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116	Age UK Sevenoaks and Tonbridge	Support the cost of providing 'Pop Up Pop Ins' to encourage social interaction and reduce social isolation in rural settings. Sessions include sign posting to essential services alongside individually tailored falls prevention exercises. Sessions also include talks from organisations such as Kent Fire & Rescue. Due to COVID-19 the project will also look to increase its presence digitally and help their residents to engage with the sessions in this way.	£2,000	£4,250	£5,000	£4,540	£5,000		
505	Leigh Ladies Choir	The Leigh Ladies Choir is a community led amateur choir and supports residents with loneliness and isolation. The choir are looking to run a Virtual Concert in 2021 and the grant will be used to support this by funding a wide-angle camera, recording microphones and website add-ons.	No application	No application	£500	£0	£0	Project is an arts event and is primarily the responsibility of another agency or funder.	
436	West Kent Extra	The grant will go towards a three month project (May-July 2021) to deliver an intense support programme to adults who have been made redundant or become unemployed due to COVID-19. The programme will provide advice and guidance on navigating unemployment such as benefit support. It will also provide practical guidance on how to seek new employment based on their interests and upcoming opportunities. This project is an extension to their West Kent Works project which has been running with funding from the National Lottery since October 2020. This funding ceases at the end of April.	£1,200	£3,550	£5,000	£0	£0	The available level of funding is not sufficient for the Council to be able to prioritise this project and it was felt it could be funded through another organisation.	
506	Friends of Holcot	Friends of Holcot is a charity based in Holcot near Edenbridge. The charity are looking for funding to support disadvantaged families who have registered with them. The funding will support a short wellness initiative to help individuals struggling with weight gain, anxiety and depression. The funding will go towards paying for 15 memberships at Edenbridge Leisure Centre for 12 weeks for adults and 6 private inflatable sessions in the pool for children.	No application	No application	£2,500	£0	£0	This service is primarily the responsibility of another agency.	
44	Sevenoaks Counselling	Sevenoaks Counselling provides confidential counselling to all on an equal opportunities basis. They continue to receive a high number of referrals from GP surgeries, Citizens Advice etc. Clients make a contribution towards the cost of their counselling but are only asked to pay what they can afford. The grant would fund the provision of professional counselling services to those unable to pay all or any of the associated costs.	£900	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000		
508	The Layberry Foundation	The Layberry Foundation provides volunteer mentoring for young people including those who may have been in the care system. The grant will fund part time administration costs, volunteer expenses and also to help with the recruitment process for volunteers.	No application	No application	£2,000	£2,000	£2,000		The grant will be conditional that they work towards accreditation and work to improve their links with KCC and further enhance their referral process.
264	West Kent Mediation	The grant would be spent on the continuing provision and development of a free, professional, impartial and confidential mediation service for all SDC residents. WKM are the only service within the district providing a free mediation service to neighbours and families in need.	£4,800	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000		
58	Council for Voluntary Service North West Kent	To deliver an electronic news bulletin monthly for disseminating information to organisations for local networking, funding and training events. To provide DBS checks, payroll and accounts service and funds held service.	£1,000	£800	£3,120	£900	£900		
206	Sevenoaks Volunteer Transport Group	The grant will be used to support the charity to provide low cost transport for the elderly, infirm and disabled residents. Volunteer drivers help vulnerable residents of Sevenoaks District to attend hospital appointments, GP appointments and other clinics or appointments that are vital to their health and wellbeing.	£500	£500	£500	£500	£500		
2	D'Vine Singers	The D'Vine Singers are a wellbeing choir that meet weekly during term time. The funding will provide a term's running costs for the choir which offer places to people aged over 18. Currently they have members from day centres, people suffering with social isolation, residents with Parkinsons and members with mental health issues. Currently the choir has been meeting online due to restrictions and are looking to meet again in person when restrictions allow.	£350	£450	£500	£500	£500		
446	Domestic Abuse Volunteer Support Services	This grant is requested as a contribution towards core costs of providing vital support services for women and men experiencing domestic abuse, assisting them and their children to break the cycle of abuse and live safe and fulfilling lives again. This funding will contribute to: a cost-effective helpline, face-to-face and telephone support offering bespoke options for all risk levels; risk assessments to national standards; personal/family safety planning; referral to MARAC and Social Services for Child Protection as required; sign-posting to other agencies/voluntary groups. It would also support DAVSS' Support to Court project; free legal advice by appointment with DAVSS pro bono Lawyer and pro bono Barristers available. It would also help support co-ordinating the Freedom Programme and Recovery Toolkit.	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000		
21	West Kent Mind	The grant will help fund a remote counselling service for residents of Sevenoaks in need of emotional/mental health support who are unable to access the necessary technology or unable to find the privacy needed within their homes. Clients will come to a counselling room at our Sevenoaks Centre and meet with a counsellor remotely via Zoom, on a computer configured for secure remote operation.	£3,000	No application	£3,322	£3,322	£3,322		
378	10th Sevenoaks (Weald's Own) Scout Group	The grant will be used to build an outdoor washing up facility at the Weald Scout Hut in Weald Village. It will include a raised, covered platform off the ground leading to a washing up area fitted to the side of the hut. The grant will fund the materials to build the facility.	No application	No application	£3,000	£0	£0	The available level of funding is not sufficient for the Council to be able to prioritise this project.	

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14	Eden Christian Trust	The grant will help fund their main activity which is the ECT Youth Club that meets weekly. Up until lockdown the club had membership of 110 young people who attended regularly. During lockdown the Youth Club has continued to meet and their Youth Worker has been undertaking outreach work. Funding will help to cover the salary of their full time Youth Worker and core costs of the club.	£2,000	£1,000	£5,000	£1,750	£1,750		
495	We Are Beams	We are beams provide family advice to parents and families with children who have an SEND diagnosis. The funding will provide equipment to deal with extra capacity for their online meetings to continue their cygnet-parenting programme.	£3,500	No application	£4,214	£4,214	£4,214		This grant will be conditional upon evidence of deliverables being provided. Half of the grant will be provided upfront and the remainder provided once evidence has been submitted.
473	Oxford Village Memorial Hall	The funding will provide the ability for the memorial hall to have push button access so that the main entrance doors can be easily opened by wheelchair users.	No application	No application	£5,000	£0	£0	This application cannot be supported as priority has been given to applications demonstrating that they support a wider area of the District.	
462	Project Salus	Safety in Action is an interactive multi-agency event that invites Year 6 children to learn about some of the dangers they may face as they become more independent and prepare for transition to secondary school. The event is designed to develop citizenship and safety skills and to increase awareness of dangers. This grant will be used to support the staging of a 2 week event between March and July 2021 for up to 1500 year 6 pupils in the West Kent area. All primary schools will be invited and will be online via zoom.	£1,250	£1,500	£1,500	£1,500	£1,500		
499	Fegans	The grant will be used to fund 1:1 support with around 20 families who are struggling in the Sevenoaks area. It would be used to consolidate support for these parents and carers; funding a part time parent support worker based in the area to work with families and take referrals from the schools and other local agencies.	No application	£2,500	£5,000	£0	£0		
394	BRIDGES, Reg.ch.1029169	The grant will fund the art therapists fees and expenses to run the creative café and will also subsidise access to the café for those who cannot afford the £6 contribution for materials. The café attracts people who are experiencing mental, physical or emotional stresses. The funding will also go towards development time for recruitment, supervision and training. It will also go towards developing new partnerships with the local Food Bank, Citizens Advice and West Kent Debt Advice.	£1,870	£1,450	£3,728	£960	£960		
85	Imago	Imago will provide support to other charities and community groups in West Kent; operate a volunteer development service that supports local volunteers and support local organisations and projects that need volunteers. They will also operate a Dial 2 Drive service that addresses the social isolation of older people. They are looking to expand this service into the Swanley area. Imago also offer infrastructure support to provide voluntary and community groups to access information, support and advice.	£8,000	£4,000	£5,000	£3,500	£3,500		
483	9th Sevenoaks (Seal) Scout Group	The grant will enable the scout group to procure semi-permanent structures and facilities to enable scouting at our new long term site.	No application	No application	£4,985	£0	£0	Application is ineligible under the Community Grant Guidelines.	
509	Baby Umbrella	Baby umbrella provides inclusive, impartial online and face to face support to vulnerable families and new parents in Sevenoaks and the surrounding areas. Our practitioners are trained Breastfeeding Counsellors and Lactation Consultants. The grant will go towards supporting face to face appointments, drop-in group sessions, 1-1 video call support and weekly Facebook Q & A sessions.	No application	No application	£5,000	£4,040	£5,000		
500	Samaritans Sevenoaks	The grant will support the Samaritans in their new office by providing three months property rent, three months worth of office expenses and volunteer expenses.	No application	£0	£5,000	£4,040	£5,000		
512	CAS Community Solutions CIC	CAS Community Solutions CIC is a community interest group and the funding will go towards providing a Digital Skills Coach to support local people on a weekly basis to develop their digital skills to meet a wide range of needs. In particular, this support is perfect for people suddenly having to work from home and for those thinking of setting up their own business.	No application	No application	£4,880	£0	£0	The available level of funding is not sufficient for the Council to be able to prioritise this project.	
507	Parish of Fawkham and Hartley	A new parent / carers group for pre-school aged children called 'Little Hartley' is to be set up. No such group currently exists in the area and demand is high. In addition, post Covid the need for social interaction will be especially necessary. The group will provide friendship/social interaction for parents / carers and play facilities for the children. It will provide informal coffee, chat and fun in comfortable surroundings and will be lead by an experienced volunteer. The grant will fund play equipment, story books, puzzles, beans bags, floor mat for babies etc. and refreshment supplies. There are no hire charges for this group but a small amount may go towards the additional heating costs for the Hall.	No application	No application	£500	£500	£500		
3	North West Kent Volunteer Centre	The grant will support SDC in the recruitment and retention of volunteers in the northern parishes of Sevenoaks District. This will support three services: befriending service; Community Transport Service; and a gardening service. These services support older people and local people who are experiencing loneliness and isolation.	£4,250	£4,500	£5,000	£4,034	£5,000		

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511	Heart of Sevenoaks	Heart of Sevenoaks is a new online events directory, connecting the community with local events in and around Sevenoaks. The aim is to work with local businesses, helping to spread the word of local happenings, and suppliers through the website and linking social media. It offers a new, vibrant and up to date platform for businesses to advertise through. The grant will be used to fund a series of community events in the summer of 2021.	No application	No application	£5,000	£0	£0	The application has not demonstrated that the project for which funding is sought sufficiently meets the priorities of the grant scheme.	
510	The Quadrangle Shoreham Ltd.	The Quadrangle work to conserve and enhance the natural environment and provide an educational space, retreat centre, and gathering place for a wide variety of groups. The grant would help develop our project in two parts: a) 4 day-long workshops for groups of up to 20 adults in partnership with a Kent based wildlife organisation on wildlife conservation and forest gardening; b) 4 day-long Volunteer Days for adults and families when people can offer to help manage the forest garden and learn about permaculture in practice.	No application	No application	£4,500	£0	£0	The available level of funding is not sufficient for the Council to be able to prioritise this project.	
196	Sevenoaks PHAB	PHAB provides a weekly meeting on a Tuesday evening for adults with either a learning disability and or / a physical disability. Circa 45 people attend each session. Participants come from Tonbridge, Tunbridge Wells, Edenbridge & Sevenoaks. A range of activities are on offer including music, singing, drama, Boccia, Arts/Crafts & bingo.	£400	£500	£500	£500	£500		
404	Kent Wildlife Trust	The grant will fund support core costs in the maintenance of the reserve; to fund our hard-working wardens who make sure the area is clean and safe for all to enjoy, and to fund the equipment they need to do so.	£0	No application	£5,000	£0	£0	The organisation's reserves are considered to be too high to enable a grant to be recommended.	
498	The Hygiene Bank	The Hygiene Bank is equivalent to the Food Bank but for hygiene products. This grant will fund the purchase of essential hygiene items for people in the district who are experiencing financial difficulties and are unable to afford these basic items. Covid-19 has meant that many of their collection points have been closed for months in accordance with Government and PHE guidelines, and fewer donations have been coming into the points that remain open. Consequently, they have had to rely heavily on monetary/online donations to continue to meet the ever-growing need for these items.	No application	£3,000	£3,000	£2,000	£3,000		
	Total Grant Requested:				£109,249				
	Total Proposed Allocation (as per current budget):					£49,800			
	Maximum total allocation should funds from 2020 / 21 be returned & added to original budget						£54,146		