

Appendix 2: Grant Aid Arts Fund 2016-18: Application Outcome

Arts Fund: Recommended Applications 2016-18

Project Name	Project Summary	District(s)	Organisation Name	2016-18 Requested amount	2016-17 Recommended Amount	2017-18 - Recommended amount	2016-18 Recommended amount
Armchair Gallery	<p>This project aims to provide opportunities for older residents in care settings access to cultural and multisensory experiences opportunities. The project will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase connectedness to the wider community through virtual visits to Nottinghamshire's heritage sites/arts venues • Enhance digital inclusion through iPad's and film • Provide care staff and artists training (e.g. digital arts, practical arts skills and increased awareness about dementia) 	Gedling Mansfield Ashfield	City Arts	£9,960	£3,750	£3,750	£7,500
Bamboozle Family Multi-Sensory Project	<p>This project plans to run a series of multi-sensory interactive theatre experiences for Nottinghamshire families with children who have profound and multiple learning disabilities (PMLD) or are on the autistic spectrum (ASC).</p>	Mansfield Gedling	Bamboozle Theatre	£10,000	£3,750	£3,750	£7,500
Community art club	<p>This project will be open to all students in Newark, year 5 and above. The club will have an element of leadership for the participants, to deliver their own workshops to their peers and elderly local residents and also provide an opportunity for families to get involved. The project will encourage young participants work towards the 'Arts Award'. The project will involve exhibitions, including digital exhibitions that can be showcased on social media and community websites. Where possible, the project aims to link in with other local projects.</p>	Newark & Sherwood	Elaine Winter	£7,388.90	£3,500	£3,500	£7,000
Fresh AIR: Artists in Residence for Ashfield & Mansfield	<p>By working with artists skilled in engaging individuals/communities in a collaborative way, this project will give Nottinghamshire residents opportunities to express their hopes, aspirations and fears in new and creative forms.</p> <p>This project will showcase work created with, by and for the participants – and therefore, give individuals and communities opportunities to tell their stories and to celebrate what is unique about them and the county they live in.</p> <p>The festival will be inspiring and innovative and will aim to attract visitors from across the country.</p>	Ashfield Mansfield Bassetlaw	First Art	£10,000	£4,250	£4,250	£8,500

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Integrated Theatre Company Tour	<p>This project aims to provide a professional platform for Nottinghamshire learning disabled artists to tour an existing piece of theatre (created by the Unanima cast in 2015) to County venues.</p> <p>This innovative, thought provoking piece enables the authentic voice of the learning disabled community to be heard which in turn promotes audiences to engage, appreciate and relate to their local community.</p> <p>The project will also:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foster strong links with a Mansfield school, using the arts to promote equality & diversity and community cohesion. • Create a new play to perform to existing and new venues. • Work with partner organisations including Arts Council National Portfolio Organisations to promote the creative case for diversity. 	Mansfield	Unanima Theatre	£10,000	£3,750	£3,750	£7,500
Moving beyond perceptions	<p>This project aims to challenge the perceptions of the mature dancer and encourage the pursuit of arts activities throughout life. The project will create a performance piece in collaboration with a photographic artist who will document the process. The images will be displayed for gallery style viewing. Informal discussion with the audience will give the opportunity to recruit new members and/or signpost them to other arts activities.</p>	Ashfield, Broxtowe	Movement for All	£5,500	£2,500	£2,500	£5,000
Our Voice Community Choir	<p>This project will unite people through music and showcase and promote the potential of people with disabilities, raising public awareness, and supporting the development of stronger social networks. The choir will be inclusive regardless of ability and will be open anyone who has a disability, long term health condition, their carers, family, friends and professionals living in Mansfield and the surrounding areas. Participants will work towards a performance and celebration event which will showcase to the wider community the potential skills and abilities of people with disabilities.</p>	Mansfield	Disability Nottinghamshire	£9,785	£3,500	£3,500	£7,000
Patchwork Lives	<p>This project links well to community cohesion as it aims to create an intergenerational cross-cultural 'living' archive of stories about inspiring Nottinghamshire women.</p> <p>The project encompassed workshops, sharing stories, and a patchwork quilt of memories, with a story on each patch.</p> <p>The colourful quilt will forms a tactile bridge between the stories and audiences, giving children and people with disabilities a tangible object to touch, feel and experience, creating sensory engagement.</p> <p>When the workshops end, the quilt and the archive of recordings, images and story scripts will be offered to art centres, galleries, museums and libraries for exhibitions.</p>	Ashfield, Mansfield, Broxtowe	Arletty Theatre	£9,480	£4,000	£4,000	£8,000

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SHINE for Mansfield	<p>SHINE aims to empower local young people and give them opportunities to not just access art, but create it. Through local drama sessions, young people will learn about everything that goes in to making theatre: acting, devising, directing, writing, design, stage management and production skills.</p> <p>SHINE aims to give young people constructive and positive ways of expressing themselves through the arts, and to improve their educational outputs. It gives young people the opportunity to develop socially and personally, growing in confidence, becoming more articulate and work in a group.</p> <p>SHINE aims to challenge the way young people are seen by the public by providing opportunities for them to share their skills both in their community and at the Playhouse.</p>	Mansfield	Nottingham Playhouse	£10,000	£3,500	£3,500	£7,000
Spinning Yarns	<p>This project aims to work primarily with older people, (including those with dementia), and their family, friends and carers to encourage participation in accessible creative activities; address isolation issues; build self-confidence and develop methods of gentle creative communication for those with developing dementia.</p> <p>Creatively exploring a variety of familiar and new textiles skills with related local and personal histories the project plans to create community art work for display and interaction as well as developing a model of engagement which has the capacity to be used within the wider community and offer continued access to the work beyond the project with developmental possibilities.</p>	Gedling	Frabjous Events	£9,800	£3,500	£3,500	£7,000
					£36,000	£36,000	£72,000

Arts Fund: Not Recommended Applications 2016-18

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				A	B	C	D	E
Back in the Day	Lynn Ludditt	Ashfield, Mansfield	£10,000		✗		✗	
Blue Skies Community Initiative Active8 Rural Arts	Blue Skies Community Initiative	Bassetlaw	£10,000	✗				
Breakaway	Transform Training Ltd	Broxtowe, Bassetlaw	£9,600	✗				
Bringing Hidden Art to Visible Life	After Armed Conflict CIC (Trading as Unload)	Bassetlaw	£8,200		✗	✗		
Bringing Schools Together through Art	Friends of Colliers Wood	Broxtowe	£7,300		✗			
Cedar Wildlife Project Community Interest Company	Wendy	Ashfield	£4,230		✗			
Cinema in the Park - free for all the family	Rumbles Catering Project	Newark & Sherwood, Ashfield	£10,000	✗				
Creative Community Shop	Ollerton and District Economic Forum	Newark & Sherwood	£9,252		✗		✗	
Everyone Has a Story	Toton Churches Council	Broxtowe	£2,000	✗				
Fragile Peace	Fragile Peace	Ashfield, Bassetlaw, Newark & Sherwood, Rushcliffe, Nottingham City	£10,000	✗				
Gedling Arts Festival	New Writers UK	Gedling	£5,000	✗				
Good Yarns and Life Stories	Ginny's Good Yarn	Rushcliffe, Broxtowe	£10,000	✗				
Just Do it!	Newark MIND	Newark & Sherwood	£9,400		✗	✗		
Ladybrook Arts Project	Ladybrook Enterprises Ltd	Mansfield	£4,000	✗				
MB1	MB1	Ashfield, Mansfield	£10,000	✗				
Mindfulness and Comedy	Now Unlimited	Newark & Sherwood	£10,000	✗				

Key

A = Did not meet shortlisting criteria

B = Insufficient detail provided

C = Outcomes unclear

D = Project / service does not fully address the grant priority

E = Other

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Not Just Pictures	Nottinghamshire Children's and Families Partnership	Ashfield, Gedling, Newark & Sherwood	£8,850	✗				
Nottinghamshire Festival of Floral Art	Nottinghamshire Festival of Floral Art	Newark & Sherwood	£9,680		✗			
Open Studio Notts	Open Studios Notts	Countywide	£10,000		✗		✗	✗
Ossington Art Course	Ossington Village Hall Art Group	Newark & Sherwood	£2,962		✗		✗	✗
Our stories. Our lives.	Age Concern Carlton & District	Gedling	£10,000		✗			✗
Outdoor Artwork Project	St Joseph's School Association	Bassetlaw	£8,000		✗		✗	
Performing Art Group	Let's Build	Newark & Sherwood	£10,000		✗	✗	✗	
Performing Arts In The Community	VoiceChoice (formerly Magdala)	Ashfield	£9,900		✗	✗	✗	✗
Pictures of Flintham	Ella's Buttons	Rushcliffe	£7,678		✗	✗	✗	
Piecing It Together	Piecing It Together	Broxtowe, Rushcliffe	£10,000		✗		✗	
Pride Performance Company	Square Peg	Mansfield, Outside Nottinghamshire	£-	✗				
Push Out into the Deep	Junction Arts	Ashfield	£3,270	✗				
Rainbow Stripes Music Workshops	Rainbow Stripes Music Workshops	Gedling	£9,600		✗			✗
Ranskill Primary School and Community Project	Friends of Ranskill Primary	Bassetlaw	£10,000	✗				
Shakespeare400	Writing East Midlands C.I.C	Rushcliffe, Gedling, Mansfield	£9,966	✗				
Songs & Scones Nottinghamshire	Live Music Now North East	Bassetlaw, Rushcliffe	£10,000		✗		✗	✗
Storytelling in the Community	Beeston Tales	Broxtowe	£9,471	✗				
Taking New and Old Light Classical Music into Rural Communities	Fordante	Rushcliffe, Broxtowe, Newark & Sherwood	£7,245	✗				
The Beautiful Game: Nottingham Edition	Next Door Dance	Gedling, Mansfield	£9,900				✗	✗

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The First	The First	Ashfield, Mansfield, Newark & Sherwood	£5,000	✗				
The Never Ending Game (N.E.G).	Beeston Community Resource CIO	Broxtowe	£9,940	✗				
The New Perspectives Nottinghamshire Cycle	New Perspectives Theatre Company	Broxtowe, Gedling, Newark & Sherwood, Rushcliffe	£9,700	✗				
The Town Band of Bremen	The Fabularium Ltd	Ashfield, Bassetlaw, Gedling, Mansfield, Newark & Sherwood	£7,600		✗		✗	✗
The White Hills Park Federation Community Choir	The White Hills Park Federation Community Choir	Broxtowe	£7,590		✗	✗	✗	
The Youth Arts Festival of Tomorrow	The Women's Community Forum	Ashfield, Mansfield	£10,000	✗				
Women in Harmony	Lace City Chorus	Ashfield, Mansfield, Newark & Sherwood	£9,443				✗	✗
Working Together	New Cross Community Church	Ashfield	£4,750		✗			

