

BRAUNTON PARISH COUNCIL

GUIDELINES FOR GRANTS

- a) Grants to National Organisations should only be made to autonomous local committees responsible for their own fund-raising and where the grant will be seen to benefit Braunton residents.
- b) Organisations from outside the village should also apply to their own parish for a grant before receiving a grant from the Parish Council.
- c) Organisations based in Braunton, which serve a wider area, should also apply to other parishes.
- d) No grant will be made unless accounts are produced.
- e) No grant will be made to organisations that raise money to give away as grants.
- f) When a grant is sought by a Braunton school which is attended by children who do not live in Braunton, the Council will expect the school to produce evidence that grant applications have also been made to the respective parish/s.
- g) No grant will be made to commercial undertakings.
- h) All applications for grants are to be reported to Finance and Administration Committee whether or not they conform to the above guidelines.
- i) Nothing in these guidelines will prevent a grant being made to a new community activity or organisation within the village.
- j) Bodies receiving grants must show in their accounts that the grant was received from Parish Council.
- k) Grants will not be made to Youth Groups unless they are registered with Devon County Council.
- l) The Council has a policy of not making grants after the grant deadline.
- m) For audit purposes the Council may request how the grant has been spent.