

Subject:

Report to:	Clydesdale Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	13 February 2007
Report by:	Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

Report

Community Grant Applications

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - request approval for the allocation of community grants to 13 community groups in the Clydesdale area.

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that community grants be awarded as follows:-

(a)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Lesmahagow Black Bull Football Club <i>(CL/145/06)</i> £250 Start-up costs £250
(b)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Loudon Pond and Ponfeigh Glen Association, Douglas Water <i>(CL/146/06)</i> £600 Environmental project and publicity costs £450
(c)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	The Little Haven Support Group, Forth <i>(CL/147/06)</i> £250 Start-up costs £250
(d)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Friends of Volunteering in Clydesdale, Lanark <i>(CL/148/06)</i> £500 Equipment £375
(e)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Women's Rural Institute Douglas Branch <i>(CL/150/06)</i> £200 Transport costs £200

(f)	Applicant:	Clydesdale Astronomical Society, Carluke
	Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	(CL/151/06) £250 Start-up costs £250
(g)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Lanark Writers <i>(CL/152/06)</i> £500 Publicity costs and special event £400
(h)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Glespin Photography Group <i>(CL/142/06)</i> £250 Start-up costs £250
(i)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	1 st Symington Guides Senior Section <i>(CL/154/06)</i> £600 Equipment £350
(j)	Applicant:	"Fun with Flowers" St Andrews Parish Church, Carluke (CL/155/06)
	Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	£350 Equipment £300
(k)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	5 th Carluke Brownie Pack <i>(CL/156/06)</i> £350 Equipment £350
(I)	Applicant: Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	Douglasdale Players, Douglas <i>(CL/158/06)</i> £1,000 Equipment and publicity costs £600
(m)	Applicant:	Lowther Hills First Responders, Wanlockhead (CL/159/06)
	Amount Requested: Purpose of Grant: Amount Awarded:	£1,000 Equipment £825

3. Background

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

4. Employee Implications

4.1. None

5. Financial Implications

5.1. The current position of the community grant allocation for the Clydesdale Area in 2006/2007 is as follows:-

Total allocation	£52,000
Grants allocated so far (less £300 grant returned by group)	£47,150
Community Grants recommended in this report	
Remaining balance	£0

6. Other Implications

6.1. None

7. Consultation

7.1. All the necessary consultation with the community groups has taken place.

Robert McIlwain Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

29 January 2006

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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