



WARWICK DISTRICT COMMUNITY FORUM GRANT FUND 2009/10

APPLICATION FORM

Please circle the community forum to which you are applying for money:

Kenilworth	North Leamington	South Leamington	Rural East	Rural West	Warwick	Whitnash
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Project name AND/OR your name.	Brunswick Employment Club
Your contact details (address, telephone, email).	
Briefly describe your project. (What do you want to provide, and how will you provide it? How long will the project run?)	<p>Pilot a Jobs club outreach for North Leamington for one year.</p> <p>While there are a number of services and schemes available to people who are unemployed these are not tailored to individual need. The system is complex and people find it extremely difficult to access the right service, and therefore gain successful employment.</p> <p>There is a need for a local service which is accessible and informal in its approach</p>

	<p>for people to access training and information in a way that is appropriate for them to utilise. Brunswick is well established and has a proven track record for working with people on a very individual level. Enabling the individual and working to build confidence and skills is essential if people are to “sell themselves” and gain the limited job opportunities that are available.</p> <p>The service will be 2 fold:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Providing an advisor to work on confidence, application form completion, mock interviews etc and skill development on an individual level. 2) Job search facilities (Computers, Newspapers, reference books etc). This will be independent working or with the assistance of volunteers that will be recruited and trained. <p>The project will recruit and support volunteers to assist on the project, which again could be valuable experience that will assist their job applications.</p> <p>This will be an extension of the project based at Brunswick, being an outreach at Lillington Chain.</p>
<p>How much money are you asking for, and what will you use it for? (Please give us an itemised list of costs – on a separate sheet if necessary.)</p>	<p>£3,000 (see below for other funding contributions)</p> <p>This is to pay for advisor salary on a sessional basis specifically for Lillington area.</p>

from.)	<p>between Feb09-Dec 10.</p> <p>It is a priority for Warwick District Sustainable Community Strategy-<i>"it will provide support programmes for getting people back in employment"</i>.</p>	
List any groups or agencies who are involved in the project with you.	<p>We will be linking with WDC enterprise team, job centre plus and SPAN partners and other community groups.</p>	
If you are applying, or have applied successfully, for other funding for this project please tell us where from, and how much.	<p>The overall budget costs are being met by funds from Brunswick Healthy Living centre, Narrowing the Gap and application to South Leamington Community Forum for £3,000 for an advisor based at the centre.</p> <p>All have been asked for £3,000 contribution.</p>	
What proof will there be of whether the project has been successful? (We will need to check that money has been well spent. To do this we will need to see proof that the project has delivered the things it set out to do. Success must take a form that we can measure.)	<p>We will use robust monitoring systems:</p> <p>All clients will register with the service and weekly footfall will be collected.</p> <p>Individual progression will be recorded and actively monitored.</p> <p>An evaluation report will be made available.</p> <p>Financial records will be kept of the project and monitored monthly.</p> <p>We use SAGE accounting so a separate nominal code will be given to the project and accurate records will be collected and reported.</p>	
Are you a constituted group?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Date form completed	12 th February 2010	

<p>Describe the sort of people who will benefit from or use the project (age, gender, particular need etc.).</p>	<p>The project will assist all members of the community but particular attention will be given to those who have been unemployed for less than 6 months...as there is a gap in service and people currently are at their own devices until they have been unemployed long-term.</p> <p>We believe that these first 6 months are critical as success of gaining employment diminishes over time.</p>
<p>Which geographical area will the project focus on?</p>	<p>Crown Ward</p>
<p>If you are going to operate from a building, please tell us where it is.</p>	<p>Lillington Chain</p>
<p>Which community forum priority does the project link to?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directly benefit communities • Help to deliver the local priorities identified by the Community Forum • Promote the community's ambitions • Build the capacity of the local people to take part in activities and address issues that affect their lives • Stimulate local volunteering • Encourage the broad participation and involvement of local people; • Work in partnership with other local groups and organisations; • Show innovation and creativity.
<p>How do you know there is a need for this project? (Describe the evidence you have got and where you got it</p>	<p>Impact of recession locally means there is proven, significant increase in unemployment.(DWP claimants counts(NOMIS) looking at figures</p>