

2023-24 Grant Awards



Discretionary Grants

Date Awarded	Beneficiary	Company/Charity Number	Purpose	Amount
27 March 2023	Rotary Club of Witney	1028759	Contribution to 2023 Colour Run	£310
12 June 2023	Witney Vikings FC	n/a	Contribution in thanks for support at Coronation Event	£500
19 June 2023	St Mary's Church (Witney PCC)	n/a	Civic Drinks Reception towards NHS 75th Anniversary	£500
19 June 2023	Windrush Bike Project	n/a	Asylum Seeker Bike Workshop/Provision of bikes	£800
02 November 2023	Oxfordshire Mind	261476	Joint Mental Health Training Session with WTC	<£660
05 February 2024	Witney Buttercross Scouts	304425	Contribution to the purchase of kayaks/canoes	£3,500
05 February 2024	Broad Hill Pre-School	271750	Contribution to an outdoor learning hub	£500
05 February 2024	Witney Day Centre	n/a	Providing afternoon entertainment	£500
05 February 2024	Witney Town Band (Training Band)	n/a	Equipment and maintenance	£500
05 February 2024	Oxfordshire Mind	261476	Contribution to outdoor furniture at Wellbeing Hub	£500
05 February 2024	Life Education Wessex	1071094	Contribution to deliver health programmes to Madley Brook Primary School	£310
				£8,580

Other Grants

Date Awarded	Beneficiary	Company/Charity Number	Purpose	Amount
Ongoing	West Oxon Community Transport	7458	Annual Grant towards Witney Town Service	£21,000
Ongoing	Witney Music Festival	08449499	By Partnership Agreement –Community Event & The Leys	£10,000
30 January 2023	Witney Pride	1105502	Subsidised use of The Leys for 2023 Event	£670
30 January 2023	Witney Music Festival	08449499	Subsidised use of The Leys for 2023 Event (Partnership)	£2,214
30 January 2023	Witney Carnival Committee	n/a	Subsidised use of The Leys for 2023 Event	£1,660.50
30 January 2023	Witney Carnival Committee	n/a	Contribution towards 2023 Carnival	£2,100

30 January 2023	Oxfordshire Play Association	1160320	Annual Grant towards Summer Children's Play Day	£1,000
27 March 2023	Witney Photo Group	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for annual exhibition	£340
12 June 2023	Rotary Club of Witney	1028759	Facilitation of Christmas Lights Switch On 2023	£2,100
12 June 2023	Edible Gardens	n/a	Community Gardening Voucher – In Bloom	£50
12 June 2023	Witney Horticultural Society	n/a	Community Gardening Voucher – In Bloom	£50
12 June 2023	Burwell Community Garden	n/a	Community Gardening Voucher – In Bloom	£50
12 June 2023	Witney Community Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Queen Emma's Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	St Mary's C of E Infants School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	West Witney Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Windrush C of E Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Madley Brook Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Batt C of E Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Tower Hill Primary School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	The King's School	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
12 June 2023	Home Start Oxford	n/a	Schools In Bloom Voucher	£30
19 June 2023	Nature Now	n/a	Forest Schools teaching sessions (Award £2,400)	£2,000
19 June 2023	Volunteer Link Up	1133530	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for 40 th Anniversary dinner	£147
19 June 2023	Witney Forum	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for meeting 8 th June	£42.35
19 June 2023	Mayor of Witney, Cllr O Collins	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for 2 Mayoral Charity events	£294
24 July 2023	APCAM	1186256	Summer Holiday youth mental health sessions at the Corn Exchange	£1,200
24 July 2023	Bright Futures Oxfordshire		Detached Youth Work in Witney	£28,000*
24 July 2023	Witney Town Band	n/a	Annual Grant	£660
18 September 2023	Home Start Oxford	1108612	Youth Services provided in Witney	£10,000
25 September 2023	Oxfordshire County Council	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange. WTC contribution to High Street project public engagement events.	£441
25 September 2023	Friends of the Cemeteries (Witney)	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange	£42.35
09 October 2023	Xmas Lights Switch On (Rotary)	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for Xmas Civic Drinks Reception – participants in event	£42.35

20 November 2023	Volunteer Link Up	1133530	Annual Grant	£2,000
20 November 2023	Burwell Residents (req. Cllr Crouch)	n/a	Subsidised use of Burwell Hall for Over 60's Xmas Event	£106
20 November 2023	Citizens Advice West Oxfordshire	1092539	Annual Grant	£2,000
20 November 2023	Witney Museum Service	1006722	Annual Grant	£500
05 February 2024	Mayor of Witney, Cllr O Collins	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for 1 Mayoral Charity Event	£147
25 March 2024	Thames Valley Police	n/a	Subsidised use of C/Exchange for Through Their Eyes Event	£175.50
				£89,227.05

*Payment awarded in 2023/24 fiscal year but released 2023/24 and 2024/25.

Please note: Subsidised Lettings are considered in addition to discretionary grant requests.

Grants are awarded under the General Power of Competence. (Localism Act 2011 s1 gives local authorities, including eligible Councils, 'the power to do anything that individuals generally may do' as long as they don't break other laws.)