

Stannington Parish WW1 – Centenary Fund

Background

In 2018 a group of residents and Councillors came together to stage a WW1 event to mark the end of the Great War. The event was extremely successful and reached national TV and attracted around 5000 visitors. The residual funds from the event after disbursements amounted to £6716.40 and this was gifted for the benefit of the community. Events and activities planned in 2020 are:

- Commemorative marble plaque to display commemorative disks bearing the names of 39 men from the parish who their lives in the conflict
- Battle of Britain event in 2021

The anticipated funds available to the community are circa £6000 and applications for sums circa £1000 are invited. It is hoped that a similar event in 2021 will raise a further £5000.

Funding criteria

- **Primary**
 - Must be linked to the benefit of the Parish
 - For a group or individual
 - Applications which provide leverage – i.e. the amount granted is a proportion of the cost of the activity or event rather than the whole cost
- **Secondary**
 - Key piece of equipment for use by a group
 - Support for 'Start Up' rather than business as usual
 - Environmental projects
 - Sponsor an individual for a significant event – eg represent the county or country
 - Other significant investment for the greater good of the parish or its residents
- **Considerations and process**
 - Applications will be considered by several parish Freemen and recommendations on grants will be made to the parish council who's decision will be final
 - Ideally grants will be awarded where there is a high level of leverage from the grant i.e the participation of other funders or fund raising will produce a wider benefit
 - Grants of over £1000 may be given in exceptional circumstances
 - As an applicant you agree to positively promoting any grant received and participating in media opportunities in addition to acknowledging support on your own website, social media and other PR

Application

Name : _____ **Date:** _____
Group (if applicable): _____
Address: _____ **Tel No:** _____
Email: _____

Please tell us about the purpose of the grant (100 words):

How many people will benefit?

What is the total cost of the project? £

How much are you applying for? £

What funds do you currently have as balances? £
(Provide a financial statement or bank statement)

What will be the benefits of the grant?
(Please give as much detail as possible)

Is the applicant or group based in or linked to Stannington Parish? If so how?

What publicity will you give to receiving the grant?

Please supply any documents, quotes, estimates, drawings or pictures to support your application.

List them here:

What other funds do you have toward the project?

Please provide details and copies of any offers.

Signed

Date:

Applications will be considered on a quarterly basis by a selection of the Freeman of Stannington Parish who will make recommendations to Stannington Parish Council, their decision is final. For further information contact the Clerk to the Council, 2 Monmouth Court, Widdrington, Morpeth, NE61 5QS. E: stanningtonpc@aol.com