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21 MAY 2025

LISKEARD TOWN COUNCIL
GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Do not complete the Application Form until you have read the Grant Awarding Policy and believe that you comply with it.

By making the application you are giving consent for the information to be shared with Councillors and the public

When you have completed this form please e-mail it to the Town Clerk townclerk@liskeard.gov.uk or drop into the office mailbox:
The Town Clerk, 3-5 West Street, Liskeard PL14 6BW

Name of Applicant / Organisation	NIC EARLY CARADON YOUTH THEATRE
Charity Number or Registered Company Number (if applicable)	-
Date of the Application	21 ST MAY 2025
Person to contact	NIC EARLY
Position Held	DIRECTOR / FOUNDER
What does your organisation do?	Provides theatre training + performance opportunities for 7-21 year olds in the community of Liskeard. The process of being part of an 'Arts' Company nurtures confidence, communication and many 'life skills' in children + young adults.
Website or Social Media addresses	Facebook & Instagram - 'Caradon Youth Theatre'
How is your organisation funded?	Membership fees, sponsorship from local businesses & ticket sales / Donations.
Give a brief description of your project.	CYT is a 'not for profit' community group that prides itself in its work with young people in South East Cornwall. A large team of experienced adults / practitioners underpin this hugely successful theatre company that champions positive growth in children and young adults, nurturing essential 'life skills' and providing a platform to flex creative muscles and perform up to 3 productions a year. As well as performers - our musicians + tech team are all young people growing in their craft.

	<p>Our productions / projects always endeavour to reach a high standard, whilst at the same time being 'all inclusive' and embracing every child in their journey. The joy is the difference we make in so many young people + their families lives. See a CYT Show - and you will see!</p>
<p>What benefits will your project give to the town, visibly or in the impact that the project will have on specific groups or the wider Community? Who in the Town will benefit?</p> <p>Are there currently any similar projects / services available? If so how is your project different?</p>	<p>Any person involved in CYT benefits from our ethos and Community involvement - from our families to chaperones to volunteers at a production. Audiences - benefit from a great experience of live performance on their doorstep (without having to travel to Plymouth or beyond). This is a real benefit to families on a budget and we give away many tickets to those that need this. This year we are doing 2 plays as you feel we will be able to make the shows as accessible as possible.</p>
<p>Have you previously received a grant from Liskeard Town Council?</p> <p>If 'Yes' please indicate</p>	<p>YES / NO</p> <p>(a) When (Date) June 2024</p> <p>(b) Amount received £ 500.</p> <p>(c) Purpose - Production of 'Beauty and the Beast' in Liskeard Public Hall.</p>
<p>What is the total cost of your Project?</p>	<p>£10 - 12,000.</p>
<p>What sum of money are you looking for from the Town Council?</p> <p>What exactly will it be used to support?</p>	<p>The Council cannot fund the normal ongoing operating costs of organisations. This application should not contain such costs.</p> <p>£600 - 00.</p> <p>The hire of the venue 'Liskeard Public Hall' for performances of 'Annie' 20th - 23rd June 2025 which includes the main hall + other rooms as 'dressing rooms' for children.</p>

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How will the rest of your project be funded? Have these monies all been confirmed?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Membership fees,- Sponsorship from local businesses- Ticket Sales- Donation (public) <p>(Ticket sales + donations are an on-going unknown, but should be filed)</p>
Has your organisation adopted its own Safeguarding Policy?	Yes NO
Does your organisation conduct DBS checks on staff and volunteers?	Yes NO
Have you attached a copy of the accounts of your organisation?	Yes / No