

Local Joint Committee 8 - St Oswald and Llanymynech

Eligible Bids Recommended for Full Funding

Name of Organisation or Group	Parish Council Area	Amount Requested	Amount Recommended
Telescope Parish Magazine	Kinnerley, Knockin & Molverley	984.00	984.00
Llanymynech Football Club	Llanymynech & Pant	2,000.00	2,000.00
Peel's Plantation Management Group	Kinnerley	397.68	397.68
	Total	3,381.68	3,381.68

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Eligible Bids Recommended for Partial Funding

Name of Organisation or Group	Parish Council Area	Amount Requested	Amount Recommended
Packet-boat Duchess Countess Trust	Llanymynech & Pant	2,000.00	500.00
Morda Village Design Statement group	Oswestry Rural	2,000.00	500.00
Knockin Assembly Rooms	Knockin	1,028.26	750.00
Shropshire Union Canal Society	Oswestry Rural and Llanymynech & Pant	2,000.00	1,600.00 Subject to terms
Pant Pigeon Club	Llanymynech & Pant	563.00	500.00
	Total	7,591.26	3,850.00

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Eligible Bids Recommended for Deferral

Name of Organisation or Group	Parish Council Area	Amount Requested	Amount Deferred
Pant Methodist Chapel	Llanymynech & Pant	1,000.00	1,000.00 Subject to terms
Cambrian Heritage Railways (trust)	Llanymynech & Pant, Llanbyblodwel	2,000.00	1,000.00 Subject to terms
	Total	3,000.00	2,000.00

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Eligible Bids Not Recommended for Funding

Name of Organisation or Group	Parish Council Area	Amount Requested	Amount Recommended
Tanat Valley Light Railway Company	Oswestry Rural	Withdrawn	0.00
Maesbrook Methodist Society	Kinnerley	1,500.00	0.00
Llanymynech & Pant Parish Council	Llanymynech & Pant	845.00	0.00
	Total	2,345.00	0.00

Appendix A

Summary of project

Application for a Laptop, printer and software to produce the parish newsletter. Currently volunteers use their own PCs and software which isn't always practicable. Provision of equipment and software will ensure reliable and regular production and hopefully encourage more people to volunteer to help produce the newsletter.

The club has significantly expanded over recent years to 15 teams (including 4 girls teams) and is currently applying for community status with the Football Association. The club would like to purchase a kit for all of their 230 players teams to create a sense of identity and belonging. Having kit available to potential new members will also make the club more inclusive of all who wish to play.

Posts and labour costs for a properly qualified and insured chain saw operator to lay a hedge along one boundary of this community woodland. This will create a secure boundary for when children are using the woodland. Currently the hedge is growing top heavy and people are regularly pushing through gaps causing the hedge to disintegrate further. Maintenance of the wood is carried out by local volunteer working parties but none of the volunteers have the specialist skills or insurances required for this piece of work.

Appendix B

Summary of project
<p>Application for a grant towards Broadband/telephone connection, licenses and promotional leaflets for a visitor and resource centre at Llanymynech. The visitor/resource centre was set up by the Duchess Countess Trust to help raise money to rebuild the Duchess Countess passenger boat. The visitor/resource centre are well-used by the local community and by visitors to Llanymynech to learn about the industrial and canal heritage in the local area. <i>The committee is sympathetic to the aims of the wider project, but at this stage feel that outputs and strategic direction are not sufficiently formulated to warrant greater funding.</i></p>
<p>Application for funds to cover costs of consulting local people as part of the development of a Village Design Statement. Consultation will take the form of a questionnaire survey and public meetings. Funds are also sought to purchase a village noticeboard to increase and encourage communication to and within the community about local opportunities and events. <i>The committee feel that only stationary, postage and web page development should be funded from the LJC at this stage.</i></p>
<p>Application to purchase crockery/cutlery and a storage cupboard for the hall. There are regular bookings for large events and at present the committee have to hire these items at a cost. Having the crockery would reduce costs, increase the attractiveness of the hall as a venue and therefore increase the sustainability of the hall. <i>The committee feel that partial funding is appropriate.</i></p>
<p>Application for costs towards chain- saw training and accommodation for volunteers who are laying hedges to increase the usability of towpaths for local and visiting walkers. <i>The Committee are concerned that the volunteers trained have a local connection to Shropshire.</i></p>
<p>Purchase of replacement pigeon racing equipment for a long established club of local people. <i>The committee feel the project deserves a substantial contribution.</i></p>

Appendix C

Summary of project
<p>Application for funding to put up a net along the rear wall of the chapel. This is to protect the chapel roof from regularly being damaged by footballs from the adjacent playing field and to prevent the unsafe practice of children climbing up the rainwater downpipe to retrieve their ball. <i>The Committee require further information as to the ownership of the land in question, before committing any funds.</i></p>
<p>Application for funds towards construction of a railway line halt at Pen y Garreg lane in Pant and a short footpath linking the halt to the Montgomery Canal. This will mean that passengers travelling on the railway from Llyncllys will be able to get off at Pant and then walk into Pant or down to Llanymynech and the Heritage area. This project is part of the wider scheme to extend the operating heritage railway to over 7 miles from Gobowen during the next few years. <i>The Committee is happy to make a commitment against the project, but requires that all funding is in place against the whole project before LJC funds are actually provided.</i></p>

Appendix D

Summary of project
<p>Provision of an information point for the Nant Mawr Visitor Centre, housed in a repaired railway box van body. <i>Project Application was withdrawn.</i></p>
<p>Application for costs towards providing updated toilet facilities for the Methodist church hall which is used for church services and some other local groups. <i>The Committee feel that there is insufficient wider community benefit for this project.</i></p>
<p>The Parish Council through a team of volunteers have raised £45,000 and installed new play/sports equipment on the village playing fields. An application is being made for £845.00 from the Local Joint Committee to pay for proper signs to meet Health & Safety guidelines and complete this project. <i>The Committee will no longer be considering applications directly from Parish Councils and has amended its Community Fund Rules to reflect this.</i></p>