

# Supplementary Agenda



## Alexander Cross Cameron Bequest Committee

**Date:** Wednesday, 4 October 2017

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**Time:** 09:30

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**Venue:** Committee Room 3, Council Offices, Garshake  
Road, Dumbarton

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Dear Member

### Item to Follow

I refer to the agenda for the above Meeting of the Alexander Cross Cameron Bequest Committee which was issued on 21 September 2017 and now enclose a copy of the undernoted report which was not available for issue at that time.

Yours faithfully

**JOYCE WHITE**

Chief Executive

Undernote:-

### Item to Follow

**4 GRANT APPLICATIONS**

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Submit report by the Strategic Lead - Resources requesting consideration of grant applications received from voluntary organisations.

Distribution (All Elected Members of Wards 4, 5 & 6):-

Provost William Hendrie (Chair)  
Bailie Denis Agnew  
Councillor Jim Brown  
Councillor Gail Casey  
Councillor Diane Docherty  
Councillor Jim Finn  
Councillor Daniel Lennie  
Councillor Douglas McAllister  
Councillor Marie McNair  
Councillor John Mooney  
Councillor Lawrence O'Neill

All other Councillors for information

Chief Executive  
Strategic Director – Transformation and Public Service Reform  
Strategic Director – Regeneration, Environment & Growth  
Chief Officer of West Dunbartonshire Health & Social Care Partnership

Date of issue: 28 September 2017

**WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL****Report by Strategic Lead – Resources****Alexander Cross Cameron Fund Committee: 4 October 2017**

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**Subject: Grant Applications****1. Purpose**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide information on grant applications and to recommend grants to voluntary organisations from the Alexander Cross Cameron Trust Fund.

**2. Recommendations**

- 2.1 The Committee is asked to agree the recommendations as detailed in the Appendix.

**3. Background**

- 3.1 Alexander Cross Cameron Fund grants are administered by the West Dunbartonshire Council and are reported to the Committee as and when applications are received. The Fund was set up for the benefit of the people of Clydebank to assist those in need by reason of age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage.
- 3.2 The value of fund as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017 is £154,964. This includes interest received during 2016/17 of £569.

**4. Main Issues****4.1 Grant Applications**

Three applications have been received for funding however one of the applications is not complete enough for officers to make a recommendation at this stage. Details of the remaining two applications are shown in Appendix A and Members should note that an amount of up to £312 is being recommended.

- 4.2 An update regarding the third application referred to above will be provided at the meeting.

**5. People Implications**

- 5.1 There are no people implications.

## **6. Financial Implications**

**6.2** The amount recommended to be paid from the Alexander Cross Cameron Fund totals £312.

## **7. Equalities Impact Assessment (EIA)**

**7.1** No issues were identified in a screening of applications.

## **8. Consultation**

**8.1** All organisations are consulted regarding recommendations of grant prior to the report being submitted to committee.

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Stephen West  
Strategic Lead - Resources  
Date: 28 September 2017

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**Appendices:** Appendix A: Detail of applications for assessment

**Background Papers:** Grant Application Forms

**Wards Affected:** Ward 4, 5 and 6

**Alexander Cross Cameron Fund  
for consideration on September 2017  
(2017/18)**

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Purpose of organisation</b>	<b>Grant requested</b>	<b>Purpose of grant</b>	<b>Comments</b>
Faifley Art Group	To increase the opportunities for members to develop skills in and appreciation of visual arts within a sociable, like minded group, whilst keeping fees as low as possible so as to make the group financially accessible to all.	£410	Contribution to a member day trip to the Stirling Smith Gallery and Museum in Stirling with guided tour and lunch.	<b>Total cost is £540</b>  <b>Social Transport grant contribution £130</b>  <b>Recommendation: £312 (allocated for 16 members who meet the criteria)</b>
<b>Number of members</b>	<b>How often does it meet</b>	<b>Other grants applied for/ awarded</b>	<b>Bank Balance</b>	<b>Accounts balance</b>
21 (of which 5 members do not meet the criteria of the Trust Fund)	Weekly August to June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awards for All £2,255 Approved (for visit to Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh).</li> <li>• Social Transport Grant £130 Approved (payment towards cost of bus for trip to Stirling)</li> <li>• Glasgow Credit Union £200 Approved (to help towards tuition and materials)</li> </ul>	£3,817.16 as at 29/06/17 (this includes designated funds from grants awarded)	£1,298.78 as at 31/10/16

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Radnor Park Church	To promote community cohesion and the well being of residents through a range of measures. This is a fund raising group within Radnor Park Church.	£1,000	The grant will be used to purchase trees and decorative material to form the centrepiece of the Christmas Tree Festival. The funds will also be used for burgers, face painting and other stalls. The event will be free of charge and open to anyone. Donation tins will be available on the day and any surplus funds will be distributed to the local community. Last year £1,000 was distributed through this approach.	<p><b>Total cost is £2,000</b></p> <p><b>Group contribution £1,000</b></p> <p><b>Recommendation: £0</b> (based upon information provided, a proportion of funds raised may be transferred to the Church for running costs; the surplus following last year's event indicates additional funds are not required; and the balance held within the bank account suggests funds are available).</p>
<b>Number of members</b>	<b>How often does it meet</b>	<b>Other grants applied for/ awarded</b>	<b>Bank Balance</b>	<b>Accounts balance</b>
10	Monthly	None	£7,133.38 as at 28/07/17 (Church bank balance for fund raising)	Accounts submitted are for the church.