

District Project Grants 2022-2023

Organisation	Grant Requested	Grant Awarded	Ward	Project Description
Taste of Wickham	£5,000	£1,000	Southwick & Wickham	Funding sought for creating an inclusive free event to give the local residents an opportunity to feel more engaged with where they live; show case local organisations on community stalls at the event, volunteering, meeting neighbours and members of the Parish Council; support local businesses' economic growth by showcasing the great rural businesses and encouraging attendees to shop locally.
Meon Valley Heartstart	£3,500	£3,500	Bishops Waltham	Free training sessions provided to schools, community groups, sports clubs, doctor's surgeries, businesses and members of the public on emergency life saving skills, including CPR, the use of a defibrillator and dealing with choking and bleeding. Training videos are used in each training to show practical scenarios of emergency life saving situations and how to deal with them. Funding is sought to update and renew these 12 training videos.
Otterbourne WI	£828	£828	Colden Common & Twyford	Centenary year project - to plant new tree and plaque for centenary, help fund members who can't afford to join and fund transport for people with mobility needs to attend anniversary meetings and events. Year will culminate with 100th birthday celebration in Dec23 - aims to attract new members to join.

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West Meon Village Hall	£4,370	£4,370	Upper Meon Valley	Funding is needed to help acquire film equipment initially to set up a community cinema in the village hall with the aim to develop it into a thriving community event by offering refreshments and periodic supper evenings; make it available for rent to other organisations who require special projection equipment.
Littleton Croquet Club	£1,710	£1,710	Wonston & Micheldever	Badger damage has made lawns unplayable. Need to turf or club will not be able to continue - have 75 members. Using nematodes and heavy duty wire netting to secure lawns against badgers while seek advice as to longer term solution
Home-Start Hampshire	£4,978	£2,300	Central Meon Valley	The project aims to better reach/support vulnerable families by boosting /adding to our southern parishes volunteer in-service training and support. Provide additional focused training with both our current volunteers matched with families and to-be recruited volunteers in 2023.
Southern Domestic Abuse Service t/a Stop Domestic Abuse	£2,000	£2,000	St Michael	Project to support 6 women from Winchester refuge affected by domestic abuse through equine therapy
Wickham Community Association	£3,689	£3,242	Southwick & Wickham	Funding needed to complete polytunnel development at community garden - used as teaching and communal space for volunteers and local families including pilot of green scoil prescribing sessions with local surgery. Funding will provide extra fencing to secure site from vandalism, new doors, cover, irrigation system, potting tables, electricity box and heaters.

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Southampton and Winchester Visitors Group (SWVG)	£5,000	£5,000	Alresford & Itchen Valley	This project supports people while they are seeking asylum in Winchester. The aim is to welcome them in our community, to help their mental and physical well-being, to mitigate isolation and poverty, to cope with the asylum system; help them to eventually integrate, contribute to our society.
Total District	£31,075	£23,950		