

Brentwood Community Fund 2020

Scoring Recommendations

	Recommended for funding
	Did not score highly enough to be awarded funding
	Not recommended for funding. Did not meet the minimum criteria.

Rank	Applicant	Funding Request £s	Summary of project	Officer mean scores %	Recommended funding allocation in £s based on score %.
1	Brentwood Mutual Aid	4000.00	To develop and improve Mutual Aid's telephone system, using one dedicated number to increase sense of safety and trust with residents, create an SMS system, to enhance volunteer training through delivering an online platform, increasing safeguarding skills, and improving communications by printing and distributing basic contact cards.	97	3880
2	Brentwood Theatre	4000.00	To fund improvements to the community cinema equipment by purchasing a new fast-fold projection screen, which is portable and allows switch from cinema to theatre mode in the same day and potential outdoor summer screenings. To also purchase a 4K powerful projector to increase quality of screenings.	93	3720
3	Manna Meals	1976.66	To purchase portable catering and service equipment to allow volunteers to provide community meals, coffee and cake drop ins, without needing an indoor venue.	92	1817
4	Hutton Community Centre	3450.00	To fund the replacement of sodium lights to LEDs in the centre, making a significant environmental and financial efficiency saving.	86	2967
5	Abberton Rural Training	3995.00	Following the success of the Grow Your Own project in Autumn 2020, which saw 100 vulnerable people and families supported to grow their own produce at home, this request for funding is to progress participants' learning into more formal learning and accreditation with a view to improving employment opportunities. The project will see online tuition and onsite training at micro training sites across Brentwood where participants can learn to maintain woodland areas that need preserving and managing, and volunteer led projects on conservation, nature and biodiversity. The funding will pay for	85	3396

6	Essex Cultural Diversity Project	4000.00	A recent discovery by Sikh historian Peter Bance unearthed a fascinating story of an Indian Princess who lived in Essex and was buried in All Saints Church. The project will seek to engage the local residents, volunteers and the Indian communities in Brentwood in an ongoing heritage programme to discover more about the princess through oral history, artefacts, cultures and traditions. The funding is towards talks, research with volunteers, equipment for oral history and video items to be archived at Essex Record Offices, community celebration events, volunteers expenses and training.	83	3320
7	1st Warley Scout Group	1946.00	To pay for resurfacing of car park - removing soil, levelling, laying membrane and surfacing with 15t granite chippings	80	1557
8	Bardswell Social Club	4000.00	To refit the club kitchen so the club can provide on site food for the community.	79	3160
9	The PCC of the Ecclesiastical Parish of All Saints with Saint Peter Hutton	2373.73	To fund an Arts and Crafts morning and a Gardening Cafe to run alongside the Daily Bread initiative. The grant would pay for arts and crafts materials, specialist tutors, gardening equipment and storage. The aim to provide programmes for people to engage with each other socially, with the gardening initiative especially aimed at men.	75	1780
10	The Hermit CIC	2500.00	To fund facilitators to run pilot creative arts sessions in dance and drama for young people at the Hermit and relaunch the centre as a Creative Hub (not just music).	74	1850
11	Doddinghurst Village Hall	4000.00	To replace previously laid parquet flooring that has no membrane, so the bricks are loose and the hall is closed until the floor is repaired/ replaced.	73	2920.00
12	Brentwood's Orchestras for Young Musicians	2550.00	To fund a partnership performance of a ballet between Central School of Dance and the Phoenix Youth Orchestra. The grant would contribute to hall hire, costume, set, conductor, publicity and lighting costs,	72	1836.00
13	24 Fingers Limited	3330.00	To fund a community based support network to improve participants' physical and mental wellbeing. The grant would pay for a business and fitness coach, social media promotion and marketing.	65	2165.00
14	REACH Hippotherapy	3420.00	To provide dry storage for the REACH equipment - Riding disabled equipment	*60 - recommended allocation equates to 55% of requested funding owing to remaining funding allocation.	1932.00
TOTAL ALLOCATION					£36,300
15	St Francis Hospice	4000.00	To fund uniform, consumables and some travel costs towards patients' home visits.	37	0
	Mellow Moments	3600.00	To deliver a series of accessible, self development training sessions online for vulnerable people to learn about emotional intelligence, aspects of wellbeing, resilience skills and produce a personal action plan.	0	0 - Did not meet the criteria
	Mountnessing Village Hall	2750.00	Renovation of Village Hall disabled toilet, including the addition of baby changing facilities, to enhance the Hall's ability to function as the main community centre in the village.	0	0 - Application withdrawn
TOTAL FUNDING REQUEST		55891.39			