

BEAUDESERT & HENLEY IN ARDEN JOINT PARISH COUNCIL



150 HIGH STREET, HENLEY IN ARDEN, WARWICKSHIRE, B95 5BS

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To all of the Societies listed herein – sent by email for expediency and posted on the JPC website, social media and the Henley Focus

Dear Head of Society,

APPLICATION FOR A JPC GRANT FOR 2024 - OUTCOMES

After due deliberation by the JPC Grants Panel, and subsequent consideration of certain additional records, in accordance with the instructions placed on me by the JPC, to inform you all of their final decision, subject to a majority vote conducted at the JPC Ordinary Meeting held on Monday the 6th of November 2023 at the Memorial Hall.

The outcome of the Grant Awards process are as follows; it should be noted that those who did not receive support this year will be asked to apply again in October next year where the process of support will be conducted for the year 2025.

I now tabulate the award outcomes for your information and this letter will be posted on the JPC website, social media and in the December issue of the Henley Focus.

Society	Grant Requested	Grant Awarded	Details [No grants will be paid prior to the 6 th of April 2024]
Henley in Arden Drama Society	£4,359.00	£2,180.00	Studio recording equipment. <i>JPC will match fund to a maximum of £2,180.00 and payment made on evidence of match funding.</i>
Henley in Arden Drama Society	£1,965.78	£1,000.00	Platinum anniversary book <i>Award and payment April 2024.</i>
Friends of Henley Railway Station.	£2,500.00	£2,500.00	Contribution towards toilets <i>Award and payment April 2024</i>
Henley War Memorial Trust [ARC]	£4,800.00	Pending	Football pitch maintenance cost contribution. <i>Held in abeyance pending further discussions.</i>
Guild Hall Trust [Roof]	£5,000.00	£5,000.00	Contribution to cost of roof repairs. <i>Award £5,000.00 but to be ringfenced and paid when work commences.</i>
Henley Christmas Lights Pantomime 'Cinderella'	£1,800.00	£1,800.00	Total costs in the region of £3,500.00. <i>Award £1,800.00 paid in April 2024</i>

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Henley Christmas Lights [Display]	£3,500.00	£3,200.00	Benefitting whole community. <i>Award £3,200.00 as maximum level is £5,000.00 to any single organisation.</i>
Friends of Shakespeare Line	£2,500.00	£2,500.00	Benefit to local schools [GCSE] visitor attraction. <i>Award £2,500.00 paid in April 2024.</i>
Henley Christmas Sleigh Fund	£500.00	£500.00	Sleigh sound system <i>Approve up to 50% of the cost of the system paid on receipt of the quotation by JPC.</i>
Henley Combined Churches [PCC]	£1,000.00	£800.00	Illumination of Town Clock, advertising and Garden of Remembrance. <i>Award £1,000.00 less overpayment from previous year [£200.00]</i>
Arts4All	£2,500.00	£2,500.00	Guild Hall Trust benefits from this event. Brings visitors to the town, community based event. <i>Award £2,500.00 to be paid April 2024.</i>
Joseph Hardy Trust [Heritage Centre]	£7,200.00	£3,600.00	Screen display video showing areas of the Centre which are inaccessible. <i>Award £3,600.00 to be paid in April 2024.</i>
Community Library	£5,000.00	£4,500.00	To meet running costs. <i>Award £4,500.00 as 2023-24 payment. JPC and HCL to meet early in 2024 to discuss future costs.</i>
Henley HUB	£5,000.00	£5,000.00	To meet running costs. <i>Award £5,000.00 to be paid in April 2024. JPC and HUB to meet early 2024 to discuss future costs.</i>
Totals	£47,624.78	£35,080.00	

Finally, payments will be made by bank transfer using data provided in your application. May I on behalf of the JPC wish you good luck in your endeavours during this new year in building up a happy and well cared for community here in town.

Yours sincerely

Ray Evans
Clerk & Proper Officer to the JPC