

DRAFT APPLICATION FORM FOR GRANT 2019/20

Please read the policy on pages 1 and 2 **before** filling in the form.

1. Name/Address of organisation

Justine Davie, Nu: Waves Youth Support,

Position in organisation: ...Partner: Nu:Waves CIC.....

About your organisation

Does your organisation:

	Yes
Have its own bank account, which requires two unrelated people to authorise cheques and make withdrawals?	Yes
Have at least three members on its management committee	Yes
Have a constitution, terms of reference or set of rules (<i>please contact for help with this if needed</i>)	Yes

2. Are you a registered charity? No

If so please give your charity number:

3. Is your organisation part of, or affiliated to, a larger organisation? No

If so, which

4. Aims and objectives of your organisation; What does your organisation do and how does it benefit the residents of Weymouth?

Nu:Waves vision is to improve the mental health of our clients through caring, supportive group work and guidance. Our aim for those we work with is to build self-awareness, self-esteem and the confidence to first cope with their difficulties, then thrive and finally contribute as positive community role models.

Nu: Waves was registered as a community interest company in 2019. It was formed to continue and develop the Children’s Society’s well loved and respected youth and family support programme which operated as ‘Waves’ in Weymouth for twenty-five years (www.childrenssociety.org.uk)

Nu: Waves is currently focused on delivering services in Weymouth, where the needs earlier addressed by the Waves Programme, still persist. Referrals to the service are from schools and providers of support courses for victims of domestic abuse in the area.

Nu: Waves run two courses concurrently: Children and Young Peoples Recovery Toolkit – trauma treatment for ages 10 to12 and Children and Young Peoples Recovery Toolkit – trauma treatment for ages 13 to17. Two courses are required as the needs of 10 year olds are very different from those of older teenagers and it is essential that siblings can be supported simultaneously. These also dovetail in with support course for adult victims.

Nu: Waves also facilitate the following courses (subject to funding). Funding for these is not being currently sought as part of this application:

- Healthy Relationships - bespoke sessions for groups between the ages of 12 and 17
- Adverse Childhood Experience (ACEs) - 10 week recovery toolkit for parents. (Subject to funding)

5. Where does your organisation meet? ...Groups are run and children are supported at a venue in Weymouth
6. How often do you meet? ...We are currently seeking funding for courses for the Summer term 2020. Each pair of courses for young people run for 8 weeks and also pre and post one to one assessments for each child, in term time only and are timed to start shortly after the adult victims’ courses begin to enable referrals from those courses to attend. These courses work best when the children of victims are attending courses at the same time as the adult victims.....
7. How many members does your organisation have?3.....
8. How many people will benefit from this funding? ...Each course can accommodate 10 young people – numbers will depend on referrals.....
9. How many are Weymouth Town Council area residents?100.....%
10. If your application is for over £2,000 please give full details of the exceptional

circumstances related to your request.

Each course costs £2500 to run. This covers staffing, consumables, room hire etc. As two courses need to run simultaneously to accommodate all children aged 10 – 17 we are requesting £5000. Any contribution will be gratefully accepted but a lesser amount may result in a delay in delivering the course while further funding is sought.

11. How much funding are you applying for? £ ...£5000.....

12. What is the total cost of your project? £15000 per annum for courses in Weymouth. Additional funding is also being sought to enable bespoke courses in Healthy Relationships for children aged 12 – 17 yrs and for courses to be run elsewhere in Dorset.

NOTE: WTC will only approve allocations over £2,000 in exceptional circumstances that are clearly detailed in question 10.

13. How will you spend the money you are applying for? Please be aware that WTC do not normally give grants for running costs. If your application contains an element of running costs, please detail your plans to source alternative funding for this in future years.

Item	Amount
Children and Young Peoples Recovery Toolkit – trauma treatment for ages 10 to12 – Spring/ Summer term 2020	£2,500
Children and Young Peoples Recovery Toolkit – trauma treatment for ages 12 to17- Spring/ Summer term 2020	£2,500
	£
TOTAL	£ 5000

14. How else are you funding your project? (Include grants from other organisations, fund raising and existing reserves)

Source	£	Confirmed?
Dorset Domestic Abuse Welfare Committee – received a grant of £10,000 from W&PBC in March 2019 to deliver support courses for children experiencing domestic abuse. At the time Nu: Waves was not constituted however the DDAWC is an established community group recognised for their work in supporting victims of domestic abuse.	£10,000 (£2250 remaining)	yes
Dorset Domestic Abuse Welfare Committee	£760	yes
Community Fund raising event	£1132.00	yes
Peoples Postcode lottery	£2000	yes
Total	£6142.00	yes

15. How will the funding benefit the community or residents of Weymouth?

Domestic abuse has a devastating effect on children and young people that can last into adulthood.

One in seven (14.2%) children and young people under the age of 18 will have lived with domestic violence at some point in their childhood (Women's Aid)

The experience working with the Children's Society and the ongoing requests received by Nu: Waves for support for young people experiencing domestic abuse since that service ceased demonstrate the ongoing need in Weymouth.

Support courses build self-awareness, self-esteem and the confidence in young people enabling them to first cope with their difficulties, then thrive and finally contribute as positive community role models.

16. Please tell us how this funding will lead to greater self-sufficiency and lessen the need for future applications.

Funding for courses will always be primarily from grants – as Nu: Waves becomes more established with demonstrable outcomes as an organisation independent of the Children's Society, and as more experience is gained with applying for grants, it is anticipated that funding will be easier to secure.

17. How is your organisation normally funded? (Not applicable to new organisations)

By grants and some donations

18. What are your current/planned subs/fees/charges?

None – participants attend free of charge

19. Have you applied for any other funds/grants towards the cost of this project? Please include details below

Dorset Community Impact Fund – refused Nationwide community fund (refused)

20. What fund raising activities took place in the **last** 12 months and what fund-raising activities are planned for the **next** 12 months, if any?

There will be ongoing awareness raising events by giving talks to groups, stands at events etc and working with other professional groups in the field. Local bands put on event to raise funds for Nu Waves in February 2020. Contact has been made with other local fundraising groups to discuss other fundraising opportunities

21. Anticipated income/expenditure for next 12 months

£35,000 (includes proposals for supporting young people across Dorset)

22. Details of any grants received from local authorities in the past three years with dates.

£10,000 from W&PBC via the Dorset Domestic Abuse Welfare Committee

23. Other grants from any other sources in the last three years with dates, if you have had any.

£2000 Peoples Postcode Lottery Jan 2020

24. Has the project that you want the funding for already happened? No

25. Will you be passing the funding on to any other groups (except to pay for goods and services)? No

26. If the funding is for security measures do you have the support of the local police and/or crime reduction officer?

Not applicable

Please give us details of the bank account that the grant should be paid into if approved.

Name of AccountNU WAVES YOUTH SUPPORT COMMUNITY INTEREST
COMPANY.....

Account number

Sort Code ...

Please ensure you have read the policy on pages 1 and 2 before signing the form.

Checklist (please tick the appropriate boxes)

Have you submitted the following?

- A copy of your most recent accounts
- Your most recent bank account statement & details of any other investments/savings;
- A copy of your constitution / terms of reference / set of rules;
- Details of your organisation's officers;
- A copy of your safeguarding policy if your group works with vulnerable adults, or children;
- A copy of your adopted equal opportunities policy or statement
- Any other documentation you feel may help in assessing your application.

Privacy Notice

In accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), I agree that Weymouth Town Council will process and hold personal information about me only in relation to my grant application. I consent to my personal information, including that contained in this form, being stored manually and/or electronically. It will be held securely and treated confidentially for 6 years after an application is made. I understand that it will only be accessed by authorised staff members to manage the grant application process.

I also understand that WTC may pass details onto an official organisation where required to do so by law or contract. I understand that my data will be disposed of securely 6 years after the application and that I have the right to correct the information at any time. I have been made aware of my rights under GDPR.

Declaration:

I/we declare that the information confirmed in this application is correct and that any grant received will be applied as detailed in the request.

I/we declare that we have read the policy on pages 1 and 2 and that our application complies with the policy.

I/we declare that we have included all of the requested information.

I/we fully understand that if we do not include the requested information and/or if our application does not comply with the policy, the application may be rejected.

Signed

Name

Date

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Grant applications must be checked against the following criteria. Any questions where the answer is no must be reported to the Finance and Policy Committee meeting where the application is being considered and must form part of the formal agenda items list for that meeting.

Yes	No (investigate)	
Y		The grant will result in a benefit for the area covered by the Town Council and will contribute positively to the area of Weymouth?
Y		Does the grant exclude ongoing running costs?
Y		If the application is for running costs has the applicant included plans for where future running costs will be found from?
Y		Is the grant for a group and not for individuals or organisations whose function is primarily undertaken by the health authority or Dorset Council's Social Services?
Y		Is the grant for non-political or non-quasi-political organisations or projects?
	N	Is the grant application for £2,000 or less?
Y		For applications in excess of £2,000, has the applicant fully detailed the exceptional circumstances?
Y		Does the application include the required financial and organisational information?
Y		Is this the only application in this financial year from this group or organisation?
Y		Is the applicant based in the Town Council area? If not has the applicant detailed what proportion of beneficiaries of the grant reside in the area?
Y		Is the application for future funding? (ie not retrospective)
Y		Is the grant for the sole use of the applying group and not to pass on money?
Y		Has the applicant demonstrated how one-off grant funding will lead to greater self sufficiency and lessen the need for future applications?
N/A		For applications for funds for security measures, does the applicant have the support of the local police or crime reduction officer.

Assessing officer: Helen Legg

Date of assessment: 03/03/20

Decision (delete as applicable): Proceed to committee

Approved as agenda item for the Finance and Governance meeting on: 18/03/20

Outcome at that meeting