

For further more detailed information on each of the grants please feel free to contact the relevant grant lead who will be running a surgery session for groups who would like to speak to them directly; their contact details are provided in the application form.

### How do I submit an application?

If you would like to submit an application the deadline is **4pm on Friday 29th October**. Applications can be hand delivered to reception at County Hall or posted via recorded delivery to the address below:

**Community Grant Application, Community Leadership, County Hall, Spetchley Road, Worcester, WR5 2NP**

Alternatively you can submit your application by email to [sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk](mailto:sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk)

This document can be made available in other formats (large print, audio tape, computer disk and Braille) on request from the VCS Unit on telephone number 01905 766885 or by emailing [sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk](mailto:sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk)

If you can not understand the contents of this document and do not have access to anyone who can translate it for you, please contact 01905 765765 for help.

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To the best of our knowledge all information was correct at the time of printing: August 2010.

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# The sixth round of the County Council grants will be launched on Wednesday 1st September 2010

We are giving grants to support the voluntary and community sector organisations in Worcestershire whose activities contribute towards identified outcomes for the community.

For background information on the voluntary and community sector grants scheme and information on when funding is available throughout the year, please visit our web pages [www.worcestershire.gov.uk/voluntary](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/voluntary)

## What's available in round 6?

In round 6 we are offering the following grants:

### **Joint Commissioning Unit – Mental Health Reablement Services Grant**

A new three-year strategic grant for multiple providers or partnerships to deliver community integration support for people with longstanding mental health conditions. A total fund of £1,350,000 is available for projects that must focus on outcomes including core areas of life that support individuals to manage their mental health and enhance social inclusion. This grant is provided jointly by Worcestershire's health and social care services.

We are also offering an opportunity to apply for community grants for one year/one off activity for the following:

### **Celebrating Diversity:**

A total of £5,000 is available for grants to help VCS organisations celebrate diversity through raising knowledge and understanding and encouraging interaction e.g. a celebration day in the community. The maximum to be applied for under this grant is £1,000.

Previous examples of this grant are:

An organisation used county council funding to hold an open day to celebrate the diversity of deafness and British Sign Language showcasing the history and culture of deaf people.

An organisation used a County Council grant to fund a one off community event called 'food around the world'. This event embraced a variety of different cultures in the community through activities around food and also music.

### **Supporting Community Based Activities for Older People:**

A total of £100,000 is available for grants to help voluntary and community sector organisations to provide activities to help meet the needs of older people in the county. The maximum to be applied for under this grant is £5,000.

Previous examples of this grant are:

A County Council grant contributed to the funding of a community venture which encourages social interaction via a café area, provision of a local shopping facility and promotion of volunteering opportunities. Key benefits are community inclusion, innovation and sustainability.

### **Giving Older People A Voice Grant:**

A new grant is available aimed at engaging older people's views on strategies, policies and service delivery issues. This funding is limited to £5,000 and we are ideally looking for a partnership for delivery.

## Where can I find out more?

For more detailed information on each of these grants, please visit the VCS Unit web pages at [www.worcestershire.gov.uk/voluntary](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/voluntary) and follow the 'VCS Grants' link, where you can find:

- **Details of how to apply and supporting guidance**
- **Eligibility criteria**
- **Further support for your organisation**

Alternatively you can request a copy of our application form and guidance from [sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk](mailto:sjones12@worcestershire.gov.uk) or call 01905 766885

Please be aware that organisations applying must supply details of a bank account in the name of the organisation and a copy of their constitution to be considered. If you need to find out more about this or need support in getting a constitution for your organisation please contact the **Worcestershire Infrastructure Consortium** by calling **Hasna Sherif on 01684 312742 or email [hasnahs@comfirst.org.uk](mailto:hasnahs@comfirst.org.uk)**

