

Area Committee Well-being Fund – Expression of Interest

Project Name: Farsley Festival

Lead Organisation: Farsley Christmas Lights organisation

Project Summary (please include a brief description of the main activities and why this project is needed):

In 2012, Diamond Jubilee Year, Farsley staged one of the largest street parties and entertainments for people of all ages, to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. As a community in Farsley, we would now like to stage a Farsley Festival in 2013.

The theme will be a giant Street Party, with musical entertainment by local groups and artists; with side shows for young children, small fairground rides, etc. There will also be a live Rock Band playing.

The festival will involve inter generational activities for all ages and provide an exciting opportunity for all those living in Farsley to have a positive experience and take pride in their community.

Outcomes (please summarise the main outcome/output/benefit the project will achieve):

The event itself will be a celebration of life in Farsley Village, and of the community in Farsley, bringing together people of all age groups, backgrounds, religions, or no religion, and different ethnic groups who now live in the area.

The event will create a space where people of all ages of the community can come together and celebrate each other. This will provide an excellent showcase for Farsley Town Street and all of its local business. It will also help residents see their community as a safe place for families and young people.

Project Cost (please indicate how much the project will cost, how much Well-being funding is sought and the breakdown between capital and revenue):

£5,000 – Total Project Cost

Total revenue funding requested: £2,500

Identify which geographic areas will benefit and which Area Committee you are applying to:

Area Committee - Outer West Area Committee
Wards - Calverley & Farsley