

## INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

Date :

20/07/11

Reference number :

INW/11/07/S

Organisation :

IRISH ARTS FOUNDATION

Name of Project :

LEEDS GATHERING

Funding Requested:

£500

Summary of Project:

The Leeds Gathering 2011 is a celebration of traditional Irish music, song and dance. It is a citywide partnership programme of Irish artistic and cultural classes, training sessions, workshops and events within Otley & Yeadon, Hyde Park & Woodhouse, Headingley, Chapel Allerton, Gipton & Harehills, Armley, Beeston & Holbeck over a twelve day period between 5<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> November. Now in its 7<sup>th</sup> year they intend to build on their success as an established community based showcasing project event.

Aims of the project:

- 1/ To introduce and encourage the understanding, playing, listening and celebration of traditional Irish music, arts and heritage amongst the wider community.
- 2/ To encourage awareness among Irish people of their artistic and cultural heritage and, in so doing, go some way towards attempting to offset the older Irish people's internalisation of anti-Irish racism.

The grant will help pay for cultural events at Farmers Market and HEART, publicity, workshops, performances and contributions toward workshop practitioners.

Area Committee Priority Met:

Community Life, Learning For All

Total costs:

£22,000

Other grants applied for:

£2500 – Arts Council England  
£3000 – other LCC small grants  
£16,000 – Irish government funding

Area Management Approval:

Chris Dickinson

Date:

20/07/11

# INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

Date :

21/07/11

Reference number :

INW/11/09/S

Organisation :

VANDAN WOMEN'S GROUP

Name of Project :

HEALTHY LIVING

Funding Requested:

£1000

**Summary of Project:**

A small grant to help provide various mental health activities and engage women. The activities are intended to:

- Encourage women to enhance and improve communication skills
- Empower them to engage in community activities
- Break social isolation
- Motivate them to get actively involved in the planning and organising of further sessions.
- Build their confidence
- Improve their mental and physical health by adopting a healthier lifestyle.
- Activities, beauty session, hand painting and massage
- Increase their knowledge and understanding of stress management techniques and ways to implement it in their everyday life.

Having spoken to other women in the community, the Vandan Women's Group has discovered that there are many women who suffer from mental health and depression, anxiety. The aim of the project is to bring like-minded Asian women together so they can bond and interact with people of similar ages and interests.

6 volunteers from the group will be organising the project which will be targeting 25-30 members of the community from Burley, Hyde Park and surrounding areas.

The grant will pay for the weekly hire of Cardigan Community Centre, tutors' fees and administrative work.

**Area Committee Priority Met:**

Thing to do, Community Life, Healthy Living, Learning For All, Getting Around

**Total costs:**

£1110

**Other grants applied for:**

Remainder to be funded by Vandan Women's Group

**Area Management Approval:**

Chris Dickinson

**Date:**

21/07/11

## INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

**Date :** 21/07/11

**Reference number :** INW/11/11/S

**Organisation :** **OPEN XS CLUSTER**

**Name of Project :** OPEN XS LANTERN FESTIVAL

**Funding Requested:** £500

**Summary of Project:**

A grant to help fund a festival to celebrate the cultural diversity of the local area and to promote community cohesion.  
This year will be the fourth festival involving children, young people, families and members of the community participating in a parade around Little London, Woodhouse, Hyde Park and Burley with homemade lanterns. Last year over 450 people joined the parade.

This small grant will pay for a celebration feast at the City Of Leeds High School, which will provide the local community with the opportunity to talk to each other and discuss issues and concerns whilst eating local food and watching a variety of performances at the school.

**Area Committee Priority Met:** Safe Neighbourhoods, Community Life

**Total costs:** £1000

**Other grants applied for:** £200 – MICE money  
£300 – Extended Services

**Area Management Approval:** Chris Dickinson

**Date:** 21/07/11

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**Reference number :**

**Organisation :**

**Name of Project :**

**Funding Requested:**

**Summary of Project:**

Pavilion is a Leeds-based commissioning organisation that deals with contemporary art and the problem of image, presenting work as a route for audiences to further develop a critical position within the world. Each new commission is dealt with on its own terms and draws on the particular local context as well as working with international influences and discourses. Pavilion organise a regular programme of events in Leeds and produce three to four new commissions each year that are presented in the city and beyond and in spaces ranging from galleries to the public realm.

Pavilion's latest commission "Ways Of Sitting" will take the form of ten short video episodes to be shown between main features at Hyde Park Picture House from October 2011 to January 2012. The videos invite the audience to consider the chair, its social and cultural associations and the very act of sitting and looking. The area of Hyde Park / Woodhouse / Headingley and the Hyde Park Picture House itself have been chosen as the location for this commission owing to the area's diverse social and ethnic makeup and the cinema as an important and unifying hub of this community.

The grant will help pay for the hire of Hyde Park Picture House for the launch of the event, hire of a specialist hard drive and promotional materials.

**Area Committee Priority Met:**

**Total costs:**

**Other grants applied for:**

**Area Management Approval:**

**Date:**

## INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

**Date :**

21/07/11

**Reference number :**

INW/11/13/S

**Organisation :**

**Headingley Network Litfest**

**Name of Project :**

Headingley Litfest 2012: Lingo

**Funding Requested:**

£750

**Summary of Project:**

The Headingley Literature Festival is now in its fifth year and operates under the wing of Headingley Network, a community organisation which works to improve the environment and facilities for the local community. The festival is designed to bring people from the world of words and literature – if possible with a local connection – to perform in Headingley toward the end of March 2012.

The Headingley Network is run by volunteers and encourages a wide range of attendees by using a broad range of community networks. It encourages participation in readings, competitions and other open events. The programme of activities will reach from Lawnswood to Hyde Park / Woodhouse and down to Kirkstall.

The small grant will be used to cover printing costs for publicity materials.

**Area Committee Priority Met:**

Thing to do

**Total costs:**

£5000

**Other grants applied for:**

£1000 – Arts@Leeds  
£100 – Weetwood Councillors  
Remainder from Headingley Network Litfest

**Area Management Approval:**

Chris Dickinson

**Date:**

21/07/11

# INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

Date :

21/07/11

Reference number :

INW/11/14/S

Organisation :

**HYDE PARK SOURCE**

Name of Project :

BURLEY BINYARD GARDENS MAINTENANCE PROJECT

Funding Requested:

£500

**Summary of Project:**

A small grant to help fund a high impact, low cost summer project to run for 4 weeks and engage with 24 disadvantaged local people aged 13 to 25 in maintenance activities on the binyard gardens that were created by HP Source volunteers and young people. Accreditation will be offered to all 25 beneficiaries in the form of ASDAN's Employment qualification in a variety of units and at levels appropriate to them.

The grant will be used for materials necessary for the renovations: timber, cement, paint, tiles and fittings such as screws, nails etc.

**Area Committee Priority Met:**

Things to do, Clean & Green, Safe Neighbourhoods, Community Life, Healthy Living, Learning For All

**Total costs:**

£2000

**Other grants applied for:**

Remainder to be funded by Hyde Park Source

**Area Management Approval:**

Chris Dickinson

**Date:**

22/07/11

## INNER NORTH WEST AREA COMMITTEE WELL BEING FUND – SMALL GRANT APPLICATION

**Date :**

09/08/11

**Reference number :**

INW/11/16/S

**Organisation :**

**OLDER WISER LOCAL SENIORS (OWLS)**

**Name of Project :**

THE HOOTER

**Funding Requested:**

£500

**Summary of Project:**

OWLS is a newly established neighbourhood network scheme for older people living in Burley, Hyde Park, Little Woodhouse and parts of Kirkstall and Headingley. Since starting in January 2011 the scheme has recruited almost 200 members (local older people) and the support of 20 volunteers. OWLS has already set up a supermarket shopping service, a gentle exercise group, information service and run trips.

To encourage the involvement of local people the scheme has established a quarterly newsletter called The Hooter. This small grant application is for printing costs of the autumn, winter and spring issues of the newsletter: 500 A3 copies and 10 large print A2 copies for distribution among local older people, local community groups and other organisations. The Hooter also includes a section for other groups to promote their activities. Acknowledgement of INW AC funding would be included in the newsletter.

**Area Committee Priority Met:**

Thing to do, Community Life, Healthy Living, Getting Around

**Total costs:**

£1451

**Other grants applied for:**

£751 – Adult Social Care  
£200 – from volunteers

**Area Management Approval:**

Chris Dickinson

**Date:**

09/08/11