

HIGH SHERIFFS' AWARDS 2013 - 2014

GRANTS

2nd Witham Boys' Brigade	£750	To help run a community hub pilot to improve life chances of young people in Witham
Age Uk - Essex	£500	To engage with vulnerable older people across North East, Central and South East Essex to help improve their personal safety
Bar 'N' Bus Trust	£1000	Assistance with the running costs of a mobile youth club service for young people in South East Essex
BATTS Table Tennis Club	£500	To help purchase an outdoor table tennis table for use at a community run Recreation Centre in Harlow
Braintree, Halstead & Witham Citizens Advice Bureau	£500	Installation of a gate and lockable postbox at the CAB offices to improve security for staff and volunteers
Brentwood Catholic Children's Society	£1000	To continue support of a Behavioural Management Project working with primary Schools in the Chelmsford area
Citizens Advice Bureau - Maldon	£1000	Support for a home visiting service which helps vulnerable residents becoming victims of "scams"
Colchester Chinese Culture Society	£1000	Provision of workshops for members of the Chinese community designed to reduce the incidence of bullying due to language difficulties and cultural differences
Essex Boys' and Girls' Clubs	£1000	To help run a "Boxing for Life" diversionary activity programme for vulnerable young people in the Chelmsford area
Gateway Community Media CIC	£1000	To help increase personal and community safety broadcasting in Basildon by setting up a mobile road show studio
HARP (Homeless Action Resource Project)	£1000	Towards a CCTV system at the new Centre for Homeless people in Southend
Helping Hands Essex	£1000	To support a rehabilitation service for people recovering from alcohol addiction in the Chelmsford area
Home-Start Epping Forest	£750	Towards the cost of providing home visiting support to parents with young children in Epping Forest District
Loughton Youth Project	£750	To meet the cost of additional opening hours at a safe centre for young people
Maru Karate Kai	£750	To fund an expansion in membership of a Basildon based Karate club providing diversionary activities for young people
Melbourne Project	£1000	For continued community work on the deprived Melbourne and Boarded Barns Estates in Chelmsford
Only Cowards Carry CIC	£1000	To help deliver a programme to schoolchildren in the Clacton and Tendring area about the danger of carrying a weapon
SAVS - "Home Visiting Safety Scheme"	£946	To support a home visiting safety scheme for vulnerable older people in Southend-on Sea
Sea-Change Projects Ltd	£850	Purchase of a second hand sailing dinghy and buoyancy aids for use by socially isolated young people from the Maldon area
Signals Media Arts	£750	To support creative film making projects in three Pupil Referral Units across Essex
Southend On Sea Bus Project	£1000	Provision of uniforms for new volunteers on a bus that provides a safe haven for vulnerable people of all ages on Friday and Saturday nights in Southend
Tendring Community Safety Partnership	£1000	To provide information books to participants in the 2014 Crucial Crew personal safety and health event for primary school children across Tendring District

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Tendring Community Safety Partnership "Keep Safe"	£500	To help run a personal safety project for vulnerable adults in Frinton and Walton
Tendring Community Safety Partnership "Borderline"	£500	Helping to run a project for young people from the Tendring area aimed at reducing crime and anti-social behaviour
Thurrock Open Door	£978	Purchase of two new drug demonstration boxes for a substance misuse service helping both young people and adults
VAEF - "Crucial Crew"	£1000	For an educational workbook which will be used in the 2014 Crucial Crew Crime Prevention and Personal Safety Education programme for 10-11 year old children in Epping Forest and Brentwood Districts
VAEF - "Garden Service"	£600	To purchase safety equipment and protective clothing for a gardening service for elderly and vulnerable people in the Epping Forest District
VAEF - "Home Safety Service"	£500	Installation of Door and Window Locks, Key Safes, Spy Holes and other items of safety equipment in the homes of vulnerable people in Epping Forest District
Waltham Abbey Youth 2000	£1000	Towards the cost of a confidential counselling facility for young people at the youth club and those attending the local secondary academy
Wilderness Foundation UK "TurnAround"	£1000	Helping to recruit and train additional mentors to assist with the outdoor based TurnAround programme for vulnerable young people from Chelmsford and Southend-on-Sea

NOMINATIONS

John Boon is nominated by **Lorne Campbell** of 2nd Witham Boys' Brigade for his 41 years of wholehearted support to generations of children and young people in the Witham area.

Maira Brock is nominated by **Danny Lawrence** of Gateway Community CIC for her longstanding commitment to the running of a performing arts group in Basildon, providing activities for young people with a disability.

Epping Forest Youth Council is nominated by **Diane Butler**, Young Persons' Officer at Epping Forest District Council in recognition of their exceptional work in developing safety awareness and crime prevention resources for local young people.

Marc Grayston is nominated by **Danny Lawrence** of Gateway Community CIC in recognition of his hard work and dedication to improving children's confidence and self-awareness through Karate.

Harwich Inspired Youth Action ("HIYA") is nominated by **Hayley Lovett** of Teen Talk Harwich for recognition of the unique contribution that HIYA makes to community safety and intergenerational cohesion in Harwich and Dovercourt.

Mr Jake Mabey is nominated by **Sue Pell** from Essex Boys' and Girls' Clubs for his wholehearted and enthusiastic work in helping to turn around the lives of challenging young people.

The **Safe as Houses Team in Southend** is nominated by **Alison Semmence** from SAVS for recognition acknowledging the commitment, dedication and passion shown by the team of volunteers in delivering home visits to vulnerable people in Southend.

Anne Thrussell of Heddingham Youth Club is nominated by **Lucy Chipperfield** from Essex Boys' and Girls' Clubs for her dedication and enthusiasm in working with disengaged young people from Heddingham.

Yvonne Williams and **Ros Connors** are nominated by **Danny Lawrence** of Gateway Community CIC for their drive, determination and support for the community, both as founders of Gateway 97.8 and subsequent longstanding involvement.