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FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR TWEEDDALE £30,000



TWEEDDALE VOTE



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Within this booklet are all the projects through to the public voting stage of the Localities Bid Fund for Tweeddale.

A short summary of each project is detailed to help you decide which projects you feel will benefit your community.

If you would like more information about each project please contact us on **communitygrants@scotborders.gov.uk** or on **01835 826659**.

A "How to vote" section is detailed in this booklet.



TWEEDDALE PROJECTS FUNDING AVAILABLE: £30,000

CLOVENFORDS DIGITAL NINJA COMMUNITY PROJECT

This bid is for a Community Technology Suite and afterschool program open to all ages. Lessons covering: animation, programming, video production, website creation and more. Funding provides new laptops, hardware, furniture and tutors. Both community and children will benefit.

CYCLING WITHOUT AGE (PEEBLES)

Part funding the purchase of a Trishaw, will enable our volunteers to organise bike rides for isolated senior adults in and around Peebles. They will be able to feel the wind in their hair, get a sense of freedom, socialise and be part of the wider community.

INNERLEITHEN COMMUNITY TRUST

This bid is to provide and operate an electrically assisted, two seater Trishaw (two passenger rickshaw + pedal cyclist) to facilitate outings for older people and people with disabilities in the community. Volunteers will take patrons out locally. ICT would maintain the Trishaw.

BID **£25,000**

BID **£5,000**

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JULIE'S KITCHEN GARDEN – CLOVENFORDS

This bid is to create and grow a fruit and vegetable garden in the school grounds. The garden will be used by the pupils educationally, learning healthy food choices and then used to prepare 'ground to food' school lunches. The project will also be enjoyed by the local community.

NEWLANDS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TRUST STAGECRAFT CREW

This bid is provide a moveable lighting gantry and associated hardware together with the provision of a fire retardant curtain material to allow the Newlands Centre to be transformed - increasing the viability of the Centre as a community entertainment space, drama club and more!

NEWLANDS YOUTH GROUP / WEST LINTON SOCIALIZE CODING CLUB

Our bid will create a sustainable yet cutting-edge Computer Club for Tweeddale based at Newlands Centre. Welcoming all ages & abilities, the club will compliment coding with real-life practical scenarios. The bid will fund hardware/software making it affordable for participants.

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BID £5,920.97

BID

£4,600

BID

£5,000

NOMAD BEAT LTD

This bid is to part fund a one year music project called 'Musical Memories', which will provide older people, including those with dementia, access to innovative music making in order to stimulate memories. Outreach sessions take place in care venues and the Nomad Beat centre.

PEEBLES AND DISTRICT MEN'S SHED

This bid is to start up a Men's Shed. It will help with the cost of finding, opening and equipping suitable premises. Shed ambitions include tackling social isolation and improving the health and wellbeing of members. The shed will sustain itself from the sale of items produced.

PEEBLES COMMUNITY ACTION NETWORK

This bid is to run a growing project open to members of the community regardless of age and ability, based within our community garden in Peebles. Funding allows weekly growing sessions for pre-school children, and a toilet to enable outpatients with long term illness to attend.

SCOTTISH BORDERS CYCLING DEVELOPMENT GROUP

Don't let equipment be a barrier to taking part in "Cycle Skools", help us provide Border's children with bikes and coaching at "Cycle Skools" programme. We would like 10 bikes to take to various towns around the borders to help access cycling as a sport and hobby. **BID**

£5.484

BID

£5.000

BID

£15.747

BID

£5,200

SHINING STARS

This bid is to pilot a Youth Group for young neuro diverse children in West Tweeddale, where the children can have regular play sessions and develop friendships outside of school settings. The fund will initially provide fun taster sessions from The Action Group or similar.

ST. RONAN'S SILVER BAND DRUM SCHOOL

This bid is to help set up the St. Ronan's Drum School to allow young people from across Tweeddale to develop their music making skills. The money will help purchase quality drum/percussion instruments which will be used at weekly lessons and in local performances as part of this new and exciting project.

TWEED READS

This bid is to fund a project which will encourage & promote a love of reading for enjoyment which also improves wellbeing & life chances in Tweeddale. It will be done by developing social media platforms, working across all Tweeddale schools & connect with 3rd sector organisations. BID **£5,000**

BID

£799

BID

£5.000

BID

£6,000

TWEED VALLEY MOUNTAIN RESCUE TEAM

This bid is to equip the unpaid volunteers of the Tweed Valley Mountain Rescue Team who rely on public donations & grants with Ground Anchors. This equipment enables the team to operate on steep ground safely securing team members & casualties who need to be rescued.

TWEEDDALE VOLUNTEERING FESTIVAL

From Clovenfords to Carlops to Tweedsmuir, there are countless people who devote time and expertise to enrich the lives of those around them. This bid is to deliver a two day festival to show how easy and rewarding volunteering is and to attract new volunteers.

TWEEDDALE YOUTH ACTION

This bid is to help young people who are anxious or worried about the transition from primary to secondary school. TYA will work alongside PYT to deliver a 6 month project of weekly activities and trips away to alleviate some of the worry and help children build new friendships and feel more confident around their move to High School.

TWEEDGREEN

This bid is to develop a walled garden in the heart of Peebles into a community green growing space accessible to everyone and providing a sitting area, shelter, small children's area, raised beds for people with mobility issues and the opportunity to learn about growing food. BID **£7,783**

BID

£15.000

BID **£910**

HOW TO VOTE

From Thursday 1st February, 2018 through to Wednesday 28th February, 2018 you can...

- Vote online
- Vote at locations across the Borders (contact us for location details)
- Vote free by posting a voting form, obtained from locations across the Borders, and send it to us by **FREEPOST** (address on reverse of voting form)
- Vote by contacting us at **communitygrants@scotborders.gov.uk** or **01835 826659** and we will send you a voting form to complete and return to us (FREEPOST)

PLEASE NOTE

• You can only vote for a project in a locality that you live, work, volunteer or study in

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