

Community Support Scheme

Can we help you?



What is the Community Support Scheme?

We pride ourselves on being a local, mutual society. This means we actively strive to work with, and for, the benefit of our local communities. We invite applications from groups in need of financial support four times each calendar year.

Awards typically range from £100-£500.

How do we allocate funding?

Applications are reviewed by a panel of Newbury Building Society representatives four times a year. Applicants must be located within a reasonable vicinity of one of our ten branches. Clubs, charities, and organisations that support the following are encouraged to apply:

- Sports, hobbies, arts, or leisure activities or initiatives that benefit the local community
- Education and development
- Welfare of local people
- Sustainability, green initiatives or environmental conservation

How to apply

Please send your completed application form below:

Marketing Team
Newbury Building Society
90 Bartholomew Street
Newbury, Berkshire
RG14 5EE

or email marketing@newbury.co.uk.

Application process

Once your application is reviewed, it will be considered in the next round of funding. We aim to inform applicants of the panel's decision within 2 weeks of the deadline.

The panel's decision is final, although you are welcome to apply again in a subsequent round if you are unsuccessful.

Community Support Scheme application form

Contact details

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone number: _____

Postcode: _____

Email: _____

(Used for any correspondence relating to this application)

Your organisation

Name: _____

Web address: _____

Registered address: _____

Twitter: _____

Facebook: _____

Postcode: _____

LinkedIn: _____

Registered charity number: _____
(If applicable) _____ Year established: _____

Brief details about your organisation:

Have you previously applied for a Community Support Scheme award from Newbury Building Society?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Support required (please note, awards typically range from £100 - £500)

Amount of support required: _____

Approximate number of people who will benefit from any award: _____

The award would be used for the following purpose:
(Please provide specific details - continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

Date of event or duration of sponsorship:

If the application is successful a cheque should be made payable to:
(Please note cheques cannot be payable to named individuals)

If sponsorship is awarded to your organisation, how would you acknowledge the Society's support?

Why do you consider Newbury Building Society to be an appropriate sponsor?
(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

Do you have any upcoming volunteering opportunities? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please provide any details that we could share with our colleagues.

Do you know anyone who works for, or is connected to, Newbury Building Society? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please provide details:

Where did you hear about our Community Support Scheme?

By submitting this form, you will be indicating your consent to publicity and press releases about the award (if successful). We will agree the content of any press releases with you. We comply with General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and any other applicable data protection legislation. Our Privacy Notice, which has previously been provided to you, sets out the basis on which any personal data we collect from you, or that you provide us, will be treated. The latest version is available via our website at www.newbury.co.uk/privacy-notice/, in any of our branches, or by calling us on 01635 555700.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

On behalf of: _____

Deadlines for our 2024 Community Support Scheme funding are as follows:

Round 1: all applications must be submitted by Friday 31 January 2025

Round 2: all applications must be submitted by Wednesday 30 April 2025

Round 3: all applications must be submitted by Thursday 31 July 2025

Round 4: all applications must be submitted by Tuesday 30 September 2025

Applications received after a deadline will be considered at the next panel meeting.