

Ward Flexibility Funding Application Form

Thank you for your interest in Stockport Council's Ward Flexibility Fund. To give your group the best chance of success please read the guidance notes and the questions on the application form carefully.

Please ensure that all boxes on this form are completed. You must also include all additional information that is requested.

1. About Your Organisation

1. Name of Organisation/ Group Bramhall Together Trust

2. Organisation/Individual Address

3. Main Contact Details (for correspondence)

Title: Mr

Name: Roger Prydderch

Role: Chair

Address:

Postcode:

Home Phone Number:

Mobile Phone Number:

Email Address:

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4. Please provide your bank account details

Account Name:

Account Number:

Sort Code:

5. What is the status of your Organisation/ Group? Please Tick					
	Voluntary Organisation	\boxtimes			
	Company Limited by Guarantee No.				
	Unregistered Association				
	Other (Please specify)				
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6. Please describe the main activities of your Organisation/ Group Bramhall Together Trust exist

A small group of volunteers who arrange up to three free-to-attend community based events each year. Each event attracts between 2,000-3,000 visitors and is aimed at entertaining & bringing together the local community (young and old), putting Bramhall on the map, and promoting the businesses within the village.

7. When was your Organisation/Group established?

Various incarnations over the years but around 2013 as Bramhall Together Trust

8. Does your organisation have the following policies and procedures in place?

If you are awarded a grant you will be required to send copies of all relevant documents as part of the grant agreement.

A governance/management committee	\times
A Constitution/governing document/set of rules	\ge
An Equal Opportunities Policy	
A Child Protection Policy (where necessary)	
A Health and Safety Public liability	\times

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2. About Your Application

9. Please give us a brief description of your proposed/planned project or activity

You may wish to include details of what activities will take place, where will it happen, how often and who will take part. If you are applying for equipment you can tell us what will it be used for and why is it needed.

We are currently organising Light-up Bramhall (1st December 2024) with more events to follow in the new year and therefore fundraising to help us cover the ever increasing costs which are largely staging, entertainment & marketing for each event. Any funds are spread across each event and combined with our other fund raising and proceeds on the day.

10. Who will benefit from this grant?

e.g. local residents, young people, older people and how? The entire community. Each event has got bigger and bigger every year and so there's a growing level of expectation from the community. Nobody is excluded from the free-to-attend events.

10(a) How Many Stockport residents will benefit?

Up to 3,000 estimated

10(b) Are there any restrictions on who will benefit from the funding?

No - each event is designed to allow everyone will benefit (including local businesses)

11. Your Project's Budget

Please provide a breakdown of cost for your project including VAT where applicable and submit any estimates for the purchase of equipment or work to be done.

Each event costs around $\pounds 8,000$ to put on made up largely from staging, entertainment and marketing.

11(a) How much will the project/activity cost in total?

Approaching £24,000 over 3 events however we are currently only running 2 events totalling £16,000 annual costs

11(b) Tell us about other any other sources of income you have already applied for or raised so far in relation to this project

Currently our only regular funding is from the Ward Funding (excluding anything discretionary) of £1,000 which contributes to all three events. We also do ask local businesses for contributions but obviously not guaranteed and also try to run an annual fundraising evening.

12. How much are you applying for from the Ward Flexibility Budget?

£1,000

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12(a) If the amount you are applying for covers only part of the project/activity, then please tell us how do you intend to fund any shortfall?

Money will be raised from public donations, small surplus from previous fundraising and money from the market/food stalls that we'll arrange on the day. We also usually look for a headline sponsor for each event in addition to an annual fundraising event (when we have the capacity to run this).

13. What is the planned timescale for spending this grant?

Fund spent throughout the year and any surplus will be saved and used at the next event.

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3. Which Wards are you Applying to? You may tick more than one box. Please note that no grant of more than £1,000 in totality will ordinarily be made.

Please tell us for each ward you wish to make an application to:-

- how many people will benefit in that ward; and (a)
- what proportion of funding from your overall application you are seeking from (b) each ward.

	Number of beneficiaries	How much funding you are seeking
Bramhall & Cheadle Hulme South Area C	ommittee	V
Bramhall North		£
Bramhall South & Woodford	\boxtimes	£1,000
Cheadle Hulme South		£
Central Stockport Area Committee		
Brinnington & Stockport Central		£
Davenport & Cale Green		£
Edgeley		£
Manor		£
Cheadle Area Committee		
Cheadle East & Cheadle Hulme North	h 🗌	£
Cheadle West & Gatley		£
Heald Green		£
Heatons & Reddish Area Committee		
Heatons North		£
Heatons South		£
Reddish North		£
Reddish South		£
Marple Area Committee		
Marple North		£
Marple South & High Lane		£
Stepping Hill Area Committee		_
Hazel Grove		£
Norbury & Woodsmoor		£
Offerton		£
Werneth Area Committee		_
Bredbury & Woodley		£
Bredbury Green & Romiley		£
	Totals	£
	This total should add up to the figure you provided in Question 12	
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4. Application Checklist and Declaration

1.	I am authorised to make this application on behalf of the above organisation	\boxtimes
2.	I certify that the information contained in this application is correct	\mathbf{X}
3.	If the information changes in any way I will inform Democratic Services accordingly.	\boxtimes
4.	I give permission for Democratic Services to contact my organisation and/or myself by phone, mail or e-mail with information about its activities and funding opportunities.	\boxtimes
5.	I/ we agree (if required) to attend an Area Committee meeting to explain how the proposal will improve the environmental, economic or social wellbeing of the area and to answer any questions.	\boxtimes
6.	Our details can be used for promotional purposes should this request be successful	\boxtimes
7.	I/We will use this grant for the proposed project/activities stated in our application.	\boxtimes
8.	I/we will not use the grant for any other purpose prior to contacting Democratic Services in order to seek authorisation.	\boxtimes
9.	I/we will provide appropriate proof of expenditure to Democratic Services, within 12 months from the Grant being made.	\boxtimes
10.	I/we will highlight the support of the Area Committee in recent publicity material.	\boxtimes
11.	I/we agree to providing information to assist in the future monitoring of the effectiveness of the funding including reporting back to the Area Committee on how the grant has been spent and what difference it has made.	\boxtimes
12.	I/we agree that the content of this completed application form and any supplementary information provided may be published on the Council's website and other publications as part of the application process.	\boxtimes
Print y	our name: Roger Prydderch	

Signature:

or if submitted electronically tick this box to signify your agreement to the above terms

Date: 11th September 2024

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