



BINGHAM TOWN COUNCIL

APPLICATION FORM FOR COMMUNITY GRANT AID

Please read the Community Grant Aid Policy attached before completion of this form

Name of group	2 nd Bingham Guides
Name, address and contact information of person submitting the application	[REDACTED]
Membership of the Group	Under 18's...14..... Residents of Bingham...18..... Over 18's...4..... Residents outside of Bingham...0.....
Information/history about your group	We are a Girl Guiding group based in Bingham and meet every Monday at Church House. We are a big unit with over 30 girls, aged between 10 and 14, attending. Myself and 3 others took over the unit in 2019 and volunteer our time to provide a fun and exciting programme for the girls.
State the purpose for which financial assistance is sought and confirm how much is being requested in grant funding. (costing's/quotes to be included)	<p>We are planning a trip to Edinburgh in November to take part in a game of monopoly, this is a day event taking place around the city, where we have to follow clues and complete challenges. The event is being set up by Girl Guiding Midlands. We need to arrive in Edinburgh early Saturday morning so are travelling by train on the Friday and returning on Sunday.</p> <p>We are taking 14 Guides and 4 leaders by train on the Friday, staying in a centrally located accommodation for 2 nights, returning on Sunday. We plan to see as much as we can whilst there and make the most of the weekend.</p> <p>The cost of the trip is as follows: Estimated train travel £50pp (we are not able to book this yet, but have checked current prices to give us an idea) 2 nights' accommodation £105pp Monopoly game entrance fee £15pp Food cost estimated £20pp Total cost per person £190.00</p> <p>Total cost for the whole event £3420.00</p>

<p>Is the group making a financial contribution or providing evidence of any fundraising</p>	<p>Everyone who is attending, including the 4 leaders are paying some money towards the cost. We have informed parents that the cost will come down as we will apply for a grant and take part in fundraising to help with the cost. When we discussed the trip with parents, they were happy to pay up to £150 each. (Total income £2700.00) Therefore, we need to raise £720.00.</p> <p>We have already provided a coffee and cake event for our local District Guide Meeting which took place in March, we raised £57.50.</p> <p>We are planning a coffee, cake and homemade craft event at Bingham Methodist Church on 11th May. We will ask for donations from the girl guides for a tombolo as well. The cost for the event is £34.60, so we have to make a minimum of that before we make any profit.</p>
<p>Provide information on the benefit to Bingham residents if an award was made and an approx. number benefitting</p>	<p>All of the people attending the event live in Bingham, they would all benefit from this event as it would give them an amazing experience in a new city and help to develop their confidence. Each girl will have a task to do during the weekend, for example; purchasing items for breakfast and lunch, studying a map of Edinburgh so we can plan the route we are taking during the Monopoly Game and keeping the accommodation clean and tidy.</p>
<p>Details of other grants applied for or awarded to the group over the last twelve months</p>	<p>I have applied to Bingham Trust Charity and The Vale Of Belvoir Rotary Club and both were unable to help with our event.</p>
<p>Please add any further information in support of the application</p>	<p>We take a sub of £40 per guide, per term. Out of this we have to pay rent for Church House and once a year, we pay an annual subscription to Girl Guiding. The current cost of this subscription is £55 per person, per year (we pay for the leaders too). Once these have been paid, we have limited funds left to provide all the activity materials, stationery, art and craft items that are needed on a weekly basis to complete badges.</p> <p>We sometimes pay for an outside provider to come to a session to give the Guides an extra experience, things like basic first aid skills, Drumba and Yoga. The cost for this comes out of the subs.</p> <p>We are only taking 14 Guides this time, as we feel this is a manageable number for an event of this kind. We will plan another event in the future so that all the Guides in our unit can take part in a unique experience.</p> <p>A part of Girl Guiding is to help the local community and, in the past, we visited a local care home to help with their Summer Fair, this gave the residents time to talk to the girls which they thoroughly enjoyed. We have also gone out litter picking in the local area and plan to do more of this in the future.</p>

Signed

Date 9/4/2024

If not signed electronically, please print your Name



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