

Community Action Grant – Redland Housing Association

Redland wants to help develop a sense of community amongst residents because this contributes to safer, sustainable and more stable communities and makes our homes pleasant places to live.

This grant facility aims to help individuals and groups to foster a sense of community in their neighbourhood, by contributing to community initiatives and activities. It is an additional resource and does not fund actions that are Redland's responsibility as a landlord.

Who can apply?

- Anyone who is a resident or who receives a service from Redland
- Residents' associations acting in the interest of Redland residents.
- External organisations that Redland works with for the well being of residents, e.g. voluntary groups promoting community development.

What does the fund aim to do?

- Engage all people in the local community
- Develop skills and confidence
- Promote good relationships between neighbours
- Promote community safety
- Improve quality of life.
- Improve health and well being

How much money?

We will award grants of between £50 and £1000 for successful applications received before 28th February 2011. The total fund is £5,000.

How to make an application

You may want to contact Redland's Resident Involvement Manager to talk about your project before you complete the application form. Otherwise, complete the application form which can be found on Redland's website www.redlandha.co.uk, or can be sent to you in the post on request from the Resident Involvement Manager, Philippa Barton on 0117 316 7219.

Who decides whether applications are successful or not?

A panel of residents and staff consider each application and award grants according to whether they meet all or some of the grant aims and on a first come, first served basis. The panel will consider each application submitted on the merit of the project and the relevance to the aims of the fund.

Need help?

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or if you require help to complete the form, please contact the Resident Involvement Manager on 0117 316 7219, or by email to philippa.barton@redlandha.co.uk.