



CRITERIA FOR GRANT APPLICATION EVALUATION

Information for grant applicants.

Applications for grant funding or grant assistance from the Chislehurst Society are evaluated by our Grants Sub-Committee using a number of criteria.

It will be a rare application that meets all eight of the criteria but it would be helpful if your application met the first four and at least one of the latter four.

- 1. The purpose fits with The Society's objectives.**
 - Refer to the Society's web site for details of our objectives.
 - Applications falling outside those objectives will fail.
- 2. There is a defined project with a clear budget.**
 - Only in exceptional circumstances will the Society fund "open ended" projects.
 - If the Application is for phased works, how will future phases be funded?
- 3. The applicant is contributing and/or other sources have been explored.**
 - What other funding sources have been explored?
 - How much of the project is the Applicant selffunding?
- 4. The applicant can demonstrate value for money.**
 - We expect applicants to demonstrate alternative quotes by more than one provider
- 5. There is an Educational benefit.**
 - The proposed project will improve understanding about Chislehurst
- 6. There is an Environmental benefit.**
 - The proposed project will assist in conserving the environment
- 7. There is a Public benefit.**
 - Residents or visitors to Chislehurst will benefit from improved amenity or in other ways.
- 8. Historic significance.**
 - The proposal increases knowledge about our past, or preserves assets of historical significance.

Note to Applicants.

While the Chislehurst Society is happy to fund deserving projects that qualify for grant aiding, we will require formal confirmation that the grant has been properly applied for the agreed purpose, and where possible a suitable photograph.