

CRITERIA FOR GRANT AID

Priority will be given to organisations which:

- ❖ Are based within the boundary of Newbury Town Council or which serve wholly or mainly the residents of Newbury.
- ❖ Would give benefit to the greatest number and range of Newbury town residents.
- ❖ Provide a benefit for the wider community beyond progressing the interest of its members.
- ❖ Have made an effort to raise funds themselves and are not reliant on donations to fund the total project
- ❖ Show a commitment to sustainability.
- ❖ Show a commitment to equality and diversity

In addition:

- ❖ Grants will not be awarded to bodies for activities which are statutorily funded.
- ❖ Priority will be given to those organisations whose objectives meet the priorities and targets laid down in the Council's Strategy.
- ❖ Applications will only be considered when **accompanied** by satisfactory financial statements.
- ❖ Preference will be given to organisations that **have not** already had a grant from Newbury Town Council in recent years.

CRITERIA FOR SHORT-LISTING

- ❖ Application form complete and all required documentation received by the deadline
- ❖ Application assessed against the above criteria
- ❖ Short-listed applicants **MAY BE** invited to attend the scheduled Grant Sub-Committee meeting to make a short presentation and answer questions from Members of the Grant Sub-Committee.

