

Appendix 1

Community Festival Fund October 1st 2008 – March 31st 2009

Organisations recommended for funding:

ArtsEkta

This organisation received a total score of 61% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement (all areas)
- Animating the city (all areas)
- Providing evidence of the Festival's contribution to an enhanced cultural infrastructure in the city
- Providing opportunities for future development

Cathedral Quarter Arts Festival

This organisation received a total score of 82% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the city (Celebration)
- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Demonstrating strength and quality in programming
- Creativity evidenced by 'themeing' and programming

Chinese Welfare Association

This organisation received a total score of 73% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Leadership
- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Providing evidence of support from the local business community
- Demonstrating 'reach' - enhancing the cultural experience of those living, working, and visiting Belfast

Corpus Christi Youth Club

This organisation received a total score of 62% and it is recommended to award a grant of £5,809.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Providing evidence of enhancing public spaces through increased use
- Providing evidence of skills development

Féile an Phobail

This organisation received a total score of 83% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Management
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)
- Demonstrating strength and quality in programming
- Demonstration of the organisation's track record in arts / heritage / community development activity

Glór na Mona

This organisation received a total score of 65% and it is recommended to award a grant of £9,201.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Management and Governance
- Creativity evidenced by 'themeing' and programming
- Providing evidence of effective marketing plans

Greater Village Regeneration Trust

This organisation received a total score of 64% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Regeneration (Community led)
- Connecting with existing regeneration projects in the area (if appropriate).
- Providing evidence of skills development

Indian Community Centre

This organisation received a total score of 62% and it is recommended to award a grant of £8,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement (all areas)
- Animating the City (all areas)
- Providing evidence of the Festival's contribution to an enhanced cultural infrastructure in the City

Loughside Football Association

This organisation received a total score of 61% and it is recommended to award a grant of £4,947.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement

- Leadership
- Demonstrating that the events planned are relevant to the community and its interests/issues

Lower North Belfast Community Council

This organisation received a total score of 63% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Leadership
- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Creativity evidenced by 'themeing' and programming.
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)

Mandarin Speakers Association

This organisation received a total score of 69% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Providing evidence of a contribution to the development of sustainable cultural activity
- Providing evidence of the Festival's contribution to an enhanced cultural infrastructure in the city

Moving on Music

This organisation received a total score of 67% and it is recommended to award a grant of £4,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Leadership
- Creativity evidenced by 'themeing' and programming
- Demonstrating 'reach' - enhancing the cultural experience of those living, working, and visiting Belfast

New Lodge Arts

This organisation received a total score of 79% and it is recommended to award a grant of £9,930.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Leadership
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)
- Providing evidence of skills development

Sandy Row Community Forum

This organisation received a total score of 62% and it is recommended to award a grant of £5,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Leadership
- Developing new partnerships
- Demonstrating that the events planned will be neither threatening nor offensive

South Belfast Partnership Board

This organisation received a total score of 73% and it is recommended to award a grant of £8,633.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Leadership
- The Programme - demonstrating innovation and creativity
- Demonstrating strength and quality in programming
- Providing evidence of skills development

St. Oliver Plunkett Luncheon Club

This organisation received a total score of 62% and it is recommended to award a grant of £2,702.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Leadership
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity).
- Demonstrating that the events planned are relevant to the community and its interests/issues
- Demonstrating that the events might reasonably be expected to generate significant community/audience engagement

The Beat Initiative

This organisation received a total score of 83% and it is recommended to award a grant of £10,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Animating the City
- Leadership
- Demonstrating strength and quality in programming
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)

Ulster-Scot Heritage Council

This organisation received a total score of 64% and it is recommended to award a grant of £6,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Leadership
- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Developing new partnerships
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)

Upper Andersonstown Festival Group

This organisation received a total score of 61% and it is recommended to award a grant of £6,632.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Animating the City (Celebration)
- Connecting with existing regeneration projects in the area (if appropriate)
- Demonstrating that the events planned are relevant to the community and its interests/issues

Walkway Community Centre

This organisation received a total score of 62% and it is recommended to award a grant of £4,920.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Regeneration (Community led)
- Providing evidence of skills development
- Demonstrating strength and quality in programming

White City Community Development Association

This organisation received a total score of 61% and it is recommended to award a grant of £7,000.

Areas where the application is particularly strong are:

- Promoting social inclusion and cultural and environmental engagement
- Leadership
- Demonstrating relevance to the target community (evidence of need or demand for the activity)
- Demonstrating that the events planned will be neither threatening nor offensive

The three remaining organisations applications are ineligible for funding. They are East Belfast Titanic Festival, Glencairn Resident's Group and The Basement. Please see summary below.

East Belfast Titanic Festival

The proposed festival will not take place within this tranche of the Community Festival Fund's which is for festivals that take place between 1st October 2008 and 31st March 2009. Therefore, this application is ineligible.

Glencairn Resident's Group

Glencairn Resident's Group has stated their in-kind costs cover electricity and heating but have not allocated an actual amount of money to this budget heading. It is estimated that the amount of money represented in kind by these core costs would not meet the minimum 20% match funding requirement. Therefore, this application is ineligible.

The Basement

This application contains no appendices bar the constitution. Within the application it does not say how much they are requesting from BCC. In-kind costs do not represent the 20% match funding needed, neither does it state what the in kind costs are. Therefore, this application is ineligible.