



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

Houldsworth Working Men's Club

2. Organisation/Individual Address

Leamington Road, Reddish, Stockport, SK5 6BD

3. Main Contact Details (for correspondence)

Title: Mr

Name: Tony Lord

Role: President

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

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| A New Group | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voluntary Organisation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| A Registered Charity No. | <input type="checkbox"/> | Company Limited by Guarantee No. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Applying for Charitable Status | <input type="checkbox"/> | Unregistered Association | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Friendly Society | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other (Please specify) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Housing Association | <input type="checkbox"/> | Private Members Club | |

6. Please describe the main activities of your Organisation/ Group

To provide the community of all ages a social hub to do activities, such as Darts, Snooker, Pool, Bowling. Providing room facilities for community group activities such as slimming club, brass band rehearsals, line dancing, youth football presentation evenings, funeral wakes, birthdays and christenings. We also hold a weekly club for the elderly to meet in a warm comfortable space and play bingo and prevent feeling of isolation.

The Houldsworth Working Men's Club is a historical building that has been and continues to be a social hub for the local community since 1874. The club benefits not only the local people of Reddish but has members from around the Stockport borough and its facilities are hired out for community family events.

The club provides a safe and welcoming environment for the vulnerable members of the community such as the elderly, where they can meet socialise and helps provide warmth which they may not have at home.

It is a focal point for the community when wanting to celebrate family occasions with a choice of function rooms to suit the event. The facilities provide a function room upstairs and downstairs allowing access to people with mobility issues to enjoy the entertainment or event.

7. When was your Organisation/Group established?

The Club was established in 1874

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

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

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| A governance/management committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| A Constitution/governing document/set of rules | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| An Equal Opportunities Policy | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| A Child Protection Policy (where necessary) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| A Health and Safety Public liability | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

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.

This is to refurbish the downstairs toilets both male and female, replacing and upgrading the sanitation and ventilation as well as the décor. This is to enhance the facilities for the members and wider community that use the club.

10. Who will benefit from this grant?

e.g. local residents, young people, older people and how?

It will benefit members and the wider community that use the club for social activities and room hire. Children, young people, families and elderly will benefit from the upgraded facilities which are currently in need of decorating, better ventilation to prevent mould and smells, new hand dryers to improve hygiene for everyone who use the toilets.

10(a) How Many Stockport residents will benefit?

the approximately 500

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

No

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.

Hand dryers, Ventilation fans, new toilet furniture eg seats etc, paint and tiles.

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

Approximately £2000

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

We are currently in the process of raising £1000

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

£1000

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?

Club funds and fundraising will be used to meet any shortfall.

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

Start November 2024

Finish December2024

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:-

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

	Number of beneficiaries	How much funding you are seeking
Bramhall & Cheadle Hulme South Area Committee		
Bramhall North	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Bramhall South & Woodford	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Cheadle Hulme South	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Central Stockport Area Committee		
Brinnington & Stockport Central	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 100
Davenport & Cale Green	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Edgeley	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 100
Manor	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Cheadle Area Committee		
Cheadle East & Cheadle Hulme North	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Cheadle West & Gatley	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Heald Green	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Heatons & Reddish Area Committee		
Heatons North	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 200
Heatons South	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 200
Reddish North	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 200
Reddish South	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	£ 200
Marple Area Committee		
Marple North	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Marple South & High Lane	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Stepping Hill Area Committee		
Hazel Grove	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Norbury & Woodsmoor	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Offerton	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Werneth Area Committee		
Bredbury & Woodley	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Bredbury Green & Romiley	<input type="checkbox"/>	£
Totals		£1000

This total should add up to the figure you provided in **Question 12**



4. Application Checklist and Declaration

1. I am authorised to make this application on behalf of the above organisation
2. I certify that the information contained in this application is correct
3. If the information changes in any way I will inform Democratic Services accordingly.
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.
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.
6. Our details can be used for promotional purposes should this request be successful
7. I/We will use this grant for the proposed project/activities stated in our application.
8. I/we will not use the grant for any other purpose prior to contacting Democratic Services in order to seek authorisation.
9. I/we will provide appropriate proof of expenditure to Democratic Services, within 12 months from the Grant being made.
10. I/we will highlight the support of the Area Committee in recent publicity material.
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.
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.

Print your name: Tony Lord

Signature:

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

Date: 17.10.2024

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