

Washington Area Committee SIB funded Tall Ships Races 2018 Project

Background

On 11 July 2018, Sunderland will welcome a majestic fleet of Tall Ships to take part in a colourful four day festival of culture and entertainment across the city, before they set sail in spectacular style to compete in the first leg of The Tall Ships Races 2018.

The City of Sunderland has the honour to be the start port for The Tall Ships Races in 2018. Hosting the event for the first time, Sunderland, a city by the sea has a commercial port as well as a multi award-winning coastline and riverside. The city's relationship with the sea goes back many centuries from once being the largest shipbuilding town in the world to our ever busy Port of Sunderland which celebrates its 300th birthday in 2017. Hosting the Tall Ships fleet, with crews and visitors from all around Europe and beyond, will provide a unique opportunity to showcase the city's rich culture, heritage and Sunderland's well-deserved friendly reputation.

From 11 – 14 July 2018 a programme of culture and entertainment will take place, and ships will be open at specific times for visitors to discover more.

Washington Area Committee would like to invite local organisations to submit proposals for funding to deliver activities or events which celebrate '**The Tall Ships Races 2018**' for the benefit of Washington residents (wards of Washington Central, Washington East, Washington North, Washington South, Washington West).

Activities must support one or both of the following:

- Encourage children, young people and families to take part in heritage or cultural activities
- Provide social opportunities, especially for older people and vulnerable adults

Requests up to $\underline{\text{£500}}$ will be considered. An assessment panel will consider applications to assess suitability. Events and activities can be arranged to celebrate '100 days to go', '50 days to go' or immediately prior and during the event itself. All activity should therefore take place between the **beginning of April and 14 July 2018**.

The closing date for applications is January 26th 2018. Forms which have not been fully completed or which have been completed incorrectly will not be considered by the panel. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure all sections are complete.

Project Proposal

Name of project	
Name and address of Organisation	
Contact details (Name, position in organisation, tel, email)	

Brief description of proposal – please give details of what you intend to deliver, when and where	
Target area	
(neighbourhoods or wards)	
Number of Participants	
Number of Volunteers (if	
relevant)	
Total amount requested	
with cost breakdown	
Match Funding if any (including in kind)	

All details must be complete in order for the application to be submitted to the panel.

Name of Proposed Project:

Name of Organisation:

I confirm the group has a constitution, bank account and all relevant processes and procedures in place in order to deliver the project (including Safeguarding and CRB requirements where required).

I agree to provide information after the event including how many people attended the event/activity, any positive outcomes and provide up to three photographs electronically.

Print Name:

Sign:

Position in Organisation:

Please return to:

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Deadline for submission: January 26th 2018