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Organisation Name	Title of project/service/activity	Description of project, service or activity	Grant awarded 2022/23
Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust in partnership with Sevenoaks League of Friends at Sevenoaks Hospital	Vintage Convenience Store for patients with Dementia in Sevenoaks Community Hospital Wards	Funding is needed for transforming an old and tired day room into a vintage Convenience store containing a Post Office, sweets, newspapers, flowers, pillar box and a Fruit and Veg barrow. Also Dementia Software for aiding reminiscence, changes in the décor and items for sensory stimulation to touch, handle, smell and taste for rehabilitation.	£3,616.25
Baby Umbrella	Building support for early parenting wellbeing	Deepening support for parents' mental wellbeing. In a year where COVID has significantly impacted new parents, causing huge increases in postnatal depression, anxiety and birth trauma, parents are crying out for additional support.	£1,900.00
Swanley Scouts (Swanley District Scout Council)	Whole of District Adventurous Activities	Additional quality, exciting, age-appropriate adventurous activities, e.g. canoeing, kayaking, sailing, national Scout Fun days, and adventure centre / dry ski slope. As a youth-led organisation our young people will choose age appropriate activities.	£2,916.25

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The Lewis Project	The Lewis Project	The Lewis Project was set up to help mental wellbeing in young people aged 16 + through music. We provide a relaxed, non-intimidating atmosphere that encourages confidence, musical interest and creativity. We believe music is great therapy.	£1,000.00
Home-Start South West Kent (HSSWK)	Improve social inclusion of vulnerable families and children under five years.	HSSWK will support vulnerable families who are struggling to cope. We will recruit and train volunteers and match them with families. Volunteers will visit their families every week and offer practical and emotional support and signposting.	£875.00
Sevenoaks Volunteer Transport Group	Contribution to running costs	The grant will be used to defray the running costs of SVTG which provides low cost transport for elderly, infirm and disabled residents to Sevenoaks Hospital, other local hospitals and clinics and organisations for the disabled.	£500.00

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PMRGCAuk (Polymyalgia Rheumatica & Giant Cell Arteritis UK)	PMRGCA Sevenoaks Support Group	We want to set up a Support Group in Sevenoaks district for older people who suffer from PMR &/or GCA. PMR is an inflammatory condition of unknown cause. It is recognised to be an autoimmune illness. GCA is a disease known as 'giant cell' because of the presence of very large inflammatory cells in the wall of the arteries, causing them to swell and sometimes become occluded. The group will meet monthly in a safe venue to meet fellow sufferers, get support & information and at times listen to expert speakers in PMR/GCA.	£1,400.00
West Kent Mediation	Conflict Resolution service for SDC residents	West Kent Mediation (WKM) provide a professional, impartial and free mediation service using dedicated, trained volunteers to help resolve conflict and the breakdown of relationships between individuals, families and groups in the SDC area	£5,000.00

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North Kent Mind	Wellbeing Activity Group	A weekly session that combines open discussion and exercise giving the perfect opportunity for those with Mental Health issues to engage with other people in a fun active way (incl badminton, table tennis, short mat bowls & basic gym activities).	£390.00
Protection Against Stalking	Core Running Costs - Protection Against Stalking Sevenoaks District	PAS runs a specialist advocacy service in Kent for victims of stalking. We seek funding to help us expand our volunteer-led service in Sevenoaks contributing to community safety & wellbeing, & enabling us to support people at risk & their families	£4,680.00
BRIDGES	Post-Covid Revival Projects	New partnership projects addressing social isolation, money issues, kids catch-up club, art therapy. Staff to recruit, train & support volunteers & pros to run the projects, community networking, signposting new residents, responding to local needs.	£2,740.00
The Hygiene Bank	Improving distribution to expand our reach across Sevenoaks.	Purchase more essential hygiene products to distribute to new and existing community partners (CPs) in Sevenoaks. Continue the lease of our storage space which is used to organise and sort these products.	£3,916.25

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Sevenoaks Counselling	To increase the size of the Bursary Fund.	Assistance for clients unable to pay the full recommended contribution for counselling.	£1,200.00
Age UK Sevenoaks and Tonbridge	Pop Up Pop Ins	The Pop Ups are hubs to encourage social interaction, reduce isolation & support older people in rural areas. They provide exercise aimed at improving mobility & strength, reducing the no. of falls, improving health & wellbeing of the older people.	£5,000.00
Domestic Abuse Volunteer Support Services (DAVSS)	Supporting Sevenoaks residents experiencing domestic abuse	DAVSS provides vital volunteer support services for often traumatised victims of domestic abuse and their children, empowering them to break the cycle of abuse so they and their children can live safe and fulfilling lives again.	£5,000.00
Kenward Trust	Trainee Youth Outreach Worker	Our outreach provides a responsive service with targeted intervention responding to alerts where substances are considered a factor. This grant would help us employ a trainee Youth Outreach Worker to support our team and reach more individuals.	£4,666.25

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Imago	Imago Community Services	Imago's accredited volunteering service helps people to volunteer. We also offer an information, advice and development service for organisations. Finally, the project will help to address social isolation by expanding our transport service.	£3,500.00
Project Salus	Safety in Action	This is an interactive multi agency event that invites Yr 6 children to learn about the dangers they may face as they prepare for transition to secondary school. The event is designed to develop citizenship, safety skills and to increase awareness.	£1,500.00
			£49,800.00