

Clerks report

1st Pinhoe Scouts - Projector

Feb 25



1. **Application details:**

A small grants application has been from the 1st Pinhoe Scout group for a grant of £450. This is to purchase a ceiling-mounted projector. The rationale is to prevent H&S risks associated with setting up / taking down the current non-mounted projector, making it more inclusive for all Section leaders to use for their sessions. The grant is to purchase only as there is sufficient expertise within the charity to install the projector.

2. **Criteria check:**

The Proper Officer confirms:

- the applying organisation meets the agreed criteria;
- the project meets the agreed criteria;
- it is likely that the grant will be spent within the required timescale;
- the Group has submitted all the requested accompanying documentation, copies of which are held on file.

3. **Evidence of need/community support?**

1st Pinhoe Scouts is well-established, providing scouting opportunities for all ages of young people living across the parish. The projector is used to supplement informative talks and to impart information.

4. **Additional funding:**

The application form states that the installation will be done by group members with necessary expertise.

5. **Balance of Broadclyst Community fund to date**

Date:	Group	Award	Balance
<i>Opening fund balance</i>	<i>Broadclyst Community Grant fund</i>		<i>£10,000</i>
April 2024	Broadclyst Fund	£2,000	£8,000
July 2024	Broadclyst Theatre Group	£2,000	£6,000
October 2024	Broadclyst VIPs	£349.00	£5,561

6. **Recommendation**

To support the valuable work of the Scouting community and to reduce associated risk for section leaders:

- it is recommended that this application is approved in full at **£450**;
- that the Group is invited to attend a future meeting to report back to the council on the project.

This concludes my report

Angie Hurren, Broadclyst Parish Council Clerk

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