

NORTHWICH TOWN COUNCIL

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17th March 2025

Dear Councillor,

You are summoned to attend the meeting of the GRANTS COMMITTEE to be held in the COUNCIL OFFICES.

78 CHURCH ROAD, NORTHWICH on MONDAY 24TH MARCH 2025 at 6.15p.m. Yours

Sincerely

Chris Shaw

Chief Officer

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence or absences

2. Declaration of interest

- * Members to declare any interest under the following categories:
- * Pecuniary interest
- * Outside bodies interest
- * Family, friend or close associate interest

3. Signing of the Minutes

Of the Grants Committee meeting held on 12th December 2024

4. Requests for Donations

Seven completed applications have been received (copies attached)

The decision of the Members is requested on amounts to be granted (if any) and under which powers and duties these grants should be placed.

The decision of the Committee is requested

5. Town Mayors Award

Members to amend application form for the Town Awards Scheme.

The decision of the Committee is requested

5. Date of next Grants Committee Meeting

To be confirmed

Councillors: Cllr Tom Melville
Cllr Julie Macdonald
Cllr Kate Cernik

Cllr Robert Cernik
Cllr Patricia Parkes
Cllr Janet Illidge

Cllr Rachel Waterman
Cllr Lee Siddall

NORTHWICH TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE GRANTS COMMITTEE
HELD ON TUESDAY 12th DECEMBER 2024

Members Present

Cllr Julie Macdonald
Cllr Catriona Stewart
Cllr Tom Melville
Cllr Bob Cernik
Cllr Kate Cernik

Also Present

Chris Shaw - Chief Officer
Cath Kirwan – Deputy Chief Officer/RFO

GC 24/01 TO APPOINT A CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR FOR 2024-2025

Cllr Julie Macdonald was appointed Chair.
Proposed by Cllr Tom Melville and Cllr Catriona Stewart.

Cllr Bob Cernik was appointed Vice Chair.
Proposed by Cllr Tom Melville and seconded by Cllr Kate Cernik.

GC 24/02 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE OR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr. Patricia Parkes, Cllr Janet Illidge and Cllr Lee Siddall

GC 24/03 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interests.

GC 24/04 SIGNING OF THE MINUTES

The Minutes of the Grants Committee held on 11th March 2024 and noted at the Town Council meeting on Monday 8th April 2024 were accepted as a true and accurate record.

Proposed by Cllr Bob Cernik, seconded by Cllr Tom Melville, all agreed.

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Date

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Cllr Julie Macdonald
Chair

GC 24/05 REQUESTS FOR DONATIONS

3 requests were submitted. Members discussed each of their individual merits before making their decisions.

It was resolved that the following donations be made.

Retrospective approved Leftwich Primary School - £500.00

Proposed by Cllr Tom Melville seconded by Cllr Julie McDonald all agreed

Cheshire Without Abuse (Known as MyCWA) - £620.00 (if this is based in Northwich and all the sessions are in Northwich).

Proposed by Cllr Tom Melville seconded by Cllr Bob Cernik all agreed

Superbox Northwich (CIC) - £500.00

Proposed by Cllr Tom Melville seconded by Cllr Julie McDonald all agreed

GC 24/06 DATE OF NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

The date of next meeting will be in the new year, date to be confirmed.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 6pm

PART B

In accordance with the Local Government Act – Public Admission to Meetings Act 1960, the following agenda item is to be considered in the absence of press or public.

GC 24/07 TOWN AWARDS

Members discussed at length the Town Mayor Award nomination and the application process.

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**Cllr Julie Macdonald
Chair**

Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: NO LIMITS - DISABILITY AWARENESS EVENT			
Organisation's Name: DISABILITY POSITIVE			
Applicant's Name: LISA CORMACK			
Address: SENSION HOUSE, DENTON DRIVE, NORTHWICH, CHESHIRE, CW9 7LU			
Telephone 01606 331853	Mobile	e-mail lisa.c@disabilitypositive.org	
Estimated cost of project:			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
VENUE HIRE	—	—	£791.60
PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS	£334	—	£334
BSL INTERPRETER	—	£160	£160
HOST	—	£250	£250
PERFORMERS/TALKS	—	£650	£650
KEYNOTE SPEAKER	—	£500	£500
Sub-total	£334	£1560	
TOTAL			£ 2685.60

Details of contributions from other organisations? EET FUELS Exhibitor fees (£25 x 35)	£1000 £875 £1875
Total amount of grant applied for To fund cost of venue hire (Brio Leisure)	£ 791.60

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible - you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

See enclosed project description, plus 2024
Evaluation Report.

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:



Dated: 6 / 11 / 2024

Position: g\JSII\5

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Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: 1st Hartford Scouts and Mid-Cheshire explorers Kandersteg(Switzerland) International Expedition			
Organisation's Name: 1st Hartford Scouts and Mid-Cheshire Explorers			
Applicant's Name: Nicola Haupt			
Correspondence Address: 40 East Lane, Cuddington, CW8 2QQ			
Organisation Meeting Address: Hartford Scout Hut, Bradburn Lane, Hartford, Cheshire, CW8 1LU			
Telephone	Mobile 07715105038	e-mail nicolahaupt@gmail.com	
Estimated cost of project:			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
Provide t-shirt and hoodie to all members of international trip from Buccaneers, Northwich.	T shirt Hoodie		351.54 703.08
Sub-total			
TOTAL			£1054.62

Details of contributions from other organisations?	£
Total amount of grant applied for This is to cover the cost of a t-shirt and hoodie for all participants (54 in total)	£1054.62

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible - you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

Aim of Applying to Northwich council for funding is to support participants with the cost of clothing for Hartford Scouts and Mid-Cheshire Explorers international expedition. This group of young people are representing Scouting, Northwich, Mid-Cheshire and the UK while over in Switzerland and we would like to provide a strong sense of identity within the group by having our own distinctive items of clothing for all the contingent, a hoodie and t-shirt. The cost of which will be £1054.62. We seek your support with the cost of these items to ensure the expedition as a whole remains financially viable for all members.

Details of the expedition and what is happening to support young people going.

Hartford Scouts and Mid Cheshire explorers international expedition to Kandersteg 25th July -2nd August 2025.

Kandersteg in the Swiss Alps is home to Baden-Powell's dream, the Kandersteg International Scout Centre. Home to the permanent mini jamboree in breath taking scenery, where members of Scouting from all over the world can come together to experience, interact and learn from scouts from other cultures and countries. This unique experience is what Hartford Scouts and Mid Cheshire explorers is offering to 44 young people and 10 leaders supporting the expedition in the summer of 2025.

The expedition program blends adventurous with cultural activities, with the highlight being able to celebrate Swiss National Day in the spirit that Scouting embodies, inclusion, tradition and international friendship. It will enable the participants to mix with and spend time joining scouting friends new and old in a whole day of celebration activities.

Activities for the participants while out in Switzerland are varied and an element down to individual choice. All participants will be taking part in an over-night hike staying in a mountain hut and a trip up the Jungfrau Jach, classed as the top of Europe. Most importantly all participants will be encouraged to complete the International Friendship Award to take advantage of being able to interact with scouts from multiple cultures and continents and to join in and represent themselves and the UK in Swiss National Day.

We feel fundraising an element of the trip costs, fits with the scouting ethos of learning and embedding skills in real-life situations. It allows the young people to think creatively, gain and try new skills, promotes team work, resilience and supports decision and financial management skills and importantly can be done by anyone. Thereby eliminating socio-economic constraints that may have disadvantaged some members from being able to go. All these essential skills developed by the young people, through taking part in this project, help boost confidence and self-esteem and can be built upon as they go through life.

We are supporting the costs of this expedition with fundraising activities, which started in November 2023 with Wreath making workshops, Christmas fayres and raffles. Participants have undertaken both individual and group fundraising with sponsored events. For example, we have had stalls at summer fayres, beetle drive and bingo evening and cake stall at the

Cheshire Hike Scouting event. Scouts and explorers have designed and produced a cook book that we are now selling. Individually there have been sponsored walks and people have made items for sale, such as dog blankets, decorated Christmas baubles and jam.

The group have a range of activities planned between now and the expedition in 2025. These include wreath making workshops, bingo, ceilidh and race night and a full group sponsored event climbing the height of the Jungfrau in our local church tower. We are also applying to grants to support our trip costs and match funding pots, to date Barclays Bank have match funded some events we've held. We hope to fundraise approximately 40% of the basic trip cost (accommodation, travel and food) with these events and keep reduce costs for participants families.

Thank you for taking the time to read our application for support, if you require any further information please get in touch. We look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:	
Dated: 9/12/24	Position: Leader on Expedition

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Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: CNC PROJECT			
Organisation's Name: MID CHESHIRE COMMUNITY SHED.			
Applicant's Name: GILL HEDDON			
Address: 314, CHESTER RD. HARTFORD NORTHWICH CW8 2AB			
Telephone	Mobile	e-mail	
01606 659433	07966 376195	mccshed@g.mail.com	
Estimated cost of project: £1,500			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
CNC Machines	CUTTERS,	—	£1,500.
Sub-total			1,500.
TOTAL			£ 1,500.

Details of contributions from other organisations?	
NONE	
	£
Total amount of grant applied for	£ 1,500.

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible – you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

The mid Cheshire Community Shed serves the men & women of Cheshire from 25 years and older as a hub to help improve the health + wellbeing by indulging in both physical + mental stimulation. We are still introducing new activities for our facility's users benefit. Any funding granted will make a huge difference to the length of time it will take to purchase this new piece of equipment. This in turn, will help with sales so that we can continue to expand our activities. The more appealing our activities, the more people we will attract. The benefits gained by our members whilst attending the Shed is many-fold. Depending on the individual, any one of the following improvements to a persons health and well-being can be attributed to the activities and social contact with other members- renewed confidence; improved physical mobility; improved mental health; happier persona; better conversational involvement;

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:

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Dated: 16 . 10 . 24

Position:

Trustee
~~MANAGER~~

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Project Description continued. (2)

less anxiety; forget the worries of the outside world. We are not Doctors but we do spend more time with our Members each day than just a 10-minute appointment and we talk about many subjects. All this and with a laugh, a joke + with a nice cup of tea or coffee.

Our Management Committee, Trustees + Shed members all volunteer their time + a lifetime of skills to help one another. A mix of members are in attendance most of the time, everyone mixes together on equal terms and become a socially single family and friends. We are normally aware that there may have been changes with one or two members from time to time and this can be addressed if necessary.

The Charity currently delivers:

1. Wood work room with work benches, bench drill + wood cutting machines; Scroll saw + pen making room.
2. Woodwork machinery room with woodworking bench, band saw, Planer-thicknesser, wood-turning lathes, chop saw + table router. Metal work room with 2 bench lathes.
3. Art + craft room with work benches for plastic model-making and other crafts.

All our members are assessed by appointed trainees before being allowed to use any of the machinery.

Mid Cheshire Community Shed would very much appreciate your support with funding.

Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: Free Cakes for Kids Northwich & Winsford		
Organisation's Name: Free Cakes for Kids Northwich & Winsford		
Applicant's Name: Anna Sykes		
Address: 21 Sandington Drive, Northwich, Cheshire CW8 2ZA		
Telephone	Mobile 07946125742	e-mail freecakesforkidsnorthwich@gmail.com

Estimated cost of project:

Description	Materials	Labour	Total
Funding for 50 birthday cakes	Ingredients, candle, cake board and box, decorations	Voluntary	£12 per cake = £600 for 50 cakes
Sub-total			£600
TOTAL			£ 600

Details of contributions from other organisations?	
	£ n/a
Total amount of grant applied for	£ 600

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible - you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

Free Cakes for Kids Northwich and Winsford are a local non-profit community group of volunteer bakers making delicious, personalised birthday cakes on referral for families who might otherwise struggle to provide one. We have been operating since November 2021 and in that time have made 325 cakes for birthdays, children's parties and fundraising events; which includes 124 in 2024. You can see the incredible cakes we make on our Facebook page at Free Cakes for Kids Northwich and Winsford.

We are hoping for funding for 50 birthday cakes to make sure that 50 children in Northwich have an extra special birthday; because every child deserves a birthday cake. We work with organisations at the heart of the community to identify those at most need of our support. Local schools, health visitors, social workers, the Weaver Vale Housing Trust, and Cheshire Without Abuse, among others, all regularly request cakes from us. We also support local charities such as Cheshire Buddies, the Mid Cheshire NHS Foundation Trust at the Victoria Infirmary, The Joshua Tree and community groups like the Very Green Grocery and Northwich Community Support by providing cupcakes for children's parties and cakes for fundraising activities.

We have had lots of feedback from referral organisations to let us know how much our cakes mean to the children and families that receive them. We are able to make a tangible difference to families by lightening their load at such an important time in their children's lives. A personalised birthday cake can be a great leveller, removing social inequalities surrounding birthdays and letting every child know their birthday is special with a cake made just for them.

In a very short space of time, our bakers have earned an excellent reputation for helping out a huge range of organisations around Northwich with, not just delicious birthday cakes, but cakes for their events and fundraising activities. The incredible response to our service in the years since we set up, only shows how much our group gives back to the local community and how much we are needed.

We would like to continue, and build on, the work we are doing which is why we are seeking a grant of £600. The cost of each birthday cake we make is approximately £12 - this can be broken down into the ingredients, decorations, cake box and board for delivery, and necessary candles. £600 would enable us to provide 50 birthday cakes for the children of Northwich and help lower the burden of cost on our volunteer bakers.

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:



Dated: 31.01.2025

Position: Group Co-ordinator

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Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: Little Lions Go Wild!			
Organisation's Name: The Lion Salt Works Museum			
Applicant's Name: Richard Hall			
Address: The Lion Salt Works Museum Ollershaw Lane Marston Northwich CW9 6ES			
Telephone	Mobile 07813 077079	e-mail Richard.hall2@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk	
Estimated cost of project:			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
Hopscotch mat			£27
Coloured beanbags			£24
Pop up crawl tunnel			£70
Wooden quoits			£15
game			
Mud kitchen			£300
Weatherproof storage			£300
Sub-total			
TOTAL			£736

Details of contributions from other organisations?	
Total amount of grant applied for	£736

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible - you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

On Friday mornings during term time, a group of pre-school aged children and their families/carers gather in the unique and beautiful surroundings of the Lion Salt Works' butterfly garden for Little Lions Go Wild sessions. During their visit, these families can enjoy art, craft and sensory play activities; they learn about the changing seasons in the context of the butterfly garden, the wildlife which visit there as well as learning about the site's heritage. They enjoy singing songs, playing instruments and listening to stories in the cosy butterfly cabin. Indeed, it is a wonderful platform for some of them to experience visiting a museum for the very first time, and to access the many events and activities which take place within our family of West Cheshire museums, particularly the Lion Salt Works and Weaver Hall museum and workhouse. Many of these activities are, like the Little Lions sessions, very reasonably priced or completely free of charge, and so allow those experiencing economic difficulties to access these activities/events.

Little Lions Go Wild is very much a group operating within the local community, for the benefit of those living within this local community. It fosters friendships between children and accompanying adults and can help combat feelings of social isolation often experienced by parents/carers of children in the early years. It is a happy, friendly group and has many families attending from when the children are two to when they attend full time school.

The group is run by a museum member of staff, assisted by museum volunteers. These volunteers offer so much of their own skills and personalities to enhance the offer of the group. Many of the activities which take place during the sessions draw on the immediate surroundings of the butterfly garden and Lion Salt Works site, and we use a great variety of natural materials such as twigs, leaves, conkers, stones, fir cones. We recycle unwanted materials such as fabric scraps, buttons, yarn and use them to offer fun craft activities such as making 'nature faces' with clay, mud, stones, leaves and twigs or even 'stick people' where the children can select their own stick and dress them accordingly. We also offer the opportunity for children to participate in imaginary play with our mud kitchen and sand pit, and practice and strengthen their large motor skills using our balance trail, pathways, hoopla and dance ribbons as well as parachute games.

As most of our play resources have been donated by museum staff/volunteers and some now need replacement, we are applying to Northwich Town Council for funds to buy more large motor play equipment, a new mud kitchen as the one we have is at the end of its life as well as a weatherproof garden storage shed in which to store this equipment. This is imperative as we have very limited storage space in the butterfly cabin, and this is already utilised for storing other indoor resources.

Over the past couple of years, the number of families attending Little Lions Go Wild has continued to increase, strengthening links between the Lion Salt Works and the local community. The group runs throughout the year, during all seasons and offers creative, fun art/craft/sensory/play-based activities for children in the preschool years. Our application

looks to improve our offering by expanding the types of activities we can plan and offer to families who attend, and we very much hope that the Town Council will take this into account when considering our application. Thank you for taking the time to read our application.

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:	Richard Hall
Dated: 13 February 2025	Position: Development Officer

Richard Hall

Position: Development Officer

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Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: Northwich Peer Support Lounge			
Organisation's Name: Cheshire Without Abuse (Known as MyCWA)			
Applicant's Name: Michaela East – Community Fundraiser at MyCWA			
Address: Lily Jones Support Centre, Mill House, Brook Street, Crewe, Cheshire, CW2 7DE			
Telephone 01270 250390	Mobile 07597801268	e-mail michaela.e@mycwa.org.uk	
Estimated cost of project:			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
Refreshments	£15		£180
Products for sessions	£20		£240
Quarterly extras for sessions	£50		£200
Sub-total			
TOTAL			£620

Details of contributions from other organisations?	£0
Total amount of grant applied for: Grant received from Cheshire Community Foundation to establish and facilitate Northwich Peer Support Lounge for 12 months. The CCF grant covers staff wages and expenses which includes planning, travel, delivering the sessions and safeguarding.	£2,500

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible – you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

We are seeking funding to be added towards the grant we have already received from CCF to enable us to deliver our Peer Support Lounge for victims/survivors of abuse in the Northwich area, providing them with the essential opportunity to create positive relationships with others who have first-hand understanding of the challenges they have faced and continue to face.

These sessions offer people attending the Peer Support Lounge the opportunity to seek individual, confidential guidance, and support. Evidence suggests that accessing specialist support can help intervene early and assist victims in preventing escalation, empowering them to understand their rights, enabling them to identify abuse earlier, and access services such as financial advice and mental health support.

The sessions are 2 hours long, running on a 12-week set programme and facilitated by our Amplified Voice Lead. The first hour is structured and focuses on the five ways to wellbeing: connect, take notice, keep learning, be active and give. The second hour is more relaxed, allowing clients time to enjoy refreshments and the social aspect of peer support.

We currently have Peer Support sessions running in Crewe and Macclesfield and have found it is vital that this service is provided, as attending a peer group with other local survivors can play a key role in helping victims recover from trauma and improve their emotional/mental health and wellbeing.

These valuable sessions cover specific topics designed to inspire and educate, such as writing for wellbeing, managing stress, and recognising signs of economic abuse.

For example, this year we delivered a Valentine's Day session which focused on a "be kind to yourself" initiative to promote self-confidence and emotional well-being. During the session, the group completed a self-love booklet, took part in a positive affirmation task and shared kind words about the other group members. The attendees found this activity very emotional they appreciated reading the nice comments about themselves. Some of them had never heard any positive comments about themselves before and said they felt very empowered and more confident after hearing these kind words.

Our Amplified Voice Lead, who manages and runs the sessions, is always seeking valuable feedback from group members. This includes identifying the topics that would be most beneficial for them, raising awareness on areas they would like to understand better, and finding ways to enhance their self-confidence and overall quality of life. We gauge the relevance of the sessions by actively engaging with and listening to our clients.

My CWA will deliver measurable benefits through this community-based service, such as:

- Improved emotional wellbeing and mental health management of participants.

- Made victims feel seen, heard and safer.
- Provided practical support and advice, including links to other local services.
- Helped people develop support networks.
- Increased local volunteering and engagement.

With the Northwich Town Council grant we plan to add it to our CCF funding to be able to provide our clients attending the sessions with refreshments, also use it to purchase resources and products for educational, fulfilling and creative activities.

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:	Michaela East
Dated: 22/7/2024	Position: Community Fundraiser

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Northwich Town Council
Grants Application Form (maximum £1500)

Project title: Cheshire 7s Cup			
Organisation's Name: Cheshire 7s Cup			
Applicant's Name: Harry Gibbs			
Address: 114 Old Hall Road, Northwich, CW9 8BU			
Telephone 07887806071	Mobile 07887806071	e-mail harryg687@gmail.com	
Estimated cost of project:			
Description	Materials	Labour	Total
Hire of venue			£225
Football stock			£100
Referee fees			£240 (4 X £60)
Promotional material			£100
Cups and engraving			£30
Sub-total			
TOTAL			£ 695

Details of contributions from other organisations? We are currently trying to source other local sponsors. Mornflake Oats have donated £60 to our cause. Other companies such as Snugbury's, GKN Network, Fused Sport have all contributed other prizes and incentives.	£60
Total amount of grant applied for	£ Any contribution to the above

Project Description:

Please set out what your project aims and objectives are as clearly as possible - you may continue on a separate sheet if necessary

For the last three years I have been running a men's charity 7-a-side football tournament, fundraising for Prostate Cancer UK, with every penny raised going to the charity. This started when a local referee was diagnosed with the condition, and we wanted to show solidarity and support. For the last 3 years we have been running in Middlewich, but I always wanted to bring the tournament back to my hometown of Northwich. The new look site at Moss Farm has enabled us to do this from this year, however this does come at an increased cost in terms of pitch hire. I have negotiated a discounted rate for pitch fees with Cheshire FA but this is still a £75 increase on last year. I am writing to ask if I could secure a grant to cover the cost of this £225 hire or a contribution towards it. Even a small amount would make a massive difference. I notice that you say you don't usually cover venue costs with grants, but I believe the terms of this are slightly different. If this is a sticking point, then we also require funds to purchase things like footballs for the day, trophies, referee fees etc.

As well as raising money for a great cause, the day is of great social and health benefit to those local residents taking part and continues to go from strength to strength. Through hard work it is becoming one of the talking points of the local sporting calendar. There are loads of tournaments focused on children but nothing for the older generations (open age). I believe this is something that is unique in the Northwest and can be another event to help put Northwich on the sporting map. In time I would also like to grow this to include a women's competition as well.

More information can be found on our website listed below and I can be contacted on 07887806071.

<https://cheshire7scup.weebly.com/>

Kind regards

Harry Gibbs

Signed on behalf of the applying organisation:

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Dated: 12.03.25

Position: Organiser

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Report to : Full Council

Meeting Date : 24th March 2025

Agenda Item : 5

Prepared By : Cath Kirwan

Subject : Town Mayor's Award



Members to discuss and amend application form as discussed at Full Council.

The Mayors Award for Service to the Community

- 1. What activities has the nominee undertaken?*
- 2. Where do the activities take place and where do the beneficiaries come from?*
- 3. How long has the nominee been undertaking those activities?*
- 4. How often do the activities take place and how much time does the nominee devote to them?*
- 5. How do the activities improve the community or the quality of life of its residents?*
- 6. How many and what groups of people (e.g. older or younger residents) benefit from the activities?*
- 7. How do the activities contribute to meeting local needs?*
- 8. What personal strengths and skills does the nominee bring to their role?*

The decision of the Committee is requested.
