

Appendix 3

Welcome to Redditch Borough Council's Voluntary & Community Sector Grant Funding Programme for 2022/23

Grants Awarded

Main Grant Pot

VCS groups can bid for funding from £500 up to £10,000 to help with their core costs or to support them to deliver great community projects and activities. This year the Council ringfenced £10,000 of this funding to create a separate 'Mental Health and Wellbeing' pot. VCS groups could bid for between £500 to £5k to help them deliver specific projects to support those Redditch residents who have suffered from mental health and wellbeing issues or increased mental health and wellbeing issues as a direct result of the Coronavirus pandemic. However, it has been agreed to only make one payment under the Mental Health and Wellbeing pot on this occasion and the remaining funds have been used to fund additional projects under the Main Grants pot.

Group / Organisation	Project	Grant Award
Relate	Future proofing the service	£5,500
Carers' Careline	Running Costs	£10,000
The Old Needleworks	Step Forwards Work Placement Project	£9,780
New Road Parenting Support Group	Running Costs and Pride Event	£2,000
Redditch & Bromsgrove Talking Newspaper	Running Costs	£2,500
Acorns Children's Hospice	Sibling Support Group	£5,000
Age UK	Information Hub at the Matchborough Charity Shop	£1,100
NewStarts	Furniture Outreach	£5,000
Church Hill Big Local	Platinum Jubilee Celebrations	£3,000
Where Next	Glasshouse Repairs	£7,000
Astwood Bank Welfare Association	Rent and promotion of the service	£920
Reach CIC	Running Costs	£10,000
Home Start North East Worcestershire	Addressing the impact of loneliness	£10,000
Redditch Common Neighbourhood Trust	Community House	£8,497
What's Your Point	Improving How We Feel	£1,675
BluWave Community	Community Transport	£2,925
Redditch Nightstop	Accommodation and Support Project	£10,000

Mental Health and Wellbeing Pot

Group / Organisation	Project	Grant Award
Primrose Hospice	Mental Health and Wellbeing for Terminal Illness	£5,000