



with additional financial support from CALA HOMES

COMMUNITY CHEST  **GRANT SCHEME**

LIST OF APPROVED FUNDING APPLICATIONS (10)
December 2020

Based on available funds from the Rotary Club of Currie Balerno, Balerno Village Trust and CALA Homes, the following awards totalling £3,709 were decided upon by the Awards Committee on Monday 8th June 2020

1. **Balerno Schools Pipe Band**
From a standing start in 2018 there are now 40 children, from three schools, learning to play. The aim is to be able to play at community events. To progress further the band bagpipes, uniforms etc. The total cost of the project is circa £14,000.
2. **Currie Primary PTA**
Aim to provide enough play equipment to enable each Covid-19 zone to have its own. Project cost £499
3. **RDA Saddle For Thumper**
Thumper, a large horse, requires another saddle, one large enough to fit properly and not cause back pain. The plan is to acquire a second-hand saddle. Project cost £500 - £800
4. **Nether Currie Primary PTA**
The PTA would like to provide scooter racks to accommodate the increased numbers now using scooters. They would also like to provide plastic benches for the playground. Project Cost £797.
5. **Balerno High School Library**
Aims to provide a selection of board games for vulnerable pupils. At present there are a number of good programmes for vulnerable pupils run by outside agencies but they all tend to be 'macho' type activities which are not suitable for all. This project aims to offer time-out in a Friendship Circle where they can build positive relationships whilst playing games together. Project cost £100.
6. **Nether Currie Primary School**
The school is looking to replace a much used but old and inflexible sound system with a Coomber Music System - The CD Learning Combo. Project Cost £500
7. **Dean Park Nursery**
Aim to provide 2 Mud kitchens and 2 Picnic tables for the refurbished play area. Project Cost £360
8. **Balerno High School**
Aims to provide 2 Marty Robots for the S1-S3 Coding Club. Project Cost £598
9. **Balerno High School**
Aims to provide 4 x cordless drills for the craft and design department. Project Cost £570
10. **Balerno High School**
At present pupils study the xylophone up to the advanced higher. The aim is to provide a 3-octave concert xylophone that can be used with the school's wind band. Project cost £1139

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