St Albans City and District Council

Community Grants Fund – Successful Applications 2017-18

Name of group and project	Description	Funding awarded
Active Lifestyles	Hold workshops within Black History Month October 2017 which will engage the St Albans and District Community.	£1,700.00
Black History Month Celebrating 30 years		
St Nicholas Church,	Celebrating cultural differences through a range of workshops to foster understanding	£2,000.00
Harpenden	and trust between different community groups.	
Trading Places		
Christ Church, St	A community project to help families with children and to support teenagers from the	£3,611.18
Albans	Batchwood area to have fun together and eat together over the summer holidays.	
The Extended Big		
Lunch		
Harperbury Bowls Club	Motorised conversion kit to upgrade manually propelled wheelchair to power driven, enabling less mobile, frail or disabled players to manoeuvre themselves about the	£2,988.00
Mobility for	bowling green without the aid of other players.	
Frail/Disabled Bowler's Wheelchair		
St Albans and District	Improving inclusion for disabled people in Sopwell, Batchwood, St Stephen and	£4,960.00
Citizens Advice	Redbourn through better access to information and advice.	
Information and Advice for the Disabled		
Trinity Community	To help vulnerable 'at risk' adults (18+) who have various disabilities, or are socially	£5,000.00
Project	isolated, to re-engage with the community.	
Community		
Engagement Project		

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St Albans Good Neighbour Scheme Computerisation of	To acquire a system to replace paper records for volunteers, clients and their requests for assistance.	£3,870.00
Operations		
Trestle Theatre Company "Sing Out" -Trestle Community Inclusion Group	To create and lead an inclusive singing and drama skills group to encourage community cohesion between disabled and non-disabled people from diverse backgrounds.	£3,885.00
Wacky Wheels Introduction to Photography	To enable physically disabled young adults to access photography as a hobby and to help them record views of the community.	£2,760.99
The Counselling Foundation Boost	Social skills courses to empower those whose isolation is a barrier to work, volunteering and taking part in the community.	£2,945.00
St Albans District Credit Union Automatic Loan Decisioning (ALD)	Enable people in the community to access fair cost loans more quickly, avoiding doorstep / payday lenders and spiralling debt.	£3,648.00
The Kitchen Front CIC The Larder Louts	Basic cookery workshops for active older men cooking for the first time due to bereavement, becoming a carer or due to retirement.	£5,000.00

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StEPs (St Albans Educational Partnerships)	A series of specialist workshops developed in line with the identified needs of parents with children with additional needs	£2,988.00
Specialist workshops for Parents with children and young people with additional needs		
The Crescent Support Group	Supporting people with HIV and their carers to access community support and HIV information online.	£2,360.00
Drop in service and online access point		
Hertfordshire Practical Parenting Programme	To provide support and encourage engagement with BAME families in crisis, experiencing Child-to-Parent Abuse or at risk of ASB.	£4,000.00
Empowering Minority Parents		
Daylight Club	Production of a calendar with each month having a special recipe that is significant to their members.	£3,500.00
Healthy Eating Calendar		
Centre 33	Provision of a robust fridge, large hob and 2 ovens to ensure the storage, preparation and cooking of meals at Centre 33 meets requirements.	£1,290.00
Purchase of a robust fridge, bigger hob and double oven for Centre 33 Victim surgeries		

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Small Acts of Kindness Warm in Winter Gift Bags in St Albans City and District	Essential keep warm items for local older, often lonely and isolated people who struggle to keep warm in their home.	£2,000.00
St Albans & District Bereavement Network The Art of Grieving	Ensuring bereaved people can better function as part of the community using art and creative work to generate discussion about these feelings, reducing isolation and mental health issues.	£2,520.00
Harpenden Connect Community Transport Service	The provision of a community bus service serving those parts of Harpenden with no commercial bus service provider.	£1,000.00
	<u>Total</u>	£62026.17