

November 29th, 2024

NOTICE OF MEETING

You are requested to attend a meeting of the

Mid and East Antrim Neighbourhoods and Communities Committee

to be held on **Tuesday, 3rd December 2024 at 6:30 pm** in **Council Chamber, The Braid,
1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena and via remote access.**

Yours sincerely



Valerie Watts
Interim Chief Executive, Mid and East Antrim Borough Council

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7.1 Funds from TEO for Ending Violence Against Women and Girls - circulated

- [Funds from TEO for Ending Violence Against Women & Girls.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 1 Strategic Framework - EVAWG Summer 2023.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 2 EVAWG Action Plan.pdf](#) *Not included*
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- [Appendix 4 Local Change Fund Example.pdf](#) *Not included*

7.2 Gobbins Sub-Committee Adoption of Minutes & Review of Terms of Reference - circulated

- [Gobbins Sub Committee Adoption of Minutes and review of Terms of Reference.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 1 The Gobbins Sub-Committee Terms of Reference.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 2 The Gobbins Sub-Committee Minutes 21 March 2024.pdf](#) *Not included*



7.3 The Gobbins Operational Update & 2025 Plans - circulated

- [The Gobbins Operational Update and 2025 Plans.pdf](#) *Not included*

7.4 Gracehill UNESCO Site Update - circulated

- [Gracehill UNESCO Site Update.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 1 - Gracehill Economic Appraisal.pdf](#) *Not included*
- [Appendix 2 - Letter from the Department for Culture, Media and Sport.pdf](#) *Not included*

7.5 Strategic Arts and Culture Activity Update - circulated

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7.6 The Gobbins 10th Anniversary Update - circulated

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COMMUNITY RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN (CRMP) 2025-2030

**PUBLIC CONSULTATION
CLOSING DATE 9TH JAN 2025**

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INTRODUCTIONS

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BACKGROUND

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- > Prior to CRMP – NIFRS used IRMP to inform strategic operational resource deployment – most recent IRMP 2017-21 has now closed.
- > Following an independent review IRMP was replaced by CRMP and is underpinned with current guidance and advice from:

UK Fire Standards Board & National Fire Chiefs Council (NFCC)

- > NFCC have set National Guidance for the consistent development of CRMPs across the whole fire sector.

WHY OUR CRMP IS IMPORTANT

- > Sets the direction/road map for our improvement over the next 5 years.
- > Sets out in detail who we are as a service, the work that we will carry out, and the steps that we take to respond and prevent emergencies arising in the first place.
- > Helps to prioritise how we spend our budget.

INFORMING OUR CRMP

- > In developing our CRMP we have reviewed –
 - > Our Strategic Focus;
 - > Our Mission, Purpose, Values & Outcomes;
 - > Programme for Government (PfG);
 - > Wider sector CRMPs;
 - > Emergent risk area
 - > We have developed a Strategic Assessment of Risk.

KEY SECTIONS

- > The CRMP document encompasses key information on our–
 - > Legislative Environment;
 - > Oversight & Accountability Arrangements;
 - > Current Resources and Organisational & Operational Composition;
 - > Planning Basis;
 - > Community;
 - > Risks & historical analysis of demand; and
 - > 5-year Strategic Focus – 6 new Strategic Outcomes

UNDERSTANDING OUR RISKS IS IMPORTANT

- > NIFRS Strategic Assessment of Risk document has been developed, to ensure that all potential and foreseeable risks to our community are considered.

- > Primary Purpose of SAR is to ensure we consider all potential and foreseeable risks to our community - at a National and local level & the emergent risks e.g.
 - > Hazardous materials, loss of critical infrastructure in NI;
 - > major accidents;
 - > climate change;
 - > vehicle technology and renewable energy.

- > All this risk information forms the foundation upon which we build our Community Risk Management Plan (CRMP) and our underpinning strategies and annual delivery plans.

KEY CRMP DELIVERABLES:

- > **We know that we need to –**
 - > Review our Service Delivery Model;
 - > Improve our IT systems;
 - > Introduce other interventions to support our current Prevention & Protection;
 - > Strengthen our planning, resilience and risk information;
 - > Strengthen our support for staff;
 - > Strengthen our governance systems.

HOW CAN COUNCILS HELP NIFRS

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- > Please give us your Feedback and complete an online response
- > Help us and be an advocate of our CRMP by sharing it with your colleagues, your communities and organisations you work with to help us shape the future of your fire and rescue service.
- > Everyone's opinion matters to us – this is our 1st step of this CRMP Journey

HOW CAN COUNCILS HELP NIFRS (continued)

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- > Our CRMP public consultation overview and response form should only take around 15 minutes to complete.
- > **Complete Online** - Have your say through our online response form. You can answer any or all of the 11 questions.
- > **Complete via Email – (Download Printable Version)** and emailed to CRMP@nifrs.org
- > **Complete via Post** Responses can also be sent by post to:
Community Risk Management Planning, NIFRS Headquarters, 1 Seymour Street, Lisburn,
BT27 4SX.
- > Public Consultation closes on **Thursday 9th January 2025.**



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07 October 2024

NIFRS STATEMENT – ROAD TRAFFIC COLLISION, BALLYBLACK ROAD EAST, NEWTOWNARDS

07 October 2024 Northern Ireland Fire & Rescue Service Area Commander Brian Stanfield said: "Firefighters were called to reports of an overturned...



03 October 2024

HAVE YOUR SAY ON ENHANCING COMMUNITY SAFETY AND SHAPING THE FUTURE OF FIRE & RESCUE IN NORTHERN IRELAND

3 October 2024 Northern Ireland Fire & Rescue Service (NIFRS) is asking the public to have its say on enhancing community safety...

STOP FIRE

- SMOKE ALARM
- TEST ALARMS WEEKLY
- OBVIOUS DANGERS
- PLAN YOUR ESCAPE

Home Fire Safety Advice >

Get a Free Home Fire Safety Check >



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THANK YOU

**We look forward to hearing from you
– Questions?**

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Financial Inclusion



Financial Inclusion

- Role of the FIM
- Deputy Financial Inclusion Managers
- Key Themes
- Statistics
- MYMW
- Case Studies/Examples
- Tenant feedback

Role of the Financial Inclusion Manager

Where customers have unusual or more complex financial circumstances which may not be easily remedied through the Making Your Money Work service, staff may make an internal referral to the designated FIM for their Region.

FIM's are currently taking referrals from Patch Managers, Accounts Unit and Housing Advisers to assist tenants and customers with any issues they are having in relation to money worries, debt advice and benefits issues; for example:-

- Benefits checks to make sure tenants are receiving everything they are entitled to
- Advice on resolving problems with benefits
- Money advice to ensure tenants are making the most of their income
- Debt advice
- Help with budgeting
- Referrals to other sources of help and support
- Train and support frontline staff

Deputy Financial Inclusion Managers

- NIHE have further invested in the Financial Inclusion Service with the appointment of 3 deputy Financial Inclusion Managers in January 2023.
- They all bring with them a range of different skill sets and will be able to compliment the service we already have.
- The deputy FIM's initially contacted our pension age tenants to offer a benefit check and help guide them with applications.
- Over £200m goes unclaimed in pension age benefits every year in NI and NIHE are committed to supporting our tenants where possible.
- The deputy FIM's are now fully trained and are taking referrals from staff and the FIM's.

Key Themes

- Each of the Financial Inclusion Managers will have an average of 100 referrals per month
- Referrals currently are primarily for benefit or better off checks and to assist tenants experiencing issues with their benefits, Universal Credit in particular.
- With the introduction of new Benefit and Budgeting calculator we have been providing on-going support and assistance with the calculator and taking additional referral for more complicated calculations.
- With the addition of the deputy FIM's we are now able to assist with form filling for tenants as well.
- Assisting with managed migration of Universal Credit and ensuring the claims a maximised.

Statistics

- Since April 2024, there have been 904 referrals received from North East area. Since the service began this figure is 3,107 and 1,087 of these have been from the Mid and East Antrim area.
- From April we have managed to assist tenants gain an extra £627,333 in unclaimed social security benefits.
- In total the Financial Inclusion service, since September 2021, has helped gain tenants an extra £6.4m in benefits.

Case Studies

- A referral was made by a patch manager for a telephone claim for UC. Before setting up the referral we always ensure to speak to the tenant so that they know how UC works and what they are signing up for. During this conversation it came up that he was currently on ESA and PIP and was previously in receipt of Housing Benefit approx. 2 years ago. I asked the tenant why did his HB claim close and he explained that his ESA ended for a while but they had reviewed their decision and put it back into payment. The tenant went on to say that he also owes HB approx. £9k. The tenant also had arrears of approx. £1400. I asked the tenant not to apply for UC just yet to see if we can get HB opened again as it should not have closed as no break in ESA claim. After gathering evidence from ESA, and from the tenant, a mandatory reconsideration was sent to HB asking them to open the claim again due to no break in ESA. HB reviewed the evidence and came to the decision that it should not have been closed. HB back in payment, overpayment of HB cleared, arrears cleared, tenant will have a credit of approx. £600 and he is now back in receipt of full HB.

Case Studies

- Referral from PM for a tenant who was struggling. Tenant was a single parent, working 16 hours per week and in receipt of Universal Credit. Her son was diagnosed with global development delay but she was not in receipt of any disability benefits. We advised on making a claim for DLA and this was successful and she awarded high rate care of £108.55 per week. This then entitled her to the higher disabled child element on UC of £487.58 per month. The tenant was also able to claim the carers element of £198.31 per month. The tenant is better off by £1,156 per month / £13,875 per annum.
- A referral from a patch manger for a 75 year old lady who happened to mention that she was struggling to heat her home when she called to pay her rent. The tenant was not in arrears so never showed on any reports. Reviewed her circumstances and the tenant was entitled to £33 per week pension credit. More importantly this entitlement to pension credit meant that she had automatic entitlement to full housing benefit. The tenant went from paying her rent in full to having nothing to pay plus having an extra £33 per week. Tenant was delighted.

Case Studies

- Contacted a mixed age couple who are now in receipt of UC to check that they were getting correct amount of benefit. When reviewing the UC calculation I noticed that the tenants were missing out on the disabled child premium at the enhanced rate. This is equivalent to £400 per month. The tenants daughter had been awarded Enhanced rate of PIP in Feb but UC had never had the disability element to the claim. This has resulted in the monthly award being increased by £487.58 per month and backdated to start of March. Approx £2500 as a backdated payment.
- Tenant was referred to financial inclusion as they are currently subject to deductions from husband's state pension to cover rent and rates due to nil entitlement as they stated that benefit check has been carried out by make the call. I carried out a benefit check and determined that they do have entitlement to pension credit of £110.05/week which would passport them to full housing benefit of £86.06. I applied for carers allowance applications and pension credit application and housing benefit application and they will receive backdated payments of 3 months and their income will increase by £10197/year

Tenant Feedback

- *"...thankyou for all your help from start to finish with my pip claim. From the form itself and the telephone calls for added advice and support. I have struggled so much with anxiety and depression alone with my daughter. I always worked and was left in a position were I had little money for myself and my daughter, and UC had left me in arrears with the housing executive and rates. I have now cleared my arrears and am left in a better place mentally also as the stress of everything and bills on top I couldn't afford. I really would have been lost without you and your support. Even to talk to on the phone as someone with severe anxiety you made its so easy for me and that itself is amazing."*
- *"Mrs F has just called to advise she got her PIP claim sorted and backdated. She stated if she hadn't of spoken to you she would remain in financial hardship and she wanted me to pass on her thanks to you for all your help and advice, without you she wouldn't have had a clue what she would have been entitled to."*
- *"We were referred to the Financial Inclusion Manager after making an enquiry about benefits to our Patch Manager. We weren't expecting much as we believed we weren't entitled to any. After a chat and help with the application process, we found out we were entitled to over £800 a month in Universal Credit. They also helped us to apply for DLA for our daughter. Without the initial referral, we would still be struggling and unaware of what we are entitled to."*

Questions?



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Your ref:

Our ref: 3902MEA

18th October 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

**Re Prohibition of Right Turn from North Street on to Market Place,
Carrickfergus.**

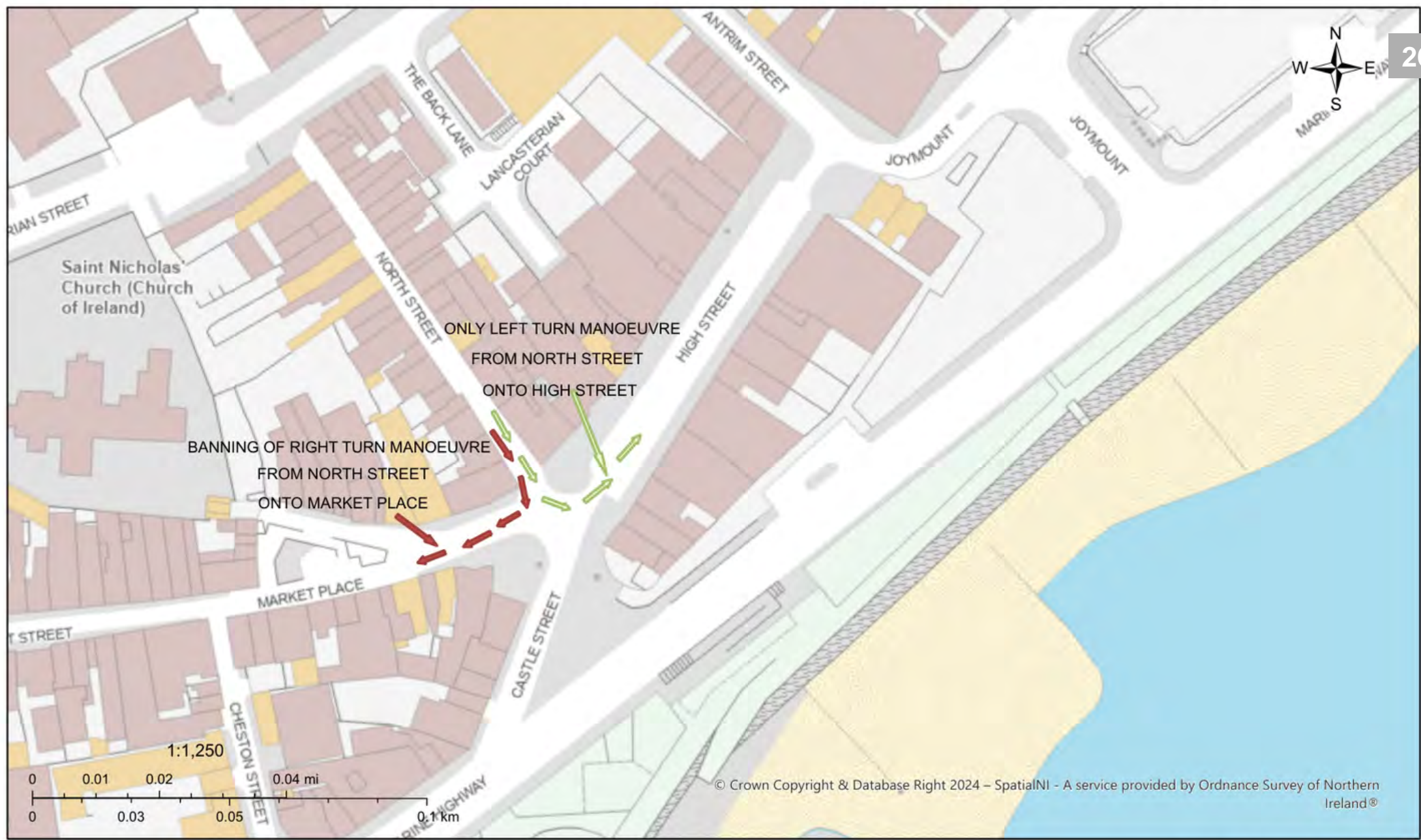
DfI Roads is proposing to introduce legislation to prohibit a Right Turn Movement from North Street on to Market Place, Carrickfergus, which is a pedestrianised zone.

Before proceeding with the drafting of the appropriate legislation, I would appreciate receiving any comments your Council may wish to make regarding this proposal.

A location plan is attached for your information.

Yours faithfully

John McQuillan
Traffic Management



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Your ref:

Our ref:

13th November 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

Re. Accessible Parking Bay – In Lay-by Opp SL No 14 Ballystrudder Gds, Islandmagee.

Dfi Roads is proposing to introduce an accessible parking bay In Lay-by Opp SL No 14 Ballystrudder Gds, Islandmagee. Only people whose vehicles display a valid Blue Badge will be permitted to park in this bay.

Before proceeding with the drafting of the appropriate legislation, I would appreciate receiving any comments your Council may wish to make regarding this proposal.

A location plan is attached for your information.

Yours faithfully

Aidan Mc Hugh

**Traffic Management
Northern Division**



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Council/Committee: Neighbourhoods and Communities

Date: 03 December 2024

Report Title: Grant of Entertainment Licence

Publication Status: Open

Author: Patricia Allen, Head of Public Protection, Health & Wellbeing

Approver: Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek Elected Members approval for the licencing of entertainment at The Fuzzy Beak, Slaughterford Road, Whitehead.

2. Background

- 2.1 Council is responsible for the issuing of Entertainment licences under the Local Government and Miscellaneous Provisions (NI) Order 1985.
- 2.2 The purpose of issuing a licence to have entertainment is to ensure that members of the public attending entertainment venues are safe, that the premises is fire safe and that any noise from the entertainment does not cause a nuisance to neighbouring properties.
- 2.3 When application is made to Council, licencing officers undertake both a physical check of the building and a series of documentation checks such as fire and electrics certification to ensure that the building is safe to facilitate entertainment events. In addition, statutory partners such as PSNI and NIFRS are consulted in respect of disturbance and fire risk.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1 The following application for the grant of an entertainment licence has been received.

Applicant	Premises	Address	Type of entertainment	Days and times applied for	Type of licence
Keith Patterson	The Fuzzy Beak	Slaughterford Road, Whitehead	Music, singing and dancing Theatrical Performance	Monday-Saturday 12 noon till 01:00 Sunday 12 noon till 00:30	Annual

- 3.2 As per the normal procedure the Police Service NI and NI Fire and Rescue Service were consulted regarding the application. The formal responses have been received and there are no objections from statutory consultees regarding this application.
- 3.3 An Inspection of the premise confirmed that the building meets all required current fire safety requirements.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1 It is important that the Council is seen to have a fair and transparent process for dealing with application for entertainment licences and ensuring that all appropriate views and information are considered during the process.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1 The department is satisfied that the above-named premise should be granted an annual entertainment licence.
- 5.2 Under Council's Scheme of Delegation, Article 3, Schedule 1 of the Local Government (miscellaneous Provisions) (NI) Order 1985, the Committee is authorised to make this decision.

6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to:-

- 6.1. approve the grant of an annual entertainment licence to The Fuzzy Beak, Slaughterford Road, Whitehead.



Council/Committee: Neighbourhoods and Communities
Date: 03 December 2024

Report Title: Grant of Petroleum Licence
Publication Status: Open

Author: Patricia Allen, Head of Public Protection, Health & Wellbeing

Approver: Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek Elected Members approval to grant a Petroleum licence to Curran Road Filling Station, 106 Curran Road, Larne, for 12 months.

2. Background

2.1 Under the Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (NI) 1929 & Petroleum (Transfer of Licences) Act (NI) 1937 the Council licences those businesses which dispense petrol. The Petroleum Licence states the conditions that locations dispensing petrol should meet to ensure it is done safely.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

3.1 The Council has received an application to grant a petroleum licence for the following business:

Applicant	Site Address	Licence type	Fee
LGHJM Ltd	Curran Road Filling Station, 106 Curran Road, Larne, BT40 1BX	Petroleum	£58

The site previously held a petroleum licence but this had lapsed and the site now has new owners. The site is currently open for business but only selling diesel.

4. General Considerations / Implications

4.1 It is important that the Council has a fair and transparent process for dealing with applications for licences and ensuring that all appropriate views and information are considered during the process.

4.2 The site has been inspected and the inspecting officer is satisfied that the site meets the requirements for a licence to be granted.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1 The department is satisfied that all the legal requirements have been met and the licence should be granted.
- 5.2 Under the Council's Scheme of Delegation, Section 4 Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (NI) 1929 the Committee is authorised to make this decision.

6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to:

- 6.1. approve the grant of a Petroleum licence to Curran Road Filling Station, 106 Curran Road Larne for 12 months.

Council/Committee:	Neighbourhoods and Communities
Date:	03 December 2024
Report Title:	Impending Ban on XL Bully Dogs Update
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Patricia Allen, Head of Public Protection, Health & Wellbeing
Approver:	Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1. This report is to provide Elected Members with a further update on the impending ban of XL Bully dogs within Northern Ireland and the current position within the Mid and East Antrim area.

2. Background

- 2.1. Elected Members received reports in May, July and September outlining the detail of proposed new legislation and providing updates on implementation progress. The first set of legal safeguards came into operation from 05 July 2024 adding XL Bully type dogs to the list of restricted breeds and thereby imposing certain restrictions.
- 2.2. The final stage of the new safeguarding measures will come into effect on 31 December 2024. Beyond that date it will be illegal to own an XL Bully type dog without an Exemption Certificate.
- 2.3. Licensed owners of XL Bully dogs have received correspondence from Council and have been spoken to individually to ensure they are fully aware of the new legal safeguards, the options available to them, and how to apply for the schemes for either exemption or compensation (should they no longer wish to keep their dog).

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1. There are currently 45 licensed XL Bully Type dogs in the Mid and East Antrim Borough Council area and 12 exemption certificates have been issued to date. It is important to note that getting an exemption certificate does not mean that a dog can be rehomed and the owner will retain full responsibility for complying with the safeguarding measures as introduced and controlling their dog both in the home and in public.
- 3.2. The new legislation does not permit the 31 December 2024 deadline to be extended, so Councils will have no option but to enforce the ban from 01 January 2025. The penalty for having a XL Bully type dog without an exemption certificate is a fine up to £5000 and/or imprisonment for up to 6

months. Councils have worked closely with DEARA on practical implementation of the new safeguards and to ensure consistency of approach. The Department is due to issue key enforcement guidance shortly.

- 3.3. A recent update from DAERA has indicated that to date only 17 applications to the compensation scheme have been received for the whole of N Ireland. Compensation applies when an owner volunteers to have their dog euthanized rather than seek an exemption. This is permitted up to 31 December 2024 and compensation claims must be submitted by 28 February 2025.
- 3.4. Council's Senior Enforcement Officer has completed a 10-day training course organised by DAERA and delivered by London Metropolitan Police. The knowledge gained on the application of the conformation standard for this breed type and also safe handling and care provision, will now be cascaded within the enforcement team. The training highlighted the need for additional protective equipment, and this is currently being procured.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. Councils continue to work closely with DAERA to ensure the remaining practical issues for the implementation of the ban, including financial support are agreed and in place.
- 4.2. As the new legislation was introduced in year, no budget provision was made for additional kenneling costs in relation to XL Bullies. Officers are currently reviewing kenneling capacity on a regional basis.
- 4.3. Legal cases challenging bans in other jurisdictions have not yet completed, making it currently difficult to estimate care and legal costs from 01 January 2025.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1. Officers will continue to proactively encourage dog owners to apply for exemption certificates to reduce the potential number of XL Bullies that require to be dealt with after 31 December 2024 and to avoid having to recommend prosecution cases.
- 5.2. Further updates will be provided as necessary once the ban comes into operation.

6. Recommendation or Decision

- 6.1. Elected Members are asked to note the details within this update.



Council/Committee:	Neighbourhoods and Communities
Date:	03 December 2024
Report Title:	Community Health and Wellbeing Service Activities Report
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Patricia Allen, Head of Public Protection, Health & Wellbeing
Approver:	Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to update Elected Members on the valuable work of the Council Community Health and Wellbeing Team, which sits within the Public Protection, Health and Wellbeing Department of Council. A summary outcomes report for 2023/24 has been provided for Members in Appendix 1.

2. Background

- 2.1 Council receives recurrent funding from the Public Health Agency (PHA) to deliver the Home Accident Prevention Service and the Energy Efficiency Service throughout the Borough. The funding is used to employ almost 2 full time equivalent staff (Community Health & Wellbeing Advisers) who provide households with free advice and support to keep their homes warm and to supply equipment to reduce the risk of accidents in the home (targeted at young children and older persons). The advisers also assist Environmental Health staff to deliver a number of community-based initiatives such as our slow cooking and air fryer programmes, Sew Energy Efficient and our schools-based programme, Energy Detectives.
- 2.2 Since Winter 2022/23 the service has also organised the delivery of the Annual Warm Spaces Community Grant scheme. Community Groups receive funding allowing individuals to be brought together to reconnect and participate in activities in a warm and welcoming environment.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1 There is a long-standing partnership between Council and the Public Health Agency working together to address health inequalities in the Borough. It is a service that is well received by vulnerable households and residents, and one that works hand in hand with other local service providers such as Impact Agewell, Occupational Therapy staff, Midwives, NIHE and other council teams to identify vulnerable clients.

- 3.2 Unfortunately, the level of funding provided by Public Health Agency is no longer able to keep pace with rising salary costs. Going forward, Council will need to consider how this service can continue, including a reduction in the level of service provided if additional financial support is not provided.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1 Financial implications - Additional funding may be required to maintain services at current level for 25/26, however as the funding from Public Health Agency is awarded year on year, it is too soon to predict exactly what the shortfall may be. A current estimate would be £14,000.
- 4.2 Human Resources - Discussions have taken place between Council and Public Health Agency in relation to staff salary costs and whether the existing service contract will require realignment to take account of rising costs.
- 4.3 Alignment with Corporate Priorities and Link to Corporate Plan –This work is core to the community safety and cohesion strategic priority where council provides support to vulnerable people who need it. Through the delivery of various programmes, support to our local communities help to improve their resilience and to assist with cost of living pressures.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1. As the funding situation becomes clearer, a further report will be brought before Committee by way of update and/or options for consideration.

6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to: -

- 6.1 note the valuable work delivered by Council staff over a range of wellbeing initiatives within the borough, largely funded by PHA, as per the attached outcomes report for 2023/24
- 6.2 note the potential for funding shortfall for delivery of these projects going forward.

7. Appendices / Links

Appendix 1 – Community Health and Wellbeing Service Outcomes Report

Community Health and Wellbeing Service Outcomes Report 2023-24



Overview

The Community Health and Wellbeing Service within the Public Protection and Wellbeing Team provides support for households on a range of issues including energy efficiency, home safety, cost of living issues and cooking nutritious food on a budget to improve their wellbeing.

Through funding provided by Public Health Agency we provide the Energy Efficiency Advice Service and Home Accident Prevention Service within the Borough.

Energy Efficiency Adviser Service – we provide support for households struggling to heat their homes by:

- Providing advice on household energy consumption and on physical issues affecting the energy efficiency of the home;
- Providing one-to-one support and home visits for particularly vulnerable clients;
- Providing support for clients on efficient operation of heating systems or switching energy provider;
- Referral/signposting to other fuel poverty support;
- Providing keep warm packs if eligible
- Providing low cost items to improve energy efficiency such as radiator foils
- Administering/supporting the SVP oil stamp saving scheme



Home Accident Prevention Service – this service is targeted at Over 65's and households with Under 5's with Advisers:

- Providing free home safety checks to over 65's with information, advice and support to help stay safe in the home
- Providing free equipment to over 65's
- Delivering home safety equipment to under 5 households

For both Services we also refer/signpost to other support such as other Council services, NIFRS, Health Trust services, NIHE, food banks, etc. and where possible the above services are combined to provide a more beneficial, wrap around service for households.

Community based support

Our Advisers provide **Talks** and support **events** at local community groups.

Our **Cook Slow Eat Well** and **Fab Food for Less** cooking initiatives within community settings provide practical tips and advice on using slow cookers and air fryers to make nutritious food on a budget in an energy efficient way.

Energy Detectives is our schools based energy initiative where pupils become energy detectives to find the energy stealing appliances in their homes.

Sew Energy Efficient is our sewing machine lending service where community based groups can borrow sewing equipment to learn sewing skills to make a draught excluder.





Our **Community Warm Spaces grant** initiative allows community groups provide warm sociable spaces for local residents.

During Winter 2023, community grant funding was released by Council to run phase 2 of a Warm Spaces Scheme across the Borough. Constituted groups could apply for 100% funding up to a maximum of £500 to encourage them to host a Warm Space for the local community. The definition of a warm space is that it must be a free to use, warm, safe place where residents can expect a friendly and inclusive welcome. £12,500 was made available for up to a maximum of 25 community groups.

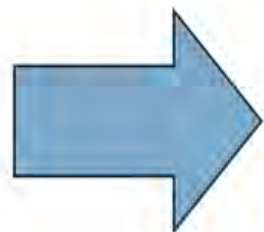
Venues across the Borough welcomed residents over the winter months and provided the opportunity to participate in a delightful variety of activities such as

- Crafts and cookery demonstrations
- Board games
- hearing from local speakers
- fitness sessions etc

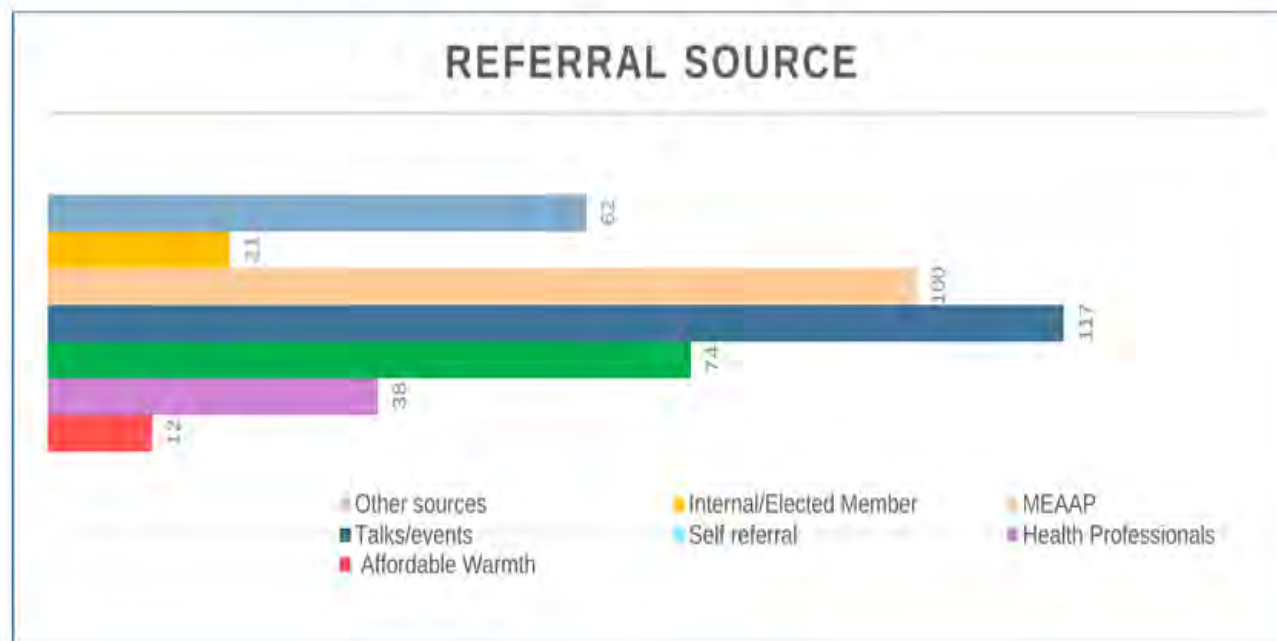
Those attending also enjoyed hot drinks, often a hot meal and always a friendly face. The centres also provide discreet signposting to information on local services which can help those who may be struggling.

How much did we do? Energy Efficiency Adviser Service

During 2023/24:



424 Energy efficiency (EE) referrals received



250 home visits or 1:1 support

Almost 1850 interactions



38 – events attended or talks given



4 community ezines

Provided 274 keep warm packs to those struggling to keep warm



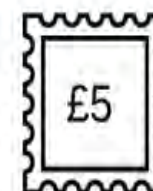
Provided low cost energy efficiency measures to households such as radiator foils, chimney balloons, heated throws, etc.



Provided efficient electric heaters on loan to households with broken boilers, no heating system or inability to afford oil/gas.

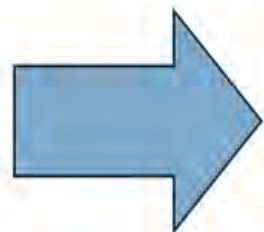


Administered the St Vincent de Paul oil stamp savings scheme within Carrick and Larne areas – over £18500 stamps sold. (Scheme within Ballymena area is operated by SVP volunteers)
25 retailers selling stamps and over 50 oil suppliers accepting them

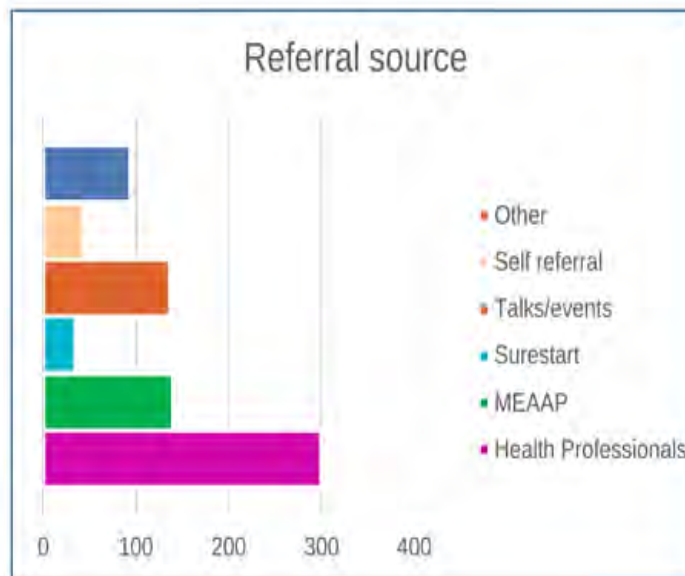


How much did we do? Home Accident Prevention Service

During 2023/24:



748 Home accident prevention (HAP) referrals received



395 home safety checks in over 65 households and safety equipment provided

212 equipment deliveries to under 5 households



Almost **3500** pieces of equipment provided free of charge



10 social media posts



36 – events attended or talks given

Community based initiatives



6 slow cooker sessions
124 attendees



17 air fryer session
3 interactive, 14 demonstrations
408 attendees



3 community based groups borrowed our sewing machine resource



4 schools participated with almost 100 pupils completing the programme

Safe Warm Welcome Centres

29 applications were received with 25 being successfully approved for community "warm spaces" grant funding (representing £12,149)



Yes!

130 households referred to fuel poverty/energy efficiency grant schemes

281 households referred for other non-energy efficiency support e.g. NIFRS, Good Morning schemes, handy man service, etc.

607 households received free home safety equipment

25 community groups were provided with funding to host warm centres across the Borough over the winter months where local residents could avail of a welcoming space and participate in a range of activities whilst keeping warm.

100% of clients found the energy efficiency (EE) advice provided useful

100% of clients used low cost EE measures provided

100% of households made changes to make their household safer

Over 500 individuals attended cooking sessions and received 1 of our free cookbooks with 100% saying they enjoyed the session and almost 100% saying they will use slow cookers and air fryers as an energy efficient way of making nutritious food

How much have we done April to Sept 2024?

395 home safety checks in over 65 households and safety equipment provided

212 home safety equipment deliveries to under 5 households

107 energy efficiency referrals received

250 energy efficiency home visits or 1:1 support



4 air fryer session
1 interactive, 3 demonstrations
97 attendees



1 slow cooker sessions
10 attendees

6 interactive Multiply sessions on energy efficient cooking and budgeting

15 – events attended or talks given

2 community ezines issued

Community Warm Spaces Scheme

Grant scheme open 4th November 2024 for groups to apply for funding.

Total Estimated Salary Costs £80,797

Confirmed Salary Grant Income (PHA) £66,929	Shortfall £13,868
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Council/Committee:	Neighbourhoods and Communities
Date:	03 December 2024
Report Title:	Environmental Crime 6 Month Update
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Patricia Allen, Head of Public Protection, Health & Wellbeing
Approver:	Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1. This report is to provide a further Elected Members with statistics for the first six months of 2024/25 including progress made on addressing fly-tipping within the Borough following the approval of a new fixed penalty at the maximum amount of £400.

2. Background

- 2.1. The Council's Enforcement Team undertake a range of proactive and reactive duties to address such issues as litter, dog fouling, straying and dog attacks and fly-tipping. They have the power to issue fixed penalty notices or in some cases proceed directly to court, where fines, destruction orders and bans can be applied as appropriate. Information on reports received and enforcement for the first six months of this year are included within this report – see **Appendix 1**.
- 2.2. Elected Members received a report in December 2023 advising on an amendment of the Waste & Contaminated Land (NI) Order 1997 that made council a joint enforcing authority for a series of offences related to waste and duty of care. These included the offence commonly referred to as fly-tipping.
- 2.3. Elected Members gave clear support to a firm enforcement position and approved the fixed penalty amount for Article 4 and 5 offences at the maximum permissible amount (£400). An early payment discount of £300 was also approved, subject to review within 12 months.
- 2.4. This report provides the first review of fly-tipping enforcement since the fixed penalty was introduced in April 2024.



3. Key Issues for Consideration

3.1 Dog Fouling

The actual number of reports of dog fouling (30) compared to the same period in the previous two years has decreased (in 2022 it was 81 and 2023 it was 106). A review of the status of the Green Dog Walker Scheme is scheduled in the New Year and officers will also consider again the effectiveness of all current dog control orders within the Borough.

3.2 Dog Control activities

Reports of dog straying are slightly below the levels for the same period for the previous two years (110 as compared to 152 and 149). Dog attacks numbers are also lower with the exception of dog attacks on animals other than livestock. For any dog attack, Council will use licence controls, and in the most serious cases, will issue formal cautions or recommend prosecutions.

It is currently estimated that there could be an estimated 3000 expired dog licences within the Borough. A proportion of these will relate to dogs that are deceased. On average the service conducts 135 expired licence checks per month. In the six-month period of this report 224 fixed penalty notices were issued and 5 prosecutions were taken for no licence offences. Council uses text reminders and offers on-line licensing to make the process easier for residents.

3.3 Fly-tipping enforcement utilising the new fixed penalty notice powers has been very successful during this first six-month period. The firm approach taken, local reporting and Elected Member support, plus the use whenever feasible of CCTV in known hotspots, would appear to be discouraging repeat offending in the areas of the Borough that are known for this offence. Council has already concluded two successful prosecutions for non-payment of a fixed penalty and a third case is pending.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. The decision taken to prioritise enforcement against Article 4 fly-tipping offences has provided the team, which has faced some resource issues during this period, with the capacity to respond quickly and obtain the excellent results demonstrated to date. At a regional level councils have agreed to deliver training to officers tasked with enforcement of Articles 4 & 5, so that they can learn from each other's experiences, and also to ensure consistency in line with regional guidelines. This training has been scheduled for January 2025. Following this, and as part of the internal first 12-month implementation review, work will be undertaken to determine what capacity exists to develop an approach for Article 5 offences.

- 4.2. Delivering clean and attractive streets and towns was identified within the top 5 priorities during the Citizens Survey carried out in 2022 and having vibrant, clean and harmonious shared spaces is an ambition under the key pillar "Place" within the Corporate Plan 2024 - 2027.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1. Officers will continue to take a proactive and firm enforcement approach to all environmental crime within the borough.
- 5.2. Further to the first 12-month implementation review, a further report will be brought to Committee on progress and future proposals as appropriate.

6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to:

- 6.1. note the report and in particular the progress made in tackling fly-tipping within the Borough.

7. Appendices / Links

Appendix 1 Environmental Crime Statistics 01.04.24 to 30.09.24

Appendix 1

Environmental Crime Statistics**01 April - 30 September 2024****Dogs**

Number of licences:	
(a) Full cost	2259
(b) Free (over 65)	2039
(c) Reduced (over 65 2nd dog)	204
(d) Reduced (neutered)	4182
(e) Reduced (on benefits)	937
Total	9621

Stray dogs	
Number of complaints received/dealt with	110
Number of stray dogs not found in area	16
(a) Seized and returned to owners	25
(b) Impounded	69

Impounded Dogs	
(a) Reclaimed	30
(b) Unclaimed/humanely destroyed	2
(c) Sold directly to public	1
(d) Passed to shelters, animal charities or individuals etc	36
Total	69

Number of fixed penalties issued:	
(a) No licence	224
(b) Straying	10
(c) Control of dogs on certain roads and on land	0
(d) Failure to notify transfer of dogs subject to control conditions	0
(f) Failure to comply with control conditions of dog licence	2
Total	236

Formal cautions issued for:	
Worrying livestock	1
Attacking a person	3
Attacking and injuring any animal owned by another person (excluding livestock)	2
Total	6

Number of licences to which control conditions were attached this period for:	
(a) Straying	7
(b) Control of dogs on roads or lands	1
(c) Attacking livestock	1
(d) Pet animals	6
(f) Attacking a person	6
Total	21

Number of prosecutions taken for:	
(a) No licence	5
(b) Straying	2
(c) Control of dogs on certain roads and on land	3
(d) Failure to notify transfer of dog subject to control conditions	0
(e) Failure to comply with control conditions of dog licence	3
Total	13

Number of Dog attacks investigated:	
(a) Attacks on person	10
(b) Setting a dog on a person	1
(c) Worrying livestock	2
(d) Setting a dog on livestock	0
(e) Attacks on any animal (excluding livestock) owned by another person	15
Total	28

Number of prosecutions considered for:	
(a) Attacks on person	5
(b) Setting a dog on a person	1
(c) Worrying livestock	0
(d) Setting a dog on livestock	0
(e) Attacks on any animal (excluding livestock) owned by another person	5
(f) Setting a dog on any animal (excl. livestock) owned by another person	0
Total	11

Number of successful prosecutions:	
Worrying livestock	4

Litter & Dog Fouling

Litter/Fly-Tipping Complaints Received	162
Litter Complaints Validated Upon Investigation	80
Fixed Penalty Notices Issued for Litter	15
Dog fouling Complaints Received	30
Dog Fouling - Validated	8
Fixed Penalty Notices dog fouling	2

Fly-tipping

Fly-tipping Fixed Penalties (£400 issued)	11
Prosecution of non-payment of fly tipping fixed penalty	2
Prosecutions pending	1
Fixed penalties paid at £400	0
Fixed penalties paid at £300	8



Council/Committee:	Neighbourhoods & Communities
Date:	3 December 2024
Report Title:	Asylum Seeker Full Dispersal Funding
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Janet Shearer, DEA Manager (East Antrim)
Approver:	Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of this report is to seek Elected Member approval to accept the offer of funding from The Executive Office Full Dispersal Funding and sign the corresponding Memorandum of Understanding.

2. Background

- 2.1. The Northern Ireland Executive Office (TEO) and Home Office have been working with the 11 local Councils to raise awareness of plans in place in relation to the dispersal of asylum seekers and refugees across Northern Ireland. TEO has highlighted the need to establish networks for the support and integration of dispersed asylum seekers and refugees into local communities and the need to facilitate the process in an inclusive and safe manner.
- 2.2. Council recognised the need to build a shared understanding of the needs, existing resources and gaps in provision at local level.
- 2.3. Following initial groundwork, the following was delivered under Full Dispersal Funding:-
 - Reference Group of statutory, community and voluntary stakeholders was established.
 - English Classes were delivered primarily through churches.
 - Three full day workshops on Trauma Informed Practice
 - Three half day workshops on Cultural Awareness
 - One full day workshop delivered by The Law Centre on myth-busting the asylum process etc.
 - "English for speakers of other languages" (ESOL) training for volunteers
 - Digital Welcome pack – available in English and 4 other languages
 - Short guide for supporting asylum seekers and refugees
 - Story Spotlights



- Summary Animation on the work of Carrick Together
- Refugee Week Event

TEO have now approached Council with the offer of further funding through the Full Dispersal Fund. The offer in this tranch of funding is £15,000, 100% funded and for the period up to the end of March 2025. Primarily this funding is to support the dispersal of asylum seekers in the area.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1. It is proposed that this allocation of funding will be spent on capacity building within our communities in Mid and East Antrim with the view of promoting and enabling integration.
- 3.2. The training and capacity building will be based around trauma informed practice and sessions will be run across the Borough and will be open to Elected Members and the wider community.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. Financial implications - There is no financial implication for Council with respect to receipt of this funding. TEO have confirmed a budget of £15,000 for 2024/2025.
- 4.2. Human Resources - This piece of work will be delivered through Council's District Electoral Area Team. An administration fee of 10% has been included in the costs.
- 4.3. Equality Screening - none.
- 4.4. Assets - no implications.
- 4.5. Alignment with Corporate Priorities and Link to Corporate Plan - This piece of work closely aligns with the vision of Putting People First and in particular within the community planning theme of "Community Safety & Cohesion".
- 4.6. Rural Proofing and Environmental Impact: No impact.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1 Council consider the acceptance of £15,000 from the Full Dispersal Fund and the subsequent signing of the Memorandum of Understanding for delivery of the work as outlined in this report.



6. Recommendation or Decision

It is recommended that Elected Members: -

- 6.1. approve the acceptance of £15,000 from the Full Dispersal Fund and the subsequent signing of the Memorandum of Understanding with The Executive Office.



Council/Committee: Neighbourhoods & Communities
Date: 03 December 2024

Report Title: Quarter 2 Grants Applications Summary Report
Publication Status: Open

Author: Catherine Black, Acting Head of Community Planning & Development

Approver: Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of this report is to provide a breakdown of the funding awards for applications through the Community Grants Scheme and Community Festivals Fund during July, August and September 2024.

2. Background

- 2.1. On 8 April 2024 the Community Grants Scheme and Community Festivals Fund opened for applications through the new Submit.com Online Funding Hub operating on a budget of £350,000 and £50,000 respectively. The Cultural Celebrations Grants Scheme opened on 13 May 2024 with a budget of £20,000.
- 2.2. To date, for the Community Grants Scheme there have been 266 successful applications for projects and events taking place in 2024/25 with a total of £282,714.06 awarded.
- 2.3. The Community Festivals Fund had 31 successful applications for projects and events taking place in 2024/25 with a total of £50,166.50 awarded. Therefore, this scheme has allocated its budget and closed on 21st August 2024.
- 2.4. At the closing date of 7 June 2024, the Cultural Celebrations Grants Scheme received 19 applications, 18 of which were successful. The one unsuccessful application had already been awarded funding through the Community Grants Scheme. The total amount of funding awarded through the scheme was £11,460.
- 2.5. On 2 September 2024 the PCSP Small Grants Scheme opened operating on a budget of £20,000 to support groups undergoing activities where there is a benefit to policing and community safety in this Borough area. The scheme is due to close on Friday 31 January 2025 for applications with project activity to be completed by Friday 28 February 2025.



3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1. See attached summary report for breakdown of awards approved during July, August and September 2024. **See Appendix 1.**

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. Financial - All funding awarded through the Community Grants Scheme, Community Festivals Fund and Cultural Celebrations Grants Scheme have been budgeted for within the overall allocation for the 2024/25 schemes and have been assessed in line with criteria as outlined within the relevant grant scheme.
- 4.2. Governance - Tthe Grants Programmes maintain robust governance arrangements around the allocation of any public funds.

5. Recommendation or Decision

- 5.1. It is recommended that Elected Members note the grants approved and awarded during July, August and September 2024 in line with the Grants Policy and Council Scheme of Delegation.

6. Appendices / Links

- Appendix 1 – Grants Approved by SMT during July, August and September 2024.

Grants for Noting

2 July 2024

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ID	Grant	Name of Group	Project/Event Title	Event Dates	Project Summary	Cost	Amount Requested	Grant Awarded	Notes
A2CA376	Equipment	Castle Guards Flute Band	Castle Learners		Castle Learners is a programme aimed at enhancing the musical capabilities of children and teens under the age of sixteen. This project will be hosted by highly experienced and high standard musicians who will provide tuition for each participant. This project will also give each individual a safe space to come and express themselves in a positive manner. Castle learners will also provide each individual with a greater understanding of the culture and traditions of the local Carrickfergus community. It will also give each learner a platform to enhance their musical ability and understanding of Ulster Scots traditional music. This is also about building confidence in the local youth to positively engage and promote the Ulster Scots tradition.	£ 1,435.00	£ 1,435.00	£ 1,000.00	Max Grant
A2MA293	Small Event	Glenravel Community Development Association	"Friends of Glenravel" Function	26 October 2024	The Friends of Glenravel (FoG) Group was first established in 2009, coinciding with the opening of the Sports & Community Complex in October 2009. This particular event, scheduled for 26th October 2024, will mark 15 years of the operation of the Complex. There are currently some 125 members in the group and they each contribute £10/month towards the day-to-day running of the Complex. This is an event to celebrate the support given, and contribution made, by members of the FoG group towards the operation and upkeep of the facilities at the Complex. As a token of our appreciation, all members of the Friends of Glenravel group are invited to an evening function, involving a meal and entertainment provided by local artists. The event will be held in the main function room within the Complex and will be free-of-charge to members of the Friends of Glenravel group and their partners.	£ 1,800.00	£ 1,350.00	£ 1,350.00	
A2MA294	Civic Representation	KELSWATER FLUTE BAND	COUNTY GRAND LODGE OF CENTRAL SCOTLAND BOYNE CELEBRATIONS	06 July 2024	Kellswater Band will travel by coach and ferry to accommodation in Motherwell, the band have been invited by the Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland (Airdrie District) to lead the Boyne Celebrations on 6th July 2024 in Airdrie, (letter of invitation available if required).The Band will represent the Borough at the event, showcasing the best in music, drill and decorum from the Mid & East Antrim Council area.Kellswater Band are well placed to be Civic Representatives for the Borough, having carried this out on a number of occasions, most recently in France and Belgium where the Band took part in a number of memorial services and commemorations on 1st July 2023.Other bands and participants will take part in the event also, there will be a local morning parade and memorial service prior to the main parade at 13.00.Band will return to Northern Ireland by coach and ferry on 7th July.	£ 9,120.00	£ 1,600.00	-	Parades are listed as an exclusion in the scheme guidance notes

Grants for Noting

Senior Management Grants Approval

2 July 2024

ID	Grant	Name of Group	Project/Event Title	Event Dates	Project Summary	Cost	Amount Requested	Grant Awarded	Notes
A2SA308	Equipment	Harryville Homers Football Club	Equipment 2024 / 2025 Season		The key objective of this project is to support Harryville Homers FC with the procurement of equipment ahead of the 2024/2025 season. This equipment will be used to: Improve physical health and physical fitness levels Improve mental health Improve standard of training Improve professionalism of the club Improve performance of team, resulting in increased success of the club locally and nationally Attract new club members Engage local community and generate a sense of pride of the local team and community cohesion Improve knowledge of coaching team, as new equipment enables more diverse training sessions to be conducted Improved engagement of club members Offer opportunities to local businesses for advertising Improve engagement in social events with local residents for club functions Help towards making the club self sustainable.	£ 1,593.99	£ 1,195.49	£ 1,000.00	Max Grant
A2DC521	Small Event	Plata Jewellers	Small 20th anniversary event	01 June 2024	On 1st June I will celebrate 20 years on Larne Main Street. I would like to hold a small event at the shop and thank the people who have supported me for 20 years. Given that the shop primarily sells Mexican silver jewellery, I am considering the possibility of hiring a taco truck outside the shop for 2 hours and would like to apply for funding. The aim of the event is not to increase sales on that particular day but to do something nice for the community. I feel that it could bring a lot of activity to the main street on 1st June and hopefully other traders on the main street would benefit. If this was possible I would advertise highly beforehand to let people know there were free tacos outside.	£ 2,045.00	£ 1,445.00	-	Application from a private company
A2MC329	Small Event	The Merry Opera Company	A staged production of Handel's Messiah	09 November 2024	We will rehearse and tour our staged production of Handel's Messiah to St Nicholas Church, Carrickfergus on 9th November " using almost exclusively Northern Irish singers, organist and conductor. This is part of a wider tour to Northern Ireland, however, this is our first performance in the Mid & East Antrim Council area, and we are delighted to be performing at St Nicholas'. This is a project about community and reconciliation. A Belfast audience member's comment sums it up: " A truly inspired, uplifting, innovative; spiritually rich experience; so intense, so moving that it will live in the memory forever. Messiah will never be the same again. This is a production that stretches the skills of the singers, giving them experience which they do not get in Colleges or elsewhere, and which gives them an edge in securing auditions to further their career.	£ 8,609.86	£ 1,489.86	£ 1,489.86	

Grants for Noting

Senior Management Grants Approval

2 July 2024

ID	Grant	Name of Group	Project/Event Title	Event Dates	Project Summary	Cost	Amount Requested	Grant Awarded	Notes
A2ND1080	Equipment	LARNE YMCA	Renew our play equipment		This grant will enable LARNE YMCA to buy new equipment to service the members that access our services on a weekly basis. By bringing our equipment up to a more modern standard we will be in line with quality assurance for both our EA programmes and our Early years provision. By exploring in consultation with our members what equipment they would like to see in their services we aim to increase the play opportunities on offer and facilitate new learning and growth for our members. As we work with children and young people with ASD we aim to offer a broader range of sensory equipment.	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	-	Application did not provide sufficient info on the need and demand of the project. Grants Officers will work with applicant in a reapplication
A2HE299	Small Event	All Saints Old Boys Fc	25th Year anniversary dinner/awards night	08 June 2024	We will be celebrating our 25th year as a club. The event will take place at the Adair Arms hotel on Saturday the 8th June. There will be close to 50 people in attendance. Guests from local sponsors, Ace fixings, Apeer Doors, Marksman, Claires Catering and representatives of the Ballymena Saturday Morning League. The evening will consist of speeches from club members over the last 25 years, current club members, guests and sponsors, a three course meal provided by the Adair Arms hotel. There will be a prize giving for all the players who participated over the course of the season. There will be music provided by a local DJ. All in all this is a great night for the borough, young men from both sides of the community being rewarded for their commitment. Local businesses being acknowledged. The Adair Arms Hotel making business.	£ 1,700.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 900.00	Funding shortfall as application show £800 of income
A2IF459	Small Event	Koinonia John the Baptist Ireland	Family Funanza! 24	14 July 2024	Our project plans to build on the success of last 3 editions when families came together for a time of fun and friendship. The project aims to reconnect families within a safe environment where they can feel comfortable and safe, and build bonds. It will be a day of Fun and Friendship. The families begin with registration & they will have time to get familiar with the site. They will have the opportunity to chat with the team, with each other and enjoy snacks and/or a cup of tea until the event officially starts. There will be a formal welcome, the families will be given an overview of the day, some music will be played and families can enjoy some group dances. Food will be served. There will be 2 hours of family games. We will conclude the Family Funanza Event by giving a prize to the winning family.	£ 3,040.00	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	

Grants for Noting

Senior Management Grants Approval

2 July 2024

ID	Grant	Name of Group	Project/Event Title	Event Dates	Project Summary	Cost	Amount Requested	Grant Awarded	Notes
A2FG1226	Public Liability Insurance	Carrickfergus Junior Darts Academy	Carrickfergus Junior Darts Academy 24/25		our programme will continue its development of its members.we will build on their self confidence with encouragement and opportunities within darts and competition.the Carrickfergus junior darts Academy will to build on the work it has continued to do since it started in 2020. it will growth its membership, the work it does within the local and surrounding area.the CJDA will work towards further educational and development opportunities for its members, through workshops, training sessions and competitions.personal development and building confidence for their members will be another key aspect of the project.the CJDA will further its plan to take darts into local schools and continue the benefits of increased numeracy skills from the benefits of playing darts.	£ 300.00	£ 300.00	£ 225.00	75% funding
A2T1803	Other Distinctive Projects	Ballykeel Apprentice Boys of Derry	Attendance to the Annual Maiden City Festival Celebrations in Londonderry	31 August 2024	The recently formed Apprentice Boys club are planning to make their maiden voyage to observe the annual celebrations of an important landmark in their cultural history - namely The Maiden City Festival relief of the city of Derry after the siege in 1690. In order to attend this prestigious event, assistance is required to hire a bus to travel to Londonderry.This will enable the club to observe and enjoy all the festivities of the day:The walk around the famous city walls at 9.30Attending a thanksgiving church service in the historic St Columb's CathedralWatch the historic re-enactment pageant of the final days before the relief of the city that was held under siege for 105 days	£ 800.00	£ 500.00	£ 500.00	
A2PJ195	Other Distinctive Projects	Ahoghill Traders' Association	Ahoghill in Bloom		The Ahoghill in Bloom volunteers undertake all of the activities associated with our annual environmental improvement programme.These activities include:- Planting summer flowers across the village at various beds/planters-positioning hanging baskets/mangers across the village(almost 200 in total)-cutting grass and ground maintenance in all public areas within the village.-regular litter-picks/village tidy ups.-Washing/re-painting of empty buildings-creation/maintenance of various landscaped features-re-painting/replacement of seating, planters, etc...-regular programme of watering/feeding throughout the growing season.The work takes place right across the planting/growing season(March to October) although various preparatory work is also undertaken over the other months of the year. Some spring/winter planting is also undertaken.The 10 core volunteers carry our most of the work but supported is also provided from time to time by other groups within the village.	£ 2,580.00	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	

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A2BJ339	Equipment	All Saints GAC Ballymena	All Saints GAC 2024/25 Juvenile Equipment		This application is seeking funding for equipment across Camogie, Hurling and Gaelic Football for both boys and girls, specifically for the Juvenile and minor members of All Saint's GAC (63% of overall membership/373 children & young people.)The grant will provide the junior coaching team with the funds to purchase adequate age-appropriate equipment to meet the needs of the younger members. This equipment will be used by All Saint's Juvenile members, both for training and in competition, primarily at the Slemish Park Complex but also throughout the County when attending blitz and matches.Equipment requested includes: balls, slotars, helmets, sticks, cones and bibs. Such equipment relates mainly to the replacement of current equipment which has become defunct as a result of wear and tear.If this application is successful, the equipment will be purchased asap aligned to the forthcoming season of training and competition for All Saint ' s GAC Juvenile members.	£ 1,830.00	£ 997.50	£ 997.50	
A2PJ1000	Public Liability Insurance	Ahoghill Traders' Association	public liability insurance for Ahoghill in Bloom		Public liability insurance cover for Ahoghill in Bloom environmental improvement programme. the volunteers undertake all of the activities associated with our annual environmental improvement programme. these activities include:- planting summer flowers across village-positioning hanging baskets/mangers across village-cutting grass and ground maintenance in public areas-regular litter picks/tidy ups-washing/repainting vacant premises-creation/maintenance of landscape featuresre-painting seating, planters, etc-regular programme of watering/feeding.The work is undertaken right across the planting/growing season ie march to October. various preparatory work activity takes place over other months of the year .Some spring and winter planting also takes place each year.The 10 core volunteers carry out most of the work but support is sometimes provided by other groups within the village.	£ 580.00	£ 300.00	£ 300.00	
A2HK210	Public Liability Insurance	Ahoghill Bowling Club	Public Liability Insurance		Members of the Club take part in indoor and outdoor bowling activities at Ahoghill Community Centre, on Wednesday afternoons (indoor from Sept to April) and Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons (outdoors from May to August). Currently 18 members, all pensioners, play as the weather and personal circumstances permit. The prime objective of the Club is to "foster and promote the sport of indoor and outdoor bowling at all levels, providing opportunities for recreation and competition" The club provides recreation and competition among its own members during the indoor season, and competes in the local bowling league during the summer season.	£ 533.00	£ 99.00	£ 99.00	

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A2HM947	Other Distinctive Projects	Broughshane Women's Institute	Annual outing of Women's Institute Broughshane to Montalto Estate		This project is the annual outing for Broughshane Womens Institute on 8th of June 2024. The project is needed to improve the mental health and wellbeing of the WI members. Many of the members live in rural areas of the community and some of them being elderly and isolated would not have the opportunity to visit Montalto Estate Co Down as a lot of the members do not drive or are nervous about driving a distance. The annual outing is a chance for the WI members to engage socially and enjoy a day out with friends. The past few years have been hard on a lot of members and a chance for a day out would be considered a positive experience which would be beneficial to this sector of the community. 48 members hope to attend the outing this will include visiting the estate and having a meal afterwards.	£ 2,072.00	£ 500.00	£ 500.00	
A2MM186	Small Event	Ballygelly Accordion Band	Ballygelly BBQ	29 June 2024	Ballygelly Accordion Band are going to have a fund raising BBQ in Broughshane Community Centre on Saturday 29th June to raise funds for the band and provide entertainment for the local community. We will be setting up the venue and barbecuing on site and providing entertainment in the form of a bouncy castle for the local children. This will be followed by an evening of musical fellowship with some local Ulster Scots artists invited to participate. The members of the band will be assisting with the event, including the set up, cooking of food and clearing up after the event.	£ 1,102.00	£ 1,102.00	-	Fundraising Event
A2SN301	Public Liability Insurance	CWA Brass Band	The CWA Brass Band has been engaged to provide musical entertainment at Loughshore Jordanstown on August 25th 2024 from 2pm to 4pm.		CWA Brass Band are engaged to provide numerous public performances throughout the year by various groups and councils. The band are required to purchase Public Liability Insurance in order to be able to accept and perform at these engagements and as such are requesting help in purchasing the required level of insurance required by the groups that are engaging the Brass Band. Throughout the summer months, the band will be engaged to perform at numerous locations throughout the Mid & East Antrim Borough, as well as performing at events in neighbouring council areas. Some of the locations the band will be performing are listed below Carrickfergus Castle Merville Village, Newtownabbey Loughshore Jordanstown Lady Dixon Park, Belfast	£ 627.50	£ 300.00	£ 300.00	

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A2DP207	Equipment	St Mary's GA & CC Ahoghill	Sports equipment update		The upgrade of equipment will help our club to increase participation in physical activity within the local community. This will help address the following themes within Putting People First of the Councils Community Plan. Good Health and Wellbeing Upgraded equipment will increase community participation which will improve good health and wellbeing for all. Community Safety & Cohesion Provide a properly equipped safe space for people of all ages to play. This equipment upgrade includes footballs, camogie and hurling balls, cones, targets and skills equipment for all age groups allowing more playing time for all team members. Our club provides a service to all playing members within our community, better equipment would enable us to encourage further participation from within the local community and further afield. The number one priority identified through the recent citizens survey was "Supporting and developing activities for children and young people" - this equipment will go a long way to meeting this aim.	£ 1,303.60	£ 1,303.60	£ 1,000.00	Max Grant
A2CR745	Other Distinctive Projects	Carrickfergus church Forum	Book publication 'In the shadow of the Castle'		Book publication by author/historian, Mr. Philip Orr, entitled 'In the shadow of the Castle' writing on ~30 years of cross community work within the historic context of Carrickfergus. Philip is aiming to reflect on the origins of our groups meeting in the Castle back in 1993, its growth and development with clergy involvement and support by community funds to its' constituted beginnings in 2008 as Carrickfergus Bourgh Church Forum. Not only its' many cross community successes with community events, clergy and community leaders but also reflecting on reasons where the forum failed to develop further until its post Covid demise and the lessons that must be learnt for a new generation's future community engagement. All this in the context of Carrick's historic religious and political past and legacy of the Troubles.	£ 3,605.00	£ 3,605.00		Creation of books is listed as an exclusion in the guidance notes of the scheme.
A2PS775	Civic Representation	BALLYBOLEY PIPE BAND	Civic Representation at the World Pipe Band Championships 2024	16 August 2024	The World Pipe Band Championships are held over 2 days in Glasgow Green, Glasgow and is a unique celebration of music. In previous years attendance has been in excess of 50,000 people with 190 pipe bands competing from all over the world and is recorded by BBC Scotland. These championships are the culmination of a year's work and practice. There will be 7 judging arenas and each arena will have 2 piping judges, 1 drumming judge and 1 ensemble judge. Ballyboley Pipe Band will be competing against up to 50 other bands to qualify for a place in the final 12. This final 12 will play for a second time in front of the judges and it is from here that the best bands will be decided upon. Ballyboley have been fortunate to reach the final 12 in the past number of years but are confident of better this year.	£ 10,089.00	£ 1,600.00	£ 1,600.00	

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A2GT304	New Community Project	Clonéy Rural Development Association	Stimulation Workshops 2024		We will provide a series of workshops in two separate projects. The first will be a Memory Box project and the second one is our drama and storytelling project. Both these projects will use memory and drama to promote creativity, wellbeing and cognitive stimulation. Both of these projects will involve the use of reminiscence as a tool to recall past activities in their lives. Reminiscence is widely accepted as being very beneficial in the prevention of many Dementia related conditions. Both projects will take place in the Acorn Centre, Crosskeys Road, Ahoghill and will involve members of our senior citizens and Young at Heart group all of whom are over sixty years of age. The programme will be held in the Autumn/Winter 2024	€ 1,180.00	€ 1,000.00	-	Application form indicates that this is not a new project. Grants Officers will work with applicant in a reapplication through a different category.
A8MC491	Civic Representation - Individuals	Dylan McAuley	2024 ACU British Auto Cup,		We plan to travel by boat from Larne to Cairnryan on Thursday 6th June and then drive from Scotland to Wales. Dylan will compete at national level in this Auto Cup British Championship in Monster Mountain Motocross Track in Wales on the 8th & 9th June 2024 and one will be crowned British Champion. Not only will he be representing his club, he will be representing Ireland. There will be 5- 6 races that will take place over the two days. Dylan will compete against 40 other riders in his class (Auto 50cc class) for a chance to win the Auto Cup.	€ 801.00	€ 801.00	€ 400.00	Max Grant
A8MC784	Civic Representation - Individuals	Cole McAuley	FIM Junior World Motocross Championship		Cole will represent team Ireland in the 65cc class in the FIM World Junior Motocross Championship in the Netherlands on the 13th & 14th July 2024. He will be riding his Yamaha 65cc motocross bike. Cole will firstly compete in the qualittier race with the fastest 40 riders from over the world aged 10-12years for his chance to then race in the main event. We will be travelling from Dublin in our motorhome as Cole is competing in the Irish Championship in Cork on Saturday 6th July then we will travel to Dublin on the 7th July to get the boat from Dublin to Hollyhead and on over to Hull to get the boat to Rotterdam then travel by road to Heerde in the Netherlands.	€ 1,891.70	€ 1,391.70	€ 400.00	Max Grant
A8BC911	Training Courses - Individuals	Corey Butler	Irish FA National Coaching Certificate (NCC) Course		A greater understanding of their role as a Coach and the impact it can have on the development of Grassroots Football; A specific knowledge around the development of players at all ages within Grassroots Football; Develop coaches ability to plan, organise, deliver & reflect upon appropriate coaching sessions. The course content includes:- Creating a Healthy Football Environment- Coach Development- Player Development- Session Planning- Technical Coaching Practices- Game Understanding- Safeguarding Children and Young People- Basic Nutrition for Football- Basic First Aid for Football The Irish FA National Coaching Certificate prepares coaches to organise, plan, deliver and reflect on practical coaching sessions for players at Grassroots level.	€ 220.00	€ 200.00	€ 200.00	

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A8BE1031	Civic Representation - Individuals	Eileen Barbour	49er fx Junior World Championships 2024		The U23 World Championships will bring people aged 18 to 22 from 24 countries across the globe to compete at a high level of competition. It will be held by the Galician Sailing Centre in Vilagarcia de Arousa, Spain from the 16th to the 21st July 2024 with 15 races planned across 5 days. As a team we have chosen Kiel week in Kiel, Germany as a target practice event leading up to the World's and will be training at the event venue in the week prior. Leading up to the event, we will also be training in Dublin with 5 days a week on the water and 6 days of on land training.	£ 1,669.54	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	
A8GK236	Training Courses - Individuals	Kathryn Graham	Carrickfergus Gymnastics Club		From growing up within the Carrickfergus Gymnastics Club, I have been inspired by my coaches through the years and the support they offered me within the sport. I aspire to be that coach for the young people within the club to help them reach their full potential within their passion for the sport. If I get the opportunity of this grant, it will help me develop the practical skills needed to help me become a strong coach, allowing me to gain the necessary training to be able to coach the children in a safe manner to ensure the club is a safe place for everyone. By having efficiently trained coaches within this club, it can attract possible new members within the community to the club, promoting a better well-being and passion for the sport.	£ 295.00	£ 200.00	£ 200.00	
A8MN979	Civic Representation - Individuals	Ellie McCaig	Larkin International Jamboree (York)		Ellie will be travelling to Yorkshire with a group of guides, rangers and 3 leaders. They will be travelling on the ferry and then up to Yorkshire. Once they are there, they will be allocated tents and will be camping and preparing their meals for a full week. They will engage in international activities with guides from all over the world and will be telling them about our local culture. They will also engage in physical activities such as rock climbing, orienteering and local city visits. A full list of activities hasn't been confirmed yet but on a night they will be meeting with guides from other countries and develop their communication skills, meeting new people. There will be cultural evenings where they showcase local produce from Ulster and talk about our local community. Confirmed numbers attending are unknown, but there will be guides from all around the world attending.	£ 1,250.00	£ 400.00	£ 300.00	£100 requested was for equipment which is not eligible through this category

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A8JO202	Training Courses - Individuals	Olivia Jordan	Level 1 Gymnastics Coaching Qualification		It is for the Level 1 Gymnastics Coaching Qualification. To enable me to become an assistant coach. To be able to support participants in a variety of moves & apparatus & help them develop in their gymnastics. It is an online course with several workshop models and online content. In person assessments will be carried out with support from Carrickfergus Gymnastics Coach and 2-3 volunteers. I hope to start my level 1 coaching course online from 2 - 6 Sep. It runs for 4 sessions with a practical exam in December. Begin to apply the 'How to Coach' skills Understand how to use and build up progressions for discipline specific skills Know your ethical coaching responsibilities Know your safety responsibilities Know how to move and set up equipment safely for your session Recognise muscles and how they work Describe the principles of group organisation and communication Appreciate the principles of safe support Understand basic biomechanical principles Appreciate different learning styles	£ 295.00	£ 295.00	£ 200.00	Max Grant
A8DS977	Civic Representation - Individuals	Katie Dael	Girl Guiding Ulster International Event		Roverway is a European jamboree, it is for Rangers and Girlguides. The aim is to allow the youth and adult guiding to bridge the gap and develop as Leaders. It is organised by Norwegian scouts and an international planning team. It takes place in Norway from 22 July 2024 to 1 August 2024 with patrols from 5 to 8 members. It is made up of 2 parts first part patrols come together as a group of 50 participants and each tribe is made up of patrols from different countries. The event includes camping, hiking and cooking. The second part is a jamboree held in Stavanger, Norway. My daughter is currently a Ranger, with the Slemish Look Wider group and meets in St Patricks Church in Broughshane. Katie also assists with running the younger Rainbows group as part of her Young Leaders course. The cost of the trip is £2200.	£ 2,200.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	
CFF24 A6MC1145	Single Day Festival	First Larne Presbyterian Church	Community Fun Night	09 August 2024	This event is open to the entire community. As well as being a "fun" activity it is designed to maximise the impact of signposting opportunities for members of our community who are coping with longer-term health, economic and social impacts due to the current cost of living crisis. We hope to create a moment of community fun and togetherness. Attendees will be able to engage with activities, resources and advice that can then be followed up on, accordingly to their needs, and allowing them to bond across a broad range of cultural, ethnic, economic and sectarian realities. The event will be advertised via social media and by word of mouth. It is hoped people of all ages will find (or rediscover) cultural and recreational activities that will have a positive effect on their physical and mental health and well-being.	£ 5,122.71	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	

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CFF24 A6AR1173	Multi-day Festival	Whitehead Community Association	Whitehead Summer Festival	27 July 2024	The Whitehead Summer festival is run over a 2-week summer period and brings together a wide range of groups and organisations to celebrate the best of Whitehead in a broad spectrum of activities and events. Events are run to include a wide range of activities suitable for the different interests of residents. These include sports, culture, craft, history, photography, cinema, gardening, painting, board gaming, music, quizzes, art, mindfulness, nature and outdoors. We collaborate with local clubs and interest groups such as The Railway Preservation Society of Ireland, Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's Parks and Wildlife staff, County Antrim Yacht Club, Whitehead Library, Islandmagee Camera Club, N. I. Ceroc Association, Whitehead Golf Club, Eden Allotments as well as local businesses and social groups. The Festival provides two weeks packed full of activities for everyone.	£ 2,730.00	£ 2,000.00	£ 2,000.00	

£ 73,420.90 £ 31,960.15 £ 19,511.36

Budget Remaining

Community Grants	£ 16,011.36	£ 252,582.00
Festivals Fund	£ 3,500.00	£ 24,691.00

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A2MA1159	Large Event	Traction Engine Club of Ulster Ltd	Ulster Festival of Steam and Transport	19/07/2024	The Ulster Festival of Steam and Transport is a much anticipated event in the club's calendar. The project involves all the club members as they work towards celebrating the history, agriculture and heritage of bygone years. The event will take place at Ballee Playing fields from Friday 19th of July to Saturday 20th of July. The event brings together vintage machinery, demonstrations, competitions, music and art. Some of the activities are as follows; Tractor and traction engine run supported by Emma McCrea from Ballymena Business Improvement District. Tractor pulling. Vintage tractors, cars, commercial and machinery. Traditional agricultural craft demonstrations; wood sawing, wood turning, stone breaking, blacksmith, threshing etc. Petting farm. Phoenix local radio. Irish dancing school. Downshire Brass Band. Craft and trade stands. Lawnmower racing. Food stands, coffee stands. Club members showcase their crafts, machinery and will also marshal the event in the interests of public safety as well as first aiders.	£21,503.00	£ 6,000.00	£ 1,511.00	The income against expenditure states a shortfall of £1,511.
A2BC1652	Equipment	Monkstown YCV FB	The new generation		The purposed project is aimed at running a series of musical workshops. The workshops will be based around Ulster Scots traditional music. Each workshop will be facilitated by a tutor which means each participant will be taught to a quality standard. Being awarded this funding will cover the cost of tuition for fluting and drum classes which will teach the youth of the area various different techniques relating to Ulster Scots traditional arts and culture. It will also cover the cost of supplying young musicians from a deprived area the proper equipment (Drum Pads, Sticks, Cymbals, Bass drum equipment) participate in this project. The target age of this project 11-18 years old, with the aim to pass on traditional music to the future generation and reduce ASB in the Carrickfergus and surrounding area.	£ 1,488.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant

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A2CC1012	Other Distinctive Projects	Gracehill Old School Trust	Blooming Gracehill 2024		Every year, the Trust (GhOST), supported by the volunteers in Gracehill Village Environmental Committee (GVEC) endeavour to have this historic village looking its best by planting flowers at a number of locations in the vicinity, complementing those planted by the Council at the front of the village square and church as well as the pump area on Cennick Road. The areas covered by our planting include three beds at corners of the Square, beds and barrels on Cennick Road and the garden area at Galgorm bridge. It is envisaged that, subject to approval, the planting, undertaken by GVEC volunteers, will take place from the end of June. Maintenance thereafter, including watering, will be carried out by the same volunteers. This project is especially important this year as an announcement is expected sometime in July with regard to UNESCO's decision on whether or not Gracehill will become a World Heritage site.	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	
A2HC1221	Equipment	Charles Sheils Community	Kitchen equipment for the Sheils31Hub community indoor space for cookery demonstrations and organised activities/teaching sessions.		The project is kitchen equipment for 1. cookery demonstrations to encourage interaction amongst the residential community and wider community membership. Food hygiene courses already in hand so members can share their skills with others/food provided from 'grow your own' fruit and vegetables on site. All food related activities will take place in the community house 'Sheils31Hub' in the Community kitchen for community use and to facilitate use in conjunction with organised activities. Providing an opportunity to introduce home grown produce example black kale rich in b vitamins/fibre/calcium/ good for lowering type 2 diabetes/protecting against heart disease. Sheils Group members skilled in the preparation of african/asian cuisine/healthy option vegetables have stated they would be happy to pass on their knowledge to others for health/wellbeing/educational/interaction/cost cutting/social/ combat loneliness reasons .2.The kitchen/equipment grant will also offer simple tea/coffee/baked items for organised activities/visits/open days and be required for jam making using what is available on site for sharing.	£ 1,765.00	£ 1,334.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant

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A2DC1581	Other Distinctive Projects	The Ballymena Seven Towers Probus Club	Outing to Derry/Londonderry		The members and their wives will travel by train to Derry/Londonderry City on the 10th October 2024 and have a conducted tour of the historic Guildhall, with its magnificent stained glass window depicting the historic guilds associated with the city. After lunch in the Exchange Restaurant they will visit the Tower Museum and after a conducted tour will have time to browse and study the exhibits. They will then visit the historic walls; the amount of time spent on the walls will be restricted for a few of our members by mobility issues. A visit to the Seige Museum by some of the members will be followed by afternoon tea and the group will then return to Ballymena by train.	£ 590.00	£ 500.00	£ 442.50	75% funding
A2SC1554	Equipment	Southside Rangers Football Club	Equipment for use in Training Sessions		The club wish to purchase various pieces of training equipment for use in our twice weekly sessions (Monday & Wednesday) nights at Wakehurst Grass Pitches and Wakehurst 3G area in Ballymena. At present this would benefit our existing membership and allow the club to increase participation numbers. The equipment would be used to improve the quality and standard of our training sessions. The equipment would be used to improve the developement of our players and help to improve the skills of our existing squad and allow us to expand our participating numbers if successful. If success we would hope to impliment with immediate effect.	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant
A2ND1080	Equipment	LARNE YMCA	Renew our play equipment		This grant will enable LARNE YMCA to buy new equipment to service the members that access our services on a weekly basis. By bringing our equipment up to a more modern standard we will be in line with quality assurance for both our EA programmes and our Early years provision. By exploring in consultation with our members what equipment they would like to see in their services we aim to increase the play opportunities on offer and facilitate new learning and growth for our members. As we work with children and young people with ASD we aim to offer a broader range of sensory equipment.	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant

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A2ND1521	Medium Event	Larne YMCA	Larne YMCA Community Fun Day	24/08/2024	Larne YMCA will host a community fun day for the families and young people of the Larne Area. The aim of the day is to provide stalls, face painting and other activities for families and young people to engage in over the summer months. The event will be organised alongside our young leaders to develop their skills and knowledge. The day has proved successful over the last four years with the support of this grant. The feedback from the young people staff parents/carers and the wider community has been brilliant. The day will be organised by junior leaders and helpers of Larne Ymca and be supported by a key member of staff and whole staff team. We had rescue services here vital to our community and local business to support them also.and a key member of staff and whole staff team.	£ 3,000.00	£ 3,000.00	£ 2,250.00	75% funding
A2SD1541	Small Event	Tenth Glen Heritage Farms	Traditional Skills Festival 2024 (TradSkillsFest24)	20/07/2024	TradSkillsFest24 returning for its second year provides an amazing opportunity to reclaim ancestral skills under the guidance of some hugely talented local crafters, makers & artists. We will host a selection of hands on skills and crafts workshops with expert crafts people. For those not just ready to get hands on, they will get the chance to watch demonstrations and learn from a number of crafters, makers and artists. They can chat with them and check out their work as they explore a heritage craft trail around the farm. This event is about supporting crafters at all levels, facilitating entry level access to traditional skills and growing our community of interest. It will be an event to inspire the curious, induct the newcomer, light a fire under the amateur, provide a stage for the hobbyist, an audience for the professional and eager apprentices for the masters of the crafts	£ 4,000.00	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	

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A2BG101	Equipment	Latharna Og	Supporting the expansion of Latharna Og		Since our last successful grants for groups equipment grant from MEA in 2020 its fair to say our club has grown exponentially.In the spring of 2020 we had an adult male team and had done a handful of taster sessions for 5-8 year olds.Fast forward 4 years and we currently have an adult male team an adult female team and underage teamsTo facilitate this expansion we would like to have operate sets of equipment for each team rather than everyone sharing one.Things like a medical bag for each adult team.Each coaching team having their own equipment instead of everything coming from a central pot.We'd like sets of cones/spikes equipment balls etc for each individual team.This is to support our ongoing activities throughout the year for our adult male, adult female and our boys and girls teamThese activities will be primarily held at our pitch on the Brustin Braes in Larne	£ 980.00	£ 980.00	£ 735.00	75% funding
A2BG1388	Small Event	Latharna Og	Larne Schools Hurling Cup 2025	Feb-25	The Larne Schools Hurling Cup has been running since 2014 and is our main engagement with local Primary Schools.Our 2024 event saw participating schools double from 3 schools to 6This was a massive success story opening up a sport to all sections of the community and breaking down barriers.There are other all county schools hurling competitions. But Larne wouldnt be considered a GAA stronghold, if any of these schools were to enter the level of competiton might be too high from schools in areas were hurling is the primary sport.The preparation for the 2024 event saw 150 10-11 year olds play a sport that they have never got an oppertunity to play before for the first time. Not only to get an introduction but to play at a meaningful and competitive level.Schools get 3 weeks coaching to select a suitable playing panel.Panels of 6-8 players play the competition at Larne leisure Centre	£ 780.00	£ 780.00	£ 585.00	75% funding

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A2MG1674	Public Liability Insurance	Galgorm LOL 239	Galgorm Insurance		We provide social interaction opportunities for isolated men within our community and the surrounding areas. We provide various activities including table quizzes, BBQ's, fun days, educational visits, workshops, health and wellbeing projects and other activities which meet the needs of our members. We aim to improve the quality of life for all members of the community in Galgorm and the surrounding areas through all our projects. We regularly engage members of the community in projects which address a range of needs including social and rural isolation, health and wellbeing, cultural identity, capacity building and much more. In order to continue delivering these projects we require our premises and activities to be insured. This project is about ensuring public liability insurance is in place.	£ 738.24	£ 738.24	£ 300.00	Max Grant
A2FG151	Civic Representation	Carrickfergus Junior Darts Academy	2024 JDC Junior Darts World Championships		Members of the Carrickfergus Junior Darts Academy will help make up the 2024 Team Northern Ireland for this year's JDC World Junior Darts world cup and world championships. They will head to Gibraltar in late November to take part in the biggest and most highly contested youth darts championships in the world. Week-long events will be held in the fabulous setting of Gibraltar, in the Europa Point Sports Complex. Last year saw the biggest ever turnout of players and nations. Our members will play singles and in group events. In previous years our members have helped gain many firsts for Team NI. The first ever Team NI World Cup win, last year against China. In 2022 we had the first ever player to reach the knockout stage at the World Championships, and in 2021 it was our members who helped form the first ever Team NI at any JDC World Cup event.	£ 4,050.00	£ 2,500.00	£ 1,600.00	Max Grant

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A2RJ1203	Small Event	Carrickfergus and District Probus Club	40th Anniversary Dinner with entertainment	05/12/2024	Due to covid our planned for anniversary events had to be postponedThe delayed visit to Armagh Planetarium took place on 6th June [Council Grant of £500 assisted in running this most successful outing]We plan to have anniversary dinner on Thursday 5th December at Green island Golf Club which will have dinner ,entertainment and some small table giftsIt is expected that we will have some 60 in attendance Breakdown of costs areDinner £ 1800Entertainment £500Table gifts and prizes 300Total Budget £2600Benefits will be fellowship, dispel loneliness and entertain. The event will include widows of former membersA side benefit will be the provision of an evening out for many normally housebound	£ 2,600.00	£ 2,000.00	£ 1,500.00	Max Grant
A2AL378	Small Event	The Railway Preservation Society of Ireland	Diesel Experience - the Re-Launch of B142	31/08/2024	The project is to re-launch the Society's only Diesel locomotive, having returned it to working order. The engine is 62 years old and is part of our collection which is deemed the most extensive on the island of Ireland. It was built by General Motors in the United States and we have decided to re-launch it with appropriate music on the platform and an American-style BBQ. Members of the public will be able to see the engine at the platform , with knowledgeable volunteers explaining how it works. Visitors will then be able to enjoy a walk through the museum and can enjoy a train ride over the lunchtime period. The re-launch will be at the beginning of the day, with dignitaries and volunteers who worked to bring the engine back into service being invited.	£ 1,475.00	£ 1,475.00	£ 1,106.25	75% funding

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A2SL1139	Equipment	Christian Endeavour Kids Summer Club (Magheramorne Presbyterian Church)	Equipment for Kids Activities		This is to provide equipment to allow our Group carry out various activities with children who attend our Club, we meet on Friday evenings throughout the year in the Magheramorne Church Halls and grounds. We are mainly looking for equipment that will allow the children to take part in games and sporting activities like basket ball, football, unihoc, skipping ropes, scoop ball set, small and large dodge balls etc. We have also included a music amp for music to be played during the night's activities to play games and also to add to the atmosphere. This could also be transported outside for when we are doing outdoor games and activities. These games give the young people an opportunity to come together in physical activities will helps both body and mind. A pop up gazebo would help us give shelter when we are providing refreshments during outdoor activities and keep things covered from the elements.	£ 1,160.62	£ 870.46	£ 870.46	
A2CM1540	Equipment	Carrickfergus Temperance LOL 1537	Equipment 2024		Over the winter the membership of the lodge was made aware of a numbe of items of equipment that we will require to continue our work into 2024. The most pressing items of equipment needed, and probably the most expensive, are new banner poles as our current ones are around 30 years old and beginning to fail. This will benefit the entire membership of the lodge as well as friends, visitors and supporters as we will be able to continue to carry out our regular events and projects. These new banner poles will be used both here at home across Northern Ireland, and right across the rest of the United Kingdom as we travel for various events.	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	

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A2CM1800	Equipment	Kragfargvs Cultural & Historical Association	Equipment 2024		We have recently secured the use of a room in a new community building which has been taken over by another local community group that we have worked closely with in the past. This room will give us a central location from which to base our projects and will help reduce the costs of hiring various community facilities across the Borough. We are currently compiling a programme of activities that we will be running once the building has been renovated and is open for use. This will include online safety talks for parents and young people, introductions to online use for older people, historical talks and presentations and health talks with a local pharmacist to name a few. We currently require a TV big enough to present to groups as well as an appropriate sound system to enable our presentations and workshops to be as productive as possible.	£ 2,448.99	£ 2,448.99	-	IT equipment is deemed ineligible through the scheme
A2CM1809	Development Projects and Training	Kragfargvs Cultural & Historical Association	Event Stewarding Training		Last year we facilitated a 'Parade Steward Awareness' training course, provided by Event Safety NI, which was attended by a small number of representatives of various local organisations. This was a hugely successful programme with 20 local people receiving a qualification equivalent to an OCN Level 1 in Parade Steward Awareness. Unfortunately, with limited spaces on the course, we were only able to facilitate 2 to 3 members of each organisation but such was the success of the last course, we have had contact from almost all of the organisations involved to request a further session to train up more people. We want to run another session of the course in the Carrickfergus Glasgow Rangers Supporters Club to allow another 20 local residents to be trained in this massively important area which will help make local events safer and better organised.	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant

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A2SN910	Equipment	The National Autistic Society Larne and Carrickfergus Branch	Equipment		We aim to invest in some sensory play equipment for our autistic children to help them regulate. We need some new outdoor play equipment and some educational toys. We are noticing that our members are being referred for ASD assessment much younger for early intervention, therefore we would like to update our equipment to reflect this younger age range. Autistic children have fewer opportunities to freely play and explore in a safe and secure environment therefore we aim to provide a well equipped, appropriate hub where they're sensory and movement needs are met. We will be running the activities on Friday evening youth club, every other Saturday at Sensory squad and family and Mondays during the summer. Some activities will only be for the autistic child and some will be for the whole family.	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 750.00	Max Grant
A2DP1100	Public Liability Insurance	St Mary's GA & CC Ahoghill	Public Liability Insurance		Our club hosts games, training sessions and other events for people of all ages - from underage children, to playing adult members. It also hosts workshops and community events for members of the wider community. Assistance towards public liability insurance will allow us to continue this service and address the following themes within Putting People First of the Council's Community Plan: Good Health and Wellbeing Encourage our members and the wider community to participate in our games Community Safety & Cohesion Provide a fully insured and safe space for people of all ages to play. The insurance will provide cover for the wider public to attend and support our playing teams, thereby extending our reach into the community and encouraging further participation. 	£ 1,800.00	£ 300.00	£ 300.00	

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A2MV868	Small Event	Millbrook Church of the Nazarene	Community Fun Week Millbrook.	29/07/2024	The 3 day Kids Holiday Bible Club running on 29th-31st July, we will be inviting primary aged children to participate in games, bible stories and crafts. We are then holding a Community Caf��@- 7-9pm on Friday 2nd August and a Community Fun day on Saturday 3rd August 2024. These events will provide fun and activities, food and entertainment to allow the whole community to join together and celebrate the summer. This year, our hope is to continue to develop relationships and create an open and welcoming space to encourage community participation, to promote social wellbeing and to build relationships among the people in our area. Free at the point of entry to promote equality and avoid social exclusion, open to all people of any religion, political opinion, racial background, age, disability, marital status or sexual orientation, although kids club will be limited to children of primary school age.	� 1,560.00	� 1,560.00	� 1,170.00	75% funding
A8MA122	Civic Representation	Andrew McKeown	ICTSF English Sporting Home International 2024 and ICTSF Fitasc Sporting Home International 2024	14/09/2024	ICTSF English Sporting Home International 2024 - Will represent Northern Ireland competing against the other home nations of England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales and Jersey. Competition will be held at the National Shooting Centre in Scotland on 14 September 2024. The Northern Ireland Team will consist of 15 seniors, 3 ladies, 3 juniors, 3 veterans and 3 super-veterans. I will be competing as a senior. ICTSF Fitasc Sporting Home International 2024 - Will represent Northern Ireland competing against the other home nations of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Competition will be held at the National Shooting Centre in Ireland on 5 October 2024. The Northern Ireland Team will consist of 9 seniors, 2 ladies, 2 juniors, 2 veterans and 2 super-veterans. I will be competing as a senior.	� 875.00	� 400.00	� 400.00	

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A8PB201	Training Courses	Beth Patterson	Level 1 gymnastics coaching qualification	Jul-24	I hope to qualify as a level 1 coach for gymnastics go help coach the younger girls. This will be an 4 online coaching sessions with several workshops, modules and online content. Where I sign on and receive coaching classes where I will learn how to confidently coach, effectively stretch, understand how to spot children when performing gymnastics on several apparatus and how to teach children how to perform certain skills. In person assessments will be carried out with support from Carrickfergus Gymnastics Club at Carrickfergus Amphitheater. These will be done at Carrickfergus Amphitheatre, I will therefore need around 3 young gymnastics as participants, I hope to start my level 1 coaching classes on the 2nd of september 2024 to the exam on the 7th of December. I am planning to achieve this qualification at Carrickfergus Amphitheatre. In this course will include me and some other girls completing the course.	£ 295.00	£ 295.00	£ 200.00	Max Grant
A8ND1515	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Michael Dinning	Judo		Michael trains every week at this venue. He'll practice all of his standing and ground techniques. Practice his fitness and recovery for events. Practice his randori (fighting with different partners) .He also trains in different locations throughout Northern Ireland for squad training. Travelling 50 miles for his training. This training will be with all the squad with intense workout.Setting out a plan meeting with different workouts to help with his schedule each week, month.Locations are Lisburn (2) places and Coleraine (2) places also.He trains with the pathway squad at different venues this is to help with having different partners to mirror image his future events.Going to the gym to help with fitness and areas of strength needed to help when fighting.	£ 2,300.00	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	

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A8HG896	Civic Representation	Megan Shardlow	Competing as part of Team NI at International Powerlifting Federation Commonwealth Games in Sun City, South Africa from 4th October - 13th October 2024	13/10/2024	Megan has been selected by the Northern Ireland Powerlifting Federation to represent them at the Commonwealth Powerlifting competition. The competition will be held 4th of October 2024, Sun City, South Africa, with the event being streamed live across the world. Megan is honoured to have been selected to represent her country at the highest level of powerlifting and has set herself a number of goals which she is hoping to achieve. The goals Megan has set herself is to better her overall performance at 310kg, which will see her squat 125+kg, bench 62.5kg and deadlift 125-140kg which will break all previous competition personal bests. While this will be a challenge the prospects of representing her country and breaking her pbs is having a positive impact on her mental health. The motivation of representing Northern Ireland at the highest level of powerlifting has Megan peaking in her fitness and well being.	£ 1,867.00	£ 1,867.00	£ 400.00	Max Grant
A8HG1506	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Megan Sharlow	Competing as part of Team NI at International Powerlifting Federation Commonwealth Games in Sun City, South Africa from 4th October - 13th October 2024		Megan has been selected by the Northern Ireland Powerlifting Federation to represent them at the Commonwealth Powerlifting competition. The competition will be held 4th of October 2024, Sun City, South Africa, with the event being streamed live across the world. Megan is honoured to have been selected to represent her country at the highest level of powerlifting and has set herself a number of goals which she is hoping to achieve. The goals Megan has set herself is to better her overall performance at 310kg, which will see her squat 125+kg, bench 62.5kg and deadlift 125-140kg which will break all previous competition personal bests. While this will be a challenge the prospects of representing her country and breaking her pbs is having a positive impact on her mental health. The motivation of representing Northern Ireland at the highest level of powerlifting has Megan peaking in her fitness and well being.	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	

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A8FG1172	Civic Representation	Ryan Fowles	JDC Junior World Darts Championships	23/11/2024	The 2024 JDC World Junior Darts Championships is always to highlight of the JDC calendar.year on year is has grown. with more nations and more young players getting the opportunity to play against the very best in the world, at under 18 level.Ryan will travel with a small squad from Northern Ireland, and other members of the Carrickfergus Junior Darts Academy.Ryan will play high level competitive darts, meet other young players, be introduced to new countries and cultures.The whole experience will develop his social skills, meeting new people and build on his leadership qualities as a senior member of the squad.throughout the week of competition Ryan will play numerous matches, some singles and a team event.Ryan will once again hope to meet representatives from the Gibraltar government, as in previous years he has meet the Minister for Sport, Minister of Tourism and high profile members of the Gibraltar Darts Association.	£ 1,300.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	
A8RJ1320	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Jenna Reid	Irish Sailing Olympic Development Squad 49er FX		Spring and Summer training at Dun Laoghaire. In colder months we train in Vilamoura Portugal. We have a dedicated nutritionist , fitness coach, sailing coach, and sport psychologist . ongoing intensive fitness programme, 2 weeks training per month on the water. Competing overseas, Ireland and in the UK over the summer and winter. Supported By Irish sailing.Irish Sailing subsidise our coaching, they supply van and trailers , provide access to marina and storage for boats in Dun Laoghaire . Overseas they provide coaching support, supply of a van to tow the boats and rib, we are aiming for the 2028 olympics as our longer term goal.	£ 1,098.00	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	

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A8MK1291	Civic Representation	Josh McClune	National Finals, National Youth Omnium	12/07/2024	Josh will travel by boat to either Scotland or Liverpool depending on cost, staying in Manchester in a hotel on the 12th of July and then driving to the National cycling Centre, Manchester on the morning of the 13th. Josh will take part in 5 different cycling races on the 13th of July at the National cycling centre in Manchester. He will then stay overnight again and the day after get the ferry back home again. Josh's aim will be for a podium position at this event. This will be the biggest event Josh has ever competed in and is an amazing achievement to have qualified for this seen as Ireland doesn't have an indoor velodrome. Most boys competing at this event will be training multiple times a week at a similar facility to the National cycling centre which Josh simply doesn't have access to.	£ 950.00	£ 950.00	£ 400.00	Max Grant
A8SL1322	Civic Representation	Ieoni Stevenson	France Gold/Silver DofE Expedition and cultural exchange	03/07/2024	Explorers and leaders from Slemish district, will join explorers from Slemish District in completing their Gold / Silver DofE/President award expeditions on the Dordogne River in France and participate in a cultural exchange with Paris based scout groups. This builds on links developed when Slemish district facilitated one Paris group's camp in North Antrim and the Causeway Coast. The project will run from 3rd July to 16th July 2024. Explorers are currently undergoing an intensive training programme of classroom based teaching and river practical sessions to ensure they have the required skill and competencies to complete the expedition. A group of leaders will be taking the groups kit in a van with the local scout group livery to the base campsite at Vayrac, France. The explorers will fly to Bergerac airport and transit to base campsite. On completion of expeditions the group will transit by train to Paris.	£ 500.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	
A8MM1264	Civic Representation	Mark McCourt	IPF Commonwealth Championship	04/10/2024	The funds will be used to help put towards the final cost of flights, accommodation, and entry fees, alongside my own fundraising and own funds as it will be expensive to compete. I will be Powerlifting in these championships, doing the squat, bench, and deadlift, to gain a total that will help Team Northern Ireland place well among the other lifters in different countries in my weight class. The Championships will be running from 4th - 13th October, with my lifting day taking place on the 6th, I hope to be there for multiple days to cheer on the other Northern Ireland athletes in this event in South Africa before and after my time taken to the platform.	£ 1,900.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	

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A8BN1567	Civic Representation	Neil Butler	France Gold/Silver DofE Expedition and Cultural Exchange	03/07/2024	Eighteen scouts and 4 leaders from All Saints Scout Group, will join explorer Scouts from Slemish District in completing their Gold / Silver DofE/President award expeditions on the Dordogne River France and participate in a cultural exchange with Paris based scout groups. This builds on links developed when Scouts NI facilitated one Paris group's camp in North Antrim and the Causeway Coast. The project will run from 3rd July to 16th July 2024. Explorer Scouts are currently undergoing an intensive training programme of classroom based teaching and river practical sessions to ensure they have the required skill and competencies to complete the expedition. A group of leaders will be taking the groups kit in a van with the local scout group livery to the base campsite at Vayrac, France. The explorers will fly to Bergerac airport and transit to base campsite. On completion of expeditions the group will transit by train to Paris.	£ 500.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	

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ABLNS22	Civic Representation	Laura Loughlin	STRUK Mounted Games European Pairs Championships	11/07/2024	Laura will be traveling to England with her pony via the Belfast-Liverpool boat to Onley Grounds Equestrian Complex to compete in the STRUK European pairs Championships on the 11th of July. She will be competing with 25 pairs from all over the United Kingdom and Europe in the hope of becoming European Pairs Champions. The competition runs from the 12th of July to the 14th of July, returning home again on the 15th of July. She will be staying onsite, camping alongside the pony in corrals/stables and will gain valuable experience in looking after the care and welfare of her pony 24 hours a day away from home. Laura will complete a set of races every day of the competition involving vaulting onto the ponies at speed and completing other tasks such as placing bottles and flags into holders at speed. On arrival to the competition Laura will have to set up camp for herself and also for her pony, including a corral, bedding, feed and water, ensuring the welfare of her pony is paramount. She will participate in an opening ceremony, representing Northern Ireland and carrying the Ulster Flag, as the only Under 18 pair representing NI in this European Competition. She will be competing in several heats each day of the competition, leading up to the finals on the Sunday evening. Laura has been training extensively for this event on a daily basis, both on and off her pony, working on her fitness and the various maneuvers and techniques required in preparation for the championship.	£ 1,627.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	
A8MS1761	Civic Representation	scarlett mccutcheon	Roverway Jamboree- Norway	22/07/2024	Our patrol have worked together to plan our transport to the event, and have decided to spend the first few days in Oslo to explore the culture and the sights. We will then make our way to Roverway, where we will explore local museums and the mining history of the local area, alongside meeting people from other countries and practicing our language skills. After 5 days, we will travel to the main camp in Stravanger, where there will be many different activities and opportunities for us to try new things. We will also have two culture days, in which my patrol and I will be able to represent Ulster to thousands of people and teach them about our culture. We hope to learn a lot from the other participants and new things about ourselves. We are in Norway from the 19th of July until the 4th of August.	£ 1,576.40	£ 1,576.40	£ 400.00	Max Grant.
						£71,977.25	£ 42,075.09	£ 26,170.21	

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A2AC1197	Public Liability Insurance	Ballykeel Together Development Association	Group Insurance	This application is to enable us to have the necessary insurance needed to facilitate our annual programme of events - a Monthly Luncheon Club for seniors and a Weekly Youth Club for neurodiverse kids. The Luncheon Club has become a social spot for seniors, that helps reduce loneliness and build friendships. The Youth Club offers activities that help neurodiverse kids develop social skills and confidence in a supportive setting. We meet each Thursday for an opportunity for the children to have a safe space to play and to allow the parents an opportunity for supervision of trusted adults when they then can get to enjoy refreshments and have the opportunity to mingle with other parents. This opportunity allows them to share experiences in a safe space and learn of other local services etc they may avail of.	-	£550.28	£300.00	£300.00	
A2PG1658	Small Event	Glenvale Community Group	Annual Fun Day	We are planning a small event as our annual fun day on Saturday 7th September 2024. It will run from 3pm through to 7pm at our Glenvale Estate. There will be bouncy castles to cater for young kids and also the older ones; we will have local musicians playing throughout the day; we will provide food consisting of hotdogs, sandwiches, and drinks all free of charge; and to finish off we will have the Lost Highway 2 piece band playing from 5.30 - 7pm. In Glenvale Community we have circa 70 residents of all ages. We would expect most of the attenders of the fun day to be directly from the Glenvale Community but do also expect some others from the surrounding Glarryford Area to attend and also maybe some friends and families of the community and musicians.	07/09/2024	£1,050.00	£1,050.00	£787.50	75% funding

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A2EI2177	Civic Representation	North Irish Dragoons Society	Battle of Prestonpans	The Society has been selected by the Directors of the Scottish Battlefields Trust and Prestonpans Museum to play a key role in the 2024 event to mark the battle of Prestonpans. The group has specialist knowledge, skills and equipment that can be used to demonstrate certain aspects of this important event which was in itself a key moment militarily in the constitutional development of the United Kingdom. The event will take place on Saturday 21st and Sunday 22nd September 2024. Given the logistics the group will travel out on Friday 20th September. Several groups from across the UK have been invited to attend the event which will also be open to the public and advertised extensively. If our application is successful we will highlight the support given by the Council. We are the only group from Northern Ireland /Ulster selected to attend.	21/09/2024	£1,026.00	£1,026.00	£1,026.00	
A2MM2164	Equipment	Waveney Swifts FC	24/25 essential requirements	The group is embarking on a new season having just been promoted to the top division and require funding to ensure they have the correct equipment to help participate and make it enjoyable for all members of the group. To help make the experience as enjoyable as possible we will be applying for funding for the next years subscription to our Veo camera which the grant scheme helped us purchase last year. The renewal for this is now due. We will also be applying for funding to help with buying match balls, training balls and a new medical bag and contents.		£1,087.01	£815.21	£815.26	

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A2GT2383	Public Liability Insurance	Cloney Rural Development Association	Public Liability Insurance	A community group needs Public Liability Insurance (PLI) to protect against legal and financial risks. PLI covers the costs if the group is held liable for injury or property damage to a third party during its activities. This protection ensures that the group can continue its operations without the threat of crippling financial loss from unexpected accidents or claims. Additionally local authorities require PLI for event approvals, making it essential for compliance and credibility. Overall, PLI provides peace of mind, safeguarding the group's members and its reputation while fostering trust within the community. Our PLI is included in our overall insurance package which has become very expensive over the last few years.	-	£1,641.11	£300.00	£300.00	
A8HA1989	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Adam Hewitt	Ongoing training with Ulster and Ireland rugby	The project is to attend weekly training with Ulster U18 and provincial talent squad four times a week at newforge sports complex and play in the u18 school squads in the interpros scheduled for the end of August. This training will continue in term time with weekly training twice a week as I seek to stay on the Ulster player programme whilst also in my last year of school. The project is now including an invite to Ireland International under18 club development camp 3rd-9th August at the IRFU high performance centre in blanchardston and further opportunities may arise from this including games against Italy at half term and other development camps throughout the year.	-	£300.00	£300.00	£300.00	

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A8CA2196	Civic Representation	Alan Corrigan	IBF World Blackball Pool Championships	Venue is set in the Hilton Double Tree Hotel, Qawra, Malta. Playing days are the 2nd to 10th of November 2024. We will be participating in the Grandmasters event in the World Blackball Pool Championships, and hopefully bring back the trophy. We have been beaten Finalists in the last two events, the Nations Cup of Pool and the European Championships losing out both times to England. We will participate in the Team event, the Doubles event and the Individuals. The standard is very high being a World Championship and Northern Ireland have punched above our weight many times and we hope to do so again.	02/11/2024	£817.47	£817.47	£400.00	Max grant
A8SD2304	Civic Representation	Darren Shields-Pettitt on behalf of Blaze Shields-Pettitt	Ireland U19 Ice trip to Vancouver	The Ireland U19 team will be traveling to Vancouver to play 5 matches against Canadian teams. The purpose of the trip is to give the Irish players an opportunity to play a much higher standard than they normally would and to encourage the links between Irish Ice Hockey and teams from Canada, in the hopes that they may come to Ireland to play. The chance to represent Ireland is something that means everything to Blaze, being autistic, having ADHD, being born with bilateral hydronephrosis, having Schmorl's nodes in his spine, Blaze found his love in Ice Hockey and has overcome a lot of obstacles to now be in the position to represent his country.	25/10/2024	£791.33	£400.00	£400.00	

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A8DP2292	Civic Representation	Paul Dalrymple on behalf of Jude Dalrymple	2024 IBF World blackball championships	As mentioned previously, Judes team will represent Northern Ireland in the world teams championship, but he will also compete in both singles and doubles event. His team will enter the main team event as favourites to win the world championship. Jude himself with have high hopes of winning in both the singles and doubles events. The event will be held at the the hilton, Qawra, Malta and 32+ teams from around the world will participate. It will be running from 2nd-10th of November 2024. The event will be televised on Malta sports channel, a different sky sports channel and for everyone at home on youtube.	02/11/2024	£900.00	£400.00	£400.00	
CFF24 A6CF315	Multi-day Festival	First Carrickfergus Presbyterian Church	Youth Week 2024	Youth Week 2024 is an annual festival for teenagers which runs for 5 days (Mon-Fri) each August. It runs for 9 hours each day depending on the activities included in the schedule for that day. Approximately 60 secondary school age children (teenagers) participate. Each day allows the young people to engage in a range of interactive sports, games, leisure and reflective activities to promote physical and emotional well-being, led by a team of approximately 10 volunteer leaders. On two occasions it is planned that the young people will go on organised trips to activities outside the Mid and East Antrim area, but everything else happens on site in the halls on Lancasterian Street. On four of the evenings the participants are provided with an evening meal cooked on the premises. The festival includes teenagers from all social backgrounds and all levels of ability with participants representing all schools and all areas in the town of Carrickfergus. The festival has a strong place in the community calendar for young people and their families and has done for a significant number of years.	29/07/2024	£5,982.00	£2,000.00	£2,000.00	

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CFF24 A6T12184	Single Day Festival	Ballykeel Apprentice Boys of Derry	Ulster-Fest 2024(A festival to commemorate and celebrate Ulster Day)	We are organising a "Ulster-Fest 2024 on 28th September to celebrate Ulster Day! This vibrant festival will honour our rich heritage with a day full of activities and entertainment for the whole family. The first item on the agenda will be an enlightening historical talk that delves into the significance of Ulster Day and the cultural legacy of the Ulster Scots. Immerse yourself in the lively performances of traditional Ulster Scot dancers, showcasing the spirited rhythms of our ancestors. Feel the powerful beats of Lambeg drums and enjoy the harmonious tunes of local flute bands. For music lovers, there will be live performances by talented local singers, ensuring a fantastic auditory experience. Savour delicious food at the BBQ, offering a variety of tasty treats. The festival will also feature a fun day for kids with games, face painting, and more, making it an event for all ages. "Ulster-Fest" will be perfect blend of history, culture, and community spirit, coming together to celebrate our shared heritage and create lasting memories with family and friends - a special day dedicated to the pride and unity of Ulster!	28/09/2024	£1,534.97	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	

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CFF24 A6HI2046	Single Day Festival	Greenisland Parish Connecting Community	Community Funday Festival: Loving living in Greenisland	This is aimed as a funday for all residents of Greenisland, and coincides with our celebration of 70years and bringing local residents together and welcome new residents. We will have a photographic exhibition of people places and services that have existed over the past 70 years. One of the features of the day will also be a 'chatty bench' where we shall invite local people to listen to stories of bygone days from local residents . We shall also use the space we have created that will hopefully be ready with wrap around tree tables and benches, a community gym and a sensory garden. We will also offer a space where local people can obtain advice and information on local events and services and ask what they like about living in the community what they think is needed. There will be activities for tots and toddlers with Jo Jingles and 'get active with carl' street game, mixed 5- aside football working in partnership with teh local FC. The whole day will be aimed at connecting people through fun activities and pop up events with a focus on 'loving living in Greenisland' premised on creating a sense of belonging and inclusion.	31/08/2024	£3,000.00	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	

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CFF24 A6BJ1748	Multi-day Festival	All Saints GAC, Ballymera	All Saints GAC 2024 Family Fun Weekend	The 2024 All Saint's GAC Family Fun Festival once again aims to prove a weekend of family themed activity for all members and non-members through the medium of Gaelic games, athletics and social activity. Activities will include Ulster GAA Blitz competitions in Gaelic football (boys and girls), as well as the very popular family quiz and family bingo and an evening of music and dance with local performers taking place. It is also planned that the 2024 Family Fun Festival will showcase the recently formed Dads & Lads team alongside the Mothers & Others team with a view to providing fun, entertainment and competition across all ages and for all members of the Club. A barbeque for members will take place on the Sunday of the Family Fun Weekend.	23/08/2024	£1,900.00	£2,000.00	£1,900.00	Requested more than event cost
CFF24 A6JJ1535	Single Day Festival	Glynn Community Group	Summer Blow Out	The festival which we are calling Summer Blow Out will be a community event for all residents of Glynn Village and surrounding areas. We intend to have entertainment for all ages and make this an occasion when family, friends and neighbours can come along and enjoy the atmosphere. There will be afternoon tea in the village hall from 12pm for those who wish to enjoy some music and 'Old Thyme Dancing' and outside in the Glynn Village school grounds we will have a BBQ, music and various inflatables for the children and young people to enjoy. The event will last 4-5 hours and will be organised by volunteers of Glynn Community Group and others who have offered to help out at this event.	24/08/2024	£1,383.00	£1,383.00	£1,383.00	

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CFF24 A6RN318	Single Day Festival	Seaview Integrated Primary School PTA	Seaview IPS PTA Tractor run and family fun day	A community day out in Glenarm. There will be the tractor road run which is approved with parades commission. Alongside we will have a family fun day and farmers style market. There will be music entertainment, dancing and inflatables for the children. As well as facepainting, glitter tattoos, local rural business stalls such as fruit and veg, Traybakes tea and coffee, farm equipment. We also will have food trucks for burgers, ice cream etc.	26/10/2024	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	
CFF24 A6RS334	Multi-day Festival	Ballykeel 2 & District Community Association	Mistletoe Magic Keelers	This 2 day festival will take place on the 13th and 14th December 2024 and will include an Outdoor Christmas Market and the Annual Community Evening Carol Service, which will engage the 2 local churches in the area and showcasing the community group within the area. The fun evening on the 13th December will involve crafting of reindeer food, fake snow and Christmas baubles to take home and the playing of old family favourite games, hot finger buffet and a visit and photograph with a very special couple - Mr and Mrs Claus. Families will be encouraged to bring with them a present to donate to our chosen charity, The Salvation Army Toy Appeal. The festival will be accompanied with an online Advent campaign commencing 01/12/2024 encouraging family participation and posting on social media. On the 14th December there will be a light lunch for all participating, a children's disco, a sensory room, messy play and make your own Christmas baubles arts and crafts and Santa's Grotto. Additionally residents will be able to purchase locally hand crafted Christmas gifts whilst enjoying some seasonal background music.	13/12/2024	£2,100.00	£2,100.00	£2,000.00	Max grant
						£25,563.17	£17,391.68	£16,511.76	

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A2CG2229	Public Liability Insurance	Greenisland Community Council	Insurance	Greenisland Community Council are a constituted group within the Greenisland estate. We assist our community with all aspects of community life and currently have several programmes running from our hall such as Strive Programme, Stars (alternatives restorative justice) programme, a community development worker from CCF, hens shed, men's shed, youth projects, projects involving the pcsp, NIHE sub office, regeneration group attended by councillors etc and also have citizen advice coming to attend a sub office also. We regularly hold family fun days for all of the community to attend and run several courses from our hall which tackle poverty, mental health, social isolation, housing issues. We are an inclusive and diverse group and will assist any member of our community regardless of their religious views, ethnic background, gender, age, disabilities and more.		£729.98	£300.00	£300.00	

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A2EI1881	Equipment	North Irish Dragoons Society	Essential Equipment	In order to provide an authentic living history experience, the group periodically needs to augment or replace worn out equipment. Also as the group grows it also needs to add to the range of display materials for historic interpretation. We have added new members who need to be equipped appropriately. The equipment, set out in this application will support the development of the groups activities to provide a high quality historic representation of our shared history. The group is currently deficient in a number of key areas of equipment to provide an authentic visitor experience when engaged in presenting the camp life of the soldiers of the late 17th and early 18th century. In order to lift the educational experience of the public who attend our events and educate as well as foster engagement we need to source and acquire a number of items of a specialised nature.	-	£1,350.00	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	
A2RS2474	Equipment	Ballykeel Youth Football Club	Equipment grant -	To provide football for all children of all ages and abilities regardless of gender, race or religion in a fun and safe environment. To promote good behaviour and respect for others. Promote the importance of teamwork. Play to win but not at the cost of development. To promote the club within the local community and football. This grant would be used to provide more equipment for our expanding age groups, so that the children can train with their individual age groups and abilities and have enough equipment for all members to train in different locations and on multi surfaces.	-	£1,129.75	£1,129.75	£847.31	

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A8MC2542	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Charmayne Milliken	Courage Kits	At Courage Kits, we understand that the journey through cancer treatment can feel like an enormous mountain to climb. Our mission is to provide comfort, care, and a sense of community to cancer warriors in Northern Ireland through thoughtfully curated kits. Each Courage Kit is designed to support patients during their treatment, filled with items that offer comfort and a touch of joy, reminding them they are not alone on this challenging path. Our Goals Immediate Comfort: Provide 50-100 Courage Kits to patients receiving treatment in Northern Ireland within the first 6 months of operation. Community Support: Establish partnerships with local business to help with donating items towards the production of the Courage Kits. Sustainable Growth: Launch a community-driven fundraising campaign to support the ongoing creation and distribution of Courage Kits, aiming to raise £2,000 in the first year.		£847.99	£847.99	£0.00	Project is ineligible through the category of grant.

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A8Q1340	Civic Representation	Ingrid Quinn on behalf of Skye-Leigh Haighton	National Cadet Championship (European Qualifiers)	Skye-Leigh will be representing Ulster again in the National cadet European qualifiers and will be travelling down to Dublin on Friday the 4th of may and then the following friday the 10th of may to compete in her 42kg weight category. Skye-Leigh will be travelling down as part of Evolution Boxing Club which is based in West street Carrickfergus along with Head coach Iain Mahood. It is a tremendous opportunity to be competing in the National stadium in Dublin for the second time this season and is a great opportunity to potentially qualify for the European Games. This season alone Skye has achieved 3 Antrim Titles an Ulster Title and became all Ireland Champion. She also represented Ulster in Sweden in February.	10th & 11th May 2024	£455.00	£455.00	£0.00	Ineligible retrospective application submitted on 19th June 2024 (after event took place).
A8LJ190	Civic Representation	Jason Leacock on behalf of Emilee Leacock	Northern Ireland International Football Player from Co. Antrim	Emilee has played and represented NI Team for the last 4 years, after completing in various international tournaments throughout the last few years -i.e. Lithuania etc, Emilee takes great pride in playing and supporting the international NI step of U15 group. After talking to other parents of different Boroughs i.e. Portadown etc, they had mentioned that their local Borough supports this task- Hotel/ Fuel expenditures also within this scheme. I've complied this on the basis of a summary review of :- Cost management review of previous Trip to Athlone, Hotel Parental stay cost to watch games plus - cost of fuel management- to and from to support Emilee representing NI Team Levels	24th March 2024	£260.00	£260.00	£0.00	Ineligible retrospective application submitted on 6th June 2024 (after event took place).

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A8FM1364	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Mark Fenton	Motorcycle Display Show for Air Ambulance	I wish to hold a Motorcycle display show to help raise funds for the Air Ambulance on the 29th and 30th of November 2024 at the Ballymena North Centre. The show will be open to the public on the Friday evening and all day Saturday who will see motorcycles of all classes on display. The public will pay in at the door and all proceeds will go the the Air Ambulance. I may have some trade stands too for people to purchase items. I aim to have bikes from across the province on show and I am aiming for visitors to be in the region of 1000 over the two days.	29th & 30th November 2024	£960.90	£960.90	£0.00	Ineligible project - Fundraising event.
CFF24 A6BC2447	Community Festivals Fund Multi-day Festival	Ahoghill Yew Tree Community Group	Halloween event	After the success of our event last year we are hoping to run one this year, but this year to include a wider range of age groups we plan to run the event over two days.The event will be held at Ahoghill Community Centre,First event will be similar to last years event aimed at families with children from babies to 10 years old approx. The event will include a disco, dress up parade, Best dressed Competition, Chocolate Apple Making, Arts and Crafts with tea/ coffee and snacks.Second Event will be aimed at older children in the community from 10 years and older (approx). To include a disco,Firework Display, Movie night, Firework Safety Talk. we would like to provide the youth with pizza and snacks for the evening.Our hope for the older children is to encourage them to enjoy Halloween safely and to have fun in a safe environment.	30th - 31st October 2024	£2,000.00	£2,000.00	£2,000.00	

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A2MA2993	Small Event	Ballymena & District Cage Bird Society	BALLYMENA & DISTRICT CAGE BIRD SOCIETY ANNUAL SHOW	BALLYMENA & DISTRICT CAGE BIRD SOCIETY WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL SHOW IN THE DR JOHN MCKELVEY COMMUNITY CENTRE CULLYBACKEY ON 16th NOVEMBER 2024.IT IS THE CLUB'S ASPIRATION TO GROW THE NUMBERS OF EXHIBITORS ON PREVIOUS YEARS BY PROVIDING A TOP QUALITY SHOW, HELPING TO ATTRACT ADDITIONAL EXHIBITORS FROM WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE COUNCIL AREA AND ALSO FROM THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND AS PREVIOUS YEARS.A QUALITY SHOW WILL ALSO BRING EXHIBITOR'S FAMILIES INTO THE COUNCIL AREA ON SHOW DAYS.THIS YEAR'S SHOW WILL BUILD ON LAST YEAR'S HISTORIC 80TH ANNIVERSARY EVENT, MOVING FORWARD THE CLUB'S AIM IS TO GROW THE SHOW NUMBERS YEAR ON YEAR.	16/11/2024	£1,013.20	£750.00	£750.00	
A2CA2241	New Community Project	Kirkinriola PTA	Fall Festival	The Fall Festival, scheduled for September, will be organised by the Kirkinriola PTA and held at Kirkinriola Primary School. While the PTA is spearheading the event, it is designed to be inclusive of the entire community, not just the school. The festival will offer a wide range of activities for all ages, including cultural storytelling, performances by local musicians, food stalls, inflatables, and, most importantly, opportunities for vulnerable members of our community to connect and interact. This event aims to bring people together, showcasing the positivity and strength of the Mid & East Antrim (MEA) community, particularly in supporting those who may have felt isolated over the summer months. By creating a welcoming and inclusive environment, we hope to celebrate our shared community spirit and foster stronger connections among all residents.	TBC	£1,340.00	£1,340.00	£0.00	PTAs are ineligible to apply to the Community Grants Scheme

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A2BC2509	Equipment	Carrickfergus Defenders Flute Band	Developing the Arts	The Carrickfergus Defenders Flute Band seeks funding to purchase three new flutes to support the expansion of its membership, particularly targeting young people in the community. This initiative will provide essential instruments to accommodate new members, enabling the band to continue its tradition while fostering musical skills and community engagement among local youth. By investing in these flutes, the band aims to create a welcoming environment for beginners, ensuring the continuation of its cultural heritage and encouraging the next generation to participate in this enriching musical experience. We have had a huge surge in demand, particularly from the younger generation who are keen to learn a new craft and we can provide expert facilitators to provide this.		£1,333.00	£1,000.00	£999.75	75% Funding
A2GD191	Small Event	Kells & Connor Community Improvement Association	Community Fun Day	The event is a celebration of our community and the involvement we have in it. The group have organised the event to cater for all age groups. The senior citizens will have refreshments with live entertainment and a community fun day for everyone. With Bouncy castles, facepainters, a dj and hot food. The youth club will be using the event as part of their leadership learning. The event enhances participation, involvement, and the creation of a sense of identity and importance, contributing to the social well-being of a community. To promote KCCIA, Local Business and Groups, Mid & East Antrim Council. The events organised create a greater sense of community spirit and pride and help KCCIA in our aims in providing a better future for all.	13/09/2024	£1,450.00	£1,087.50	£1,087.50	
A2GD2754	Equipment	Connor Football Club	Equipment Renewal	In football and all sports in general, the importance of equipment is paramount and extends beyond the surface level. It not only plays a critical role in boosting athletes' performance but also ensures their safety and adherence to the specific regulations governing the sport. The funding if successful will help the club purchase new equipment: Training balls, match balls, Resistance bands, fold up goals, water bottles, tackle bag, bibs, disc markers and cones. The new equipment will have the aim of improving the level of efficiency and safety of training and coaching and with this improvement hopefully the success of this community football club.		£1,338.52	£999.42	£999.42	

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A2LD2999	Public Liability Insurance	Ballymena Festival of Music Speech and Dance	Ballymena Festival of Music Speech and Dance 2025	Annual Arts festival of Music Speech & Dance held in the Braid theatre each year. Sections include Speech & Drama, Instrumental, Vocal, Traditional Music, Irish Dance & Modern Dance. Open sections are open to general entries with qualifying championships and overall award classes. Entries and visitors each year from across NI and also from ROI, UK mainland and Abroad. The project is needed to promote and develop the arts in Mid and East Antrim Borough and to promote the borough across the UK and Abroad. The festival also supports competitors by way of development bursaries so that contestants can have financial support to develop their discipline. Due to the large number of people attending the festival, as Adjudicators, Contestants and Spectators, businesses in Mid and East Antrim will benefit from increased trade. In particular hotels, cafes, restaurants, retailers and local tourist attractions will have increased visitor numbers and income		£400.00	£300.00	£300.00	
A2CG3045	Public Liability Insurance	Carrickfergus Cornerstone	Insurance	Insurance covers a group legally to operate covering trustees to provide a service to the public. Cornerstone is a substance abuse group who meet weekly to support people with addiction. They provide a service to Carrickfergus and surrounding area. One to one coaching, support group, and therapeutic activities at the allotment. Outings and visits to improve addiction and resilience amongst members. The group works closely with all relevant agencies for referrals and is based centrally in a community hub to ensure a natural venue free from stigma. The group also provides a extended service to families of its members.		£522.96	£300.00	£300.00	

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A2SJ2869	Public Liability Insurance	Good Morning Carrickfergus	Public Liability Insurance Support	It is imperative that we have sufficient public liability insurance to cover the equipment, staff, volunteers and clients of GMC in all aspect of service provision, both office related and activity related. Our office related activities include making daily phone calls, general office and finance support for the service. Activities resulting from these calls may necessitate additional calls to family, organisation of emergency shopping or home visits and support to attend healthcare appointments. All our newly referred clients receive a home visit to discuss the service in order to let them make an informed decision regarding their need or wish to receive the service. Our social events will include a bi-monthly or monthly men's breakfast, provided either in the church or as an outing to a local restaurant and a monthly ladies lunches provided in the church hall, normally with a speaker or activity included.		£573.99	£300.00	£300.00	
A2PL573	Public Liability Insurance	Larne area community support group (Larne community fridge and garden)	Larne Community Fridge, Garden and orchard - Public Liability Insurance	We provide a sharing space for food, produce, books, seeds, plants and conversation. We also have a chatty bench to reduce loneliness and are gradually becoming a more inclusive and accessible project. We appeal to all members of the community. The community fridge and garden are very successful. We provide food surplus, growing supports and more. The emphasis is on reducing, reusing and recycling with the addition of book library and seed library, and also provides a great safe space to spend time outdoors. The garden is sensory and has herbs, vegetables and fruits growing also. The projects are non means tested and available for all to enjoy.		£100.80	£100.80	£75.60	75% Funding

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A2MM2780	Village Christmas Lights	Glenravel & District Community & residents Association	Glenravel Christmas Lights	Glenravel Christmas Lights will provide local villages in the area with lights for Christmas period and we will wrap around Christmas Lights Switch on events for each village including Clough, Newtowncrommelin, Cargan and Martinstown. We require an engineer to repair old lights and install lights on Christmas trees and street lighting to brighten up village streets and bring festive colour during dark winter months. The lights are an attraction and local people enjoy seeing the streets brightened up for Christmas - it changes the mood and provides colour therapy for residents and commuters. We will host Christmas Light switch on events in each village once the lighting equipment is save and installed and have carol singing as well as a full festive programme to be enjoyed by all the villagers.		£2,925.00	£2,925.00	£2,250.00	Max Grant for 3 small villages
A2GM2822	Public Liability Insurance	Ballymena Lawn Tennis Club	Public Liability Insurance	We continue to obtain a competitive rate for our insurance which is due for renewal in October. It is mandatory for membership of Ulster Tennis. And of course, for Ballymena Academy to allow Ballymena Lawn Tennis Club to use their facilities, we have to have adequate insurance to ensure that all our players are covered for both playing at home and away matches. Our insurance covers all our senior players, junior players and coaches, although our Coaches have their own personal insurance for private coaching. We play at Ballymena Academy and a copy of our cover is sent to them annually and they are content with our cover, which we had to increase to meet with their conditions.		£620.00	£300.00	£300.00	

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A2GM2826	Equipment	Ballymena Lawn Tennis Club	Equipment	We really benefit from a range of tennis equipment which enhance, particularly, our junior players' skills. Small nets are essential for the younger players and we were fortunate to get some last year but the older ones are no longer usable. The equipment our Director of Coaching has requested would be beneficial for his coaching. We must provide new balls for senior and junior matches, 3 new balls required for each home match, for example mixed league we would need 12 new balls for each match. We are in several leagues throughout the year. Once these balls have been used for match play we keep them and use them for internal tournaments and for older junior practice. We would benefit from a new storage unit and as we do not have any shelter we would like a temporary gazebo for shelter and chairs for visiting players/parents to watch matches.		£1,335.00	£1,001.25	£1,000.00	Max Grant
A2MS2649	Equipment	Northend United Youth FC	First Competitive Steps	Northend United plan on increasing local community cohesion through implementing a 20-week Football Development Programme, "First Competitive Steps" targeting 25 marginalised children aged 10 to 12 years, which will run concurrently with the club's current range of activities. The programme will take place midweek at the Ballymena Showgrounds for its entire duration, commencing in September 2024. A range of our club volunteers will supervise the programme. Due to many vulnerable children in the targeted age groups not having participated in footballing activity before, Northend require additional footballs both for training and match play, poles, hurdles and miscellaneous items of equipment. These will add to existing equipment that Northend already has for its older teams, but is unsuitable or too large for the younger age groups.		£1,320.28	£990.00	£990.21	75% Funding

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A2RT2853	Small Event	Kilroot Heritage and Community Association	Kilroot Heritage and Community Association Community Garden Open Day	We are excited by the completion of our community garden project, made possible through a recent grant from the National Lottery. To celebrate this achievement, we invite everyone to join us for a special opening ceremony at Kilroot Orange Hall, where our association is based, on Saturday, 5 October 2024. The day will be filled with activities, including a performance by a band, Lambeg drums demonstration and a barbecue for all to enjoy. Throughout the day, there will be music and entertainment, and in the evening, we will continue the festivities with more entertainment. During the event, we will also be unveiling our mental health reflection benches and hosting a talk by a local mental health organisation on the importance of this new garden space for our community's well-being.	05/10/2024	£1,340.00	£1,340.00	£1,005.00	75% Funding
A2MW3096	Public Liability Insurance	Olderfleet Rowing Club	Winter Training	We seek to train through the winter with a view to increasing competition in 2025. We have attracted and seek to retain record numbers of new rowers, especially women and teenagers. Olderfleet Rowing Club are engaged in both competitive and social rowing for anyone aged 10 and up. They are affiliated to Rowing Ireland and compete in competitions across Ireland and potentially European or World Championships (when qualified). We have a strong community ethos. We are dedicated to the inclusion and development of young rowers as well as the continued support of masters rowers, with individuals rowing with our club well into their sixties. We operate cross-community and intergenerationally. We are committed to excellence in our sport and passionate about the mental and physical wellbeing that rowing can deliver.		£1,395.86	£300.00	£300.00	

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A8MA2768	Civic Representation	Amy McRandal	International Blackball Federation TAOM 2024 World Championships	The Under 15 team that I will be managing to represent Northern Ireland will participate in a series of competitive events at the international level. The team will engage in team, individual and doubles events, showcasing their skills and sportsmanship against other under 15 teams from various countries around the world. This project will take place in November 2024 in Maita, providing an excellent venue for this prestigious competition. This event is a significant opportunity for the Northern Ireland Under 15 team to compete on a global stage, allowing them to gain invaluable experience, develop their abilities and build international relationships through our sport. During this event I will have full parental responsibility for the team, ensuring their wellbeing both on and off the pool table. I will also be responsible for a range of safeguarding duties, ensuring all the team members are safe, supported and able to participate in the event.	02/11/2024	£980.00	£400.00	£400.00	
A8CA279	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Andrew Cochrane on behalf of Harvey Cochrane	Boxing Equipment	The project consists of the purchase of key pieces of equipment for Harvey Cochrane, a young boxer from Castle Boxing Club, Whitehead as he prepares for the upcoming championships, hoping for a clean sweep. The pieces of equipment will include boxing boots, gloves, hand wraps, groin guards as well as training kit and potentially nutrition. This aids in preparation for the championships and ensures he can replenish old and used equipment, allowing for maximum safety during training and the course of a bout, preventing injury from occurring. This will help to put him in the best possible condition, allowing for peak performance when it matters most. Success in the championships can lead to a number of benefits for both the boxer and the boxing club as a whole, with increased participation through inspired young people in the community.		£750.00	£750.00	£750.00	

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A8HB1733	Civic Representation	Barbara Hunter on behalf of Craig James Murtagh	Junior World Cup of Darts/Junior Open of Gibraltar/Luke Littler Legacy Open/Junior World Darts Championship.	The grant application seeks financial support for Craig Murtagh, a talented young darts player, to represent our local community and country at Junior darts World Cup in Gibraltar on November 25th-November 29th for Team Northern Ireland with teammates. Craig's participation showcases his exceptional skill and dedication and also promotes our local community on an international stage, fostering civic pride and inspiring youth engagement in sports. The primary objective of this project is to facilitate Craig's participation in the Junior Darts World Cup, covering travel, accommodation and related expenses. This funding will ensure he can compete without financial barriers, allowing him to focus on excelling in the tournament. Craig's presence at the JDC World Cup will highlight our community's commitment to nurturing young talent, promoting discipline, sportsmanship and perseverance, it will enhance the community's visibility and reputation internationally. It will also inspire other young people to pursue their sporting dreams.	25/11/2024	£929.82	£929.27	£400.00	Max Grant
A8HB2170	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Barbara Hunter on behalf of Craig James Murtagh	World darts Championships/Home Nations	The grant application seeks financial support for Craig Murtagh, a talented young darts player, to represent our local community and country at Junior darts World Cup in Gibraltar on November 25th-November 29th for Team Northern Ireland with teammates. Craig's participation showcases his exceptional skill and dedication and also promotes our local community on an international stage, fostering civic pride and inspiring youth engagement in sports. The primary objective of this project is to facilitate Craig's participation in the Junior Darts World Cup, covering travel, accommodation and related expenses. This funding will ensure he can compete without financial barriers, allowing him to focus on excelling in the tournament. Craig's presence at the JDC World Cup will highlight our community's commitment to nurturing young talent, promoting discipline, sportsmanship and perseverance, it will enhance the community's visibility and reputation internationally. It will also inspire other young people to pursue their sporting dreams.		£728.98	£728.98	£728.98	

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A8WD2957	Civic Representation	Derek Ward	World Disability Darts Association UK Home Nations Cup	Mens Individual Event where I personally will hope to go one better than last year where I was beaten finalist Day 3 - Mens Team events (Classic & Compris. Round Robin event and top 2 teams progress to final.) As Mens Team captain I will striving to lead the team to the final again to retain the trophy we won at last years event held in Antrim & to follow on from leading the team winning the European Cup in Torremolinos, Spain in April 2024. Day 4 - Finals Day (Mens Team Classic; Compris, Ladies Team.) All being well I will be hoping to be leading Northern Ireland to our 3rd consecutive Major Trophy.	17/10/2024	£594.00	£400.00	£400.00	
A8JJ2396	Civic Representation	Jonathan Jones on behalf of Alex Jones	Representative team Ireland ice Hockey U19s	Project runs from 25th October to 5th November 2024 in Vancouver Canada and consists of 3 training sessions and 5 games over the 10 days with host team North Shore Winter Club. Team Ireland has been invited to compete with Norshore Winter Club, The club has been in existence for 65 years and has produced a multiple of NHL professional league players. NSWC is recognised as a centre of excellence that has helped develop many talented hockey players over the years. Team Ireland will avail of the state of the art facilities, have sessions with the host club and development staff who bring a depth of knowledge and experience that is world leading.	25/10/2024	£672.44	£672.44	£400.00	Max Grant
A8JJ2656	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Jonathan Jones on behalf of Alex Jones	Vancouver U19tour	The project is an international ice hockey tour to Canada, specifically designed for a select group of under 19 athletes. The tour takes place 25th October for 10 days, aims to enhance the the participant's hockey skills, provide exposure to international competition and promote cultural exchange between the participants and Canadian communities. The project is being held at North Shore Winter Club which is based in Vancouver. The host team is NSWC and are facilitating 3 training sessions and 5 games. During the training sessions, the Irish National Team Under 19 coaches will collaborate with the experienced Canadian coaching staff to lead activities focusing on skills, skating, passing and games strategy. These will then be utilised in the series of 5 friendly matches building upon the existing foundations.		£757.90	£757.90	£750.00	Max Grant funding equipment

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A8NJ2992	Civic Representation	Jonathan Nelson	2024 World Blackball Pool Championships	Our team will travel to Malta to represent Northern Ireland at the 2024 International Blackball Federation (IBF) World Pool Championships. I will also be aware that I am also representing my Borough, Mid and East Antrim and will strive to compete fairly with pride. We will be competing against other Nations from around the World such as Australia, South Africa, England, Belgium, Scotland, Malta, Cyprus and more. Over 550 players from the different countries will participate with many more spectators over the duration of the event and we hope to bring some silverware back to these shores and to our Borough.	02/11/2024	£1,065.00	£1,065.00	£400.00	Max Grant
A8HL1702	Civic Representation	Leah Hughes on behalf of Alexander Hughes	Junior World Cup of Darts/Junior Open of Gibraltar/ Luke Littler Legacy Open/ Junior World Darts Championship	This grant application seeks financial support for Alex, a talented young darts player, to represent our community at the Junior Darts World Cup in Gibraltar. Alex's participation not only showcases his exceptional skill and dedication but also promotes our local community on an international stage, fostering civic pride and inspiring youth engagement in sports. The primary objective of this project is to facilitate Alex's participation in this covering travel, accommodation, and related expenses. This will ensure he can compete without financial barriers, allowing him to focus on excelling in this tournament. Alex's presence at the Junior Darts World Cup will: Highlight our community's commitment to nurturing young talent. Promote the values of discipline, sportsmanship, and perseverance. Enhance our community's visibility and reputation internationally. Inspire other young athletes to pursue their dreams and participate in sports.	25/11/2024	£860.47	£860.47	£400.00	Max Grant

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A8HL2643	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Leah Hughes on behalf of Alexander Hughes	Junior World Cup of Darts/Junior Open of Gibraltar/ Luke Littler Legacy Open/ Junior World Darts Championship	This grant application seeks financial support for Alex, a talented young darts player, to represent our community at the Junior Darts World Cup in Gibraltar. Alex's participation not only showcases his exceptional skill and dedication but also promotes our local community on an international stage, fostering civic pride and inspiring youth engagement in sports. The primary objective of this project is to facilitate Alex's participation in this covering travel, accommodation, and related expenses. This will ensure he can compete without financial barriers, allowing him to focus on excelling in this tournament. Alex's presence at the Junior Darts World Cup will: Highlight our community's commitment to nurturing young talent. Promote the values of discipline, sportsmanship, and perseverance. Enhance our community's visibility and reputation internationally. Inspire other young athletes to pursue their dreams and participate in sports.		£1,024.92	£1,024.92	£300.45	Funding towards eligible items for category, i.e. equipment for ongoing training.
A8MM2152	Civic Representation	Mark Magill	Clay pigeon shooting Home international	In this home international competition, the top competitors from all countries over the UK and Ireland come to compete to see who is the top country in their sport. The teams are made up of different categories, seniors, ladies, veterans, super veterans and juniors. The national shooting ground in Scotland will set up a shooting competition to test all the competitors from the UK and Ireland, we as competitors will arrive to the shooting ground on the Friday the 13th September and have a friendly practice together and then on Saturday the 14th main competition will begin lasting the whole day into the evening when a banquet and prize giving.	13/09/2024	£297.00	£297.00	£297.00	
A8WP2735	Civic Representation	PJ Whyte	ICTSC National Skeet Home International	The ICTSC National Skeet Home International will be hosted by Wales at Fauxdegla Shooting Grounds on the 23rd and 24th August 2024. The competition lasts 2 days and 150 targets are shot across these 2 days, 100 on the 23rd August and 50 on the 24th August. The Northern Ireland Team which I will be a part of consists of 3 Supervets, 3 Vets, 10 Seniors, 3 Juniors and 3 Ladies. At the National Skeet Home International other teams from England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland and Jersey will also compete. We, the Northern Ireland team hope to represent well in each category.	23/08/2024	£431.64	£431.64	£361.64	Funding for equipment is not eligible through this category

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A8WR2131	Civic Representation	Rachael Whyte	ICTSC NATIONAL SKEET HOME INTERNATIONAL	I will compete as part of the Northern Ireland National Skeet team at the ICTSC National Skeet Home International in Fauxdegla Shooting Ground Wales on the 23rd and 24th August 2024. It is a 2 day event which consists of 100 targets shot on the first day and 50 targets on the second day. Countries competing include England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Ireland and Jersey. The Northern Ireland Team consists of a 3 Juniors, 3 Ladies, 10 Seniors, 3 Vets and 3 Super-Vets, a Team Manager and a Team Captain. I will represent Northern Ireland and compete in the Ladies section of the event.	23/08/2024	£431.64	£431.64	£361.64	Funding for equipment is not eligible through this category
A8MW2620	Civic Representation	William McIlroy	2024 IBF World Blackball Pool Championships	The group will be representing Mid & East Antrim, and Northern Ireland on the International stage at the 2024 World Blackball Pool Championships. It takes place on the Island of Malta where we will compete with other Nations such as England, Australia, Scotland, Republic of Ireland, South Africa, Malta, Wales, Belgium and more. We will represent our country and local area with pride and hope to bring some silverware back to our shores. The event will be played to a Round Robin format followed by a Knock Out stage and we will be playing against some of the best cueists in the world.	02/11/2024	£736.48	£736.48	£400.00	Max Grant
CFF24 A6BC2697	Single Day Festival	Ulster Grenadiers Flute Band	Ulster Grenadiers 28th Anniversary Celebration	Ulster Grenadiers 28th Anniversary Celebration, is a festival of celebration for the band reaching the milestone of 28 successful years. This festival is about bringing together current and previous members together to reflect and celebrate the journey of the band. It is also an opportunity for the band to invite our friends from across the United Kingdom to foster and strengthen friendships in celebration. The celebration is also a chance to reconnect with older members who aren't able to full participate in marching bands activities to come and enjoy positive cultural expression as they previously would have. This celebration for many of the older members is the only opportunity in the year to engage with the culture they once use to enjoy daily. This is a massive factor for the band as we aim to reduce social isolation and promote positive cultural expression and positive mental health.	07/09/2024	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	

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CFF24 A6DC2601	Single Day Festival	Geraldines Camogie Club Portglenone	Geraldines Community Festival	Geraldines Community Festival will involve sport, dance, music, children's entertainment, and food to bring together families and friends in the local community of Portglenone. The festival will be delivered in partnership with Roger Casements GAC and Portglenone Riverside Community Association. The one day festival will incorporate all ages and will offer something for everyone. On Sunday 8th September a festival of camogie and football will take place covering U6-U12 players from 15 different clubs in Co Antrim & Derry. There will be a BBQ and entertainment for the children. During the day a range of local musicians and dancers will showcase their talents and entertain the crowd. The games will be followed by an afternoon of fun with children's entertainment, face painting, inflatables, bubble balls, and more. For the adults, Portglenone Townland Challenges will return involving a range of challenges to test the participants and their skill while having fun along the way.	08/09/2024	£2,900.00	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	
CFF24 A6MM2730	Single Day Festival	Glenravel & District Community & Residents Association	Happy Christmas Glenravel	Happy Christmas Glenravel will provide Christmas festivities over 4 villages in Glenravel Clough, Martinstown, Cargan and Newtowncrommelin. The Christmas gathering will see seasonal festivities for each village with the Big Christmas Light Switch with Santa Claus and Mrs Claus and the elves, carol singing and fun activities in the streets to delight all ages and cultures. This event will promote good relations between segregated villages and provide opportunities to integrate local people from all nationalities and cultures.	23/11/2024	£1,485.00	£1,485.00	£1,485.00	
						£33,153.90	£27,004.71	£21,492.19	

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A2BA2933	Medium Event	Mounthill Fair Society	Mounthill Fair	We will be hosting an all inclusive festival consisting of traditional horse & pony classes, sheep judging, pet show, vintage vehicles, displays and demos, poultry sale and a host of local entertainment, including Scottish and Irish music and plenty for the kids, inflatables, petting farms, donkey rides, colouring competition, welly boot throwing competition, face painting, glitter tattoos etc. We also have a selection of artisan food and craft stalls, vintage clubs, sheepdog demonstration, blacksmith demonstration and traditional wool spinning. We also have the support of our local bar and restaurant, Sixty Six who will be providing food and entertainment at the field.	05/10/2024	£ 2,595.00	£ 1,946.50	£ 1,245.00	Awarded shortfall between income and expenditure
A2SC3524	Small Event	Cullybackey Senior Citizens Club	Christmas Lunch	We wish to have Christmas lunch in Tullyglass Hotel on 18 December 2024. There will be up to 45 people attending this event. Many of our members are elderly and live on their own therefore this offers them an opportunity to come out, socialise and have fun for the Christmas season and encourage members out of isolation and have a warm meal in a comfortable setting as many face bleak winter. This helps combat loneliness for some people therefore improving mental health and wellbeing. The event allows people to make new friendships and build on old ones and exchange stories and memories from over the years.	18/12/2024	£ 1,080.00	£ 810.00	£ 810.00	

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ID	Grant Category	Name of Applicant	Project / Event Title	Project Summary	Event Date(s)	Cost	Amount Requested	Awarded Grant	Notes
A2SC3531	Public Liability Insurance	Cullybackey Senior Citizens Club	Public Liability Insurance	The Public Liability Insurance will cover all the activities undertaken by the group throughout the year. This will include our classes eg exercise, Lunches, Mental Health improvement sessions etc. It will also cover Coffee Mornings, Music Lessons, and light exercise classes. The insurance also covers trips away throughout the summer months.	-	£ 84.88	£ 63.66	£ 63.66	
A2MD3029	New Community Project	Roger Casements Portglenone LGFA	Roger Casements LGFA	Roger Casements LGFA is a brand new Gaelic Club setup in Portglenone in Mid East Antrim. The aim of the club is to provide Gaelic Football for Girls and ladies. Ages of 4 upwards. In 2025 we will be fielding teams for U12, U10, U8 and U6. In 2026 this will then include U14 and plan to add addition team as the age profile increases. In 2025 we estimate we will provide games for over 100 girls aged 12 and down and over 50 mothers. We will also be offering a "Mothers & Others" aspect to the club, this will involve women of all ages participating in social football.	-	£ 1,346.40	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	

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A2AH2589	Small Event	Buckna Sunshine Club	Buckna Sunshine Club's Dinner	In the month of March we meet in Buckna Church Hall from 1pm until 3pm although the hall is opened from 12.30pm for those who wish to come and have a chat beforehand. We have an individual quiz sheet left out on the tables so people have the opportunity to fill these in and have a chat with others. Instead of arranging for the group to have a Christmas dinner we provide a three course meal in March. An activity or game is also arranged .We have a sing along as singing is popular with the group who attend including those who have the onset of dementia so older songs are sung. Someone will come along and give a short talk at the end of the get together	06/03/2025	£ 1,200.00	£ 900.00	£ 900.00	

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A2AH2658	Other Distinctive Projects	Buckna Sunshine Club	Buckna Sunshine Club	We meet in Buckna Church Hall from September until March on the first Thursday of the month from 2pm until 3pm, although the hall is opened from 1.30pm for those who wish to come and have a chat beforehand. Tables and chairs are laid out as this makes it easier for people to complete quiz sheets, take part in the activities and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee with something to eat. At our December get together we have a Christmas afternoon tea. The quiz and activity is usually related to what the person is speaking about that afternoon. Singing is popular with the group who attend including those who have the onset of dementia so older songs are sung. Participants include a Foodbank volunteer, GP, musicians, local Primary School children and the Police.	03/10/2024	£ 910.00	£ 682.50	£ 682.50	

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A2SJ2443	Small Event	RAOB Princess Victoria 5050	100th Anniversary Dinner	This event is to mark the 100th Anniversary of the RAOB Lodges in the Larne area and to celebrate the activities and achievements of what has been done over the last 100 years. Showcasing the charitable work of the RAOB in Larne and what has been done. The dinner will invite local people along to join us in marking this milestone in the life of our Lodge. The evening will include a talk by local RAOB historian Mr. Billy Hall he will outline various aspects of what the organisation is all about both locally and wider afield, this will be informative and give a good understanding of all our activities.	26/10/2024	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,155.00	-	The application did not provide sufficient information in relation to the need, benefit and support of Council's Community Plan. The applicant can reapply providing more detail.

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A2BK3047	Small Event	Auld Toon Ulster Scots Society	EVENING OF ROBERT BURNS	A night to celebrate the life of Mr Robert Burns. The night will consist of a piper before the Addressing of the Haggis takesplace. We will then have some traditional Stew and Apple tart, accompanied by tea, coffee and tray bakes. After the supper is serviced we will have a range of ulster scots music. This event is open to all members of the community. Burns night in the Kells area and will hopefully attract people to the area as they will get an in-depth talk about Robert Burns and his links to Northern Ireland. This will also give people and insight into the ulster scots tradition and information as to who Robert Burns is and is open top all members of the community regardless of there age, religion and ethic.	24/01/2025	£ 1,500.80	£ 1,500.80	-	The application did not provide sufficient information in relation to the need, benefit and support of Council's Community Plan. The applicant can reapply providing more detail.

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ID	Grant Category	Name of Applicant	Project / Event Title	Project Summary	Event Date(s)	Cost	Amount Requested	Awarded Grant	Notes
A2RK3094	Small Event	Glenarm Village Committee	Glenarm Halloween Spooktacular	We will be holding a community event on Saturday 26th October in the newly restored Eglinton Yard and shed to celebrate the opening of his community space. This will be a 'Glenarm Halloween Spooktacular' open to all in the community and free to attend. The lead organiser will be Glenarm Village Committee who will be supported by other community members. We plan to include; Tractor Run - decorated and lit up with a Halloween Theme. Games and activities lead by Larne Football Club. Children's Fancy Dress competition. Food stalls. Face painting. Traditional games. Best dressed window competition in Glenarm village. Music performed by a local band 6-8pm. Fireworks to finish festivities.	26/10/2024	£ 2,500.00	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	
A2MR2700	Public Liability Insurance	Radio Cracker	Radio Cracker Christmas Broadcast	Each year Radio Cracker goes on air to broadcast music and Christian messages. We operate the radio broadcasts for four weeks in the run up to Christmas. Our studio will be based in the Fairhill Shopping Centre in Ballymena. We will broadcast music to the local community and further afield using FM radio broadcast and internet connection. We need public liability insurance to cover those who volunteer to operate the radio station during that time.	-	£ 1,729.07	£ 1,729.07	£ 300.00	Max Grant

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ID	Grant Category	Name of Applicant	Project / Event Title	Project Summary	Event Date(s)	Cost	Amount Requested	Awarded Grant	Notes
A2CT559	Development Projects and Training	WayMaker Child Therapy C.IC	Primitive Reflexes Training	Primitive reflexes are automatic movements that originate in the brainstem and are typically present at birth, aiding in the development of motor skills, sensory integration, and cognitive function. However, when these reflexes persist beyond infancy, they can hinder a child's development and learning abilities. Early identification and intervention are crucial for addressing these challenges. This training will enable our therapists to better identify, and address retained primitive reflexes in children from birth to 16, thereby improving their developmental outcomes and learning experiences. Our organisation has identified a significant need for specialised training in primitive reflex intervention. Many of the children referred to us exhibit developmental challenges associated with retained primitive reflexes, impacting their academic performance, social interactions, and overall well-being. Equipping our staff with this expertise is essential to provide the highest quality of support to these children.	18/09/2024	£ 1,280.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 960.00	75% of costs

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ID	Grant Category	Name of Applicant	Project / Event Title	Project Summary	Event Date(s)	Cost	Amount Requested	Awarded Grant	Notes
A8MD3051	Civic Representation	David Marcus	International Walking Football Invitational 2024	As part of the Over 70's NI Walking Football squad consisting of six players and three substitutes, I will be travelling to Birmingham on Friday 27th September. The International Walking Football 2024 Invitational Tournament will take place on Saturday 28th September and Sunday 29th September at The Valley Stadium, Redditch. We will be staying in a hotel for two nights and flying back to Belfast on the Sunday evening. Over the two days we will play matches, each lasting 25mins against other over 70 international teams from the UK and abroad. Myself and all of our squad feel great pride in playing for Northern Ireland and for having the opportunity to be able to represent our country with dignity and respect for the organisers and other participants. It is our intention to enjoy the experience, be competitive, and if possible, bring home the trophy.	27/09/2024	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	

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A8PG3251	Jonathan Rea Bursary	Gavin Pollard on behalf of Rory Pollard	RP campaign 24/25	The training sessions are generally on weekend per month. The competitions take place throughout the year and are generally all over Ireland and, with funding, can and have taken place throughout Europe. Rory has already qualified to take part in the ILCA Youth European championships in Belfast Lough. These particular events usually consist of over three hundred competitors. A typical National championships would have around 100 boats. Usually these championships are not only youth but senior sailors also. There are typically six International Laser Class Association events annually as well as six monthly training sessions. In house training takes place throughout the year and club points racing takes place throughout the year also.		£ 752.50	£ 750.00	£ 750.00	

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A8RJ3160	Civic Representation	Jim Rea	International Walking Football Club	I will be travelling to Birmingham on Friday 27th September as part of the over 60s NI Walking Football squad. The Invitational tournament will take place on Saturday 28th September and Sunday 29th September at the Valley Stadium, Redditch. We will be staying in a hotel for two nights and flying back to Belfast on Sunday evening. Over the two days we will play matches, each lasting 25 mins against other over 60s international teams from the UK and abroad. Myself and all of our squad feel great pride in playing for Northern Ireland and for having the opportunity to be able to represent our country with dignity and respect for the organisers and other participants. It is our intention to enjoy the experience, be competitive, and if possible, bring home the winners trophy.	27/09/2024	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	£ 400.00	

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CFF24 A6PG2689	Single Day Festival	Ahoghill Thistle Football Club	Community Fun Day	By ensuring wide advertisement of the event taking place including via social media, posters, word-of-mouth, newspaper press releases and linking with local church, doctor surgeries, referrals from our statutory/voluntary organisations, sports and community organisations within the area we will ensure maximum participation. Our events to date have been well attended and supported and through support from council we hope to facilitate more events, we envisage reaching out to audiences who may not have necessarily participated in any previous events which we have organised. The impact of this will be a community working in cohesive partnership to ensure a better and safer society for all and effectively reducing social isolation.	28/09/2024	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,500.00	Application was received before scheme closed, however required additional info before assessment.

£ 18,778.65 £ 15,337.53 £ 10,511.16

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Council/Committee:	Neighbourhoods and Communities
Date:	3 December 2024
Report Title:	Outcome of Bathing Water Season for MEA Beaches 2024
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Lisa Kirkwood, Outdoor Recreation Officer
Approver:	Philip Thompson, Director of Community

1. Purpose

- 1.1. This report is to update Elected Members on the recently announced Bathing Water results for the 2024 season.

2. Background

- 2.1. Since the Covid pandemic there has been a significant increase in open water swimming and cold-water dipping in the Borough. Council has successfully organised introduction to open water swimming courses (3), open water safety courses (2), drowning prevention day (1) and supported several other initiatives at its designated bathing waters, including Get Wet Stay Safe organized by Swim Ulster.
- 2.2. Within MEA there are a number of groups using the waters for health, well-being and social aspects, including the Ballygally Chili Dippers, Ballygally Flounders, with our bathing waters being regularly visited by other groups. Although the benefits of cold-water therapy are anecdotal at present, participants have stated that it has benefited them in a multitude of ways. Tackling social isolation, mental health issues and some physical conditions, such as, blood pressure improvements, reduction in cholesterol, muscle aches and fatigue.
- 2.3. Within Mid and East Antrim Borough there are 3 designated bathing waters (Ballygally, Brown's Bay and Carnlough) and 2 candidate bathing waters (Drain's Bay and Portmuck) under The Quality of Bathing Water Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008 (The Regulations).
- 2.4. Under the Regulations the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA), Marine and Fisheries Division, is required to test the water quality and assess the results against stringent microbiological standards to inform users at the sites. These standards are based on the recommendations from the World Health Organisation. This is carried out weekly from 1st June until mid-September each year.

- 2.5. Bathing Water Quality results are rated Excellent/ Good/ Satisfactory/ Temporary advice issued against bathing. When bathing water quality fails to meet a certain standard, NIEA carries out a pollution investigation to find a possible source of the contamination. Faecal pollution can arise from sewage outfalls, combined sewer overflows or from agricultural sources. The latter can be from various sources of pollution and can be difficult to control.
- 2.6. The Outdoor Recreation Officer acts as the Bathing Water Operator on behalf of Mid and East Antrim Borough Council. This is a requirement for bathing water sites to be accepted by the Department.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1. Ballygally Beach received two notifications of "Temporary Advice Issued Against Bathing", and one notification of same at Drain's Bay. When bathing is temporarily advised against, a notice must advise the public of the nature and expected duration of the pollution. DAERA continues to sample the bathing water in line with the monitoring calendar and informs Council when water quality improves.
- 3.2. The overall classification of a beach is based on a statistical assessment of Faecal Indicator Bacteria results from the last four years i.e. E. Coli. and Intestinal Enterococci. This explains why Ballygally beach retaining "Excellent" Water Quality classification despite the poor results on two occasions.
- 3.3. Carnlough and Portmuck beaches have improved from "Good Quality" in 2023 to "Excellent Quality" in 2024.
- 3.4. In 2024 temporary closure notices were displayed with physical signs at the beach and also with posts on the MEA Outdoors social media account. The notices must be displayed as soon as possible upon receiving the information from the Department. This is not always feasible with Council's Communications Department due to prior scheduling priorities or when a notice is received outside of normal operating hours.
- 3.5. DAERA also post information on their social media but again due to other pressures this is not always posted in a timely manner, and on occasion hasn't happened at all.
- 3.6. The Parks Development Team have always been supported by other Departments in displaying the weekly results at the beaches, which is a requirement under The Regulations, and in removing items from the beach and generally keeping the beaches and wider areas well maintained.



4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. Financial implications – as Council are now in the second year of candidate beaches at Drain's Bay and Portmuck code of conduct signs need to be installed at both, the estimated cost for this is £2200.
- 4.2. Human Resources – currently the Outdoor Recreation Officer manages the requirements of Bathing Water Operator role with support from Waste and Parks Operations staff.
- 4.3. Assets – Portmuck and Drain's Bay are already part of Council's portfolio of land.
- 4.4. Alignment with Corporate Priorities and Link to Corporate Plan – there has been an increase in swimmers at all the bathing water sites throughout the Borough, providing an important recreational resource, including groups who meet to swim/dip on a weekly basis. Ensuring our bathing waters continue to meet high standards and communication re any issues in water quality is delivered in a timely matter fits under the Planet and Place themes in the Corporate Plan.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1. Mid and East Antrim Borough Council continue to promote, maintain and further enhance our 5 bathing water sites.

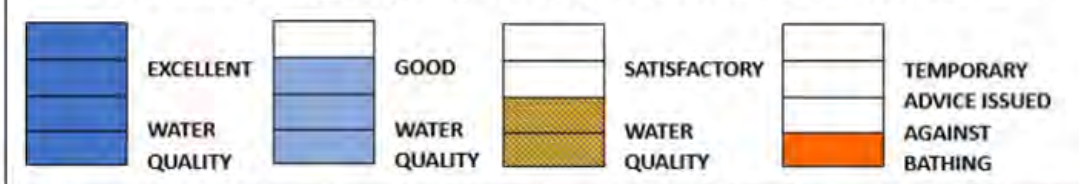
6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to: -

- 6.1. Note the update on the outcome of Bathing Water Season for MEA Beaches 2024.

7. Appendices / Links

Appendix 1 Antrim Coast 2024 Weekly Results



Identified Bathing Water	Blue Flag	28 th May	3 rd June	7 th June	13 th June	20 th June	26 th June	1 st July	9 th July	17 th July	19 th July	25 th July	30 th July	5 th Aug	9 th Aug	15 th Aug	23 rd Aug	28 th Aug	3 rd Sept	9 th Sept	12 th Sept	
Ballycastle		Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Waterfoot		Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Carnlough		Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Ballygally		Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Brown's Bay		Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Cushendall (candidate)		Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Drain's Bay (candidate)		Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Portmuck (candidate)		Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent

WEEKLY RESULTS : Individual sample results below 250 E.coli (EC)/100ml and 100 Intestinal Enterococci (IE)/100ml are typical of an **Excellent** classification. Results above these values, and up to 500 EC/100ml and 200IE/100ml, are typical of a **Good** or **Sufficient** classification. When E.coli levels exceed 1250/100ml **temporary advice against bathing** will be issued.



Council/Committee:	Neighbourhood and Communities
Date:	3 December 2024
Report Title:	Museum Collection Rationalisation Report – next phase
Publication Status:	Open
Author:	Laura Cowan, Strategic Tourism and Regeneration Manager
Approver:	Jonathan McGrandle, Acting Director of Development

1. Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval from Elected Members for the dispersal of poor condition, incomplete or domestic bygone artefacts currently held in Council's museum collection.

2. Background

- 2.1. The mission of Mid and East Antrim Museum and Heritage Service is to collect, preserve and interpret with our local communities the heritage of the Mid and East Antrim Borough, and to provide an accessible and enjoyable service relevant to diverse needs and interests.
- 2.2. Council museum collections develop through acquisition or acceptance of items on offer to the museums. A Rationalisation Plan for the museum collections was approved in June 2019 with the purpose of optimising Council resources in the care and management of the museum collections that it holds, to include ongoing storage needs.
- 2.3. Approved dispersal only takes place after the original donor of the artefact is contacted and given the opportunity to resume ownership of their donation. A time period of sixty days is allowed for their response. A series of previous reports recommending dispersal have been approved to date.

3. Key Issues for Consideration

- 3.1. Between 2019 and 2024 a series of reports have been presented recommending approval for dispersal of selected artefacts organised by thematic collecting area that scored under a threshold of 51. The score was derived using a matrix developed for archeological collections by University College London and takes into account each artefacts condition along with their interpretative and educational value.
- 3.2. It is important to note that all of this material was acquired before the museums were operating to professionally recognised standards, and where

subsequently the items under review would not have been recommended to be accepted by Council.

3.3. Previous reports have recommended dispersal for artefacts organised within the following thematic areas:

- those that are hazardous and beyond economic repair;
- textiles and costume;
- and most recently, in 2023, rural life artefacts.

Artefacts that were scored as hazardous and beyond economic repair have been disposed of. A selection of textile costume and decorative pieces in poor condition have been offered to local drama societies and some items have been transferred to Larne Drama Circle. A majority of the textiles will be recycled through their use in a series of textile-based workshops with local groups in 2025.

3.4. Rural life artefacts that were agreed for dispersal at the 23 October 2023 Neighbourhood and Communities Committee have been offered back to their donors between January – March 2024. As an outcome of this process, none have been requested to be returned. The relevant artefacts are currently on offer to Broughshane Museum and will be offered to Tenth Glen Heritage Farms near Martinstown. To date an expression of interest has been made by Broughshane Museum in acquiring a horse collar. An approach has also been made to Garvagh Museum further to an expression of interest.

3.5. Domestic bygonies is the final collections review thematic area recommended in the Rationalisation Plan. Artefacts in this category were identified and a scoring exercise was carried out by the museum team between May and September 2024.

3.6. The outcome of scoring for domestic bygonies is presented for each of Council's three museums: Carrickfergus Museum (including material from Andrew Jackson Cottage), Larne Museum and Mid-Antrim Museum, Ballymena. Details are contained in **Appendices 1 – 3**.

3.6.1. Carrickfergus Museum and Andrew Jackson Cottage

A total of 73 items (including sets of items) were scored, with a total of 53 items scoring 51 or below and therefore recommended for dispersal.

3.6.2. Larne Museum

A total of 79 items (including sets of items) were scored, with a total of 58 items scoring 51 or below and therefore recommended for dispersal.

3.6.3. Mid-Antrim Museum, Ballymena

A total of 118 items (including sets of items) were scored, with a total of 52 items scoring 51 or below and therefore recommended for dispersal.

All of these items scored 51 or below (see attached **Appendix 1 – 3**) due to lack of provenance, duplication, collected outside the Mid and East Antrim area and, or they are in poor condition and beyond economic repair being broken or glaze badly cracked or rusted.

- 3.7. Identified domestic bygones can be offered for return to donors, allowing a sixty-day period for a response between March – April 2025.
- 3.8. Artefacts which are not accepted back by donor are recommended to be repurposed for community use, including being used in arts and heritage workshops with the public, school groups, and local drama groups. Some other items will be offered back to original donor or may be repurposed for use at Andrew Jackson Cottage or Arthur Cottage. Other residual items will be offered to Broughshane Museum, Garvagh Museum, Tenth Glen Heritage Farms or vintage style cafes in the Mid and East Antrim area.
- 3.9. Any items that are not dispersed in this way are recommended for disposal by the Council's waste department.

4. General Considerations / Implications

- 4.1. Financial implications; the items are being offered back to donors and then to other museums or heritage venues. Any ongoing costs for care of the items will end and the new owners will be encouraged to collect the items they have accepted.
- 4.2. Links to the new Corporate Plan 2024 – 2028 ambition for Place:

By 2028, Mid and East Antrim will be widely recognised as an ideal place to live, visit, work and do business. We will have vibrant, clean, and harmonious shared spaces, designed to showcase our natural, and built, heritage and assets. Our tourism offering will be filled with diversity and richness of culture, history, and heritage, attracting visitors on a global scale. Businesses, new and existing, will have the required support to grow and prosper, leading to an economically innovative and sustainable borough, offering stable employment, inclusive growth and an ideal place to invest.

To achieve this, we will:

- Help drive sustainable economic growth by promoting the Borough as a leading visitor and cultural destination, utilising our natural, and built, heritage and assets.

5. Proposed Way Forward

- 5.1. Officers propose that the recommendations of the museum team are followed in terms of dispersal of the selected domestic bygone artefacts from the Council's Museum collections, as detailed in the report.

6. Recommendation or Decision

Elected Members are asked to approve:

- 6.1. Donors of domestic bygone artefacts identified for dispersal will be contacted and given up to sixty days to agree and arrange return of their donation if they wish to do so.
- 6.2. Where artefacts are not accepted back by donors they will be repurposed for community use.
- 6.3. All remaining identified artefacts, including those in poor condition and beyond economic repair, which cannot be given to a new owner, should be destroyed by the Council's waste department.

7. Appendices/ Links

Appendix 1 – Domestic Bygones recommended for dispersal from Carrickfergus Museum and Andrew Jackson Cottage.






Appendix 2 – Domestic Bygones recommended for dispersal from Larne Museum.








Appendix 3 – Domestic Bygones recommended for dispersal from Mid-Antrim Museum, Ballymena.








Mid and East Antrim Museum & Heritage Service Collections Review Recording Form - Carrickfergus Museum and Andrew Jackson Cottage - Domestic Bygones Phase







Review date: September - October 2024







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1		Collection store; box 16; shelf K1	Gas Lamp	MSMAC 2015:475 (1-2)	1	20	13	13	13	10	69	HJ	26/09/24
2		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:390	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
3		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:391	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
4		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:392	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
5		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:393	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24








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6		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:394	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
7		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:395	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
8		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:396	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
9		Collection store; box 5; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:397	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	26/09/24
10		Collection store; box 14; shelf K1	Glass conical flask	MSMAC 2015:458	1	20	18	9	13	10	70	HJ	03/10/24
11		Collection store; Box 3; Shelf J1	Bottle neck	MSMAC:2015:424	1	7	6	6	8	5	32	HJ	10/10/24
12		Collection store; box 3; shelf J1	Glass medicine bottle	MSMAC 2015:423	1	20	14	10	13	10	67	HJ	10/10/24








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13		Collection store; Box 54; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:198.1	1	15	13	10	15	10	63	HJ	10/10/24
14		Collection store; Box 54; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:198.2	1	15	13	10	15	10	63	HJ	
15		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:139	1	7	6	10	9	7	39	HJ	
16		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:148	1	7	10	10	12	8	47	HJ	
17		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:151.1	1	7	10	10	15	8	50	HJ	
18		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:151.2	1	7	10	10	12	8	47	HJ	
19		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:153	1	10	10	10	12	8	50	HJ	








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20		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:152	1	7	10	10	15	8	50	HJ	
21		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:147	1	7	10	10	10	5	42	HJ	
22		Collection store; Box 53; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:154	1	7	10	10	10	6	43	HJ	
23		Collection store; Box 54; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:155	1	7	10	10	10	6	43	HJ	
24		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:141	1	7	10	12	12	8	49	HJ	
25		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:138	1	7	10	10	15	10	52	HJ	







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26		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Ceramic	MSMAC 2016:162	1	10	6	7	6	6	35	HJ	
27		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:142	1	7	5	7	8	5	32	HJ	
28		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:143	1	7	10	12	12	8	49	HJ	
29		Collection store; Box 50; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:140	1	10	10	12	13	10	55	HJ	
30		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:149 (1-2)	1	7	10	10	12	8	47	HJ	
31		Collection store; Box 55; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:150	1	7	10	10	12	8	47	HJ	








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32		Collection store; Box 52; Shelf M43	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:156.1	1	17	12	10	13	10	62	HJ	10/10/24
33		Collection store; Box 52; Shelf M43	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:156.2	1	17	12	10	13	10	62	HJ	10/10/24
34		Collection store; Box 49; Shelf M32	Cake stand	MSMAC 2016:123	1	7	7	9	13	10	46	HJ	10/10/24
35		Collection store; Box 49; Shelf M32	Cake stand	MSMAC 2016:124	1	7	7	9	13	10	46	HJ	10/10/24
36		Collection store; Box 51; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:144 (1-19)	19	1	6	5	15	8	35	HJ	
37		Collection store; Box 51; Shelf M3	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:145 (1-4)	2	1	6	5	15	10	37	HJ	
38		Collection store; Box 51; Shelf M3	Glass	MSMAC 2016:146	1	1	6	5	15	10	37	HJ	


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39		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Glass	MSMAC 2016:158	1	10	15	10	15	10	60	HJ	
40		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Ceramic	MSMAC 2016:161	1	10	10	9	15	10	54	HJ	10/10/24
41		Collection store; loose; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2016:164	1	7	5	6	8	8	34	HJ	
42		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Bellows	MSMAC 2016:199	1	15	15	10	12	10	62	HJ	10/10/24
43		Collection store; Loose; Shelf K1	Milk bottle	MSMAC 2018:01	1	20	23	9	15	10	77	HJ	
44		Collection store; Box 14; Shelf K1	Milk bottle	MSMAC 2010:20	1	20	23	9	15	10	77	HJ	
45		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:01	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	

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46		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:02	1	7	12	10	15	8	52	HJ	
47		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:03	1	15	10	10	15	8	58	HJ	
48		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:04	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	
49		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:05	1	1	4	4	3	5	17	HJ	
50		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:06	1	1	4	4	3	5	17	HJ	
51		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:07	1	1	4	4	3	5	17	HJ	
52		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:08	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	

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53		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:09	1	15	5	5	1	3	29	HJ	
54		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:10	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	
55		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:11	1	1	4	4	3	5	17	HJ	
56		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:12	1	1	10	10	15	8	44	HJ	
57		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:13	1	1	10	10	13	8	42	HJ	
58		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:14	1	1	10	10	13	8	42	HJ	
59		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:15	1	1	4	4	3	5	17	HJ	

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60		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:16	1	1	10	10	13	8	42	HJ	
61		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:17	1	1	10	10	13	8	42	HJ	
62		Collection store; Box 58; Shelf J1	Small glass bottle	MSMAC 2017:18	1	7	10	12	15	8	52	HJ	
63		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:19	1	1	3	3	3	3	13	HJ	
64		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:20	1	1	3	5	3	3	15	HJ	
65		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:21	1	7	10	5	10	8	40	HJ	









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66		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:22	1	7	10	6	8	8	39	HJ	
67		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:23	1	1	3	3	3	3	13	HJ	
68		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:24	1	7	3	3	3	3	19	HJ	
69		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:25	1	7	1	1	3	3	15	HJ	
70		Collection store; Box 57; Shelf M4	Crockery	MSMAC 2017:26	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	HJ	
71		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Stoneware	MSMAC:2016:163	1	10	12	9	13	10	54	HJ	
72		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Chamber pot	MSMAC:2016:160	1	10	12	10	12	10	54	HJ	






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73		Collection store; Box 56; Shelf M4	Bed pan	MSMAC:2016:159	1	17	13	10	15	10	65	HJ	
No. items for dispersal											53		









Mid and East Antrim Museum & Heritage Service Collections Review Recording Form - Larne Museum - Domestic Bygones Phase


Review date: September - October 2024










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1		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ladle	T160	1	7	1	1	4	5	18	HJ	25/09/24
2		Museum store; Bay B; Shelf 5; Box 61	Dish	T481	1	7	6	6	9	6	34	HJ	25/09/24
3		Museum store; Bay B; Shelf 5; Box 61	Dish		1	10	8	8	10	10	46	HJ	25/09/24
4	 	Museum store; Bay D; Shelf; Box Disposal	Box		2	10	5	5	5	5	30	HJ	25/09/24
5	 	Museum store; Bay D; Shelf 0; Box 174	Teacup		1	7	6	6	5	5	29	HJ	25/09/24
6		Museum store; Bay D; Shelf 0; Box 174	Saucer		1	7	6	6	10	8	37	HJ	25/09/24









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7		Museum store; Bay D; Shelf 0; Box 174	Sideplate		1	7	6	6	10	8	37	HJ	25/09/24
8		Museum store; Bay A; Shelf 2; Box 1	Horse Brass	MSMAL:2004.108	1	6	7	9	15	10	47	HJ	25/09/24
9		Museum store; Bay A; Shelf 2; Box 1	Horse Brass	MSMAL:2004.106	1	10	9	9	15	10	53	HJ	25/09/24
10		Museum store; Bay A; Shelf 2; Box 1	Horse Brass	MSMAL:2004.109	1	10	13	9	15	10	57	HJ	25/09/24
11		Museum store; Bay A; Shelf 2; Box 1	Horse Brass	MSMAL:2004.107	1	10	8	9	15	10	52	HJ	25/09/24









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12		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink well	T155	1	10	9	9	9	5	42	HJ	25/09/24
13		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink well	MSMAL:2006:135	1	10	9	9	9	5	42	HJ	25/09/24
14		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink well	T153	1	10	9	10	15	10	54	HJ	25/09/24
15		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink jar	T152	1	10	6	5	7	5	33	HJ	25/09/24
16		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink well	T156	1	10	10	10	14	8	52	HJ	09/10/24
17		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Ink Jar	T157	1	10	10	10	14	8	52	HJ	09/10/24
18		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Cheese cover	T123	1	10	9	10	13	10	52	HJ	09/10/24
19		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Tea pot	T126	2	10	9	10	13	10	52	HJ	09/10/24










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20		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Glass lids	T164 (1-3)	3	10	7	8	8	5	38	HJ	09/10/24
21		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Glass inkwell	T165	1	9	8	10	15	10	52	HJ	09/10/24
22		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Bottle	T166	1	10	10	10	14	10	54	HJ	09/10/24
23		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Money box	T170	1	15	12	10	15	10	62	HJ	09/10/24
24		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Cake stand	T187	1	10	8	10	14	10	52	HJ	09/10/24
25		Museum store; Bay C; Shelf 2; box 135	Mustard pot	T188	1	10	8	10	12	8	48	HJ	09/10/24
26		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 56	Oil lamp	T681	1	10	10	7	8	6	41	HJ	02/10/24







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27		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Pot with lid	T707	2	5	5	5	4	4	23	HJ	02/10/24
28		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Milk jug	T712	1	1	6	6	8	8	29	HJ	02/10/24
29		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Moustache cup	T719	1	1	6	6	6	4	23	HJ	02/10/24
30		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Enamel mug	T714	1	1	6	6	10	9	32	HJ	02/10/24
31		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Cup	T717	1	7	6	10	12	10	45	HJ	02/10/24
32		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Pot	T710	1	7	6	9	13	10	45	HJ	02/10/24
33		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Cups	T715	2	7	6	10	13	10	46	HJ	02/10/24
34		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Biscuit barrel	T740	2	7	6	9	10	10	42	HJ	02/10/24
35		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Moustache cup	T718	1	12	13	10	13	9	57	HJ	02/10/24






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36		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Mustard pot	T709	1	10	10	10	12	10	52	HJ	02/10/24
37		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Lamp globe	T743	1	6	5	5	9	5	30	HJ	02/10/24
38		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Mustard pot	T742	2	5	5	5	3	3	21	HJ	02/10/24
39		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Salt dish	T741	1	5	6	6	9	3	29	HJ	02/10/24
40		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Spoon	T743	1	5	6	6	9	3	29	HJ	02/10/24
41		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Collander	T739	1	7	6	10	10	8	41	HJ	02/10/24
42		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Bowl	T738	1	5	6	8	9	9	37	HJ	02/10/24
43		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Bowl	T737	1	10	6	7	6	6	35	HJ	02/10/24

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44		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Ricer	T745	1	10	7	10	10	10	47	HJ	02/10/24
45		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 65	Tea set	T735	9	7	6	8	12	5	38	HJ	10/10/24
46		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x side plates	T723	2	7	6	8	12	6	39	HJ	10/10/24
47		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	4 x side plates	T726	4	7	6	8	12	6	39	HJ	10/10/24
48		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	7 side plates	T725	7	7	6	8	12	6	39	HJ	10/10/24
49		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Plate	T722	1	7	6	8	11	8	40	HJ	10/10/24
50		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	3 x dinner plates	T724	3	7	6	8	11	7	39	HJ	10/10/24
51		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Cup	T736	1	7	7	8	13	10	45	HJ	10/10/24

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52		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x egg cups	T734	2	7	6	7	10	8	38	HJ	10/10/24
53		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Jug	T729	1	7	8	10	10	10	45	HJ	10/10/24
54		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x Sugar bowls	T704	2	7	6	8	13	10	44	HJ	10/10/24
55		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x plates	T732	2	7	6	6	9	6	34	HJ	10/10/24
56		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	3 x cups	T727	3	7	6	8	11	8	40	HJ	10/10/24
57		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x glasses	T728	2	1	5	5	9	8	28	HJ	10/10/24
58		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x ashtrays	T703	2	5	5	5	13	10	38	HJ	10/10/24
59		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Plate	T731	2	7	5	5	6	5	28	HJ	10/10/24

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60		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	2 x bowls	T721	2	6	5	4	4	6	25	HJ	10/10/24
61		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Serving dish	T730	1	7	6	6	7	5	31	HJ	10/10/24
62		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 66	Serving dish	T733	1	7	6	6	9	6	34	HJ	10/10/24
63		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Sieve	MSMAL.2001.88	1	15	9	9	9	10	52	HJ	10/10/24
64		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Mixing bowl	MSMAL.2000.40	1	10	9	9	12	8	48	HJ	10/10/24
65		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Wash Bowl	T756	1	15	10	10	12	8	55	HJ	10/10/24
66		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Pot menders	MSMAL.2003.64	1	15	13	9	15	10	62	HJ	10/10/24
67		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Jam pot covers	MSMAL.2003.65	1	15	13	9	15	10	62	HJ	10/10/24
68		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Grater	MSMAL.2003.61	1	15	10	9	10	9	53	HJ	10/10/24










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69		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Bath brick	MSMAL.2003.62	1	15	13	9	12	10	59	HJ	10/10/24
70		Offsite store; Bay B; Box 70	Rolling pin	MSMAL.2003.53	1	10	10	9	12	8	49	HJ	10/10/24
71		Offsite store	Framed paper		1	1	5	5	4	6	21	HJ	02/10/24
72		Offsite store	Frame		1	7	6	6	6	5	30	HJ	02/10/24
73		Offsite store	Frame		1	6	6	6	6	5	29	HJ	02/10/24
74		Offsite store	Frame		1	1	1	1	3	5	11	HJ	02/10/24










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75		Offsite store	Frame		1	1	1	1	3	5	11	HJ	02/10/24
76		Offsite store	Frame		1	1	1	1	3	5	11	HJ	02/10/24
77		Offsite store	Treadle sewing machine		1	10	12	9	12	8	51		
78		Offsite store	Treadle sewing machine		1	15	12	9	12	8	56		
79		Offsite store	Treadle sewing machine table		1	10	10	9	9	5	43		
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1		Collection store, Box 43, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Darning mushroom	MSMAB2014 .84.1	1	15	12	10	11	10	58	RKC	7.5.2024
2		Collection store, Box 43, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Darning mushroom	MSMAB2014 .84.2	1	15	12	10	12	10	59	RKC	7.5.2024
3		Collection store, Box 43, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Darning mushroom	MSMAB2015 .488	1	15	7	10	10	8	50	RKC	7.5.2024
4		Collection store, Box 14, Bay 4, Shelf 5	OXO cube tin	MSMAB2001 .392	1	17	12	10	11	10	60	RKC	7.5.2024
5		Collection store, Box 14, Bay 4, Shelf 5	OXO cube tin	MSMAB2006 .30	1	15	7	10	11	10	53	RKC	7.5.2024
6		Collection store, Bay 17, Drawer 1	Wet battery	MSMAB2012 .90	1	15	8	6	5	6	40	RKC	7.5.2024
7		Collection store, Bay 17, Drawer 1	Wet battery	MSMAB2012 .91	1	15	12	8	9	8	52	RKC	7.5.2024
8		Collection store, Bay 17, Drawer 1	Wet battery	MSMAB2012 .92	1	15	12	8	9	8	52	RKC	7.5.2024
9		Collection store, Free, Bay 18, Shelf 5	Hot water bottle	MSMAB2001 .67	1	15	15	13	13	10	66	RKC	7.5.2024










10		Collection store, Free, Bay 18, Shelf 5	Hot water bottle	MSMAB2014 .78	1	15	12	10	13	10	60	RKC	7.5.2024
11		Collection store, Free, Bay 18, Shelf 5	Hot water bottle	MSMAB2016 .47	1	15	12	10	13	10	60	RKC	7.5.2024
12		Collection store, Box 26, Bay 11, Shelf 6	Washing beetle	MSMAB2005 .180	1	7	6	9	7	10	39	RKC	7.5.2024
13		Collection store, Box 26, Bay 11, Shelf 6	Washing beetle	MSMAB2014 .86	1	15	12	10	11	10	58	RKC	7.5.2024
14		Collection store, Box 27, Bay 11, Shelf 1	Washing beetle	MSMAB2014 .124	1	15	12	10	12	10	59	RKC	7.5.2024
15		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .162	1	17	10	9	8	8	52	RKC	7.5.2024
16		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .163	1	17	6	9	6	6	44	RKC	7.5.2024
17		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .164	1	17	10	9	8	8	52	RKC	7.5.2024
18		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .165	1	17	10	9	7	7	50	RKC	7.5.2024









19		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .166	1	17	10	9	8	8	52	RKC	7.5.2024
20		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Rushlight holder	MSMAB2016 .167	1	17	10	9	7	7	50	RKC	7.5.2024
21		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 1	Wooden washboard	MSMAB2002 .278	1	15	12	9	12	10	58	RKC	7.5.2024
22		Collection store, Free, Bay 25, Shelf 3	Metal washboard	MSMAB2013 .170	1	15	12	9	14	10	60	RKC	7.5.2024
23		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 1	Wooden washboard	MSMAB2015 .501	1	15	6	6	7	6	40	RKC	7.5.2024
24		Collection store, Free, Bay 25, Shelf 3	Metal washboard	MSMAB2016 .546	1	17	12	9	8	10	56	RKC	7.5.2024
25		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 1	Wooden washboard	MSMAB2018 .235	1	15	12	9	8	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
26		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 5	Fireside Tongs	MSMAB2014 .242	1	14	9	9	8	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024








27		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 5	Fireside Tongs	MSMAB2016 .562	1	15	9	9	10	10	53	RKC	7.5.2024
28		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 5	Fireside Tongs	MSMAB2016 .679	1	15	9	9	9	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
29		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 3	Domestic gas poker	MSMAB2016 .637	1	15	13	13	14	10	65	RKC	7.5.2024
30		Collection store, Box 170, Bay 3, Shelf 1	Domestic gas poker (comes with pipe)	MSMAB2016 .866.1	2	15	9	8	8	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
31		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Wilkinson Sword razor set	MSMAB2001 .131	4	18	12	9	13	10	62	RKC	7.5.2024
32		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Cut-throat razor set	MSMAB2005 .11	4	15	10	7	13	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024
33		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Cut-throat razor set	MSMAB2014 .272	2	17	6	6	8	8	45	RKC	7.5.2024
34		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	'Ever-Ready' safety razor, in case	MSMAB2015 .440	3	15	10	9	15	10	59	RKC	7.5.2024








35		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	'Rolls Imperial No 2 Razor' in original box	MSMAB2016 .738	2	15	10	9	13	10	57	RKC	7.5.2024
36		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	'Rolls Imperial No 2 Razor' in original box	MSMAB2016 .739	4	15	10	9	10	6	50	RKC	7.5.2024
37		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Cut-throat razor in case	MSMAB2018 .216	3	21	12	8	13	8	62	RKC	7.5.2024
38		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Cronn Imperial cut-throat razor in box	MSMAB2023 .184	3	15	10	8	9	8	50	RKC	7.5.2024
39		Collection store, Box 38, Bay 12, Shelf 5	Gillette 3 hole razor blade, in original wrapper	T773	1	15	10	9	13	10	57	RKC	7.5.2024
40		Collection store, Box 31, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Carbide bicycle lamp	MSMAB2001 .35	1	15	9	8	9	8	49	RKC	7.5.2024
41		Collection store, Box 31, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Carbide bicycle lamp	MSMAB2005 .179	1	15	9	9	12	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024









42		Collection store, Box 31, Bay 4, Shelf 1	'The Revenge' Carbide bicycle lamp	MSMAB2012 .93	1	15	9	9	12	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024
43		Collection store, Box 31, Bay 4, Shelf 1	'Lucas Luminator' Carbide bicycle lamp	MSMAB2012 .94	1	15	9	9	9	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
44		Collection store, Free, Bay 4, Shelf 4	'Harper Beatrice' mincer in box	MSMAB2016 .101	11	16	13	8	13	10	60	RKC	7.5.2024
45		Collection store, Box 118, Bay 28, Shelf 1	Plastic mincer	MSMAB2022 .319	1	12	8	7	12	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024
46		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	'Harper Limpet' Metal mincer	MSMAB2023 .140	6	14	12	8	10	6	50	RKC	7.5.2024
47		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	'Spong 99' Metal mincer	T1906	1	15	11	8	12	10	56	RKC	7.5.2024
48		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Metal mincer	T3778	1	15	11	8	11	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024






49		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 4	Metal beetle	MSMAB2001 .365	1	15	19	10	13	10	67	RKC	7.5.2024
50		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 5	Metal beetle	MSMAB2016 .19	1	15	7	6	11	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024
51		Collection store, Box 35, Bay 2, Shelf 1	Potato masher	MSMAB2005 .160	1	15	6	6	9	10	46	RKC	7.5.2024
52		Collection store, Box 35, Bay 2, Shelf 1	Potato masher	T3765	1	10	12	8	10	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
53		Collection store, Box 33, Bay 4, Shelf 1	Potato masher	T3765	1	15	12	8	10	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024
54		Collection store, Free, Bay 23, Shelf 5	Fireside shovel	MSMAB2016 .561	1	15	10	7	9	9	50	RKC	7.5.2024
55		Collection store, Free, Bay 25, Shelf 1	Fireside shovel. Paired with T1805	T1804	1	15	12	8	13	10	58	RKC	7.5.2024
56		Collection store, Bay 20, Shelf 3	Serving plate. Broken	MSMAB2001 .221	1	17	2	2	5	6	32	RKC	7.5.2024
57		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Dinner plate	MSMAB2014 .198	1	17	6	8	9	8	48	RKC	7.5.2024

58		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Dinner plate	MSMAB2014 .199	1	17	6	8	9	8	48	RKC	7.5.2024
59		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Dinner plate	MSMAB2014 .200	1	17	7	9	11	9	53	RKC	7.5.2024
60		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Set of 12 plates	MSMAB2014 .197	12	17	12	9	13	10	61	RKC	7.5.2024
61		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Ceramic baking bowl	MSMAB2005 .118	1	16	15	10	13	9	63	RKC	7.5.2024
62		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Ceramic baking bowl	MSMAB2005 .119	1	16	15	10	10	8	59	RKC	7.5.2024
63		Collection store, Box 8, Bay 20, Shelf 5	Blue and white striped cereal bowl	MSMAB2005 .124	1	16	12	9	13	9	59	RKC	7.5.2024
64		Collection store, Box 8, Bay 20, Shelf 5	Blue and white striped cereal bowl	MSMAB2005 .125	1	16	12	9	13	9	59	RKC	7.5.2024
65		Collection store, Free, Bay 20, Shelf 4	Small breakfast bowl, with yellow flower design	MSMAB2006 .15	1	16	16	9	13	9	63	RKC	7.5.2024






66		History Gallery, Living off the land	Small breakfast bowl, with yellow flower design	MSMAB2006 .58	1	16	16	9	13	9	63	RKC	7.5.2024
67		Collection store, Box 180, Bay 19, Shelf 6	Ceramic bowl with bird design	MSMAB2016 .6	1	17	12	9	10	9	57	RKC	7.5.2024
68		Collection store, large objects area	Singer treadle sewing machine	MSMAB2001 .407	1	12	10	7	12	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
69		Collection store, large objects area	Singer treadle sewing machine. Used by tailor	MSMAB2010 .16	1	17	12	9	13	10	61	RKC	7.5.2024
70		Collection store, Bay 10, Shelf 3	Singer hand cranked sewing machine	MSMAB2016 .631	1	15	10	7	10	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
71		Collection store, large objects area	Large Singer sewing machine, used by cobbler	MSMAB2016 .681	1	17	12	9	11	10	59	RKC	7.5.2024
72		History Gallery, Living off the Land	Hanging pan	MSMAB2001 .220	1	16	13	10	9	10	58	RKC	7.5.2024






73		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 2	Hanging pan	MSMAB2001 .350	1	16	11	8	9	9	53	RKC	7.5.2024
74		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 2	Hanging pan	MSMAB2004 .81	1	16	11	8	9	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
75		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	1950s cast iron frying pan	MSMAB2015 .562	1	16	9	8	10	9	52	RKC	7.5.2024
76		Collection store, Free, Bay 22, Shelf 5	Brass jam pan	MSMAB2015 .645	1	16	11	8	9	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
77		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 2	Hanging pan	MSMAB2015 .647	1	16	8	8	8	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
78		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Cast iron frying pan	T1328	1	15	8	8	9	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
79		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Griddle	MSMAB2001 .224	1	16	9	8	9	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024






80		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Griddle, one handle missing	MSMAB2001 .348.1	1	16	9	8	7	9	49	RKC	7.5.2024
81		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Griddle	MSMAB2001 .348.2	1	15	9	8	9	9	50	RKC	7.5.2024
82		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Griddle	MSMAB2001 .348.3	1	15	9	8	9	9	50	RKC	7.5.2024
83		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Griddle	MSMAB2001 .348.4	1	16	9	8	9	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
84		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 4	Gas griddle	MSMAB2010 .6	1	15	10	9	9	9	52	RKC	7.5.2024
85		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 5	Griddle	MSMAB2016 .727	1	16	11	8	9	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
86		Collection store, Free, Bay 1, Shelf 3	Gas griddle	MSMAB2016 .751	1	16	11	8	9	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
87		Collection store, Bay 14, Drawer 1	Lancashire Mineral Water bottle. With screw in stopper	MSMAB2001 .150	1	16	9	7	10	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024



88		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Lancashire Mineral Water bottle.	MSMAB2004 .43	1	16	9	7	10	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
89		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Lancashire Mineral Water bottle. With screw in stopper	MSMAB2004 .44	1	16	9	7	12	10	54	RKC	7.5.2024
90		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Clear glass medicine bottle.	MSMAB2014 .168	1	14	7	6	11	9	47	RKC	7.5.2024
91		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Clear glass ink bottle.	MSMAB2014 .169	1	14	7	6	11	9	47	RKC	7.5.2024
92		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Clear glass ink bottle with red screw top.	MSMAB2014 .170	1	14	7	6	11	10	48	RKC	7.5.2024

93		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Lancashire Mineral Water bottle. With screw in stopper	MSMAB2016 .188	1	16	12	7	10	10	55	RKC	7.5.2024
94		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Lancashire Mineral Water bottle.	MSMAB2016 .771	1	16	12	7	9	9	53	RKC	7.5.2024
95		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Brown glass beverage bottle	T10	1	16	9	7	10	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
96		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Brown glass beverage bottle	T11	1	16	9	7	10	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
97		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Brown glass bottle with threaded neck	T247	1	14	7	6	11	10	48	RKC	7.5.2024
98		Collection store, Box 113 Bay 28, Shelf 2	One pint glass milk bottle from the Merrydale Dairy, Consett, Durham.	T258.11	1	12	7	6	11	10	46	RKC	7.5.2024

99		Collection store, Box 113 Bay 28, Shelf 2	One pint glass milk bottle from the Merrydale Dairy, Consett, Durham.	T258.12	1	12	7	6	11	10	46	RKC	7.5.2024
100		Collection store, Box 113 Bay 28, Shelf 2	One pint glass milk bottle from the Merrydale Dairy, Consett, Durham.	T258.17	1	12	7	6	11	10	46	RKC	7.5.2024
101		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Clear glass bottle with ribbed finish.	T267	1	15	8	7	12	10	52	RKC	7.5.2024
102		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Long necked clear glass bottle.	T604	1	14	7	6	11	10	48	RKC	7.5.2024
103		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Clear glass flat bottle with threaded neck.	T606	1	14	7	6	11	10	48	RKC	7.5.2024
104		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Large clear glass medicine bottle, square sided and inscribed with the number '16' on the base.	T613	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
105		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Clear glass medicine bottle, ribbed on one side.	T614	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024

106		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Six-sided clear glass medicine bottle with cork. Three sides of the bottle are ribbed.	T615	1	14	10	6	9	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024
107		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Small clear glass medicine bottle.	T616	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
108		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Small brown glass bottle.	T620	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
109		Collection store, Bay 14, Drawer 1	Large, green-tinted bottle, with wooden cork.	T1244	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
110		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Large green tinted glass bottle with long neck and dimpled bottom.	T1785	1	14	9	6	11	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
111		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Green glass bottle with narrow neck.	T1787	1	14	9	6	11	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024

112		Collection store, Bay 16, Drawer 1	Blue tinted glass bottle with narrow neck.	T2625	1	14	9	6	11	10	50	RKC	7.5.2024
113		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Green glass rectangular bottle with cork stopper.	T2626	1	14	9	6	9	10	48	RKC	7.5.2024
114		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Clear glass sauce bottle.	T2770	1	13	9	6	11	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024
115		Collection store, Bay 15, Drawer 1	Clear glass sauce bottle.	T2771	1	13	9	6	11	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024
116		Collection store, Bay 14, Drawer 1	Clear glass soft drink bottle.	T2772	1	13	9	6	11	10	49	RKC	7.5.2024

117		Collection store, Bay 14, Drawer 1	Hexagonal, green glass bottle, ribbed on three sides.	T2915	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
118		Collection store, Bay 14, Drawer 1	Hexagonal, green glass bottle, ribbed on three sides.	T2916	1	14	10	6	11	10	51	RKC	7.5.2024
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Forward Plan – Neighbourhoods & Community Committee (24 October 2024 v24)

1. Planned Agenda Items Next meeting 14 January 2025

Items	Purpose
Presentation – The RAISE Programme	
Tourism Product Development & Regeneration Strategic Update	Report for Noting
MEAqua Development Plan 2024-	Report for Noting
Active Travel Consultation	Report for Noting
Action Notes from Health Sub-Committee	Report for Noting
Update on Strategic Alliance	Report for Noting

2. Future Meetings

Meeting Date	Item	Purpose
25 Feb 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lough Neagh Partnership 2025/2026 Funding Request Tourism Marketing Strategic Update Donations to Museums Dog Control Orders – New & Amended Impending Ban on XL Bully Dogs Update 	Report for Approval Report for Noting Report for Noting Report for Approval Report for Noting
08 April 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gracehill UNESCO Site Update The Gobbins Operational Update Donations to Museums Arts and Culture Strategic Update 	Report for Noting Report for Noting Report for Approval Report for Noting
20 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gobbins Sub-Committee Adoption of Minutes Mid and East Antrim Tourism Arts and Culture Interim Plan for 2025-2026 and year-end report Visitor Information Provision Progress Update 	Report for Approval Report for Noting Report for Noting

3. Items to be programmed

Item	Purpose
ToR	Updates as and when required
Grant Awards Quarterly Updates	
Environment Fund	If funding is secured, progress project – business case
Tullygarley?	Outcome of Survey? Proposed next steps?
Access and Inclusion Funding	Report for Approval
Age Friendly	Regular update
Leisure Transformation	Update on progress with filling new structure
Community Resuscitation	Update on multi-agency engagement
Animal Welfare Service	Update on funding post JR. Approval to adopt new delivery/funding model
Ulster History Circle	To seek approval for MEABC to join Ulster History Circle Membership
Town Halls Update	To update Elected Members on progress of Arts & Culture team's involvement in improving town hall

	booking processes and to seek approval for way forward
Museum Accreditation of Arthur Cottage	To update Elected Members on application for accreditation