# Beckington Parish Council 



Pleases read the Parish Council's policy on the giving of grants before filling in this form.

| Name of organisation: | Beckington Benefice Network magazine |
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| Name of person making <br> application: | Peter Johnson |
| Date: | 28 June 2018 |
| Address: | Riverhold, Bath Road, Beckington <br> BA11 6SH |
| Telephone number: | 01373 831043 |
| Email address: | beckington.network@gmail.com |
| Total grant request: | $£ 50$ Please make cheque payable to Network <br> Bank: Lloyds TSB 30-93-40 A/c 19954468 |
| Benefit statement: (How <br> does this benefit some or all <br> of the Parish inhabitants) | Keeping residents informed of local events, people and topical issues. <br> 1423 copies and distributed free of charge by volunteers 10 times each <br> year to houses in the Benefice. This reaches people even if they have no <br> Internet access or do not use social media. |
| Other sources of funding: <br> (How else do you raise <br> money for your <br> organisation?) | Advertisements in the magazine; occasional donations. <br> The magazine is a non-profit service to the community sponsored by St. <br> George's Church; it is produced entirely by volunteers. <br> Accounts for 2015, 2016 \& 2017 are attached. |

Accounts for the last 3 years are attached.
The magazine is printed by Frome Print and costs about $£ 4000$ a year for 10 issues. We have been advised to expect this to rise soon.
Local businesses have been generous in advertising in Network but several have ceased trading. Our income from advertising fell by $£ 1229$ from 2016 to 2017. Advertisers pay annually and income is erratic.
We have increased the number of copies to include the new houses in Beckington. This will increase further in 2018/19.
The support of Beckington Parish Council in making a grant of $£ 50$ would help us to continue publication to our growing community.

## Beckington Network Accounts for Period 1.01.15 to 31.12.15 done by Julie Evemy

| Opening Balance | Opening balance $£ 1,429.85$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Income |  | Expenditure |
| Advertising |  | 4,438.00 |  |
| Donations |  | 50.00 |  |
| Interest (gross) |  |  |  |
| Other Income |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 4,488.00 |  |
| Expenditure |  |  |  |
| Printing (9 issues) |  |  | 3,510.00 |
| Stationery \& Postage |  |  | 50.00 |
| Refund to M. Eaves |  |  | 140.00 |
|  | Total |  | 3,700.00 |

Income 4,488.00 plus opening balance 1,429.85 Total 5,917.85 less expenditure 3,700.00 Closing Balance 2,217.85

We received donations from the following :
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Beckington Parish Council £50
Total
$£ 50.00$

Beckington Network Accounts for Period 1.01.16 to 31.12.16 done by Julie Evemy

| Opening Balance | Opening balance £2,217.85 | Expenditure |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Income |  |
| Advertising | 4,750.00 |  |
| Donations |  |  |
| Interest (gross) |  |  |
| Other Income |  |  |
| Total | 4,750.00 |  |
| Expenditure |  |  |
| Printing (11 issues) |  | 4,349.00 |
| Stationery \& Postage for 2015 \& 2016 |  | 100.00 |
|  |  | tal 4,449.00 |

Income 4,750.00 plus opening balance £2,217.85 Total 6,967.85 less expenditure 4,449.00 Closing Balance 2,518.85

We received donations from the following :
Beckington Parish Council
One off Adverts
Total $£ 0.00$

## Beckington Network Accounts for Period 1.01.17 to 31.12.17 done by Julie Evemy

| Opening Balance |  | Opening balance $£ 2,518.85$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Income | Expenditure |
| Advertising |  | 3,521.00 |  |
| Donations |  | 50.00 |  |
| Interest (gross) |  |  |  |
| Other Income |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 3,571.00 |  |
| Expenditure |  |  |  |
| Printing (10 issues) |  |  | 3,980.00 |
| Stationery \& Postage |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | 3,980.00 |

Income 3,571.00 plus opening balance 2,518.85 Total 6,089.85 less expenditure 3,980.00 Closing Balance 2,109.85

We received donations from the following :
Beckington Parish Council £50

Total $£ 50.00$

