



Northampton TOWN COUNCIL

EXTRAORDINARY GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE – 8TH AUGUST 2022

To Members of the Grants Sub Committee:

Clhrs Birch (Chair), T Eales, Hibbert, Holland-Delamere
Named substitute: Cllr Lane

You are hereby summoned to attend an extraordinary meeting of the Grants Sub-Committee to be held in the Town Council Committee Room, Northampton Guildhall, on Monday 8th August at noon when the business set out below will be transacted.

This Sub-Committee meeting is open to the public and press to attend and those attending the meeting shall be informed that they may be recorded. Public participation is in accordance with the Town Council's public participation policy.

Cc'd electronically to all other councillors for information

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stuart Carter'.

Stuart Carter
Town Clerk
2nd August 2022

Guildhall
Northampton
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A G E N D A

1. APOLOGIES

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

3. GRANTS BUDGET UPDATE

Town Clerk to provide a verbal update on Northampton Town Council's grant budget.

4. GRANT APPLICATIONS TO THE COUNCILLOR'S COMMUNITY FUND

- a) **Northampton Casuals Rugby Football Club** – CCF77 – Centenary Legacy - £2,000 – Cllr Soan - Rushmills
- b) **Northampton Bangladeshi Association** – CCF78 - Annual Summer Fair - £500 – Cllr Marriott – Semilong



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- c) **The Youth Summit** – CCF79 - Team Building Weekend - £900 – Cllrs Alwahabi, Haque & Ismail – Castle
- d) **Spring Boroughs Voice** – CCF80 - Spring Borough Festival - £1,000 - Cllrs Alwahabi, Haque & Fartun – Castle
- e) **Northampton Town of Sanctuary** – CCF81 - L2L Youth Music Workshop - £1,600 – Cllrs Alwahabi, Haque, Ismail, Purser and Tarasiewicz – Castle
- f) **United African Association** – CCF82 – Trip to Seaside for Families - £1,250 – Cllrs Ismail, Alwahabi, Stevens, Ashraf and Birch - Semilong
- g) **Indian Hindu Welfare Organisation (IHWO)** – CCF83 - Bharatnatyam Classical Dance Class - £350 – Cllr Miah – Headlands
- h) **Spring Boroughs Voice** – CCF84 - Spring Boroughs Women's Project: Safari Park Outing - £1,200 - Cllrs Ismail, Haque, Alwahabi and Ashraf – Castle

5. APPLICATIONS TO THE GENERAL GRANTS FUND

- a) [Shop Zero](#) – CGF32 – Community Larder - £3,225



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GRANT APPLICATIONS TO THE COUNCILLOR'S COMMUNITY FUND				
App No	Organisation	Project Name, Amount Requested & Synopsis	Ward	Councillor(s)
CCF77	Northampton Casuals Rugby Football Club	<p>Centenary Legacy £2000</p> <p>The legacy project is intended to further improve our facilities for the benefit of all who are engaged with us and our club. The project proposes to deliver a new outdoor kitchen, barbeque, cellar and bar area which will replace an existing outdoor barbeque facility. The kitchen and bar area will be connected to all main services and be capable as a standalone facility protected from the elements, and offering a clean and hygienic service to all users.</p> <p>The outside kitchen area will be used to provide hot nutritious food for children and their families after training/matches each Sunday during rugby season. It will also be available for use from community groups or charity functions held within our grounds. The outside bar area will only be used if we have a large function where the bar inside the club house is unable to cope with expected numbers due to space.</p> <p>The aim of the project is not only to provide hot nutritious food to players, but to raise money so that the club remains self-funding to continue with its programme of training coaches via RFU approved training programmes and continues professional development, to</p>	Rushmills	Soan



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		provide trained first aid assistance and equipment, to provide training equipment and balls to allow people to train and play rugby.		
CCF78	Northampton Bangladeshi Association	<p style="text-align: center;">Annual Summer Fair £500</p> <p>The project will benefit people from all over Northampton as it will be open to people of all backgrounds and be promoted via radio, FB, Instagram and other forms of Social Media. Last couple of years the Covid Pandemic has hit hard the BME Community and that has effected the community in the sense of social interaction and coming together.</p> <p>NBA will be holding their annual summer fair at the Gateway Centre this year and hoping to have plenty of children activities such as sumo, bouncy castles, stalls and live music. NBA Gateway Centre will need at least £1200 for the whole event but would like to request at is requesting for £900 to fund the activities. The traditional Asian singers will entertain the audience and this will make the community get together to help with their mental health and wellbeing.</p>	Semilong	Marriott
CCF79	The Youth Summit	<p style="text-align: center;">Team Building Weekend £900</p> <p>We are working with eight youth providers who are developing the leadership skills in the groups.</p>	Castle	Alwahabi, Haque and Ismail



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		<p>We want to bring these youths together for a weekend in order to build the team that will plan and deliver the fourth annual youth led youth conference. The youth come from Kings Heath, Talavera, Bellinge, Castle, and Kingsthorpe.</p> <p>There will be 30 youth and four youth leaders on the programme. We have looked at costs of residentials previously used. Costs have escalated and so we are looking nearer home and will use the Scouts Centre at Overstone.</p>		
CCF80	Spring Boroughs Voice	<p style="text-align: center;">Spring Boroughs Festival £1,000</p> <p>Spring Boroughs is a mainly flat estate with a very diverse population where over 38% of children live in poverty. There is serious social overcrowding on the estate.</p> <p>The festival came about through consultation with local people when we were developing the neighbourhood plan. They said they wanted events that bring the whole estate together and puts Spring Boroughs on the map in a positive way. The festival takes place across the estate and gives the residents the reason why they visit all the different parts of the estates like the pocket park, communal garden, the school, churches etc.</p>	Castle	Alwahabi, Haque and Ismail
CCF81	Northampton Town of Sanctuary	<p style="text-align: center;">L2L Youth Music Workshop £1,600</p>	Castle	Alwahabi, Haque, Ismail, Purser and Tarasiewicz



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		We run a youth club for refugee and asylum seeking youth. The trauma of their past experiences and of the journey they have made impacts their mental health. We run therapeutic activities to support these young people. We use art, music and physical fitness. This grant application is for music sessions with well-known local musicians who will come in and deliver 4 workshops for us. It is also to cover the cost of coach for a day trip to the seaside. This takes place of our annual residential which because of escalating costs, we will not do this year.		
CCF82	United African Association	<p style="text-align: center;">Trip to Seaside for Families £1,250</p> <p>The aim is to take families and children to the seaside for a day visit. Many families supported by the UAA through the food bank and other activities cannot afford to have and to take their children for a day out, many have not visited the seaside before. The local coach firm has been contacted and they have provided a quote for the transport. The plan is to also order fish and chips for the participants.</p> <p>This is an opportunity to provide much a needed break and the opportunity to be with others and enjoy a different activity in a new environment.</p>	Semilong	Ismail, Alwahabi, Stevens, Ashraf and Birch
CCF83	Indian Hindu Welfare	<p style="text-align: center;">Bharatnatyam Classical Dance Class £350</p>	Headlands	Miah



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	Organisation (IHWO)	Bharatnatyam dance class is for children to learn classical form of Indian dancing. The class was supported with some funding by Cllr Brian Markham about 4 years ago and has been doing well and managing its budget very well. Due to Covid situation and drop in the number of participants the class is facing some financial challenges and this grant will help the group to get their head above water for few months. This will be a crucial support for the volunteers who work hard to support this activity and manage the finances.		
CCF84	Spring Boroughs Voice	Spring Boroughs Women's Project: Safari Park Outing £1,200 This project will benefit women and children in Spring Boroughs who want to organise a family summer outing to West Midlands Safari Park in Bewdley DY12 1LF. The grant will help towards hiring of two coaches for the trip. The ladies have been organising themselves every year but because of the cost of living crisis and the impact of the Covid Pandemic, this year the trip is especially important. It will cheer-up especially the young children. Having a fun day, the kids will develop valuable skills and obtain priceless knowledge. It will encourage a healthy lifestyle while bring family and friends together.	Castle	Ismail, Haque, Alwahabi and Ashraf



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CGF32	Shop Zero	<p style="text-align: center;">Community Larder £3,225</p> <p>Our community 'larder' or 'social supermarket' currently provides 15 items for £5 - providing low cost food for anyone who wishes to visit us. This includes fresh fruit and vegetables and free bread. It is very popular with long queues at opening times. These at present are for two hours at a time, three times a week. We would like to scale up and open Shop Zero for additional days to provide for those squeezed by the cost of living crisis.</p>