 2007

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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