

May 18th – June 30th Report - Liskeard Town Council

Grant Body	Grant Programme	Project Title	Amount of Grant	Proportion of Project Cost	Deadline
Crowdfunder Cornwall	Crowdfunding opportunities	Running costs/ equipment ideas	Starting at £100		Anytime
Children in Need	Small Grants	Running costs	Up to £10,000	½ project cost	Deadline September 2018
Awards for All	Small Grants		Applied for £10,000	Covers ½ salaries and rent	Submitted May
Police and crime commissioner	Small grant	Running costs/rent	Up to £2500	Covers 1 year of rent	Submitting July
Co-Op	Community fund		No set amount		submitted
Co-op	Community Fundraising	Activities/ equipment ideas	£100		Granted
Co-op	Young peoples bag pack/cake sale		£93		granted
Your Way	Small grants	Silent disco	£500		granted
Cornwall council	Community chest	Youth activities	£598.49		granted

Number of Young People Attending the Youth Club	Number of Young People Using the Advice Service
Total Number: <i>Male – 26 Female – 24</i>	Total Number: 6
Number from Liskeard:	Number from Liskeard: 6

Narrative:**Adult committee:**

The steering group worked towards an Awards For All bid and this has been submitted in May, we are still currently waiting on a decision from this.

The Children in Need bid has been started and will be submitted for the September deadline.

A bid has also been submitted for Co-op's Community fund, if picked to go through to the next stage, we will get 1% from co-op member sales in Liskeard, funding will be allocated in May 2019.

The committee are applying to the police and crime commissioner small grant scheme to cover the costs of renting the Liskerrett youth space.

We now have a working group of 4 committee members, 3 of which are parents of young people, as well as a town council and youth work representative attending sessions.

3 out of 4 members, are also looking to volunteer in the youth club, and are just going through the DBS process.

Through YPC VCSE project, members will be upskilling themselves through a number of level 2 course that can be accessed for free, this will further benefit work with young people in Liskeard.

Youth steering group:

The Tuesday session was changed to a Wednesday due to workers other commitments, sessions are for 13yrs up to 18, and are more focus based, steering group, planning, and workshops.

We ran some healthy eating smoothie workshops, with free fruit from the Real Junk food project.

The steering group with their small grant of £500 arranged a Silent Disco at the end of May. Although this wasn't as well attended as we hoped, the young people who helped organise it learnt a lot of different skills, they have funds to cover 2 more events, and are taking their learning to see how they can improve. The young people who attended had a great time!

3 young people from the group will be attending the Liskeard town forum to speak about the youth project.

Young people and workers are planning to get involved in some of the park clear ups in the town,

Unfortunately due to current funding and waiting to hear from Awards for all, our last Wednesday session for the summer will be on July 18th. Participation and workshops will still continue and will be linked into the Friday sessions.

Youth club:

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In the last 6 weeks we have had 50 young people attending sessions, with an average attendance of around 30yp across a Friday evening.

Sessions continue to engage young people in a number of positive activities, including, cooking, games, arts, sports and music.

Music lessons are led through a new local volunteer weekly on a Friday evening, we are looking at getting young people through their arts awards and the possibility of some local performances once confidence is built.

The group continues to be a wider part of the community and are currently planning to take part in local park clear ups.

Co-op continue to support the youth club through food donations to the group.

We have also engaged with the Junk food Project, RIO, Cornwall Council, and local churches to run a partnership project over the summer holidays, running healthy living/eating workshop with games and activities. £3,800 funding has been gained through the Filling the Holiday Gap funding scheme which will be split between a number of partners to run different activities.

We continue to attend Safer Liskeard meetings although the last one was postponed.

Find Your Way:

Information Advice and Guidance was provided on the following topics:

Finance: 1 including Cash from Crisis Funding

Personal Support: 6

Benefits: 2

Housing: 4

Food Bank: 1

Toiletries: 1

TAC Meeting: 1