



Community Chest Grants

Application Criteria: Project Specific Criteria 2006/07

In addition to the basic criteria for the Community Chest Scheme your application must be for a project or activity which falls within one of the following areas. Under each heading there are then specific criteria which indicate what our particular funding priorities are. **You must show us in your application how your project or activity satisfies at least one of these specific criteria.**

The funding areas are:

- ☐ Community Development
- ☐ Arts
- ☐ Sport and Recreation
- ☐ Community Safety
- ☐ Heritage and Conservation
- ☐ Town Twinning

- ☐ **Community Development.** If you have ticked this box on the application form please ensure that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:

- ☐ Projects for people living in the following town areas - Highcliffe, Stanmore, Winnall or Weeke
- ☐ Projects for people living in Wickham (including Knowle)
- ☐ Projects to improve the skills of volunteers within voluntary and community groups
- ☐ Projects / organisations which help to reduce social exclusion and / or rural isolation and deprivation focusing on:
 - the needs of young people (aged up to 24 years)
 - the needs of people with disabilities
 - the needs of people who are unemployed
 - people with low levels of literacy and numeracy
 - the promotion of social inclusion

- ☐ **Arts.** If you have ticked this box on the application form please ensure that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:

- ☐ Projects involving mainly young people aged up to 24 years
- ☐ Projects involving mainly people living in Stanmore, Winnall, Highcliffe or Weeke
- ☐ Projects involving mainly people living in rural communities.
- ☐ Projects which will promote social inclusion through art, including work with the elderly, disabled groups, ethnic minorities.

- ☐ **Sport.** If you have ticked this box on the application form, please ensure that you have referred to the Sport & Recreation Strategy and that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:

- ☐ Projects to increase the number of people who are physically active
- ☐ Projects to increase the number of sport and recreation coaches and volunteers
- ☐ Projects to improve access to high quality sport and recreation facilities

- ☐ **Community Safety.** If you have ticked this box on the application form, please ensure that you have referred to the Community Safety Partnership's Action Plan and that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:
 - ☐ Creating a safe and enjoyable evening economy
 - ☐ Creating communities that feel safe
 - ☐ Being tough on anti-social behaviour

- ☐ **Heritage and Conservation.** If you have ticked this box on the application form, please ensure that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:
 - ☐ Projects for young people (aged up to 24 years)
 - ☐ Projects which will encourage active involvement in the heritage and / or conservation of the local area
 - ☐ Projects which will disseminate knowledge about the heritage and / or conservation of the local area, particularly those which aim to reach new audiences.

➤ *Please contact Winchester Museums Service (01962 848269, museums@winchester.gov.uk) to discuss your project if it involves fieldwork or related activities.*

- ☐ **Twinning Grants.** If you have ticked this box on the application form, please ensure that your activity or project meets at least **one** of the following criteria:
 - ☐ Events or activities which are specifically designed to increase the number of people actively involved in twinning or to promote the benefits of twinning activities in the community
 - ☐ Costs incurred by groups in subsidising twinning events or visits for people who could not otherwise afford to take part because of a low income or special transport needs
 - ☐ The cost of participation in an event or visit by a specific group to mark a special occasion or significant anniversary
 - ☐ Projects aimed at involving young people (aged up to 24 years) in twinning activities.

- ☐ **Other.** If you have ticked this box on the application form, please ensure that your activity or project meets at least **two** of the criteria from any of the themes above.

All applications must satisfy the core eligibility criteria and as well as the above requirements to be able to apply to the Community Chest grants scheme.