



Agenda Item No. 7

**STOCKWOOD, HENGROVE & WHITCHURCH
NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP
17th JUNE 2015**

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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Neighbourhood Committee approves the recommendations from the Wellbeing Panel for the allocation of Wellbeing Funding

1. Stockwood, Hengrove & Whitchurch Neighbourhood Partnership has £20,000 available unallocated funding in the Wellbeing budget as at 17th June 2014.

Ward	2014-15 available funds	Funds Allocated (tbc)	Balance (tbc)
Stockwood	£10,000	June 2015: £975	£9,025
Hengrove	£10,000	June 2015: £975	£9,025
Total	£20,000		£18,050

2. The Wellbeing Panel met on 2nd June 2015 to review the applications received as laid out in the table below:

All Applications:

Ward	Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
1 Hengrove and Stockwood	Age UK	£750	Day service activity	£750
2 Hengrove and Stockwood	Oasis Academy	£2,400	4 Half Term Clubs	£1,200
3. Stockwood	Stockwood Children's Centre	£1,716	Weekly Drama Sessions	Not Recommended
	TOTAL	£4,866		£1,950
			Funds Remaining	£18,050

3. The tables below give a breakdown of the applications by ward:

Table 1: Stockwood applications

	Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
	Age UK	£375	Day service activity	£375
	Oasis Academy	£1,200	4 Half Term Clubs	£600
	TOTAL	£1,575		£975
			Funds Remaining	£9,025

Table 2: Hengrove applications

	Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
	Age UK	£375	Day service activity	£375
	Oasis Academy	£1,200	4 Half Term Clubs	£600
	TOTAL	£1,575		£975
			Funds Remaining	£9,025

4. The next Wellbeing deadline for application is 28th August 2015, with the panel meeting for recommendations on 8th September 2015.

Legal Information

When councillors decide how the wellbeing fund is spent they should have due regard to the public sector equality duty that applies to all public bodies. This duty is contained in the Equality Act 2010 and came in to force on 6 April 2011. It replaces previous equality duties under the Sex Discrimination, Race Relations and Disability Discrimination Acts.

The duty means that councillors are required to have due regard to the need to:

- Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited under the Act
- Promote equality of opportunity between different groups
- Foster good relations between people from different groups

The duty covers the following protected characteristics:

- Disability, Sexual orientation, Age, Gender reassignment, Religion and belief; Sex, Race, Pregnancy and maternity.

It also applies to marriage and civil partnership, but only in respect of the requirement to eliminate discrimination and harassment.