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<b>Deferred from September 2012 meeting.</b>								
SG 1213 08	Sandbourne Training & Development CIC.	<b>£238.20.</b> (Initial application £1,983.47).  Since the original application, funding from other sources has secured most of the items requested. A projector for presentations is still needed.	Support for Women into Jobs.  Sandbourne Training & Development CIC is a new Community Interest Company that aims to provide mentoring & training in North Staffordshire to unemployed individuals and to small companies.  They are applying for funds to develop and deliver workshops and subsequent support for women in disadvantaged areas of Newcastle-under-Lyme to assist them either into entering employment or to help them with self-employment and volunteering.  Consideration of this application was deferred to enable the applicant to provide more information.	<b>£1,983.47.</b>	No.	£1,745.27.	Borough-wide.	£238.20.
<b>Reason for deferment &amp; applicant's response.</b>								
<p>1) <u>How clients would be referred from Jobcentre Plus and other organisations.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Registered with Jobcentre Plus, therefore referrals directly from advisers.</li> <li>➤ Linked with other organisations, e.g. Changes Health &amp; Wellbeing, who circulate information, including Work Programme providers.</li> </ul> <p>2) <u>What further evidence there is of the need for the project, and on what basis have you determined the number of women that the project would provide assistance and support to.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Part of a wider support project to deliver short courses to help people back into work or self-employment. This receives European funding which doesn't cover the one-to-one support element covered in this application.</li> <li>➤ This project would provide additional one-to-one support to reduce the number of non-attendees by providing reassurance; 80% of non-attendees are women.</li> </ul> <p>3) <u>How the project would link in with other activities operating in the Borough that work in the same field of activity.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Can refer to other providers, such as Enterprise Coaches, after the course to enable clients to continue to develop their Business Plans, and particularly linking to the New Enterprise Allowance.</li> </ul> <p>4) <u>What other specialist support services there are available for your target audience.</u></p> <p>Aware of, and can refer to, other specialist support services, for example the Shaw Trust.</p>								
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SG 1213 13	Mow Cop Residents' Association (MCRA)/Boiler Upgrade	<b>£1,000.00.</b> (minimum – "any amount	MCRA is a Residents' Association for the Mow Cop area. In 2011 they took on the lease of St. Thomas' Church Hall from St.	<b>£2,000.00.</b>	No.	£1,000.00 (gifts in kind).	Newchapel Ward.	£750.00.

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	in Community Hall.	would be welcome”).	<p>Thomas' Church to operate as a community hall.</p> <p>They are seeking £1,000.00 towards the cost of upgrading the boiler in the hall.</p> <p>Consideration of this application was deferred to enable the applicants to provide information about the organisations that currently use the Hall together with details of its booking policy.</p>					

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Further information about booking policy and organisations currently using the hall.

- A copy of the bookings for the hall for the first quarter of 2013, as of 16.1.13, has been supplied.
- They have a designated Bookings Officer, but do not have a Bookings Policy as such; they will refer any booking requests to their Management Committee if there are concerns – they state that “We wish to have the hall as inclusive as possible but we are mindful that we must not impact unduly on the neighbours”.
- Their standard charge is £15.00 for the first hour, and £10.00 for each hour thereafter, with the facility for a reduced charge on request for charitable events.
- The need for the replacement boiler has become greater since the original application since the water heating aspect has now broken down.

SG 1213 14	North Staffs Asperger & Autism Association (NSAAA)/Children's Social-Link Club.	<b>£1,698.80.</b> (Minimum £1,200.00).	<p>NSAAA is a local Registered Charity that provides support, help &amp; advice to individuals with an Autistic Spectrum Condition, their parents &amp; carers.</p> <p>They are seeking £1,698.80 to fund a social/activity project for children on the autistic spectrum with the aim of improving social &amp; communication skills.</p> <p>NSAAA have received grants in the previous two years. The criteria state that “Projects that receive a Small Grant award in two consecutive financial years will not be able to apply in the following financial year”</p> <p>Consideration of this application was deferred to enable the applicant to provide details of the venues that it is proposed to use, and for clarification about the costs.</p>	<b>£2,298.80.</b>	<p>2010/11, £1,000.00 for Helpline service.</p> <p>2011/12, £1,000.00 for Adult social club.</p>	£600.00 – 60 volunteer hours per 12 months.	Borough- wide.	£0
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1) Locations of sessions.

- Swimming & Inflatable Play - Jubilee Baths.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <u>Badminton</u> – Wolstanton High School.</li> <li>○ <u>Soft Ball Play</u> – Fun Factory, Fenton.*</li> </ul> <p>* Fenton facility is used because “Our young members are familiar with the Fenton soft play facility, and the staff who work there know them, or some of them. This provides our youngsters with a safe environment which reassures our youngsters; The Fenton soft play facility provides a discounted or subsidised deal for NSAAA that no facility in Newcastle can match”</p> <p><u>Whether costs are those quoted and include any charity discounts.</u> Costs included in application are actual costs, and include any charity discounts that they always ask for.</p>								
SG 1213 15	Newcastle Fair Trade Group/Promotion of Fairtrade within the Borough.	<b>£450.00.</b>	Newcastle Fair Trade Group is the local manifestation of the Fairtrade organisation that aims to promote fair trade products in Newcastle, including locally grown ethically produced products.  They are seeking £450.00 to purchase a projector for use with a laptop for making presentations.	<b>£450.00.</b>	No.	N/A	Borough-wide.	£300.00.
SG 1213 16	Newcastle-under-Lyme Friendship Centre/Running Costs.	<b>£1,250.00.</b> (minimum £1,000.00).	Newcastle-under-Lyme Friendship Centre is a membership club that aims to provide companionship for over 55s living alone, and organising monthly meetings with speakers, as well as social events.  They are seeking £1,250.00 for their annual running costs.	<b>£2,112.00.</b>	No.	No.	Borough-wide.	£0
SG 1213 17	Samaritans of Stoke & Newcastle/Core Funding.	<b>£1,500.00.</b> (minimum – “any amount would be welcome”).	Samaritans of Stoke & Newcastle are the local branch of a national Registered Charity with the core aim of providing emotional support to people with suicidal feelings, and to reduce the numbers of people who die through suicide.  They are seeking £1,500.00 towards their annual running costs.	<b>c£20,000.00.</b>	2007/08, £1,730.00. 2008/09, £1,989.00. 2009/10, £1,920.00. 2011/12, £1,500.00.	£2,100.00, Stoke-on-Trent City Council.	Borough-wide.	£1,500.00
SG 1213 18	Betley & District Village Hall/Refurbishment – Phase 4.	<b>£2,500.00.</b> (minimum – “we are grateful for what we receive”).	Betley & District Village Hall are in the process of a major improvement/refurbishment to the building and facilities therein.  Phases 1 > 3 have been completed, and they are now seeking funds towards the costs of Phase 4 which covers:-	<b>£15,000.00.</b>	No.	£7,500.00, Staffordshire County Council – pending.	Halmerend Ward.	£1,750.00

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Updating of the electrical infrastructure.</li> <li>➤ Replacement flooring.</li> <li>➤ Portable steps.</li> <li>➤ Floor covering.</li> <li>➤ Stage floor work.</li> </ul>					
SG 1213 19	Moseley Railway Trust(Apedale Valley Light Railway)/Transformation of waste-ground to a community activity area/event field	<b>£2,500.00.</b> (minimum £1,000.00),	<p>Moseley Railway Trust is a Registered Charity that aims to restore and preserve narrow-gauge railway equipment, and provide educational &amp; recreational facilities thereof. They operate the Apedale Valley Light Railway.</p> <p>They are seeking £2,500.00 towards the cost of regenerating some waste land adjacent to the Apedale Valley Light Railway to provide space for community events.</p>	<b>£5,100.00.</b>	No.	Yes – Trust's own cash reserves.	Borough-wide.	£1,750.00
SG 1213 20	Gifted Workshops/TUNESday.	<b>£1,950.00.</b>	<p>Gifted Workshops is a Community Interest Company (CIC), based in Silverdale, that aims:-</p> <p>a) To provide valuable short breaks for families of children and young people with disabilities, so parents and carers can receive a break from their caring role.</p> <p>b) To bring together and foster understanding amongst young people from the diverse communities in Staffordshire.</p> <p>c) To provide music and creative arts workshops, short break activities and participate in various events within communities.</p> <p>d) To use dance, drama and music to share culture and experiences.</p> <p>They are seeking £1,950.00 for "TUNESday", after school evening workshops for disabled young people, their siblings and families, using music &amp; movement.</p>	<b>£1,950.00.</b>	No.	N/A.	Borough-wide.	£1,500.00
SG 1213	Butt Lane Community & Training Centre/First Aid	<b>£2,308.00</b> (minimum	Butt Lane Community & Training Centre are a Community Centre located in Butt Lane	<b>£2,308.00.</b>	No.	N/A.	Borough-wide.	£0

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21	for the Community.	acceptable – “negotiable”).	Ward. They are seeking £2,308.00 to provide First Aid training courses in partnership with the Red Cross.					
SG 1213 22	79 <sup>th</sup> U.R.C Scout Group/Flying High 2013.	<b>£2,500.00</b> (minimum acceptable £1,250.00).	The Scouts are a well-known youth charity. 79 <sup>th</sup> U.R.C. Scout Group are organising the 2013 Gangshow, “Flying High 2013”, for Newcastle District Scout Movement.	<b>£3,715.00.</b>	No. An unsuccessful application for the same project was submitted in 2011/12	Ticket sales. Applications also submitted for Cultural Grants and Community Chest.	Borough-wide.	£0
SG 1213 23	Disability Solutions/Prevention of Social Exclusion.	<b>£2,500.00</b> – (minimum – “The grant enables us to undertake the scheme for 12 months a smaller amount will reduce the service pro-rata.”).	Disability Solutions are a local Registered Charity that provides a range of services with and for people with a disability. They are seeking funds to provide monthly information and advice sessions across Newcastle.	<b>£5,375.00.</b>	2010/11 - £2,092.00, “Outreach Service”. 2011/12, £2,500.00, “Older People’s Outreach Service”.	No.	Borough-wide.	£0
SG 1213 24	ARCH North Staffs/ Sunshine Hub Children’s Project: Safe Transport to and from School	<b>£1,800.00</b> (minimum acceptable £900.00).	Arch (North Staffs) is a local Registered Charity that provides a range of services, including supporting victims of domestic violence and their children. They are seeking £1,800.00 towards their Safe Transport scheme (part of their Sunshine Project) that provides safe transport to and from children living at Elizabeth House, their DV refuge in Newcastle.	<b>£3,360.00.</b>	2011/12, £1,467.00, for the same project.	£930.00 secured.	Borough-wide.	£1,250.00
SG 1213 25	Newcastle District Scouts/Archery Equipment.	<b>£706.05</b> (minimum - “We would accept any award, although 50% would	The Scouts are a well-known youth charity. They are seeking £706.05 to purchase archery equipment for activities.	<b>£706.05.</b>	No.	No. State that they have considered Sports Council but	Borough-wide.	£0

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		be the ideal minimum”).				not applied.		
SG 1213 26	Keele University Students' Union/Keele SU Pool Bike Scheme.	<b>£2,490.00</b> (minimum – 50% = £1,245.00.	Keele University Students' Union are a Students' Union under the terms of the 1944 Education Act. They are a Registered Charity.  They are seeking £2,490.00 to purchase 6 bicycles + equipment to be available for short-term hire on campus and around the local area.	<b>£2,810.00.</b>	No.	£3,000.00 applied to Keele Key Fund for bike storage.	Keele Ward.	£1,250.00