

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME BOROUGH COUNCIL

**EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT TEAM'S REPORT TO THE
GRANTS ASSESSMENT PANEL**

Monday 9th December 2013

1. **HEADING** Community Chest
- Submitted by:** Sara Shuker
- Portfolio:** Resources & Efficiency
- Ward(s) affected:** All Wards affected

Purpose of the Report

To inform Members of Community Chest applications processed at the time of writing this report for the period April 2013 to March 2014

Recommendations

**Panel note the applications received & processed to date.
Panel to consider application from Madeley Parish Council**

Reasons

Grants Assessment Panel's remit is to receive reports on Community Chest, and, if appropriate, determine whether applications meet the Council's Corporate Priorities and merit an award.

1. **Background**

- 1.1 46 Applications have been received for the financial year 2013/14 from 14 Locally Based Bodies: -
- A total of £24,355.25 has been granted from £33,229.07 applied for
 - 32 received full grants applied for and 8 received partial grant, 2 received no grant, 1 application was withdrawn, 2 are awaiting further information and 1 requires a panel decision
 - Madeley Parish Council application for Older Persons Christmas party on Sunday 15th December 2013 for a total of £964.00, there are 150 places, the rural run around mini bus will be collecting residents from their home to ensure as many people have access to the celebrations.

2. **Issues**

2.1 1 Application has been received for a Panel decision from Madeley Parish Council

3. **Options Considered** (if any)

N/A

4. **Proposal**

4.1 Panel note the information on grants awarded to date in 2013/14.

4.2 Panel to consider application from Madeley Parish Council.

5. **Reasons for Preferred Solution**

6. **Outcomes Linked to Sustainable Community Strategy and Corporate Priorities**

6.1 All applications approved cover a range of the Sustainable Community Strategy and Corporate Priorities

7. **Legal and Statutory Implications**

N/A

8. **Equality Impact Assessment**

N/A

9. **Financial and Resource Implications**

9.1 A breakdown of current budgets for the Locally Based Bodies 2013/14

10. **Major Risks**

N/A

11. **Key Decision Information**

12. **Earlier Cabinet/Committee Resolutions**

13. **Recommendations**

13.1 Panel note the applications received & processed to date.

13.2 Panel to consider application from Madeley Parish Council

14. **List of Appendices**

15. **Background Papers**

15.1 Applications made from April 2013 to March 2014

15.2 Application from Madeley Parish Council