



City of
BRADFORD
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

Report of the Bradford South Area Co-ordinator to the meeting of Bradford South Area Committee to be held on 13th March 2023

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Subject:

2023 / 2024 - BRADFORD SOUTH GRANTS

Summary statement:

This report summarises the grants that have been awarded in the Bradford South Constituency between 1st of April 2023 to 31 March 2024.

Equality & Diversity:

All of the funding opportunities are open to, and actively promoted to, groups, organisations and individuals working in and with all the communities in the Bradford South Area.

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Corporate

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report summarises the grants that have been awarded in the Bradford South Constituency between 1st of April 2023 to 31 March 2024.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Youth and Community Chest Budget exists to support and enable a wide range of community based projects and activities to be developed to benefit communities across Bradford South.
- 2.2 The Kings Coronation Community Grant was to celebrates the Coronation of the new Monarch, His Majesty King Charles III. Small grants, of up to £250, for communities to come together to join with the national celebrations that took place between Sunday, 6th May to Monday, 8th May 2023.
- 2.3 The Youth and Community Chest Grant, Bradford South Area Co-ordinator's Office, assessed the received applications and prepared Officer Recommendations. The applications from each Ward were sent to the individual Ward Councillors with a request for comments, which informed the decision making process.
- 2.4 The Area Co-ordinator, under delegated powers, is responsible for making decisions on the received applications. These decisions are made following guidance received from the Grants Advisory Group, whose membership is the Chair, Deputy Chair and Opposition Spokesperson of the Area Committee.
- 2.5 It is also possible, when decisions need to be taken outside the formal process, that the Area Co-ordinator can decide on an application having consulted individually the Members of the Grants Advisory Group.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 32 applications for Youth and Community Chest Grants were awarded to community groups during the financial year of 2023/2024, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix A.
- 3.2 42 applications for The Kings Coronation Community Grant were awarded to community groups/organisations during the financial year of 2023/2024, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix B.

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1 The Youth and Community Chest budget for the Bradford South Constituency was £11,500.
- 4.2 The Kings Coronation Community Grant budget was £8,202.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

5.1 There are no issues.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

6.1 There are no issues.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 EQUALITY & DIVERSITY

7.1.1 In awarding Youth and Community Chest Grants, special consideration is given to particular disadvantaged groups including the elderly, people with disabilities, youth, ethnic minorities and people who are unemployed. In addition, special consideration is given to particular areas i.e. inner city areas and social housing estates.

7.2 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

7.2.1 None.

7.3 TACKLING THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY IMPLICATIONS

7.3.1 None.

7.4 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

7.4.1 A number of the projects supported are either directly or indirectly concerned with improving community safety within local communities.

7.5 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

7.5.1 There are no implications.

7.6 TRADE UNION

7.6.1 There are no implications.

7.7 WARD IMPLICATIONS

7.7.1 Projects are undertaken in all wards of the Bradford South area.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1 None.

9. OPTIONS

9.1 None.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 10.1 That the wide range of applications from groups and organisations across Bradford South are noted and welcomed.
- 10.2 That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in allocating all of the grants from the past financial year – 2023/2024.

11. APPENDICES

- APPENDIX A Breakdown of Youth and Community Chest Grants from 2023/2024 and the Criteria.
- APPENDIX B Breakdown of The Kings Coronation Community Grant from 2023/2024 and the Scheme Guidance notes.

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

None.

Breakdown of Youth and Community Chest Grants in 2023 / 2024

WARD	ROUND	GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
Wibsey	May	Wibsey Events Group	£300
Royds	May	Buttershaw Christian Family Centre Ltd	£200
Royds	May	Sandale Community Development Centre	£200
Tong	May	Bierley Community Association	£350
GH, Queensbury, Royds, Wibsey, Wyke	May	Bradford South Scouts	£300
Royds	May	70th Woodside Bradford South Scout Group	£250
Wyke	May	Sedbergh Youth & Community Centre	£340
Wyke	May	Oakenshaw Residents Association	£250
Tong	May	Bierley Community AFC	£250
Great Horton	May	Friends of Brackenhill Park	£300
Great Horton	May	The Youth Association	£250
Royds	May	Shoulder 2 Shoulder	£300
Wyke, Royds, Wibsey	May	Royds Community Association	£150
Wibsey	May	Wibsey Community Friendship Group	£200
Queensbury	May	Friends of Littlemoor Park	£250
Tong, Wibsey and Royds	May	Step 2 Young People's Health	£250
Great Horton	August	113th Bradford Brownies	£350
Wibsey	August	Bradford Model Engineering Society	£250
Queensbury	August	St Therasas Stay and Play	£305.15
Great Horton	October	Gujarati Community Centre	£250
Great Horton	October	European Drom CIC	£400
Royds	October	Friends of Harold Park	£430
Tong	October	Outloud	£400
Wibsey	January	Wibsey Warriors & Juniors	£500

Great Horton	January	Brackenhill Friendship Group	£500
Tong	January	Holmewood Community Association	£500
Royds	January	Shoulder 2 Shoulder	£500
Tong	January	Emerge	£350
Wibsey	January	Marshfield Odsal Bankfoot Enterprise	£500
Wibsey	January	BOCS	£348.53
Wibsey/Royds	January	Muff Field Cricket Club	£250
All Areas	January	Environmental Initiative	£1,526.32
		TOTAL	£11,500

Breakdown of Youth and Community Chest Grants in 2023 / 2024**CRITERIA FOR APPLICATIONS**

1. Applications will only be considered from groups/organisations that either operate in, or benefit people who live in, the Bradford South Constituency area.
2. Applications will be considered to assist community-based activities that will be of benefit to the community, and where the activity could not go ahead without financial assistance.
3. Special consideration will be given to particular target groups including the elderly, disabled, youth, ethnic minorities, unemployed and to particular communities (eg inner city areas, estates, etc.) and to new starts and innovatory schemes.
4. Bids from new groups or previously unfunded groups will be positively encouraged.
5. Grants may be used to complement other sources of funding. Bradford South Area Co-ordinator's Office expects organisations to make every effort to be self-supporting and will favour grants where other money has been secured.
6. The maximum allocation from the Youth and Community Chest would not exceed £350 for any individual project. Projects that cross boundaries can be considered by a number of Area Co-ordinator's Offices, but the total grant will not exceed £500.
7. Projects should not contravene Equality Legislation (ie, no discrimination of membership on grounds of gender, race, religion, sexual orientation, pregnancy, disability, age or gender reassignment).
8. The organisation should be a non-profit making voluntary organisation where membership is open.
9. Grant funding cannot be applied retrospectively. This means grant awards cannot be made for any spending / event / service which have taken place before you have received confirmation that your application has been considered and approved. Please contact the team to clarify the date of the grant allocation panel before you apply if this is not clear.
10. No group that has applied for and received funding in consecutive years should automatically assume that funding will continue. Each application will be treated on its merits.
11. Groups/organisations should normally expect only one grant per financial year.
12. Youth and Community Chest cannot be used in support of religious or political activities, or capital expenditure exclusively connected with such activities.
13. Youth and Community Chest is not normally used to enable fundraising for a secondary body, unless within the terms of a loss guarantee.
14. Groups/organisations must ensure that all statutory (and/or legal) Health and Safety requirements are complied with and, where appropriate, advice must be obtained and followed.

Breakdown of The Kings Coronation Grants in 2023 / 2024

GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
113th Bradford Brownies (part of Girlguiding Bradford South Division)	£200
36th Bradford South (Wibsey Methodist) Scout Group	£84
68th St. Mary's Wyke Bradford South Scout Group	£200
69th Bradford South (Buttershaw) Scout Group	£84
70th Woodside Bradford South Scout Group	£84
Anand Milan Centre	£200
Avery Tulip Social Committee	£200
Bamboo Connect Community Café. (Part of Rock Church)	£200
BHT Early Education & Training	£200
Bradford (Park Avenue)	£200
Buttershaw Baptist Church	£200
Delph Hill Community Centre, Royds Community Association	£200
Earlswood Community Group	£200
European Drom C.I.C	£200
Friends of Westwood Park and NHW	£200
Goodwinners & Co	£200
Great Horton Park Chapel Cricket Club	£200
Horton Bank Top Community Foodbank	£200
Lidget Green Healthy Living Centre	£200
Lower Wyke Moravian Church	£200
Muff field Cricket Club	£200
Norman Lodge	£150
Oakenshaw Residents Association	£200
Parish of Mary, Mother of God	£200
Queensbury Community Programme	£200
QUEENSBURY CRICKET CLUB	£200
Queensbury Support Centre	£200
Residents of Queenshead Park	£200
Russell Hall Primary School	£200
SAIF SPACE CIC	£200
Salthorn Club	£200

Sandale Community Development Trust	£200
SHAPE-UK LTD	£200
South Bradford Sports Pavilion Club	£200
St John the Evangelist Church	£200
St Michael's shelf with St Aidan's, Buttershaw	£200
The Friends Of Harold Park	£200
Tong Village Community Association	£200
Wagtails Tenants Association	£200
Wibsey Methodist Church	£200
Woodside Village Centre, Royds Community Association	£200
Wyke Community and Children's Centre	£200
Total	£8,202

Scheme Guidance notes

This May marks the Coronation of a new Monarch, His Majesty King Charles III. It is the first coronation since Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in 1953. It will be celebrated across the country and The Commonwealth and marked with a three-day bank holiday weekend from Saturday 6 May to Monday 8 May 2023.

Bradford Council will be encouraging people from across the district to get involved in organising and attending events and taking part in activities to celebrate.

Bradford Council is offering small grants, of up to £250, for communities to come together to get involved in organizing and attending events to join with the national celebrations that will take place.

People all over the country are being invited to come together with friends, neighbours and others they don't yet know for street parties, picnics or barbeques.

The weekend will be an opportunity to celebrate all that Britain's diverse communities hold in common.

An event can be anything from a small gathering in a garden, park or driveway, to a larger party with trestle tables down the middle of your street.

Many neighbours and groups will be able to organise without any additional funding. For those who will need a little help we have some funding to help as many people take part as possible.

We are able to award small grants of up to £250 to support local Coronation activities and events across the Bradford district. This can include any of the following:

- A Street Party
- Community Barbeque
- A Picnic

Eligibility

- We will prioritise applications that are being especially organised to celebrate the Coronation, as opposed to regular or annual events that are merely being re-branded as Coronation events
- All events and activities ideally take place between Saturday 6th May and Monday 8th May 2023
- Grants need to be made via registered community or voluntary groups or other organisations with a constitution and **bank account** (we will accept applications from Parish Councils and other similar bodies)

We understand that groups of local residents may want to come together to organise a street party. We would ask that you either find a local registered community group or organisation that is willing to accept and manage the grant on your behalf, **or** that you provide us with details of an appropriate referee to contact – e.g. Ward Officer, Youth Worker, Warden Community Worker, someone from West Yorkshire Police, your local head teacher etc.

A condition of the grant is that you are willing to display the official logos prominently on all

marketing and publicity material, and that you give permission for the event to be more widely publicised if appropriate via our social media and through sharing your information with the Telegraph & Argus. In addition, for this Fund, we will not pay for the cost of purchasing alcohol or fireworks.

Deadlines

The closing date for applications is **Sunday 2nd April 2023**. No applications will be accepted after this date. Decisions will be taken by an independent grants panel by the Friday 14th April 2023. All applicants will be notified of the results of the grants panel.

More information about celebrations in the district can be found:

For further information and helpful hints and ideas about the King's Coronation please go to:

Any Queries / completed applications please email: Stronger.communities@bradford.gov.uk

