

NHB Community Grants Scheme 2016/17**SUMMARY OF BIDS – Over £3.5K****Application 1**

PROJECT NAME:	Resurface and re-mark the playground	
Organisation:	Fairfield First School	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£13,252	
Aim of Project:	The grant would be spent resurfacing the playground and marking out a fitness trail and courts.	
Location of Project:	School playground, Stourbridge Road, Fairfield	
WARD	Belbroughton & Romsley	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	No	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	NIL	
Comments:		
<p>The Panel agreed that this did not fall within the remit of the scheme.</p> <p>(As detailed in section 3 of the Frequently Asked Questions information provided on the Council's website.)</p>		

Application 2

PROJECT NAME:	West Hagley Football Club – The Pavilion	
Organisation:	West Hagley Football Club in conjunction with Hagley Parish Council	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£20,000	
Aim of Project:	The project is to re-build the current outdated Parish Council owned, football changing room facility.	
Location of Project:	Hagley	
WARD	Hagley West	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£5,948	
Comments:		
<p>Subject to the agreement of both Ward Councillors from Hagley East and West that the allocated funds can be combined.</p> <p>AND</p> <p>With the condition that the Parish Council makes up the balance of the amount requested from its own funds.</p>		

Application 3

PROJECT NAME:	Purchase of new minibus	
Organisation:	Hagley Ramblers Scout Group	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£10,000	
Aim of Project:	To purchase a further minibus in order to transport the children to different locations for activities, rather than asking parents to drive.	
Location of Project:	Hagley	
WARD	Hagley East	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£10,000	
Comments:		
Subject to the agreement of both Ward Councillors from Hagley East and West that the allocated funds can be combined.		

Application 4

PROJECT NAME:	Refurbishment of Kitchen	
Organisation:	Cofton Hackett Village Hall	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£15,292	
Aim of Project:	Full modernisation of the kitchen in order to provide an affordable meeting venue for all the local and surrounding community. With modern kitchen facilities and equipment it will attract more local gatherings or groups to use the hall.	
Location of Project:	Cofton Hackett	
WARD	Cofton	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	No	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	NIL	
Comments: This was refused by the Panel as it was agreed that the bid was not robust enough.		

Application 5

PROJECT NAME:	Hut Refurbishment	
Organisation:	6th Bromsgrove Scout Group (Catshill)	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£4,500	
Aim of Project:	To provide a safe and secure place for the young people to meet and bring the state of the hut up to a standard where the Group could rent out the space to other community groups.	
Location of Project:	Lingfield Walk, Catshill	
WARD	Catshill North	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£4,500	
Comments: Subject to the agreement of both Ward Councillors from Catshill North and South that the allocated funds can be combined.		

Application 6

PROJECT NAME:	Practice Net Area Refurbishment
Organisation:	Barnt Green Cricket Club
Amount of Funding Requested:	£5,100 - £7,100
Aim of Project:	Refurbishment of the 4 lane practice net area including resurfacing and re-netting.
Location of Project:	Cherry Hill Road, Barnt Green
WARD	Barnt Green & Hopwood
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£5,100
<p>Comments: To be funded from balances brought forward from the 2015/16 fund.</p> <p>Subject to any additional funding required to be sourced (and evidence provided) prior to receipt of the Grant.</p>	

Application 7

PROJECT NAME:	School Ground Redevelopment	
Organisation:	Belbroughton Church of England Primary School – Diocese of Worcester	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£5,000	
Aim of Project:	Refurbishment of the grounds to provide the children with a much safer all-weather playtime environment and a greater space for use in community events and to meet the needs of increasing pupil numbers.	
Location of Project:	Bradford Lane, Belbroughton	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	NO	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	NIL	
<p>Comments: The Panel agreed that this did not fall within the remit of the scheme.</p> <p>(As detailed in section 3 of the Frequently Asked Questions information provided on the Council’s website.)</p>		

Application 8

PROJECT NAME:	Stoke Wharf Picnic Site	
Organisation:	Stoke Parish Council	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£5,000	
Aim of Project:	The Parish Council are keen to maintain the picnic site as a local asset for both tourists and local residents. The Parish Council is committed to improving this facility and to ensuring it is properly maintained.	
Location of Project:	Stoke Wharf Picnic site	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£2,259	
Comments: Subject to the balance being funded by the Parish Council.		

Application 9

PROJECT NAME:	Refurbishment of Female Toilet Block	
Organisation:	Catshill Village Hall Trustees	
Amount of Funding Requested:	£6,500	
Aim of Project:	Refurbish the female toilet block which has not been done for over 20 years.	
Location of Project:	Catshill Village Hall	
GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED (if none – reason why)	Yes	
AMOUNT OF GRANT TO BE RECOMMENDED	£6,500	
<p>Comments:</p> <p>Subject to the agreement of both Ward Councillors from Catshill North and South that the allocated funds can be combined.</p> <p>£5,347 to be funded from the Ward allocation for 2016/17 with the balance coming from the funds carried forward from 2015/16.</p>		