



**TODMORDEN TOWN COUNCIL  
GRANTS AWARDED FEEDBACK FORM**

<b>Organisation Name</b>	Age Concern Todmorden		
<b>Date of Award</b>	May 2022	<b>Amount of Award</b>	£ 820
<b>Total Actual Project Cost</b>	£1004.53	<b>Ref Number:</b> <i>(office use only)</i>	<b>Minute ref:</b>

<b>Purpose of Grant</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Town Hall Hire X Project Delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Core Funding <input type="checkbox"/> Civic Pride <input type="checkbox"/> Town Centre Improvement <input type="checkbox"/> Safety/Promotion <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Projects <input type="checkbox"/> Climate Change <input type="checkbox"/> Community Benefit	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Cohesion <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Arts & Music <input type="checkbox"/> Town Centre Event <input type="checkbox"/> Food Growing <input type="checkbox"/> Skills Development <input type="checkbox"/> Voluntary Sector Youth Engagement <input type="checkbox"/> Social Exclusion/Economic Difficulties <input type="checkbox"/> Accessibility and Inclusivity – especially Dementia friendly <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify)

**Summary of project successes outcomes, benefits to Todmorden Community and Residents and numbers positively impacted by this Grant. If a more detailed appraisal is available for your project and its outcome, please attach to this feedback form.**

We have delivered two separate courses of seated exercise classes at two sheltered complexes- Roomfield House and Stanley Cryer Court. Both were open to residents and non-residents. Both have proved so popular that the Roomfield house class is now running weekly permanently and the Stanley Cryer runs once a month.

Tai chi class at Fielden Hall was supported through summer 2022 as it tried to establish once again and is now at full capacity. The exercise class at Central Methodist has been financially supported to move upstairs into a larger room (thus incurring higher costs) to facilitate more space for more attendees and to help people feel more covid safe.

Fun session of playing games at Roomfield lounge, with indoor archery, negotiating cones with a ball etc.

We were not able to deliver a prepared seated yoga class at Ridgefoot because the Together Housing community officer went off sick and subsequently resigned so there has been no staff member in place for five months to provide permission or access. Yew Tree Court chairs are unfortunately totally unsuitable, and in fact dangerous, for any activity classes.

<b>Impact – if applicable and where known have benefited from project - complete where relevant.</b>	<b>Numbers</b>
Residents engaged in project/ viewed outcome.	65
Volunteers engaged in project.	
Todmorden residents benefitting from skills development.	

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Town Centre and or other venue visits generated.	
Youth persons involved in project.	
Dementia friendly activities involved in the project	
Socially excluded/those with economic difficulties involved in the project.	

<b>Financial Summary of Project/Event</b>	<b>Expenditure</b>	<b>£1004.53</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>£902</b>
<p>If possible, please provide a set of accounts in respect of this specific project and where applicable, a later set of audited accounts if these are now available since originally submitting your grant application.</p> <p>Where accounts are not available a simple income and expenditure statement will suffice. Please attach evidence of expenditure e.g. receipts.</p>				

<p><b>How have you promoted the assistance of the Town Council in your project literature/Web Site and or Social Media? Please provide supporting evidence and where able to analytics of visits to site, opportunities to see.</b></p> <p>Flyers and posters included. <a href="https://www.facebook.com/ageconcerntodmorden">https://www.facebook.com/ageconcerntodmorden</a></p> <p>Website <a href="http://www.ageconcerntodmorden.org">www.ageconcerntodmorden.org</a> acknowledgement on front page and exercise page. Unable to include logo as website capacity isn't big enough for images (trying to secure funding for an upgrade).</p>
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<p><b>What lasting benefit do you think the Town Council Grant has made to your organisation?</b></p> <p>We have been able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A) Develop and hold a now permanent, weekly class of seated exercise that is self funding</li> <li>B) hold a monthly mixed class that is self funding</li> <li>C) Move a small class into a larger room to give more space, therefore increase the number of attendees and help people who were covid hesitant feel more secure about attending</li> <li>D) ensure the tai chi class is now secured.</li> </ul>
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<p><b>If you have received grants from the Town Council before, please advise how you intend to be more self-sustainable and reduce your reliance on Town Council funding for the future.</b></p> <p>Both the Roomfield and Stanley Cryer classes have continued and a change of £4/£5 to ensure the costs of the instructor is covered. The Central Methodist class is recruiting for more attendees which it can manage if the class is upstairs, to cover the costs of room hire (current fees of attendees now cover costs of instructor and downstairs room ). Tai chi has now got enough attendees to be self-funding and covers costs of instructor and room hire.</p>
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**If your project had any impact on Climate Emergency what were these and how were they minimised ?**