

EPPING FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

GRANT AID SCHEME

FOR CLUBS, SOCIETIES AND COMMUNITY GROUPS

Funds are available to support local leisure and community groups in their work. Epping Forest District Council provides financial help in the form of grants.

Applications are welcome from local groups for funding towards a project that will improve facilities within that group such as: equipment purchase, capital projects and new initiatives – large or small.

WHO CAN APPLY?

Applications are accepted from community-based organisations within Epping Forest District, which operate for the benefit of Epping Forest residents providing they meet certain criteria. Priority will be given to groups, which achieve at least some of the criteria:

- are charitable and non-profit making
- are based, or are active, in Epping Forest District
- provide services to meet key social needs within the district
 - are non political
- can show clear aims and objectives and effective strategies for achieving these
- have considered alternative funding sources or put forward schemes as part of 'matched' funding proposals
 - promotes equal opportunities
- promotes good community relations/involvement

Further details of eligibility criteria and conditions are given on the Council's application form for grant aid and on the District Council website at www.eppingforestdc.gov.uk.

Application forms are available from Nicola Wilkinson, Policy and Research Assistant, Epping Forest District Council, Civic Offices, High Street, Epping, CM16 4BZ. Telephone 01992 564484 or e-mail: nwilkinson@eppingforestdc.gov.uk for further details.