

2019 20-14

AC: 19 Feb 20

Todmorden Town Council Application Form for Grants

Please carefully refer to the Guidelines Sheet before completing this form and make sure that all sections are fully completed

Name of Organisation: Upper Calder Valley Renaissance

Type of Organisation: Not-for-profit/social purpose, Company Limited by Guarantee

Bank Account name: Upper Calder Valley Renaissance (Phase 2) Limited

Contact person name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Telephone daytime. [REDACTED]

Telephone Evening/weekend as above

e-mail: [REDACTED]

If this is your first ever application for grants from Todmorden Town Council, please attach detailed information of what your group/organisation is and what it does. All applications should enclose either audited or independently verified accounts for the last completed financial year of the organisation, unless this form is an addition to an application made earlier this year or you are a new organisation, being established less than 12 months.

Is your group a branch of a national or regional organisation? NO

If yes, please give name of this national or regional organisation:

Amount of grant requested from Todmorden Town Council?

£2689

Note when applying for a grant of £1000 or more the applicant or a nominated representative will be required to attend the next Amenities Committee Meeting at which the application is being considered and agree to answer any questions concerning the grant application.

How much money do you need in total for the same purpose?

£3,209

What will the grant you apply for be spent on? - Project

We have a need for two urgent health/safety and security items of work on the site:

Who in Todmorden benefits from your organisation's/group's activities?

In general, Todmorden has benefited from UCVR flood fund support for the Todmorden business networking project which developed into Todconnect. In 2017 the opportunity for the college to come into community ownership was facilitated by the UCVR nominating it as an asset of community value. We acted as the accountable body for the Incredible Festival of Ideas in 2018, which was mainly focused on Todmorden. We did likewise for the Cockcroft house residents garden project in 2019. And as this application indicates we operate Riverside@BellholmeSport Ground in Walsden.

If you are applying for a grant for a project, please give details:

As stated above we need some safety and security fencing: a) between one edge of the junior pitch and a newly reclaimed drainage ditch. This particular fencing will also provide a solid fixture for the both the Junior football club and UCVR to provide advertising space to the site which will add towards a self-sufficiency-income for both organisations. We also need to secure several perimeter accesses to the site to discourage trespassing on the pitches by both domestic and farm animals.

Secondly the site has a sewage pumping system which does not work. We need to have an assessment done to establish if it can be fixed and what that might cost. Our intention is to include such a repair cost or replacement in a larger grant application to Sports England but without the assessment funding we can't progress that application.

Who in Todmorden will benefit from the project?

Local sports clubs and schools have the opportunity to use our sports site previously not available to them. Todmorden Junior football club are the immediate main beneficiaries. It will be a base used by Rotary for their Boundary walk and by the animal welfare charity PAWS for a fun day show.

Are you applying to other funders? YES - For the wider project requirements.

If yes, please give details (including dates of applications made or planned to be made):

Agency	Applied for (£ + date)	Grant confirmed
Calderdale Tod Ward Forum	£500 April 2019	Yes (£350) Spent
Crook Hill Community fund	£4750 Jan. 2019	Yes - Spent

Reap Moss £ N/A Feb 2020*

Sport England £ N/A July/Aug*

Calderdale Small Grants £N/A May*

*N/A = Awaiting feasibility & Costs at time of this application

Please give details of fundraising efforts already made for the same purpose as this grant application:

Apart from grant applications for the wider project needs. We run a Sunday kitchen for the football games using voluntary time to raise general funds.

We offer projects UoL students and get c£300 after expenses.

Please give details of future efforts planned to raise funds for the same purpose as this grant application:

As stated under "any other funders?" Our long-term vision is to apply for Sports England funding to develop the site to meet the needs of multiple sports using both the site facilities and the adjacent canal for water sports. This will present opportunities to get funding from other sports associations.

If your organisation/specific project or event involves children do you have child protection policies in place? Yes. However, we do not manage children's activities ourselves the hiring clubs have that responsibility.

Is your organisation fully covered for insurance risk, especially public liability insurance? Yes

Please attach a budget for your proposals to this application, including income and expenditure. This budget can include the value of the time given by helpers and volunteers (please indicate number of hours given or intended to be given) and any gifts or services in kind provided by either your members or outside bodies or firms.