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Application form

Awards for All England

Please note our processes have changed and we now require all organisations including schools and other statutory bodies to provide us with the following:

- home addresses and dates of birth for all contacts
- financial information
- the date the organisation was established.

The help notes within the form provide further information.

- ▶ Before you start filling in this form make sure you have read the guide for applicants carefully.
- ▶ For some questions we have a maximum number of characters that you can use in your response, to give you an idea of the amount of detail we need. You may well be able to answer these questions in fewer characters than the maximum.
- ▶ We update our programmes from time to time, so if you have had this form for more than three months, contact us or visit our website to check that you have the most up-to-date version. We published this version in May 2014.

If you have any questions or communication needs (such as Braille or large print, screen reader, audiotape, sign language or a community language) please:

- call our advice line: 0845 4 10 20 30
- send us an email: general.enquiries@awardsforall.org.uk
- contact us using text relay on 18001 plus 0845 4 10 20 30 (for those with a hearing or speech impairment).

There are different Awards for All guidance notes and application forms for Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. These are available from the website or advice line.

About this form

If you have downloaded this form from our website or received it by email you can type directly into it and save your answers.

You should save the form to your own computer first and you must have the latest version of Adobe Reader installed. Download it free here.
<http://get.adobe.com/uk/reader/>

We have produced an Adobe Reader help note, which you can get from our advice line.

You must not change any of the questions or alter any part of the form. If you do, we will not accept your application.

If you are using a paper form please write clearly in black ink or type.

Do not use correction fluid, as your application will be returned.

Awards for All application checklist

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It is important that you work through this checklist before you start completing the Awards for All application form.

This checklist has been designed to help you decide if Awards for All is right for your project or organisation, before you go to the time and expense of submitting an application. The checklist also helps us as it reduces the number of ineligible applications we need to process, which means we can keep our costs down and give more money out in grants.

Part one - You must be able to answer yes to one of the options in Part one to apply

Is your group a:	Yes	No
● voluntary or community organisation? (including if you are a registered charity or company)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
● school?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
● health body?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
● parish or town council?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered no to all of the above then your organisation is not eligible to apply to Awards for All. Awards for All cannot fund organisations which make a profit, councils or individuals. Please check the Who can apply section of our guidance notes or contact us on the advice line above if you need clarification.

Part two - You must be able to answer yes to all of Part two to apply

Does your group:	Yes	No
● have its own bank account, which requires two unrelated people to authorise cheques and make withdrawals (including debit card or internet purchases and cash withdrawals)? This must be in the name of the organisation applying, unless you are a school.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
● have at least three members on its governing body or board of directors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
About your project:		
● is your application for between £300-£10,000?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
● is your project start date at least four months from the date you will send us this application or is it flexible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
● will your project be completed within 12 months of receiving a grant?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered no to any of the above, we may not be able to fund your project. Please refer to 'Who can apply' in our 'Guide for applicants', or contact us on the advice line above.

Part three - You must be able to answer no to all of Part three to apply

Is your application for:

Yes

No

- a project we have given funding for in the last three years? Yes No
- a project which is part of your normal work (this includes regular and repeat activities), unless it is more than three years since those activities or events have taken place, or they have been developed, for example they are to be run with new beneficiary types or in a new area? or are you an organisation with an annual income of less than £30, 000 in your last financial year. Yes No
- a project primarily to increase participation in sports, heritage or arts (in which case we suggest you look at the Other small Lottery grants page on the Awards for All England website)? Yes No
- ongoing staff costs (including salaries of permanent or fixed term staff)? Yes No
- activities that will happen or start before we confirm our grant (which for successful applications is normally about four months from the date we receive your complete application)? Yes No
- any costs you incur when putting together your application? Yes No
- day-to-day running costs of your organisation (for example, utility bills, council tax, rent or insurance)? Yes No
- contingency costs? Yes No
- a project which includes land or building work costing more than £25,000 (including VAT)? Yes No
- land or building projects where the ownership or lease is not yet in place? Yes No
- fundraising activities for your organisation or others? Yes No
- items that mainly benefit individuals (for example, equipment that is not shared)? Yes No
- items that are purchased on behalf of another organisation? Yes No
- loans or interest payments? Yes No
- endowments (to provide a source of income)? Yes No
- political or religious activities? Yes No
- a project or activities that the state has a legal obligation to provide? Yes No
- projects that you cannot maintain because of high ongoing costs or the need for specialist skills? Yes No
- a project that cannot be completed within 12 months of receiving a grant? Yes No
- the purchase of alcohol? Yes No
- routine repairs and maintenance? Yes No
- used vehicles? Yes No
- VAT that you can recover? Yes No

If you answered yes to any of the above, we may not be able to fund your project. Please check our guidance notes for further information or contact us on the advice line on page 2.

Part one – About your organisation

1. What is your organisation's name and address?

Organisation legal name

Does your organisation use a different name in your day to day work?

No Yes

What other name do you use?

Organisation main or registered address including postcode

Postcode

2. What type of organisation are you?

Voluntary or community organisation
School Health body Parish or town council

3. Organisation details

a) Charity Number (if applicable)

b) Company Number (if applicable)

c) Department for Education Number (if applicable)

d) When was your organisation set up? Day Month Year

e) How many people are on your organisation's governing body or board of directors?

f) What is your VAT status? VAT registered Not VAT registered

What is your VAT registration number?

g) Are you a branch of a larger organisation? No Yes

If yes, what is the name of the larger organisation?

What is the address of the larger organisation?

Postcode

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Question 1

Give the full name as it appears on your governing document. Please check this. If the full legal name is incorrect, it may delay your application.

Tell us your organisation's main or registered address, including postcode. **If you're successful, this is the address we'll send your offer letter to.**

Question 2

Please tick one box only.

We explain what we mean by voluntary and community organisations on page 8 of our Guide for applicants.

Question 3

If you are a charity and company, please provide both. If you're an academy, provide the Department for Education number with the Companies House number, if appropriate. Give us the date when your organisation adopted its current legal status. This should be in your governing document. If you're a school or statutory organisation, check with your administrative body. If you don't know the exact day or month, please give an approximate date.

Give the total number of people currently on your governing body or board of directors. Refer to 'Who can apply' in our Guide for applicants for further clarification.

Your VAT number should be between 9 and 12 numbers long and have no spaces.

If you are a branch of another organisation that has management and financial control over you they may have some legal responsibility if we give you a grant.

h) Are there any restrictions on who can join your organisation? No Yes

If yes, what are they and why do you have them?
You can write up to 400 characters with spaces (about 50 words)

The number of councillors is determined by law and is set at 7 plus a clerk elected every 4 years through open elections . Anyone within the Parish can stand. The Friends Group broadens membership and the chairman of the Group is a member of the Parish Council's sub-group for the Plav Park

4a. What is the main email address for your organisation?

This should be the email address people use to contact your organisation.

sheviockpc@btinternet.com

4b. Does your organisation have a website?

No Yes

If yes, what is your website address?

sheviockparish.org.uk

5. Does your bank or building society account meet our requirements?

No Yes

Bank or building society name

The Unity Trust Bank

Bank or building society address

Nine Brindley Place
Birmingham
Postcode B1 2HB

Account details

Organisation name on statements or passbook

Sheviock Parish Council

Is this the same as on your governing document?

No Yes

Account number 20289898

Sort code 608301

Building society roll number, if applicable

Address your bank or building society has for your organisation for this account

Bill Warren Room
Sheviock Memorial Hall
Crafthole
Torpoint
Postcode PL11 3DG

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If your organisation has a membership we expect this to be open to all and that anyone can join, unless you can provide a good reason why not. We will usually consider proposing and seconding to be unacceptable and we expect there to be the right of appeal for anyone refused membership.

It can be a personal email address if your organisation doesn't have an email address.

Question 5

Your account must be in the name of the organisation that is applying for a grant and will carry out the project.

We require at least two people to sign each cheque or authorise a withdrawal (including debit card or internet purchases and cash withdrawals). If you are a school, a local authority bank account is acceptable.

6. Provide a summary from your most recent accounts

Are the figures below:

● information from the latest accounts approved by your organisation?

or

● a projection because your organisation has been running less than 15 months?

Account year ending: dd/mm/yyyy

Total income for the year (A)

Total expenditure for the year (B)

Surplus or deficit at the year end (A-B)

Total savings or reserves at the year end

Have your accounts been independently audited?

No Yes

7. Who is the main contact for this application?

(This MUST be a member of your group.)

Title Forenames (in full)

Surname

Position in organisation

Date of birth: dd/mm/yyyy

Home address

Postcode

Have they lived at this address for the last three years?

No Yes

If no, give their previous home address.

Postcode

Landline number (or text phone)

Second contact number (or text phone)

Email address

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Question 6

The Charity Commission has published useful information on accounting and reporting at: www.charitycommission.gov.uk/Charity_requirements_guidance/Accounting_and_reporting/

If you're a registered charity we'll expect you to follow this guidance but if you are not, you may still find it helpful.

All applicants must provide income and expenditure figures. Give a projection for the first full year if your organisation has been running for less than 12 months. Schools should include the whole school budget.

Question 7

This must be the person that submits the application. They should be someone from your organisation who can talk about your project and we can contact during office hours. They must be over eighteen years old. For schools, someone who is directly employed by the school must submit the application (for example, a teacher or administrator).

We need their date of birth and home address for our standard fraud prevention checks, so please check that the information provided is correct.

You must provide a landline telephone number.

Do you have any communication needs? No Yes

If yes, what are your communication needs?
You can write up to 200 characters with spaces (about 20 words)

8. Who is the senior contact for this application?

- For voluntary and community organisations this must be your chair, secretary, treasurer or a senior member of your governing body.
- For companies this must be a director or the company secretary.
- For organisations that are both a registered charity and a company, this must be a director or the company secretary.
- For schools this must be your head teacher.
- For parish and town councils this must be your clerk to the council.
- For health bodies this must be your chief executive or director.

Title Forenames (in full)

Surname

Position in organisation

Date of birth: dd/mm/yyyy

Home address

Postcode

Have they lived at this address for the last three years? No Yes

If No, give their previous home address.

Postcode

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These might be textphone, sign language, large print, screen reader, audiotape, Braille or a community language.

Question 8

By voluntary and community organisations we mean: registered and unregistered charities, companies or unincorporated associations that are not-for-profit, co-operatives, friendly societies and industrial and provident societies.

The senior contact must not be the same as the main contact in question 7.

They must be over eighteen years old.

We need their date of birth and home address for our standard fraud prevention checks, so please check that the information provided is correct.

Landline number (or text phone)

Second contact number (or text phone)

Email address

If we need to write to them, which address should we use?

The email address in this question

or

The address in this question.

Does your senior contact have any communication needs? No Yes

If yes, what are they?

You can write up to 200 characters with spaces (about 20 words)

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You must provide a landline telephone number.

Tick one box only. We may not need to write to your senior contact but in case we do, tell us if they would prefer email or letters.

These might be textphone, sign language, large print, screen reader, audiotape, Braille or a community language.

Part two – About your project

9. What is the name of your project?

You can write up to 70 characters with spaces (about 10 words)

Crafthole Park

10. What project or activities do you want us to fund?

You can write up to 2,500 characters with spaces (about 300 words)

The aim of the Crafthole Park Project is to give the young and teenagers in our Parish access to a central safe area with play equipment and provide a social hub for them and the wider community. It is the result of extensive consultation with residents and representatives of the many volunteer groups we have within the community and a key element in our Parish Plan. The Parish Council have the lease of additional land for 40 years confirmed and agreed to its maintenance (grass and hedge cutting, waste removal equipment) and insurance and inspection of the play equipment. With funding from Awards for All we would be able to purchase the required safety inner picket fencing, a nest swing (disabled friendly) and a bank slide. This will compliment the existing area which consists of a few pieces of low level wooden equipment suitable only for younger children, we would like to add further equipment to the play area to which would make it suitable for ages 1-12 and children of all abilities. There are no schools or adequate children's play area within the parish; the closest is 5 miles away. The roads are narrow, busy and dangerous which can lead to the children being isolated and poor development of their social skills. There are no sports or gymnasium facilities in the parish with the closest range of facilities in Plymouth, 6 miles away by road and ferry or 16 miles by road.

11. When will your project take place?

- ▶ Your start date should be at least four months after you send us your application.
- ▶ Your end date must not be more than 16 months after you send us your application.

Start date:

dd/mm/yyyy

20 01 2016

End date:

dd/mm/yyyy

20 03 2016

Is your start date:

Fixed

Flexible

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Question 9

Give us a short title that we could use for publicity purposes. Try to make it unique to your project.

Question 10

Describe your project. By 'project' we mean the event or activities you plan to carry out using our grant.

Be specific about what you will do, how you will do it and what you would spend the grant on.

There is more detailed information about what we will and will not fund on page 9 of the guide for applicants. Read this carefully to check that we can fund what you want to do.

12a. Where are the people who will benefit from your project based?

Local authority area

Full postcode

12b. Where will your project take place?

Give the location of the places where your project will happen.

- If your project will take place at (or be run from) a single location, enter its postcode, put 100 per cent and select it as the main location.
- If your project will take place at (or be run from) a number of locations, enter more rows and estimate a percentage for each one. Then select one postcode as the main location.
- Please make sure the total adds up to 100 per cent.
- If the location doesn't have a postcode, use one for a nearby building.

Building name (or number) in street	Postcode	% per location	Main location
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<input type="text" value="Sheviock Lane"/>	<input type="text" value="PL11 3DF"/>	<input type="text" value="100"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Question 12

Tell us the local authority area and postcode where the people who will benefit from your project are based.

If the people who will benefit are from a number of places, give the local authority area and postcode where the most people will benefit.

13. How much will your project cost?

a) How much will each item or activity cost and how much do you want from Awards for All?

Item or activity	A Total cost	B Amount requested from Awards for All
Stock fence to perimeter	£ 266	£ 0
Bicycle Rack & installation	£ 342.72	£ 0
nest swing	£ 4060	£ 4060
Supply and install 58sqm metres of picket fencing	£ 4140	£ 2395
Bank slide - supply and install includes ground stabilisation mesh and rubber grass mat safer surfacing	£ 3545	£ 3545
	£	£
	£	£
	£	£
	£	£
	£	£
Totals	£ 12,353.72	£ 10,000

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Question 13 a)

List all of the individual items or activities that make up your project.

Provide a breakdown for each item if necessary. For example, don't just put furniture, list the different items:
5 tables
30 chairs
5 desks

Include everything you will need for the project, even if you are not asking us to fund it.

Give the total cost of each item or activity in column A and put how much you want from us in column B.

If you want us to fund all your project costs then the figures in column A and column B will be the same.

You must not include any VAT that you can claim back from HM Revenue and Customs.

The total requested from Awards for All must be between £300 and £10,000.

Please check that you have added up the totals correctly.

b) If the total in column A is higher than the total in column B, where is the rest of the funding coming from? You can write up to 800 characters with spaces (about 100 words)

We have already raised £742.72. Local Councillor George Trubody has provided £342.72 to supply and install a bike rack. CHAT (Community Health around Torpoint charity number 1080135) donated £300 towards the outer stock fencing. Rame Community Fund have donated £100 to pay the fencing supplier. A fundraising day is planned on Saturday 26th September 2015 with cream teas, face painting, bouncy castle, BBQ and music with tickets now on sale we aim to raise £600-£700 and other events are being planned. The Friends of Craffhole Park are applying to SWDWP for funds towards fencing and seating and expect an answer in October with funds paid end November.

c) How have you worked out your costs? You can write up to 800 characters with spaces (about 100 words)

After obtaining 3 quotes for the play park Green Scheme were the chosen provider to supply and install the play equipment and the bike rack. The fencing cost has been calculated from a supplier that the Parish Council have used previously.

14. Does your project involve work on land or a building, including refurbishment?

(You MUST own the freehold of the land or building, or hold a lease that cannot be brought to an end by the landlord for at least five years).

No

Yes

If yes, you must answer both a) and b) below

a) Does your organisation:

own the freehold of the land or building

or

hold a lease of at least five years that cannot be ended by the landlord?

b) Is planning permission needed for your project?

Planning permission is not required

or

Planning permission is required and has been granted

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Question 13 b)

If you need to raise funds from other sources you must be able to show that you will be able to do this and it will not affect your project or cause a delay.

Let us know if you have already raised some funds or plan to use reserves or savings.

If you have applied to other funders but have yet to hear from them tell us who they are and when you expect a decision. If you want us to fund all your project costs and are not contributing any funding from other sources put not applicable.

Question 13c)

Make sure the costs are accurate and based on quotations where possible.

Question 14

We may need you to send further information about land ownership if we offer you a grant.

If you need planning permission, you must have it before you apply.

We may need you to send confirmation that planning permission is not required, or that it is required and has been granted.

Part three – The difference your project will make

15(a). Why is your project needed?

You can write up to 1,500 characters with spaces (about 200 words)

There are three main villages that make up the parish of Sheviok and the close proximity of naval establishments also makes the parish home to service families. The mother and toddler group have a strong interest in this venture as they are concerned with the lack of exercise and opportunity for outside play in safe areas for their children as they grow up. For older children, we need somewhere safely accessible on foot and by bike to meet with their friends outdoors. During the summer months we see a huge increase in visitors to our Parish. Currently, there is no adequate play-park where people can meet within the parish and families and visitors have to drive 5 miles to the nearest facilities. We currently have a small area of land with a few pieces of low level wooden equipment suitable for younger children only. We would like to provide a safe area for both younger and older children where they can meet and improve their social skills and make new friends therefore reducing loneliness. The majority of parishioners are prepared to be directly involved with this vital project which addresses the major aspects of all our lives, well-being, healthy exercise and social inclusion.

15(b). What evidence do you have to show that your project is needed? How have you consulted with the people who will benefit from your project and what did you find out?

You can write up to 1,500 characters with spaces (about 200 words)

The need is entirely based on evidence gathered from the community over many years. The need was originally identified in the Parish Plan in 2004. A subsequent parish wide consultation in 2013 confirmed the need. 183 signatures (approx. 30% of parish population) supported the need for a recreation area, with many of the comments stating “yes please” and “very much needed”. The signatures of support include the local pre-school, headmistress of the closest local primary school and local childminders, who all agreed the need for outside play when adhering to EYFS government framework. As a result, the Parish Council distributed a questionnaire to all residents of the parish asking if they would use a Play park area and what they would like to have included. An open day in the village hall January 2014 presented the results which lead to 101 voting forms completed (approx. 17% of parish population). The most requested items of play equipment were swings and a slide. The Parish Council secured additional land necessary and a new lease agreed with Antony Estate in February 2015. A Friends Group has been set up with also an informal Youth Friends Group to help with initial fundraising and provide long term sustainable development.

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Question 15(a)

Make sure you:

Tell us about the problems or issues your group aims to address.

Question 15(b)

Examples of the types of evidence you might use are:

- ▶ Organising a meeting that anyone interested in your project can come to.
- ▶ Carrying out a survey of people who use your service or those who might use it.
- ▶ Keeping a waiting list of people who want to get involved in your activities or use your service.
- ▶ Finding out if there is a lack of your type of facility, service or activities in the local area and whether people would use it if it was available.
- ▶ Researching any statistics about the people who would benefit from your project.
- ▶ Finding out if your project supports any local or national strategies.
- ▶ Evaluating previous projects or seeking feedback on a pilot project.

A consultation can include community surveys, focus groups and public meetings; the findings should be less than two years old.

If you can't consult with the people that you want to help, tell us why.

We also want to know how:

- your project has been influenced by what people have told you
- you know that the people you want to help will use your project.

16(a). How will you promote and publicise your project?

You can write up to 1,200 characters with spaces (about 150 words)

*Parish Council - monthly agenda item from the Open Spaces SubGroup. Agenda and minutes displayed on parish noticeboards and website.

- Events and news posted on the Parish website Forum
- Articles in SheviocK Parish Newsletter distributed to all households in the Parish
- The Friends of Craffhole Park facebook page with regular updates
- Cascading news and updates through the members of the Friends Group
- Local schools distributing leaflets for the open day in every child's book bag
- Open Day posters displayed in surrounding villages
- Craffhole Community Shop selling tickets for the open day .

16(b). How will your project actively seek to involve as wide a range of people as possible?’

You can write up to 1,200 characters with spaces (about 150 words)

We are a relatively small community and by involving as many existing groups within the Parish and regular engagement with the pre-school we aim to encourage any lonely parents/carers and children to become involved, including those that are shy and less confident. We can do this through updating community groups and clubs with older residents who meet at the village hall and Churches, e.g coffee mornings and involving parents, grandparents and visitors in fundraising activities. We are also asking clubs how they could use and promote the use of the park, eg the Parish Gardening club will be looking after the flora aspects of the projects with an aim to help everyone appreciate the meadow lands in which the project stands and the badminton club will be able to use the space as an outdoor practice area in good weather. Part of the role of the Friends Group will be to monitor use and identify opportunities for development to encourage all groups within the community to use the facility.

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Question 16(a)

Explain what you will do to make sure that people from different backgrounds know about your project and how to benefit from it.

Question 16(b)

If you have identified any groups who could benefit but are less likely to take part, explain why this is the case and what you will do to tackle it. If your project will involve the wider community tell us how. If you plan to restrict who can take part in your project you should explain why, so that we can consider if this is acceptable.

17. What is the change or difference your project is going to make?

Tick the outcomes that reflect the change or difference your project will make.

Your project must meet at least one of the outcomes to be considered for a grant, but you don't have to tick all four boxes. Only tick the outcomes your project will help to achieve.

- People have better chances in life** – with better access to training and development to improve their life skills.
- Stronger communities** – with more active citizens working together to tackle their problems.
- Improved rural and urban environments** – which communities are better able to access and enjoy.
- Healthier and more active people and communities.**

Tell us in your own words how your project will meet each of the programme outcomes you have ticked.

You can write up to 3,000 characters with spaces (about 400 words)

1) People have better chances in life if they have confidence and good social skills. The park at Craffhole will provide a safe place for children to meet and mix. The children will be encouraged by the garden club group to be involved with planting and maintaining the area and this will further increase their self-confidence. The Informal Youth Group formed as part of the Friends of the Park is empowering the children to think of their own ways to fundraise, within the events organised by their parents, giving them new skills and introducing them to the value of money and the need for self-help. This project provides a safe central point for residents of the three villages in the parish to gather, with friends and family, close to home, to relax and spend time, playing and socialising together. It will enable everyone to develop social skills and overcome loneliness, therefore improving life skills. 2) An even stronger community will be generated through the project which has already encouraged a number of families who previously have not been active in village activities to join the Friends of the Park group. The involvement of the garden club with the younger parents and with children will also create new friendships, increase the involvement in community activities, and strengthen the community spirit. The support of young families in the Friends Group will provide the ambassadors to encourage new residents and those who are shy to take their children to the park to make the facility really all inclusive. 3) Improved urban and rural environments by providing community use of a much improved park area, most of which currently is unavailable to the public. The area has been chosen because it is central to the parish, can be accessed safely by foot on footpaths, is protected from the prevailing south westerly winds and gives magnificent views over the Tamar Valley, which has ANOB status. The development of flora within the area will further enhance the local environment. 4) Healthier and more active people and communities by providing outdoor equipment. The parish council has recently established two new footpaths that now enable virtually all parish residents to access the park on foot or by bicycle without having to use the busy main roads. This central facility will encourage healthier and more active people by allowing them to use this new outside play area and access it by walking without the need for car transport.

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Question 17

Our outcomes are the changes or differences that we want our funding to achieve.

Tell us in this section the difference or change you intend your project to make.

Think about the change or difference your project will have on the local community or target beneficiaries.

Don't just repeat the programme outcomes using different words. Think about how the change or difference your project is going to make reflects our outcomes.

18. Does your project involve work with children, young people under the age of 18 or vulnerable adults?

No

Yes

If yes, as a minimum we expect you to:

- have safeguarding policies in place that are appropriate to your organisation's work and the project you are asking us to fund
- review your safeguarding policies at least every year
- complete a rigorous recruitment and selection process for staff and volunteers who work with children, young people or vulnerable adults, including checking criminal records and taking up references
- check criminal records at least every three years
- follow statutory or best practice guidance on appropriate ratios of staff or volunteers to children, young people or vulnerable adults
- provide child protection and health and safety training or guidance for staff and volunteers
- carry out a risk assessment, if appropriate
- secure extra insurance cover, if appropriate.

Does your organisation meet these requirements?

No

Yes

If your organisation is registered with or inspected by bodies that enforce safeguarding arrangements (such as OFSTED or the Care Quality Commission) please give details below, including any reference numbers.

19. Do you have any of the following?

a) Public liability insurance

No

Yes

b) Leaders' qualifications

No

Yes

c) Affiliation to a governing body

No

Yes

d) Other insurance

No

Yes

If you answered yes to any of the above, please give more details. You can write up to 1,200 characters with spaces (about 150 words)

Public Liability Insurance is for £5 million

Read these help notes

Question 18

It is your responsibility to have appropriate safeguarding policies and procedures in place, which we may ask to inspect at any time.

We may seek further information from any bodies you are registered with, or inspected by.

Question 19

Please answer a) to d).

Depending on the type of project, you may need public liability insurance or qualified leaders.

Public liability insurance is required for any public events.

If your project involves a dangerous sport or activity, your organisation should be affiliated to a relevant governing body or you must be working with fully qualified leaders or instructors.

Part four – Beneficiary monitoring

We want you to tell us who will mostly benefit from your project. When answering each question you should consider the makeup of the population in the area where you are delivering your project and who you think is most likely to use or get involved in it. If you tick 'No', this means that you don't expect any group or groups will benefit more than other groups listed. If you tick 'Yes', this means that your project will be particularly relevant to some of the groups listed.

We primarily ask these questions to understand the spread of our funding. There are no model answers. The information you give us will depend on what your project is for.

We will cross-reference the information you provide against other information supplied in your application form. If there are any inconsistencies we may follow this up with you.

20. Ethnic background

Will your project mostly benefit people from a particular ethnic background?

No Go to 21 Yes Tick up to three boxes below

White

- English/Scottish/Welsh/Northern Irish/UK
- Irish
- Gypsy or Irish Traveller
- Any other White background

Mixed/Multiple ethnic groups

- Mixed ethnic background

Asian/Asian UK

- Indian
- Pakistani
- Bangladeshi
- Chinese
- Any other Asian background

Black/African/Caribbean/Black UK

- African
- Caribbean
- Any other Black/African/Caribbean background

Other ethnic group

- Arab
- Any other ethnic group

The list of ethnic backgrounds we use is taken from the 2011 Census. Remember that everyone has an ethnic background.

The category 'mixed ethnic background' should only be selected if your project will mostly benefit people whose parents are of two or more ethnic backgrounds. It should not be selected if your project will benefit people from a range of ethnic backgrounds.

21. Gender

Will your project mostly benefit people of a particular gender?

No Go to 22 Yes Tick one box below

Male

Female

22. Age

Will your project mostly benefit people from a particular age group?

No Go to 23 Yes Tick up to two boxes below

0-24 years

25-64 years

65+ years

23. Disability

Will your project mostly benefit disabled people?

No Yes

24. Religion or belief

Will your project mostly benefit people of a particular religion or belief?

No Go to 25 Yes Tick one box only below

No religion

Christian

Buddhist

Hindu

Jewish

Muslim

Sikh

Other religion

25. Sexual orientation

Will your project mostly benefit lesbians, gay men or bisexual people?

No Yes

Please complete the checklist in Part five before sending us your application.

The category 'disabled people' should be selected if your project will mostly benefit people with a physical, mental, learning, sensory or cognitive impairment.

Data Protection

If you have applied for, or hold a grant with us then we will use the information you give us during assessment and during the life of your grant (if awarded) to administer and analyse grants and for our own research purposes.

We may give copies of all or some of this information to individuals and organisations we consult when assessing applications, administering the programme, monitoring grants and evaluating funding processes and impacts. These organisations may include accountants, external evaluators and other organisations or groups involved in delivering the project.

We may share information with organisations and individuals with a legitimate interest in Lottery applications and grants or specific funding programmes. We have a duty to protect public funds and for that reason we may also share information with other Lottery distributors, government departments, organisations providing matched funding or for the prevention and detection of crime.

We might use personal information provided by you in order to conduct appropriate identity checks. Personal information that you provide may be disclosed to a credit reference or fraud prevention agency, which may keep a record of that information.

If you provide false or inaccurate information in your application or at any point in the life of any funding we award you and fraud is identified, we will provide details to fraud prevention agencies, to prevent fraud and money laundering. You can obtain further details explaining how the information held by fraud prevention agencies may be used from our Customer Services by emailing dataprotection@biglotteryfund.org.uk or by telephoning our advice line on 0845 4 10 20 30, or by writing to: Customer Services, Big Lottery Fund, 2 St James Gate, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 4BE.

We might use the data you provide for research purposes. We recognise the need to maintain the confidentiality of vulnerable groups and their details will not be made public in any way, except as required by law.

Freedom of Information Act

The Freedom of Information Act 2000 gives members of the public the right to request any information that we hold. This includes information received from third parties, such as, although not limited to grant applicants, grant holders, contractors and people making a complaint.

If information is requested under the Freedom of Information Act we will release it, subject to exemptions; although we may choose to consult with you first. Your signatures on this form confirm that you understand our obligations under the Data Protection Act 1998 and the Freedom of Information Act 2000, and that you accept that as long as our actions conform to the relevant law we will not be liable for any loss or damage that you suffer as a result of us fulfilling our obligations.

Part five – Finishing your application

You must tick **all** the boxes below to confirm that:

- You have answered all the relevant questions in this application form.
- You (the main contact named in question 7 of this application form) are authorised to apply for a grant from us (the Big Lottery Fund) on behalf of your organisation.
- You understand that if you make any seriously misleading statements (whether deliberate or accidental) at any stage during the application process, or knowingly withhold any information, this could make your application invalid and you could be liable to repay any funds to us.
- Your organisation meets our eligibility requirements set out in our Awards for All Guide for applicants under 'Who can apply' and has the legal power to set up and deliver the project described in this application form.
- If we make you a conditional offer you will send us the relevant documents set out in our Awards for All Guide for applicants under 'What we will ask you to send us' within 20 working days and you accept that we may withdraw any conditional grant offer if you do not.
- You understand and accept our obligations under the Data Protection and Freedom of Information Acts set out in our Awards for All Guide for applicants and on page 19 of this application form.
- You are able to comply with the Awards for All terms and conditions of grant, which are available on our website www.awardsforall.org.uk

Please go to Part six.

Read these help notes

To apply for a grant from Awards for All you must tick all the boxes.

Make sure that your governing body or board of directors know about this application and have agreed that you can send it to us.

You must be able to comply with our terms and conditions if we offer you a grant. You should check that you can before you apply.

You can get a copy of our terms and conditions of grant from our website www.awardsforall.org.uk or you can phone or email us and we will send them to you.

Before you apply, make sure you can provide all the information we may ask for if we make a conditional grant offer. This is explained in 'What we will ask you to send us' in our guide for applicants.

Part six- Sending us your application

We prefer to receive applications by email but we will also accept them by post. When your application form is complete, email it to:

englandapplications@awardsforall.org.uk

Please put the name of your organisation in the subject field of your email. You will receive an automatic email from us confirming that we have received your application.

Or send your application to:

**Awards for All England applications
Big Lottery Fund
2 St. James Gate
Newcastle Upon Tyne
NE1 4BE**

Please do not send any other documents or a covering note. If we need more information we will ask you for it during our assessment.

- We would like to send information about the Big Lottery Fund and other Lottery good causes to your named main contact. If you do not consent to receive this information please tick the box.
- We should be grateful if you would help us improve our customer service by taking part in activities such as market research, surveys or product testing. If you do not consent to take part in these activities, please tick the box otherwise we may pass your details on to organisations who do this work for us.