

### Holiday Activities for Children & Young People 2023/24 – 8-10yrs

Following assessment, scoring and consultation, it is recommended the following **FOUR** projects **ARE APPROVED** by Area Committee

Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
North	Positive Activities for Children & Young People 2023/24	Building Blocks Day Centre	£4,870	APPROVE
<p>Work in partnership with Adventure into Art, Washington Millennium Centre, &amp; District Amateur Boxing Club, across a range of venues in close proximity to each other to elevate additional transport costs for families. Age range 8-11 yrs. Provide variety of activities such as clay art, sports, team building, boxing and fitness sessions (club supports with loan of equipment scheme to reduce cost) along with food provision and engagement in food preparation to reduce financial impact on families, through BBDC. Will promote through local Schools, social media and all posters include SCC logo. Anticipate will deliver to 40 young people across timeline of delivery. Promotion through social media, leaflets and posters. Match funding of £1,040 listed and secured from partners as listed in application.</p>				
Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
All Wards	Washington Fun Swims	Everyone Active	£4,808	APPROVE
<p>12 fun and float sessions at Washington Leisure Centre, across Summer, October, February, Easter and May school holidays offered to young people aged 8-10 years. Sessions carried out by our highly qualified lifeguards with maximum capacity of 45 in the main pool and will build water confidence, fun and fitness. Fruit and a snack will be offered to each participant. Work in partnership with Change 4 Life and offer a range of booklets that offer affordable and healthy recipes or ideas for staying active. Forecast to engage with 540 young people. A contingency is available to discreetly support families who may not have the correct equipment for children to attend the sessions by offering swim bundle of costume/shorts, goggles, water bottle and locker token. Available to all in all Washington Wards. Promotion and information will be targeted in partnership with local organisations.</p> <p><b>Additional condition of approval:</b> Provide a more substantial snack offer. Ensure all beneficiaries have a Washington postcode</p>				
Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
East	Creative You Junior	Sunderland Culture	£4,950	APPROVE
<p>Creative You Junior will provide free creative activities during holiday periods at Arts Centre Washington for children aged 8-10 from Washington East. Mix of half and full day creative workshops covering art and crafts, creative writing, file making and performing, with a snack will be provided. Sessions will be fun, accessible and inspire further engagement in creative activities by developing children's interest and signposting to our regular sessions and groups. Summer holidays 4 sessions (1 full-day, 3 half-days), October Character Design and Zine making – (2 half-day sessions), December Kids Craft Club – (1 half-day session), February Create your own Artwork – (1 full-day session), Easter An Introduction to... Music! – 4</p>				

sessions (1 full-day, 3 half-days) and May An Introduction to ... Circus / Movement! – 2 sessions (1 full-day, 1 half-day). Forecast to engage with 210 young people across delivery. Promote through a number of ways including marketing channel, partner connection, direct referrals, social media, leaflets, local School within the Ward.

Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
West	West Ward Juniors	Springwell Village Community Venue	£5,000	APPROVE

West Juniors School Holiday Project will be specifically aimed at children aged 8-10 years, residing within the Washington West Ward and will deliver 14 sessions incorporating centre based and out of centre trips. Centre based activities will consist of science sessions, animal encounter, fun in the sun summer party, arts and crafts, cookery and days out will be to places such as the bowling alley, pantomime, Hancock Museum, Broom House Farm, Preston Park, Woodhorn Museum. Forecast to engage with 45 children per session. Deliver a programme aiming to engage children into a variety of activities that they wouldn't necessarily access otherwise, and ensure these activities are both creative and innovative as well as enjoyable and educational. Aim of activities will be to increase skills, improve confidence and self-esteem and aid social inclusion and development whilst informally educating. All sessions will be inclusive of a balanced healthy lunch and the committee at Springwell Village Community Venue have agreed to utilising their weekly Fareshare Northeast food deliveries to help reduce budget costs, therefore seeing a reduction of cost per head.

**Following assessment, scoring and consultation, it is recommended the following projects are NOT APPROVED**

#### Small Call for Projects

Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
Central	Washington Central School Holidays Activities Programme	MBC Arts Wellbeing	£4,975	<b>DO NOT APPROVE</b>

Deliver 12, both indoor and outdoor sessions across the school holidays for a year which are fun, informative and educational for children aged 8-10 yrs, delivered from Columbia CA, with qualified tutors. Forecast to engage with 80 children across all sessions, with each session having 9-12 children per group. Summer activities will include tie dye activity, minibeast trail and nature walk, create ceramic plant pots, stone painting, and reading and discussing stories. October, February, Easter and May sessions will be inspired and focus on various themes and activities relevant to the time of the year. Provide a healthy lunch, snack and refreshments during each session.

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### Positive Activities for Children & Young People 2023/24 – 11-19yrs

Ward	Project Name	Organisation	Funding Requested	Recommendation
Central / All wards	Imagine	Washington Mind	£2,054	<b>DO NOT APPROVE</b>

Delivered from Washington Mind within Central Ward but open to young people aged 14-16 yrs from all Washington Wards. Currently working with young people who have reported the need for increased provision of creative groups and outlets, as for many this has proved one of their most consistent and reliable wellbeing tools. Will work closely with current Washington 'Creative You Project' along with local secondary schools across Washington especially ones where some teachers are concerned for vulnerable children across school holiday periods who maybe social isolated. Group would be a maximum of 8 young people and would explore their creativity with the support of a qualified counsellor and experienced youth worker and have access to a lunch and healthy snacks. Promote through partnerships with local schools and social media.