CRADLEY & STORRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

Small Grants Application

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This form should be completed with reference to the Parish Council's Grants Policy.
The aims of the Cradley & Storridge Parish Council "Small Grant Awards" is to provide small financial awards of up to £250 maximum, to not-for-profit groups/organisations, presenting proposals to the Parish Council that will enhance and offer additional benefits to the Parish and/or its residents.

Whilst the Cradley & Storridge Parish Council will endeavour to support applications which meet with its aims, it will not fund the following:

1. Organisations that do not provide a service to the community of Cradley and/or Storridge.
2. National appeals.
3. Political groups or activities promoting political beliefs.
4. Religious groups where funding is to be used to promote religious beliefs.
5. Arts & sports projects with no community or charitable element.
6. Medical research, equipment, or treatment.

Types of things our Small Grant Awards Scheme will fund.

1. Groups that wish to enhance the beauty of the parish areas.
   - Assistance with seed, flower, tree planting
   - The adding of wildlife habitat or mammal/bird protection/feeding

Note: Ongoing maintenance of a previously approved projects or schemes is excluded.

2. Community groups operating within the Parish of Cradley & Storridge and who provide support and/or services to the residents of the Parish of Cradley & Storridge.

You are encouraged to apply at any time of the year, however if funds become limited, applications will be grouped together before a decision on any award is made. We will aim to advise you of the outcome within 1-2 months of an application, if not sooner. If your request is urgent, please indicate this and we will try to process it without delay.

Completed applications should be email to our Clerk Richard James at:
clerk@cradleyandstorridge-pc.gov.uk

PLEASE NOTE:
The Parish Council has the discretionary powers to deviate from this agreed Grants Policy if and when circumstances are considered appropriate by the Parish Council.

In all such circumstances, the Parish Council will publish its reasons for deviating from this guidance, as part of its minutes confirming any award falling outside of this approved policy.

Small Grant Awards Application Form

Name of Applicant:	
Address of Applicant:	
Telephone:	Email:
Amount applying for: £	Bank Details: Name of Bank: Sort Code: Account No:
Have you previously applied for funding from us? Yes/No	If yes, please explain
Details of the application / use of funds	
Signed: Print:	Date:

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