

WALTHAMSTOW WEST COMMUNITY COUNCIL FUNDING 2009/10	
Funding available: Whole area £5,000 / High Street ward £10,000 / William Morris ward £12,540 (£2,540 funding carried over from 08/09) / Higham Hill ward £12,648 (£2,648 funding carried over from 08/09) / Chapel End ward £11,810 (£1,810 funding carried over from 08/09).	
All suggestions made by residents were followed up. Voluntary groups were contacted where possible and invited to apply. Where detail was not provided, research was carried out both within the council and through voluntary groups to investigate possibilities.	
PROJECT	FUNDING
WALTHAMSTOW COMMUNITY COUNCIL WHOLE AREA - RESIDENT SUGGESTIONS	
None	
WALTHAMSTOW WEST COMMUNITY WHOLE AREA - GROUPS / VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS	
<p>Waltham Forest Dyslexia Association tuition and summer school for young people with dyslexia. Dyslexia affects at least 1 in 10 people. Some only mildly, others really struggle to read and write. We work mostly with those severely affected who struggle at school and have become disillusioned.</p> <p>Early intervention is best. Our classes make a significant difference with specialist teachers who know how to help. Parents have described our classes as a lifeline.</p> <p>Funding will finance the costs of promoting and running our weekly literacy, numeracy, handwriting and touch typing classes, as well as our transition summer school. Our publicity officer will contact and visit schools in your area to promote our services.</p> <p>Your vote will make a difference and help us offer support to every dyslexic child in Waltham Forest.</p> <p>A final comment from a 7 year old: "I like my class very much because in my spelling tests I used to get 0 out of 12 but now I get 12 out of 12. Also my writing has improved." This group is also applying to the other 5 community councils for funding in the same amount.</p>	<p>£2,400 for tutors (classes, touch typing, summer school) £900 / Administrator £800 / Publicity Officer £200 / Publicity Materials £200 / Administration costs – telephone, post, travel, stationery £300. The group will find it difficult to work with a lesser sum of funding.</p>

<p>The London Cricket School. Getting cricket coaching by an International superstar is an experience that might only happen once in a life time and we hope to give that opportunity to our young people in the community are, they can learn tips and ask questions to a cricket superstar. To provide an opportunity to participate in outdoor cricket matches and compete in a competitive team game.</p> <p>We are providing free Fitness and Health group exercise classes to anyone that wants to attend in the over 30 age group, the classes vary from different fitness levels from low impact to high impact classes, e.g. Yoga, Boxfit, Pilates, Aerotone, Bum Tums and Thighs, Power pump and Cardio blast classes. Free fitness & health classes for 1 resident per class, per week allowed.</p> <p>This group is also applying to the other 5 other community councils for funding.</p>	<p>£5,000 for contributions towards Hire of Peter May Sports Hall International Cricket Superstar Coaching events £540. PA system £1,910 for International Cricket Superstar event. Outdoor cricket matches at The Peter May Sports Centre £850 and £1,700 for free fitness health classes for 1 resident per class, per week .</p>
<p>Waltham Forest Youth For Christ - young people mentoring project. We live in an age where young people are constantly bombarded with mixed messages through the media. We undertake relationship sex and anger management lessons in schools. We endeavour to show young people that they can make good choices if they are given the right information. We emphasise the dangers of sexually transmitted diseases and the importance of good relationships.</p> <p>We were privileged to receive grants from some of the Community Councils last year that have contributed towards enabling us to employ a youth worker to undertake these lessons We want to continue employing this worker to present these lessons and to go in to more schools. We estimate the cost of each lesson at £75 and we would like to take another 60 lessons in the West Walthamstow Community Council Area. This group is also applying to the other 5 community councils for funding.</p>	<p>£4,500 for 60 lessons at £75 per lesson; senior worker for 3 hours at £15 per hour, overheads per lesson.</p>

HIGH STREET - RESIDENTS SUGGESTIONS	
Raised flower beds for residents in Nicholson Court. Forest Road E17. This property is managed by London & Quadrant.	£1,200 for planting and labour.
Extra seating in Town Centre. Investigations indicated, there is limited seating and not facing the screen. However, when specific events are put on temporary seating can be provided, but in the light of the Live Screen LBWF are looking at the possibility of exploring how through the public realm we can make better use of this site. This work is only at the inception stage at the moment though.	Research is currently being undertaken by another department in LBWF, therefore this project is NOT TO GO FORWARD.
Community Notice board. Location - Coppermill Lane/Edward Road junction.	£2,500 double sided board e.g. on school railings.
Development of community space - options in order of priority 1. St James Street Library, 2. Douglas Eyre, 3. Pathfinder Lodge.	£10,000 as part of running cost for a community space, particularly in former St James Street Library. NOT TO GO FORWARD.
Anti-theft Publicity, in the Walthamstow Shopping Mall. The Safer Neighbourhood Team ("SNT") would like funding over 12 months for showing anti-theft advertisement on the plasma screens in the mall Shopping Centre. The screens are to display the message 'Police are aware pickpockets operate in this area, please watch your valuables..., together we can stop them'. The wording of the message has previously been agreed with the Area Press Office in the MET police and is designed to remind people to be more vigilant to safekeeping their belongings whilst reducing the fear of crime. The working will be animated with letters appearing as if they were being typed, and with typewriter sound effect. The project has the support of the Better Neighbourhood Initiative Area Manager ("BNI") for High Street ward. The Mall Limited Partnership Manager and the Borough Commander of Police.	The project will cost £2,185 over 12 months. The SNT in partnership with the BNI Area Manager will carry out managerial tasks such as monitoring, keeping publicity up-to-date, campaigning and appointing personnel.

<p>Multi-Sports Sessions for young people aged 5 - 18, Stoneydown Park (Greenspace Venue). Equipment: Provided by Sports Development @ £100 per ward to replace/renew equipment after the first 6 months. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session. This project will be run and managed by The Sports Development Team, London Borough of Waltham Forest.</p>	<p>Cost £2,109.44. Sessions: £13.22 per coach per hour. Each session: 2 coaches for 2 hours = £52.88 for a total of 38 weeks.</p>
<p>Half Term/Holiday Multi-Sports Camp for young people aged 5 - 18, Stoneydown Park. To run a 4 hour camp at Stoneydown Park, every day throughout the half term and holiday periods. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions.</p>	<p>Costings: £5,288.00 for 10 weeks and for 2 coaches @ 4 hrs per day = £105.76.</p>
<p>HIGH STREET WARD - GROUPS / VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS</p>	
<p>Waltham Forest Disability Resource Centre - tai chi classes. The Centre provides activities for people with a physical and/or sensory disability. Activities range from physical exercise to arts, craft and family history. The centre is managed and staffed by disabled people for disabled people and the Centre celebrated its 21st birthday last year. Funding is being sought for tai chi exercise classes for 8 - 10 service users as an exercise therapy.</p>	<p>£2,500 for tutor/instructor fees for 50 weeks @ £50 per session for 2 hours. Starting October 2009.</p>
<p>7th Walthamstow Scouts Group - replacement of floor covering and provision of an accessible toilet to the Scout Hut. The Scout Group, after consultation with Council Officers, are proposing to carry out repairs which will provide 5-6 years of continued community use with the long term strategy to seek sufficient funding to rebuild a purpose built facility for use by the local community as well as the Scouts Association. Funding is therefore being sought for the replacement of the floor covering to the scout hall and provision of fully accessible toilet.</p>	<p>£10,000 towards costs.</p>

WILLIAM MORRIS - RESIDENT SUGGESTIONS	
<p>Play equipment (facilities for young people), etc behind Community Centre, Priory Court.</p> <p>Wildlife Hedgehog Unit £7917.00</p> <p>One Bay Cradle Swing £2322.00</p> <p>Sit in Horse Springy £ 807.00</p> <p>Kidabout Roundabout £5900.00</p> <p>Two Seat Tugboat Springy £2520.00</p> <p>Site Security £ 550.00</p> <p>Supply & Install approx 91.5m² new Astro turf ontop of a rubber play safety mat £5124.00. (less discount £2,500). Total cost = £22,640.00. The general refurbishment of the area is being funded from Ascham Homes partnering contractor using the opportunity of a skills training for the apprentices. The costs of the play area can be adjusted to suit should the funding become available. The play area is only part of the whole project. Planning is still to be confirmed.</p>	<p>A contribution towards total cost £22,640.00 is being sought. The Tenants Resident Association will manage the project if it is successful.</p>
WILLIAM MORRIS WARD - GROUPS / VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS	
<p>Lontano Trust - School music project/education. Walthamstow, The Place Of Welcome is a concert piece to be created by schools based in William Morris ward, in a series of process-based composition workshops in collaboration with musicians from the renowned contemporary music ensemble Lontano and prominent composer Juwon Ogungbe.</p> <p>Walthamstow is the home of many budding rappers, and the piece will take the form of a “Rap Oratorio”, incorporating several opportunities for budding MCs to create short urban rap narratives which will function as personal accounts of life in Walthamstow today. Participants will also create choral passages with a Gospel or Soul flavour, guided and encouraged by Lontano musicians and the composer. The story line will be based on significant events in the history of Walthamstow, from the 11th century to the 21st.</p> <p>The finished piece will be performed at a suitable public Walthamstow venue to give listeners a timeless impression of Walthamstow.</p>	<p>£2,550 for a contribution towards total cost of £21,820 for musician fees, hall hire, instruments, coaches, rehearsal space, project manager, education officer, marketing, admin, contingency and hospitality.</p>

<p>Worth Unlimited - mobile youth venue. Building on our delivery and experience of the past 2 years, Worth Unlimited would deliver open youth work sessions for young people aged 11 to 19 utilising the Mobile Youth Venue bus in Priory Court, just outside Priory Court Community Centre. “My Venue” is an eye catching Mobile Youth Venue – a converted bus, designed by young people, equipped with contemporary facilities, providing young people in Waltham Forest with a safe, supervised place to be together, shelter throughout the year, a place to belong and a place to call their own.</p> <p>This funding would enable them to continue the provision for another 6 months. Worth are also applying to Leyton Ward for funding.</p>	<p>£5,520 for 2 x Youth worker costs for 26 sessions (@ £60 per session) costing £4,680.00; MY Venue maintenance cost (£10 per week) @ £260; Consumables and activity costs (£10 per week) @ £260 and 15% management cost @ £780. Waiting for Worth Unlimited to confirm which ward they will apply to.</p>
<p>Orion Harriers - Athletic Club for young people (ages 10 - 19) at the Pool and Track and/or The Peter May Centre. Funding will enable the group to continue to increase participation and quality performance of inspiring young people living in the ward/borough and more opportunity to take part in regional and national competitions. Orion Harriers have applied to 2 other wards for funding to enable the Club to give a wide range of young people the opportunity to participate and to cut its costs.</p>	<p>£2,000 towards the total cost of £6,000 (£60 per week for 40 weeks per annum for 2 coaches, plus £30 x 40 weeks = £1,200) for a coach to target schools within each ward offering a 1 hr coaching session at the school and encouragement to join the Club.</p>

HIGHAM HILL WARD - RESIDENT SUGGESTIONS	
Multi-Sports Sessions for young people aged 5 - 18, Higham Hill Recreational Ground (Greenspace Venues). Equipment: Provided by Sports Development @ £100 per ward to replace/renew equipment after the first 6 months. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session. This project will be run and managed by The Sports Development Team, London Borough of Waltham Forest.	Cost £2,109.44. Sessions: £13.22 per coach per hour. Each session: 2 coaches for 2 hours = £52.88 for a total of 38 weeks.
Half Term/Holiday Multi-Sports Camp for young people aged 5 - 18, Higham Hill Recreational Ground. For a 4 hours camp at Aveling Park, every day throughout the half term and holiday periods. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session. This project will be run and managed by The Sports Development Team, London Borough of Waltham Forest. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions.	Costings: £5,288.00 for 10 weeks and for 2 coaches @ 4 hrs per day = £105.76.
Friends Group, at the underused community building known as "The Hut", Higham Hill Recreational Ground. Deprivation in the Living Environment is a major concern for residents of Higham Hill Better Neighbourhood Initiative ("BNI") neighbourhoods with high levels of littering, fly-tipping and anti-social behaviour being major concerns. One of the areas identified as of particular concern is the Recreation Ground, locally known as 'The Rec' The Rec has some excellent facilities and is regularly used by a wide range of people, particularly dog walkers, and has a designated area for dogs. It is quite well maintained, but there is great scope for local involvement in the maintenance of beds and borders. There are play areas for under 7's, under 12's and also basketball/5 a-side pitches and two tennis courts. These are used by both younger children and teenagers. In order to address these concerns, BNI are already contributing £5,000 towards the extension of youth provision in the area and a further £4,000 to support the development of a Friends Group for the Rec including a launch event to encourage more residents to get involved in their local open space.	A sum of £500 is being sought from the Community Council as a contribution to running costs for the establishment and launch of a Friends Group, including the purchase of equipment and plants.

<p>Community Youth Hut, Highams Park Recreational Ground. Youth services for the older age group 13-16 at the `Community Youth Hut ("The Hut") which is currently underused, and could be made available for a Friends Group. It is used one evening a week by the Youth Service to run a youth group and by a local parent/toddlers group one morning a week. There is potential to extend the Youth Club for a further evening to tackle the lack of activities for young people locally.</p> <p>In order to address these concerns, Better Neighbourhood Initiative ("BNI") are already contributing £5,000 towards the extension of youth provision in the area.</p>	<p>A sum of £ 1,000 is being sought from the Community Council as a contribution to running costs for the Youth project</p>
<p>Folly Lane Environmental Improvements - At present, Folly Lane experiences extremely high levels of Anti Social Behavioural ("ASB") and fly-tipping.</p> <p>Measures to reduce the opportunity for fly-tipping are being put in place using funding from the Better Neighbourhood Initiative ("BNI"). These include erecting a new barrier to stop vehicles entering the site illegally.</p> <p>However, there is also a need to clear the detritus from and improve the overall appearance of the community woodland, which adjoins the site.</p> <p>BNI are working with a number of local organisations to encourage them to help with the planting and longer- term maintenance of the site.</p>	<p>A contribution of £500 is being sought from the Community Council to purchase equipment and plants for the site.</p>
<p>HIGHAM HILL WARD - GROUPS / VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS</p>	
<p>The Mornington Trust - School Music project/education. The Project presents Walthamstow Market Sings Once More, a process-based music composition project involving five schools from the Higham Hill area of Walthamstow, including a special educational needs school, working in conjunction with renowned composer Juwon Ogungbe and several professional musicians.</p> <p>Music will be created to celebrate the diverse cultural heritage of the people who use the market for buying or selling. It will function as a whistle stop tour of several landmarks in the market, and will include a street trader's choral piece that will explore the creative possibilities suggested by market chants. To represent buyers, there will be songs created according to the musical traditions of the parts of the world the traders and goods for sale come from.</p> <p>Walthamstow Market Sings Once More will celebrate Walthamstow Market as a place where people and goods from all over the world come together in a shared experience.</p>	<p>£4,250 as a contribution towards total costs of £24,425 for musicians, hall hire, instruments, coaches, rehearsal space, project manager, education officer, marketing, admin, contingency and hospitality costs.</p>

<p>Orion Harriers - Athletic Club for young people (ages 10 - 19) at the Pool and Track and/or The Peter May Centre. Funding will enable the group to continue to increase participation and quality performance of inspiring young people living in the ward/borough and more opportunity to take part in regional and national competitions. Orion Harriers have applied to 2 other wards for funding to enable the Club to give a wide range of young people the opportunity to participate and to cut its costs.</p>	<p>£2,000 towards the total cost of £6,000 (£60 per week for 40 weeks per annum for 2 coaches, plus £30 x 40 weeks = £1,200) for a coach to target schools within each ward offering a 1 hr coaching session at the school and encouragement to join the Club.</p>
--	--

CHAPEL END WARD - RESIDENT SUGGESTIONS	
Multi -Sport sessions for young people aged 5 - 18, Aveling Park (Greenspace Venue). Equipment: Provided by Sports Development @ £100 per ward to replace/renew equipment after the first 6 months. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session	Cost £2,109.44. Sessions: £13.22 per coach per hour. Each session: 2 coaches for 2 hours = £52.88 for a total of 38 weeks.
Half Term/Holiday Multi-Sport Camp for young people aged 5 - 18, Aveling Park. For a 4 hours camp at Aveling Park, every day throughout the half term and holiday periods. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions. Approx 80 young people can be accommodated at each 2 hour session. This project will be run and managed by The Sports Development Team, London Borough of Waltham Forest. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with A26a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions. The half term/holiday camps could be combined with 2/3 wards with a central venue, therefore cutting the costs, and also providing a more suitable venue for the delivery of the sports sessions.	Costings: £5,288.00 for 10 weeks and for 2 coaches @ 4 hrs per day = £105.76.
CHAPEL END WARD - GROUPS / VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS	
Orion Harriers Athletic Club for young people (ages 10 - 19) at the Pool and Track and/or The Peter May Centre. Funding will enable the group to continue to increase participation and quality performance of inspiring young people living in the ward/borough and more opportunity to take part in regional and national competitions. Orion Harriers have applied to 2 other wards for funding to enable the Club to give a wide range of young people the opportunity to participate and to cut its costs.	£2,000 towards the total cost of £6,000 (£60 per week for 40 weeks per annum for 2 coaches, plus £30 x 40 weeks = £1,200 for a coach to target schools within each ward offering a 1 hr coaching session at the school and encouragement to join the Club.

<p>Chestnuts Farm Allotments Association - community shelter. The Association has 70 plots worked by mainly local residents. We are a varied group , some older people, some young families, etc but we all have the same aims: to grow our own fruit and vegetables, to enjoy working in the open air, to keep ourselves fit and healthy, and to enjoy the mutual support and company of other plot-holders. We have a social event in the summer, but this is in the open air, as we have no communal shelter.</p> <p>Funding is being sought for a communal shelter where we could exchange spare plants and advice, have a collection of reference books, and have a notice board with useful information. We would also like to have a tea station, with a gas ring to boil a kettle, some tables and chairs to socialise and to hold our monthly committee meetings. "If we had this hut, it be a useful meeting place, and would help all the plot-holders to get to know each other better. It would also be useful as an educational facility when we have visits from school children."</p>	<p>£1,221.55. Exact costings have not yet been completed, but a suitable garden building of 10 ft. by 25ft would cost £1049.95. Pretreated timber bearers would cost £41.60. Delivery would be free. Paving slabs to make a base would cost £130, with free delivery.</p> <p>If funding is granted the Association will match fund the outlay by making a base and assembling the building with a working party of ploholders.</p>
--	---