

Appendix 2. Projects supported by LSP Reward Grant (2012/13)

Progress Report: Round 1 Projects

CCF ID	Applicant	District	Overview of project	£ awarded	No. Beneficiaries	Has the project started?	No of people involved?	What has been achieved to date?	Have you encountered any problems?
WEB 46050	Lifecraft	Cambridge shire	to organise three different excursions which will reflect the various needs and abilities of members.	£1,730	76	Yes	34	<p>The project, which is to organise three excursions for Lifecraft members, is being delivered on schedule. A Lifecraft volunteer has been involved from the outset, in formulating the application, consulting with members, and delivering the project.</p> <p>The trips/destinations were decided using service-user consultation. 24 members took part in the consultation for the beach trip, with Hunstanton being the chosen destination and 11 people took part in the consultation for the stately home trip, with Burghley House the winning choice. The destination of the third trip, to the Tate Modern, was decided through user consultation prior to applying for this grant.</p> <p>The trip to Hunstanton took place on 24th August, 34 people attended and had the opportunity to have fish and chips by the sea, walk along the beach, and explore the town. Feedback forms for all the planned trips have been designed and distributed to people who attended the Hunstanton trip. The second trip to Burghley House is planned for the 22nd October with 12 places of members available; so far 8 tickets have</p>	
WEB 46041	Red2Green	Cambridge and South Cambs	to deliver pre-employment support and training.	£5,000	10	Yes	12	<p>The project has followed the plan as outlined in our bid to CCF. Every client has an initial assessment of their support needs and functional skills, identifies his or her desired outcomes and develops their 'smart' plans to achieve these. We can now report the following developments for our clients:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two clients have progressed from being at home and are now out engaging in meaningful activities, such as 'Make Do and Mend'. They are now working towards getting voluntary work. One client is attending an AAT training course and has started paid Permitted work at Mencap in the finance department. One client is about to start volunteer work at Mencap in the admin department. One client has progressed to a placement at Burwell Print and is also hoping to be placed as a volunteer in an animal charity. One client had an opportunity to do voluntary work but was prevented from doing so by his housing support officer. One client has begun volunteer work at Reboot two days per week. One client has recently joined the project and is now attending interviews for paid employment in administrative work. Three new clients are starting on Stepping Stones pre-employment training. One client will need extra time with the project as he needs to learn to balance his expectations about his 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In terms of client progress, the project is performing well with only the two exceptions mentioned above. One of these clients has been denied an opportunity by his housing support officer, and the other client will need extra time to develop realisable goals; this is a common difficulty that people with autistic spectrum conditions may have. The project manager is working to guide the client towards a solution. Aspire's approach to guiding clients into work is based on a client-centred approach which develops their ability to understand themselves and their options so that they can access appropriate opportunities. This requires the right kind of support in advance of applying for work and on-going support in the workplace. Some of our clients receive support from more than one provider and Aspire may have to spend extra time helping them to achieve and balance differences in approaches and expectations.
WEB 46036	Rowan Humberstone Ltd	Cambridge and South Cambs	to continue to provide facilities for art and craft for people with learning disabilities.	£5,000	60	Yes	60	<p>We started our financial year on 1st September 2012 and the purpose of this grant is to help support our work during the year, ending 31st August 2013.</p> <p>Since the beginning of September we have continued our core work of making art within our four studios. We currently have 62 students registered and are in the process of setting up our forthcoming exhibition; Beside the Seaside. This exhibition is our students' celebration of achievement following the past 4 months work at Rowan when we have had a sea and coast theme.</p> <p>After our exhibition, we are moving on to a theme of Fantasy Creatures between November and February and will be exhibiting the work that is produced at the end of February/ beginning of March.</p> <p>We now have a running theme every four months that provides structure but allows each person freedom to interpret the theme in their own way and use a range of media to produce artwork. The exhibition at the end of the process allows our students to reflect and to feel pride in their achievement through sharing their work with other people. Our students also now maintain portfolios of their work; again providing the</p> <p>Alongside this themed artwork, we continue to work on commissions and speculative artwork to sell during</p>	
WEB 45977	Illuminate Community Group	Cambridge City	to offer life coaching to increase confidence and self esteem for 10 individuals.	£1,584	10	Yes		<p>We have just commenced the project and currently promoting the opportunity. We are sending out application forms to those expressing an interest and talking to those potentially interested to ensure they meet our criteria. The closing date for applications will be 22nd October and we foresee filling all 10 places with ease. On the contrary we will probably need to carry out a filtering exercise, as we suspect we will have more applications than places.</p> <p>The sessions themselves will be held weekly during November, with a view that we wrap up and report back to you early December.</p>	I don't expect we will encounter any problems.
WEB 45988	Cam Sight	South Cambs	to continue to fund the Rural Support Scheme which provides support and services for blind and partially sighted people living in South Cambridgeshire.	£3,784	300	Yes	300	<p>We have 12 groups running in Cambs city and South Cambs, averaging between 15-20 people per group, each group is supported by 3-4 volunteers.</p> <p>Over the summer 2 groups visited local garden centres, and other groups have been entertained by a variety of speakers and musical entertainment, these have been very well received.</p> <p>We have some further outings planned around Christmas time.</p> <p>We have found that, although the groups asked if we could organise a trip to Thursford, when it came round to the trip, many people didn't have enough confidence to travel that far, so we will be arranging trips to local venues in the future.</p>	

WEB45712	Cambridge Rape Crisis Centre	Cambridge shire	to provide ten counselling session with a qualified and experienced counsellor for 11 women.	£4,710	11	Yes	4	The counselling project has started and is now well underway with 4 women accessing specialist face to face counselling from the project, with 4 more women due to start in the next month. Enabling women whose lives have been affected by rape and sexual violence to access free specialist face to face counselling. Supporting women to explore issues of anger, self-blame, self-harming, isolation, anxiety and depression. Enabling women, through an empowerment approach to counselling, to begin to re-build their confidence and recognise their own resourcefulness, reduce fear and isolation and start to work on ways of managing and developing coping strategies that are meaningful and lasting for them. We are however running a little behind the original expected timeline of the project due to a staff absence (please see below under 'Any Issues' section) There are now 4 women regularly attending counselling sessions, with 4 more women due to start in the next month. 2 of the women attending are in receipt of travel expenses without which they would not be able to attend the sessions.	Due to one of our counsellors having to go away unexpectedly over the summer period we were not able to start work with the number of clients we had anticipated but would very much like to continue with the project and be able to offer the service to the women who have been waiting for their counselling to start. We would ask if it would be possible and if you would consider allowing us to continue the project beyond the end date of December 2012 and continue the work until the end of the financial year to enable us to meet the needs of the women waiting for the counselling service who were not able to take up the service at the start of the project due to the staff absence.
WEB 46408	Meadows Children and Family Wing	Cambridge City - North Area	to continue work with disadvantaged families, to update toys and equipment and for an extra Play Worker.	£4,447	2500	Yes	75	The project is going very well with lots of local families already benefitting from our work and support. We have had 14 new children into the After School Clubs and we have, with this funding, been able to purchase lots of table top games and art & craft activities. The stationary budget has been a real help, meaning that we have been able to buy vital resources needed to keep things moving along on an admin side. During the summer holidays we had 61 visits from older siblings – in being able to provide this service to local families in need it means that they have a continuum of service and support throughout the long 6 week summer holiday. We purchased some beautiful goods from Baker Ross to enable us to deliver this quality work with older siblings.	All in all the project is going extremely well. The only slight blip is that we are realising that we ideally need to appoint a paid book keeper to manage our day to day finances. This role is currently being covered by a volunteer and is really proving too much for her to be able to do.
WEB 46458	VoiceAbility	Cambridge and South Cams	to provide one-to-one mentoring and coaching support for people with Autistic Spectrum Disorder.	£5,000	52	Yes	3	The project has really only just started so we are not yet in a position to provide feedback. However, 2 new people have already started their course, another 1 has an interview with Lydia on Monday about joining and we have had lots of interest. We hope all places will be filled by the beginning of November.	N/A
WEB 45398b	Wintercomfort	Cambridge City	to recruit a part time Cafe Support Worker to provide on the job training to service users.	£5,000	20	Yes	21	We are pleased to report that the new role of Café Assistant is proving very successful in the Food4Food Community Café. The new role gives Alicja, the Café Supervisor, more time to prepare and conduct training with the service users. We have developed some new paperwork for trainees to make their training placement worthwhile. It also allows time for more 1-2-1 support and mentoring in the café. It has also meant that Alicja can attend her level 3 Food hygiene training, and is currently doing the PTLLS course (Preparing to Teach in the LifeLong Learning sector). On Friday 12 October the Café had its first year anniversary party. The mayor attended and gave out certificates to 21 trainees who had volunteered their time in the Café over the last 12 months. Our trainee of the year who is about to complete an NVQ Level 2 in Food Production and Cooking.	The first recruitment in June was not successful and the person did not pass the probation period. However, a new person, Jane Smyth, was recruited to the post in September and has settled into the post well.

Review of Round 2 Bids: Decisions still to be made (3 December 2012)

CCF ID	Applicant	Project Area	Overview of Project	£ Requested	No. Beneficiaries	Primary Beneficiary Group	Primary Age Range of Beneficiaries	Primary Issue Addressed	Projected benefits & outcomes (as described by the applicant)	£ Recommended	CCF Comments
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BIDS RECOMMENDED FOR FUNDING BY CCF

WEB 4625b	Encompass Network	Cambridge and South Cams	to carry out detailed needs analysis of the LGBT community and to then use findings to influence local services and the work of Encompass in the future.	£3,845.13	550	Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual & Transgender groups	Adults (26 – 65)	Social Inclusion	Increased knowledge how LGBT people are disadvantaged because of their sexual orientation. Improved awareness of how to better target services to meet the needs of vulnerable LGBT communities; develop the services of Encompass Network to best meet the needs of the community & training material to be rolled out across the County; support statutory agencies in implementing the public sector duties of the Equality Act; improve the employability and skills of LGBT people involved in the project; increase the capacity and skills of the LGBT sector; improve communication channels to vulnerable and isolated LGBT people.	£3,845.00	Considered in first round - conditional approval dependent on provision of more detail and a revised budget. Revised budget submitted, Graham Saint to follow up re. project detail.
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WEB54248	Forward Gamlingay!	Gamlingay, Waresley, Hatley St George, Potton	to run a group once a week for a group of young carers in this community.	£4,413.00	18	Disadvantaged / Low Income	Children (5 – 12)	Community Support and Development	The young people will have someone to talk to, to verbalise their frustrations in a secure and safe environment will learn new skills. Have support with school work or further education needs. Someone to show them that they too are cared about. specialist Drugs and Alcohol advisers to try to change learned behaviour's and encouraged the young people to make informed decision. They will mix with other young people in a similar position to show that they are not alone. We can also find out if there is any support that the family can receive that they are not already.	£4,413.00	180 young people come to youth group on a weekly basis from Gamlingay and surrounding villages. However the young carers don't tend to have much in common with the other young people and they have identified a need to give them some 1-2-1 support, rather than just coming to play pool. There are 18 young carers who have been coming to the youth group and have already asked for help. The local school has shown an interest and will work with them to monitor changes in attendance, performance, confidence etc, with the aim of keeping them in education as long as possible and changing their outlook on life. Major costs include youth workers and specialist councillors to support the young carers.
WEB53142	Melbourn Area Youth Development (MAYD)	We will be running 6 courses, 2 each in Melbourn, Cambourne and Bassingbourn	to run 6 training courses to train young people in cycle maintenance and safe cycling.	£5,000.00	36	NEET (Not in Education, Employment or Training)	Young People (13 – 18)	Employment and Labour	Participants receive a 'Velotech' accredited qualification that is well-received by cycle shops taking on apprentices. 9 hours of study are required to receive the bronze award. The course can be continued to silver and gold level and is an excellent way for a young person to gain employment or even start their own business. Inevitably, the young people also develop skills that are vital to the workplace, such as good time-keeping, team-work, commitment, communication skills. We plan to train 6 young people per course over 6 courses. Young people aged 14-18 are identified for the project through local village colleges and children's services referrals. Priority is given to young people who are a) at risk of becoming NEET (to provide them with a practical qualification) and / or b) who are socially isolated and need access to a bike as a means of transport to a place of study or work, or public transport and / or c) who have been identified as needing access to a bike for health related reasons.	£5,000.00	Pilot run with 4 16/17yr old in danger of NEET, with learning difficulties. Officer for NEET in Cambourne referred the boys who all attended the full 6 weeks and have benefited from the skills they learnt, increased confidence and one, who got a job while completing the course, now uses his bike to get to and from work. Reduces isolation of living in Melbourn, with poor transport links.
WEB51900	Cambourne Detachment, Cambs ACF	Cambourne	towards the purchase of such equipment as cooking stoves, bivouac shelters, roll mats and bergens as well as compasses, map other map reading equipment.	£2,500	30	Children and Young People	Young People (13 – 18)	Community Support and Development	The benefit to all joining cadets is a marked improvement in self confidence and self reliance. The more equipment we can provide, the more cadets can get out into the field and participate in the camps. The Detachment has a diverse membership, however, 60-70% of the cadets come from families that are either single parent or have gone through a period of single parent reliance. 40% come from family backgrounds with little monetary worth, many of which we fund through their cadet careers as they simply cannot afford such things as a pair of boots. We also have a diverse range of ethnicity and strive hard to make sure that they members of the Detachment are fully integrated and learn to work as a team. Many of the cadets are either stated at school or have regular contact with local social workers.	£2,500.00	Children 12-18yrs work through a progressive skills syllabus (generally over 3yrs). Basic, 1*, through to 4* levels. On completion of 4* level the Cadet reaches Senior Cadet level, which opens opportunities for further courses such as an Instructor Course to become a Master Cadet/Instructor and the group becomes self-feeding. Children from all walks of life are members - from single parent families and difficult home lives to stable family backgrounds - the detachment gives them something to enjoy, a family atmosphere and something to work towards.
WEB53680	The Cog-Wheel Trust	South Cambs	to provide counselling services for people on low incomes experiencing mental health issues.	£1,500.00	70	Disadvantaged / Low Income	Adults (26 – 65)	Counselling / Advice / Mentoring	Improved emotional and psychological well-being. People on low incomes with mental health problems will have increased confidence and self-esteem. As a result their behaviour will be more productive and they will find more meaning and purpose in life. They will be able to take care of themselves and others, complete tasks and achieve goals autonomously. They will be able to engage positively and fully with other people, establishing and maintain good relationships.	£1,500.00	Clients are referred to Cog-Wheel by GP surgeries. Clients are asked to make a contribution, if they can - on average £10 - this amounts to approximately 50% of amount of salary for 2 part-time counsellors, who are paid highly subsidised salaries & volunteering the rest of their time. The aim of the sessions is to stabilise clients' sense of well-being (emotional and psychological) and increase self-confidence and self-esteem so that they may be able to return to work.

WEB55958	Centre 33	Cambridge City - Arbury, Kings Hedges, Abbey and Romsey	to increase skills of 10 young volunteers of RISE and enable them to undertake their first project.	£3,783.70	10	NEET (Not in Education, Employment or Training)	Young Adults (19 – 25)	Community Support and Development	Centre 33 "RISE" will enable 10 hard to reach young people who are NEET and disadvantaged to increase their self confidence, skills and experience leading to improved chances of them successfully moving into education, training or employment.	£3,784.00	RISE is a vision from young people who've been involved at Centre 33. A group of 3 came through with an idea to do something, along with two other individuals, who were then invited to a drop in session to discuss ideas. The young people wanted to change people's perceptions of young people and make a positive impact on society. It is an opportunity for them to act as role models for other NEET individuals, increase employability and they will be able to become part of the local community. An individual learning plan will be created for each person involved, helping them to increase their skills and aspire to be something more. The DVD will be disseminated to local GP surgeries, schools, colleges and health organisations. If the pilot is successful, these 10 young people could then go on to mentor another 10 individuals and so on.
WEB50821	Romsey Mill Trust	Cambridge City	to run a course for young adults with high-functioning autistic spectrum conditions for independent life.	£4,910.20	10	People with learning difficulties	Young People (13 – 18)	Education and Training	Up to ten 17-19 year-olds with ASCs will: •Increase their confidence and self-esteem •Develop their ability to live independently and healthily (cooking, cleaning, travelling and money management) •Write a C.V •Actively seek employment, training or further education opportunities • Improve their employability through developing social skills including team work, communication, interaction and relationship building •Reduce their isolation and dependence on family or carers.	£4,910.00	Aspire has been running since 2003, through which they have identified a need for continued support for school leavers in their transition into adulthood and decision making about further/higher education or work. 10 young people have been identified through the Aspire team and youth clubs for people with autistic spectrum conditions at Romsey Mill and around Cambridge. Each young person will have a learning development plan created for them & will participate in weekly 1-2-1 sessions to support work done at fortnightly group sessions.
WEB50467	Freedom Club Time Bank	Abbey ward, East Cambridge	to develop cultural exchange activity within the Timebank, the primary focus being language skills.	£1,200.00	25	Local residents	Adults (26 – 65)	Community Support and Development	1) to improve the language skills of participants; 2) to increase positive communication between people of different cultures; 3) to improve community cohesion. It is likely that people who take part in the cultural exchange will become friends and get to know each other better, perhaps introducing each other to their own network of friends.	£1,200.00	Following the success of setting up an informal conversational spanish group amongst Time Bank volunteers earlier this year, and an increasing Polish community in Abbey, they would like to set up a cultural/language exchange group for local residents / Time Bank Volunteers. Coordinator's time to help set up, but once established the groups will take ownership and the costs will taper off.
WEB48478	Cambridge Student Community Action	Cambridge City	for project cost funding for our Task Force project which provides practical assistance to residents in Cambridge.	£1,321.00	50	People with general health issues	Seniors (65+)	Other	To provide a wide range of support including gardening, basic DIY, helping a new mum to look after triplets, pushing elderly people round in their wheelchairs, collecting children from school when their parents have been ill, helping elderly people settle into old peoples homes, providing companionship for the elderly and providing young adults with special needs with a companion to take them out and integrate with the community.	£1,321.00	Task Force has been running for 15-20 years and is based on providing practical help to those who need it. Task Force takes up 15% of overall running costs. Grant would cover this and some new gardening equipment.
WEB53401	FoodCycle (Cambridge)	Trumpington, Arbury and Kings Hedges,	to fund ongoing operational and staff costs.	£5,000.00	126	Homeless people	Seniors (65+)	Social Inclusion	1. Food poverty - Increase awareness of healthy eating and access to and consumption of fruit and vegetables 2. Social isolation - Homeless people and older people, people will report reduced social isolation, 3. Community Cohesion - Community volunteers will report an increased connection to their communities, a better understanding of others from different backgrounds and cultures and an increased willingness to volunteer more within their communities. 4. Work related skills - Volunteers will have developed better transferable skills relating to the world of work and will have developed greater confidence in their abilities.	£5,000.00	The Cambridge Hub was started in January 2011 with the main focus of supporting local homeless people and over 60s by providing them with a 3 course meal, increasing their fruit and vegetable intake and raising awareness of healthy eating. Communal dining also offers relief from social isolation and breaks down barriers between different groups. Last year there were 126 regular visitors over the year, with 73 volunteers helping with fundraising, collecting food from local supermarkets, cooking etc. They have a £2,500 fundraising targets which the volunteers reached last year through bag packing, university students promoting activities in the local rag etc.

WEBS4383	Cambridgeshire User Led Organisation (CULO)	Abbey, Arbury, Cambourne, Sawston	to provide peer-led training for people with a disability &/or impairment, including older people, who are eligible for a Local Authority social care budget.	£4,952.00	64	People with physical disabilities	Adults (26 – 65)	Education and Training	Full comprehension of new life possibilities via Self Directed Support. Full realisation of the best Self-Directed Support package for them. The ability to run their own Self-directed Support Package, including employing their own staff, as necessary. Greater levels of self-reliance & independence. The ability to live in their own home & maintain their own independence for as long as possible.	£4,952.00	The care system is changing so that while in the past care was dictated by care managers and social workers, with services being delivered by the local authority, by April 2013, people with disabilities will have an assessment of their social care needs and will then have different options for their care plan. The peer-led course would therefore help them work out their care package and show them how to employ a personal assistant if appropriate, supporting them in their transition into independent living. With the help of a grant from the Office of Disability Issues, CULO will be launching a new website with searchable databases, which will make this transitional phase much easier for their members. Feedback from pilot in 2010 available.
WEBS5880	CAMTRUST	Cambridge City and surrounding villages	to provide salary for a part time centre manager for six months.	£5,000.00	14	People with physical disabilities	Young Adults (19 – 25)	Education and Training	1) To increase our customer database and be able to provide more work experience for our students in order for them to feel more confident when going on to either paid or voluntary work. 2) To provide a more comprehensive and reliable service to the local community. 3) To increase the amount of inhouse design and print work and therefore income for the charity.	£5,000.00	Camtrust had someone in a similar role a few years ago, who was self-employed so Camtrust gave him office space and he did some of the design work for them. Having a dedicated person enabled a significantly greater income and they were able to serve the local community more, rather than outsourcing to other local organisations. Income from social enterprise currently covers running costs, so if they can increase capacity, they hope to become self-sufficient. The Centre Manager would be able to work on raising awareness and providing more work for the students, in turn increasing their confidence to move on to paid or voluntary work.
WEBS5712	The Cambridgeshire Police Shirevalty Trust	Cambridge City and South Cambridgeshire	to extend the Bobby Scheme's proven model by intervening more proactively and preventing crimes from occurring.	£5,000.00	500	Older People	Seniors (65+)	Crime	The scheme will demonstrate measurable benefits by: * reducing fear of crime and feeling safer, more empowered, confident and reassured. * helping people live longer in their own homes and more independently * reducing repeat victimisation by ensuring prompt support * reducing burglary by securing homes of non-victims * ensuring vulnerable people are referred to support networks to deliver more relevant and appropriate services.	£5,000.00	The main benefit for the local community is providing reassurance for victims of crime, or vulnerable people. Fear of crime can have detrimental impact on older people and the Bobby Scheme helps people to feel more relaxed, have increased confidence and improved quality of life. It can also help people feel more independent. 1,000 visits last year – 430 were in Cambridge City/South Cambs, therefore 500 beneficiaries is a prediction of visits for the coming year.

TOTAL recommended #####

BIDS WHERE DIRECTION IS REQUESTED

WEB 41671	Squeaky Gate	Peterborough & Cambridgeshire	to update and extend computer equipment for use on our Music Production courses.	£5,000	450	People with mental health difficulties	Adults (26 – 65)	IT / Technology	Benefits and outcomes 1) to allow current courses to continue with improved resources 2) to extend the programme of Music Technology courses both in Cambridge and as an outreach programme (working with partners to target communities with identified need) 3) to increase the number of beneficiaries that we work with 4) to improve the Community Recording Studio facilities to benefit Squeaky Gate students and the wider community	£2,000.00	Considered in first round - panel interested in supporting if applicant could provide reassurances that the focus of the project will be on providing benefits for the residents of Cambridge and South Cambs and that the equipment will be used to support this. Further info from the applicant - the equipment would be mainly based at Norfolk Street, but would sometimes be used for outreach work. They work with Partners around Cambridgeshire and go where requirements are. People come to them through referral from Mental Health teams in the city, self-referral and through their partner organisations including FLACK & Wintercomfort (working with the homeless), MIND in Cambridgeshire, Cambridge Youth Foyer and Romsey Mill. CCF have requested more detail re. percentage of beneficiaries from City and South Cambs and how often outreach work is done in these areas - awaiting response. Have suggested they could use equipment specifically for projects in City and South Cambs, so could consider offering a reduced grant for some equipment on this basis, but could be difficult
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WEB52115	Illuminate Community Group	Cambridge City	4 group sessions that will take people through a structured programme of self development.	£2,827	10	Disadvantaged / Low Income	Adults (26 – 65)	Education and Training	Participants will gain tools and skills to sustainably improve their confidence and self belief. They will be more aware of their strengths, what is important to them so as to harness their motivation, have clear aims or goals and a plan to achieve them. They will, through our sessions, make a step change in their personal development and take actions to support this.	£2,827.00	Group sessions for 8-10 adults - will provide a community environment and chance to get to know other people and increase confidence and self esteem. In order to become more sustainable in future they plan to offer paid events/courses for those people who don't meet requirements of free courses and offer sliding scale of subsidy. Contributions would then be put towards other courses for those less well-off. Received a grant of £1,584 in the first round.
WEB5061	Women 4 Integration	Cambridge including surrounding areas	to organise a community integrating event	£1,720.00	80	Women	Adults (26 - 65)	Racial and Cultural Integration	The group was established last year in May 12 run by local people for local people. The benefits would include reduction in social isolation and reduce lack of understanding between communities and give each community to share their identity in their own way.	£1,000.00	Discussed the volunteer 'costs' which would essentially be paying the 'volunteers' £10 per hour - reason for payment would be to encourage people to help. At their cultural event in 2012, held at Arbury Community Centre, approximately 60 women and girls attended. Discussed Safeguarding policies, as applicant thought these were not relevant. The budget is based on previous experience of costings, no quotes/research has been done so far towards 2013 prices. Revised budget to include £48 for volunteer expenses rather than £300 to pay for time.
WEB4974	Chesterton Parent Group	Chesterton	to sustain and continue the music group for about 50 families each week, for five months.	£1,000.00	70	Families	Early Years (0 – 4)	Social Inclusion	We believe that attending the music group helps children to improve their language and physical development by learning through active singing sessions.	£1,000.00	Focused on providing activities in the Chesterton area for an ethnically diverse group of parents and children who are not able to attend other groups due to cost. They have started to charge a small fee per session for their music group to make the group more sustainable, but rely on other funding to top this up. They do not want to increase the fee too much and decrease the numbers of attendees. Currently charge £2, which is at the upper end of what people in the area can afford. CCF concerned over sustainability and heavy reliance on grants to survive.
WEB4974	Cambridgeshire Vietnamese Community	Cambridge City	to hire mini bus and coach to take people out shopping and on cultural trips.	£1,650.00	55	BME groups	Seniors (65+)	Health and Wellbeing	The aim of the organisation is to help those in need to get out of the house, mix with other people and tackle language barriers.	£1,650.00	Group previously relied on County Council funding to run, and therefore following reductions in funding over the last few years, need to find alternative sources of income. The application, as a previous application in 2009, seemed to lack clarity. There are also concerns over their insistence on giving a 'reward' of £10 to each 'volunteer'. Any grant awarded would be on the condition that volunteers claim expenses and are not paid for their time. Will be signposted to CCVS for advice.
WEB52836	Lifecraft	Cambridge City: Petersfield and Romsey	to hire a professional filmmaker and roleplayers to create a DVD, providing skill development opportunities for our members in a number of areas.	£7,890.00	500	People with mental health difficulties	Adults (26 – 65)	Health and Wellbeing	Benefits: Provide educational and motivational peer led workshops using 'live' performances to portray experiences of self-stigma. Workshops will provide peer support and safe environment for disclosure, as well as delivering positive approaches to identifying needs and accessing support, services and information. Outcomes: Reduce number of individuals suffering from self-stigma, workshops will enable participants to normalise their experiences; increase self esteem, self-empowerment and eradicate own self-stigma.	£4,840.00	Idea for a DVD has come after a series of consultation events last year and research findings as a way of bringing materials together. Together with a handbook, the aim is to have a toolkit / training DVD addressing self-stigma for other organisations, or for individuals who do not have access to workshops/internet, as much of the information will be available online. Have requested further info re. content of DVD. Received a grant of £1,730 in the first round. Could offer reduced sum e.g. less costs of launch event.

WEB46066	The Humanitarian Centre	Cambridge City & South Cambs	to develop employability skills of volunteers.	£5,000.00	30	Children and Young People	Young Adults (19 – 25)	Education and Training	Volunteers who are young people typically between the ages of 20-25 including students at both universities in Cambridge, students with families in Cambridgeshire who come home during the holidays and also sixth form students, will learn soft skills such as time-management, presentation, communication, networking, facilitation and team-work, better equipping the volunteer for applying for jobs.	£2,000.00	<p>The Humantiarian Centre provide opportunities for volunteers and have a strong connection with the student population through continued support from the University. However, this project differs as it would provide a structured programme to build skills with aim of participants finding a volunteer or paid local opportunity within the charity sector. Do not want to adopt Safeguarding Policies.</p> <p>Although their application suggests they would be working with 13 to 18 year olds the applicant has indicated that they do not want to adopt a Child Protection Policy and they will change the age range that they involve - "We are keen for the Young Leader's Programme to extend down to Sixth Formers but having considered the implications of extending it to under 18s we think it is better that to make the programme open to 18-25 year olds. This could include sixth formers if they were already 18 years old during their final year of sixth form and young people who had just completed their A-levels. We do not work with vulnerable adults."</p>
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WEB51094	The PBC Foundation	Cambridge, Willingham, Over and Sawston	to pay for the production and distribution of four issues of 'The Bear Facts' to our members in Cambridge and South Cambridgeshire, over the course of one year.	£177.50	100	Others	Adults (26 – 65)	Health and Wellbeing	By providing our members with accurate, up-to-date information about PBC, they will gain an important sense of control over their illness, which will enable them to better cope with their condition. Moreover, 'The Bear Facts' fosters a sense of community amongst those affected by the disease, which helps sufferers to overcome crippling feelings of isolation, fear, and despair.	£0.00	<p>National organisation who produce this newsletter for their members across the country. Regional Volunteer Co-ordinator based in Peterborough - writes articles with information on events based in the region. Number of beneficiaries/budget calculated by searching postcodes of members in Cambridge City & South Cambs who receive the magazine. This is a request for a contribution to the production of the magazine.</p>
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