

Culture and Community Activity Grants 2016/17
Application assessment summary

Each grant application has been assessed against the Culture and Community Activity Grant criteria (Appendix 1) using a standard template.

Project funding requests:

Organisation (District / Division)	Project Title (Project Costs)	Proposal	Amount Requested	Amount recommended activity grant 2016/17
The Petersfield Musical Festival (East Hants / Petersfield Butser and Petersfield Hangers)	Petersfield Musical Festival 2017 (£56,225.00)	The organisation seeks funding to support a nine day Music Festival in March 2017 to include performances by professional and amateur musicians, a family concert, two young people's concerts and a competition for young composers. Several Hampshire music groups will be taking part and this is an opportunity for local talent to work alongside professional musicians, benefiting from their experience and developing their careers. 3000 Hampshire residents are expected to benefit from the project. The organisation has secured £1,000 from Petersfield Town Council, £1,988 from South Downs National Park Authority and £500 from RVW (Ralph Vaughan Williams) Trust. It has applied for £750 from East Hants District Council and £600 from Josephine Baker Trust (outcomes due December 2016). It expects to generate £34,603 through Box Office sales, subscriptions, programme sales and advertising and to benefit from £11,395 worth of in-kind support from volunteers. This leaves a small shortfall of approx. £4,000 which the organisation will meet from reserves if it is unable to attract any additional funding. Councillors Moon and Clarke were consulted and Councillor Clarke supports the application. Note: The organisation was awarded £1,000 Culture and Community Activity Grant 2015-16 (decision day 14.09.2015) It is recommended that The Petersfield Musical Festival is awarded £1,000	£1,000	£1,000

Winchester Film & Art CIC (Winchester / Winchester Eastgate and Winchester Westgate)	Winchester Short Film Festival 2016 (£16,007)	The organisation seeks funding to support a nine day Short Film Festival in November 2016. While Hampshire film makers are the focus, the festival will be opened up to the world this year. The organisation also aims to gain BAFTA accreditation this year. Selected short films will be screened in various venues around Winchester and will be judged by a team of Hampshire based film professionals. Work placements are offered to students at Winchester Art School and the University of Winchester. 1000 Hampshire residents are expected to benefit from the project. The organisation is contributing £504 of its own funds to the project and has secured £1,125 from Winchester City Council, £1,000 from Winchester Business Improvement District, £150 from the Matthew Martino Benevolent Fund and £3,500 of sponsorship from Hampshire businesses. It expects to generate £6,900 through entry fees, ticket sales and merchandise. Councillors Mather and Tod were consulted and Councillor Tod supports the application. Note: The organisation was awarded £3,000 Culture and Community Activity Grant 2015-16 (decision day 16.07.2015) It is recommended that Winchester Film & Art CIC is awarded £2,810	£2,808	£2,810
TOTAL			£3,808	£3,810