



**KAIKOURA
DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**SOCIAL SERVICES
COMMITTEE**

AGENDA

2 MARCH 2011

Memorial Hall Supper Room

**SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT 9.00 AM ON
WEDNESDAY 2 MARCH 2011 AT MEMORIAL HALL SUPPER ROOM,
ESPLANADE, KAIKOURA.**

AGENDA

1. *Apologies*
2. *Matters to be raised as General Business*
3. *Confirmation of Minutes 2/2/2011* *page 1*
4. *Matters Arising from Report of 2/2/2011*
5. *Minutes Action List Update*

MEETING	ACTION REQUIRED	BY	DATE ACTIONED
2 February 2011			
Report on work completed to date regarding Eco-burials.		Asset Manager and Planning Officer.	A verbal update will be provided at the meeting.

6. *Community Development Officer's Report* *page 7*
7. *Road Safety and Civil Defence Update*
8. *Community Networkers Minutes* *page 9*
9. *Action Plan Update*
10. *Social and Economic Impacts of the Christchurch Earthquake*
11. *Mayor's Update*
12. *General Business*

Community Development Officer's Report

Youth

Kaikoura Youth Council: KYC are planning to use the old Scout Hall for their meetings in future. They are supporting a funding application to the Ministry of Youth Development to get 'Kaikoura Dance' up and running in the Scout Hall and turn the Scout Hall into a safe and vibrant place for after school youth activities. It is planned that Piera Fromm who has been offering free Hip Hop lessons to youth on a Monday night over the summer will be the coordinator for the project if we are successful.

Over the summer, Dave Lewis with other members of the community started Friday Surfing for all youth in the community. This has been extremely well attended and will continue into the autumn.

Physical Activity/Recreation

The funding application submitted to the Canterbury Community Trust at the end of December to secure the salary for our Sport Kaikoura coordinator was received and the results will be announced in March 2011. In the meantime, school, club and resident questionnaires have gone out to the community to assess what impact a sport coordinator has had on residents becoming more active more often.

Council Community Grants 2011

The Kaikoura District Council community grants currently available:

George Low Trust Fund

Funding for sports and recreational facilities for Kaikoura Youth

This trust was established to provide sports and recreational facilities for the youth of Kaikoura and is the result of a bequest from Mr George Low in 1974.

Amount: \$4,500 per annum

Eligibility: Individuals, organisations or schools can apply

Criteria: Sports and recreational facilities for the youth of Kaikoura

SPARC Rural Travel Fund

Sports clubs or school sports team who need travel assistance

Funding is available for sports clubs and school teams with young people aged 5-19 who require subsidies to assist with transport expenses to local sporting competitions.

Note that funding is not available for travel to regional or national events.

Amount: \$5,000 per annum

Eligibility: Rural sports clubs and rural school teams with young people aged 5-19 years who require subsidies to assist with transport expenses to local sporting competitions.

Criteria: School club teams and sport club teams are defined as: "a school club team participating in local sport competition in weekends, that excludes inter school and intra school competitions played during school time"; "a sports club team participating in organised sport competition through club membership outside of school time".

Community Initiatives Fund

Public Education or a Community Event that contribute to the social, economic, cultural and environmental well-being of the Districts citizens

The District Council annually provides an amount of funding to be made available to the community through the Community Initiatives Fund.

- Amount: \$5000 per annum
- Eligibility: Assistance is available for non-profit making, voluntary, community groups that are registered, a charitable trust or an incorporated society.
Private individuals whose project is eligible, fits the criteria and who have an Umbrella Group Agreement with an organisation that is a legal entity can apply.
- Criteria: - Activities that qualify for and are funded from the Creative Communities Arts Funding Scheme will generally not be eligible for the Community Initiatives Fund
- In any one financial year organisations that have been funded by Council from the other funding sources will not be eligible for Community Initiatives Funding, with the exception of rates relief
- Grants will not be made to companies, statutory bodies or private individuals and retrospective applications will not be considered.

Creative Communities Scheme

Financial assistance for art related projects

Groups and individuals who wish to increase participation in the Arts or increase the range and diversity of the Arts are invited to apply to this fund.

Amount: \$6000 per annum

Eligibility: events or festivals
performances or exhibitions
seminars or workshops

Criteria: Broad Community Involvement: the project will create opportunities for local communities to engage with and participate in arts activities
Diversity: the project will support the diverse arts and cultural traditions of local communities, enriching and promoting their uniqueness and cultural diversity
Young People: the project will enable and encourage young people (under 18) to engage with and actively participate in the arts

Application forms for all four Grant Schemes are available from the Kaikoura District Council office, 34 Esplanade, or download a copy from our website. For information on closing dates call Susi on 3195026.