

Abingdon-on-Thames Town Council

Grant Application Form - Part A - for committee review

Please ensure you also fill in Part B and send it in with this form to enquiries@abingdon.gov.uk

A1. Your organisation.

Name of the organisation

30th Abingdon (Baptist) Scout Group

requesting the grant:

State briefly the purpose/objectives of the organisation:

Scouting exists to actively engage and support young people in their personal development, empowering them to make a positive contribution to society.

A2. Your grant request.

Describe the project for which the grant is needed.

The Scout Group is acquiring a new Scout hut to replace an old hut that is no longer fit for purpose. This grant request is towards the fitting out of the new hut with two toilets, a kitchenette, a hall and store room.

What is the total cost of the project?	£ 39,837
How much grant are you seeking?	£ 5000
What percentage of the total cost are you seeking via this grant?	12 %
How will you be raising the rest of the money for the project?	By jumble sales, Scout Christmas post, donations and applying for other grants, to add to £21000 already raised.
Show roughly how the costs of the project are broken down.	£39837 is the sum quoted by Portakabin for fitting out the new hut 'shell' that is being supplied by them.

What fund-raising have you undertaken for this project or others in the past 2 years?

In the past, the Scout Group has raised money by jumble sales, Scout Christmas post, recycling used inkjet cartridges, Easyfundraising, but these have been more difficult to organise in the past 2 years due to Covid. There have also been donations.

A3. Local benefit.

How many people take part in your organisation's activities? Give local branch numbers if you are a national organisation.

a. as members
(Leaders &
Committee)

11

b. as recipients

46 young people

Please fill in the table below relating to numbers of members and/or recipients falling into each category. Estimates are acceptable provided an "e" is put after the figure.

age profile	0-16	16-65	over 65
members		8	3
recipients	46		
gender profile	male	female	
members	5	6	
recipients	28	18	
local connection	town resident	attend school in town	neither resident nor attending school in town
members	10		1
recipients	46	46	

A4. Other/previous grant awards.

Please list below any grant awards from this council, other councils and large organisations made in the past three years.	Please list any grant applications to other councils or bodies on which you are awaiting the result.
Covid small business grants: £22000. Biffa towards new Scout hut shell: £75000. Oxfordshire County Council towards fitting out new hut: £2000.	

A5. Further detail about your organisation: Please provide your last set of accounts and the most recent bank statement.

How is your organisation run?

Leaders are trained by the Scout Association, and activities with young people are carried out according to the Policy, Organisation and Rules of the Scout Association

What is the balance in the club account on the most recent bank statement?

£ 35399

How much do you charge your members or attendees in subscriptions/fees and how much does this raise each year?

£ 90 per person

£ 4140 per annum