

Local Joint Committees

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Local Joint Committee APPLICATION FORM

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTION OFFICER FOR HELP AND SUPPORT
IN COMPLETING YOUR APPLICATION - CONTACT DETAILS AT THE END OF THE FORM

PLEASE STATE THE LOCAL JOINT COMMITTEE YOU ARE APPLYING TO:	Bishop's Castle, Chirbury Worthen and Clun Local Joint Committee		
PLEASE TICK WHICH FUNDING BEST DESCRIBES YOUR PROJECT:	COMMUNITY <input type="checkbox"/>	ARTS <input type="checkbox"/>	LEISURE <input type="checkbox"/>
1. PROJECT TITLE :	A 'bird screen/curtain', for the porch, across the main doorway at St. Cuthbert's Church.		
2. LOCATION OF PROJECT ACTIVITY:	St. Cuthbert's Church, Clungunford, Shropshire, SY7 OPN		
3. PROJECT START DATE:	June 2012	4. COMPLETION DATE:	August 2012
5. APPLICANT DETAILS:			
Name of Organisation or Group	The Parochial Church Council , P.C.C. of St. Cuthbert's, Clungunford		
Name of Key Contact	Sandra Schofield		

10. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Include the overall purpose and aims of the project and the main activities.

To provide a 'bird screen' of hanging chains to cover the opening of the main door at St. Cuthbert's Church, so that swallows can be prevented from entering, but the door can be left open when required, for easier access for all,
In addition, it will help to provide a more 'welcoming' aspect to the main entrance to the building.

11. NEED AND DEMAND:

What is the evidence that justifies the project activities? To what extent is the project needed? Detail any consultation you have undertaken. What is the scale of demand for the project activities? Does demand vary across the area of benefit, or by different groups of people?

As our community activities have increased there is a great deal more 'coming and going' in and out of the Church. We have all ages catered for in a variety of ways and equipment has to be transported in and out for a range of activities. It is just not possible to have a permanent 'door-keeper' to ensure that people can enter and leave freely, without being urged to 'hurry' because of the swallows!

There is a notice on the outside of the door welcoming everyone, and there is an open-door policy, so the Church is open, from 'dawn 'til dusk', so people may come in at all times. With a chain 'curtain' in place, especially in the summer months, the entrance would look more inviting, and more light would flood into the church.

We have permissions now to proceed with our improvements to the Church, providing toilet facilities, a servery, etc., when we have sufficient funds. When this goes ahead there will be even more demand for improved access to the building, and to have a chain screen, would indicate so well that we were open and not locked!

Tourism is becoming an increased interest locally and we are participating in various groups to encourage visitors and provide a welcoming environment for all, at all times.

12. ADDED VALUE

In what ways will the project be additional to what is already being done?

The impression of an open building is welcoming, as well as being a practical asset for access.

For example, our 'Holiday Club' for Children and Young People, to be held in August, would find a 'curtain' providing easy access a great help, as groups and individuals move in and out throughout the day, often with games equipment, refreshments etc. (to keep swallows out is extremely difficult on such occasions!)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: to be completed by all applicants		
Project Costs: List anticipated items of expenditure below	£	
Chain		
Fixings/Tools		
Carriage		
Labour		
TOTAL PROJECT COSTS	£400	
Project Funding: List anticipated project income or grant funding (including LJC Grant applied for) and any contributions in kind.	£	Confirm status of funding eg: Secured/unconfirmed/ applied for etc
Donation of money and time	£100	
Requested from LJC	£300	
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING (should equal total project costs)	£400	
Please confirm how much funding you are seeking from the Local Joint Committee?	£300	
Depending on budget pressures the Local Joint Committee may need to consider a reduced offer of funding. Please describe what the impact on your project activity would be if less funding were available.		
We would aim to increase the donation from supporters.		