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RYE TOWN COUNCIL

APPLICATION FOR A GRANT (VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS)

Please note that this application will not be considered unless it is accompanied by a copy of the organisation's latest set of accounts showing income and expenditure and balances. If the organisation does not prepare annual accounts or is less than 12 months' old copies of statements for all accounts (bank/deposit/investment and so on) covering the last six months must be supplied.

1	Name of organisation	TILLINGHAREBN RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION
2	Is the organisation a registered charity? If yes, please state charity number If no, what is the constituted status of your organisation?	NO
3	Name, address and status of individual ('the contact') completing this application	MRS. JANET SHERWOOD 25 LEA AVENUE, RYE, TN31 7BH TRGASURCE
4	Contact's telephone no.	01797 223863
5	Contact's email address	—
6	Amount of grant requested	£250.00
7	For what purpose or project is the grant requested?	Towards the cost of a Band at our Summer Fete 17th July '17 SEPTEMBER 9th 2017
8	What will be the total cost of the project? hire of hall setting etc	Band approx £400.00 another £200.00

9	If the total cost of the project is more than the grant requested, how will the remainder be financed?	<p>through our bingo night profits we put on once a month throughout the year. or raffle on the day.</p>
10	Have you actually applied for a grant towards this project from other organisations? If so, which organisations, how much, and has funding been confirmed?	no
11	How many signatories are required to sign cheques? (must be a minimum of two)	2 signatories.
12	Who/What will benefit from this project and how?	The whole of Tillingreen estate, Valley Park, Ferry Rd, Uolmore Rd.

If necessary, please continue on a separate sheet. Please feel free to submit any other relevant supporting information.

Signed J. Sheehan

Date 26.6.17

(The person completing this application on the organisation's behalf)

TILLING GREEN RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL ACCOUNTS FOR 01/01/2015 to 31/12/2015

INCOME

Balance forward	2746.02
Bingo	1852.28
Grant from Amacus	400.00
Donations	9.00
Swap Shop	191.74
MacMillan Cancer Support	53.40
Easter Event	350.72
Brownie's Fair	22.00
Summer Fair	1941.55
Community Centre CIC	159.19
Christmas Fete	419.42

EXPENCES

Bingo	290.00
Admin	267.40
News Letters	313.98
Swap Shop	192.50
MacMillan Cancer Support	53.40
Easter Event	249.53
Brownies Fair	20.00
Summer Fair	1482.99
Community Centre CIC	125.00
Christmas Fete	404.64
DBS Checks	38.00
Spades	29.98
Padlock	5.99
Disposable Gloves	5.69
Skip Hire	115.00
St. Michael's Hospice Donation	121.30
Insurance	429.05
Poppy Wreath	17.00
Donation to Camera Club	50.00
Bank Balance	3933.87

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

I have examined the accounts of Tilling Green Resident's association for the year ending 31/12/2015. I have been provided with all the documents and explanations in connection with these. No matter has come to my attention in my examination to query the information

Signed

V Smith

Date

7/7/16

V Smith
INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

Signed Hon. Treasurer

J Shaw

Chair

Drake



TILLING GREEN RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Mission Statement or Aims

Tilling Green Residents' Association exists to:

- ensure that the profile of the Estate is high;
- pursue the aims of the residents, of this major centre of population in Rye;
- act as a pressure group toward ensuring that Tilling Green Estate is a good place to live, has an active social centre, and equality with other areas of Rye.

Means of achieving the aims of the Association

TGRA to seek representation on all bodies that affect the Estate and its residents.

TGRA will aim to provide at least four social events each year to create a social environment.

TGRA will ensure that new residents to the Estate will be informed of our details via our newsletter.

TGRA will support relevant agencies to ensure that a Community Centre is part of any redevelopment of the site where the Community Centre is situated.

TGRA will form liaisons with other Residents' Associations in other areas.

TGRA will provide funding where possible to organisations and individuals to help fund events for the benefit of Tilling Green Estate We will require completion of a grant form and a copy of the organisations end of year accounts to be sent to the Executive Committee for approval.



TILLING GREEN RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Constitution – October 2015

NAME

The name shall be Tilling Green Residents' Association, "The Association"

OBJECTIVES

The objects of The Association shall be to safeguard, promote and protect the interests of all the residents living on Tilling Green Estate "The Estate" and to work to improve the living conditions, housing and recreational activities on The Estate.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall be open to all households on The Estate who are over the age of 18 years. Membership shall be deemed a family membership, one membership per family resident, each family membership to have one vote. This is to ensure the larger family groups do not have an advantage over small or single resident persons in the matter of voting. A membership list will be kept by the secretary of The Association.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

The Association shall seek actively to represent the needs of The Estate and work towards good relations amongst all members of the community, specifically prohibiting any conduct which discriminates or harasses on grounds of nationality, race, religion, disability, political belief, gender or sexual orientation.

THE COMMITTEE

At the Annual General Meeting members shall elect an Executive Committee. The Executive Committee is responsible for the management of The Association.

The Executive Committee members will stand for re-election each year at the Annual General Meeting. Notification of a willingness to stand as an Officer or Executive Committee member must be given in writing to the Secretary 7 days before the meeting.

The Executive Committee can co-opt a maximum of 5 members who shall be non-voting.

Each elected member of the Executive Committee shall have 1 vote. If voting results are equal after "Yes" and "No's" the chair shall have the power of a casting vote.

If vacancies occur among the Officers of the Executive Committee during the year the Executive Committee shall have the power to fill them from amongst their members.

The Executive Committee may form sub-groups to deal with specific issues, but these must report to the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee shall meet not less than 4 times per year, excluding the Annual General Meeting.

Minutes will be taken at each meeting and will be available at the residences of the Executive Committee and Officers. A copy of the minutes will be supplied to any resident on request.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

An Annual General Meeting will take place in October of each year, the following items to be included in the Agenda

- Annual report from the Officers
- Presentation of Accounts
- Election of Officers and Executive Committee
- Amendments to the Constitution

GENERAL MEETINGS

Executive Committee meetings will take place as outlined in 5. Above. We will aim to hold 4 General Meetings a year including the Annual General Meeting.

All attending will sign the Attendance Book at the commencement of each meeting.

All items declared "Confidential" at an Executive Committee meeting must remain so.

All meeting dates, with the exception of the Annual General Meeting, will be available on request from the residence of the Executive Committee and Officers.

A Special General Meeting open to all members will be held if 10 or more memberships submit a request in writing, signed by all 10 to the Secretary. The Secretary shall then arrange a meeting within 14 days of the request and the meeting will be advertised as above.

QUORUM

No Committee meeting shall take place unless 50% of the committee or members are present. No Special General or Annual General Meeting shall take place if fewer than 8 representatives of memberships are present.

CHANGES TO THE CONSTITUTIONS

The constitution may be altered at the Annual General Meeting, provided notification of such changes are handed to the secretary 14 days before the Annual General Meeting.

FINANCE

All monies raised by or on behalf of The Association shall be applied to further the aims and objectives of The Association and for no other purpose.

The Treasurer shall open a bank/building society account in the name of The Association.

The 3 Officers of The Association shall be named on the Mandate as signatories, and any 2 of these 3 must be signatories to the cheques etc.

The Treasurer shall keep a proper account of the income and expenditure of The Association. Audited copies of the Annual Accounts must be presented to all members at the Annual General Meeting, and acceptance shall be voted upon only by those present. The Annual Accounts must be available for all members to examine on request.

Any expenditure over £20 shall be authorised by The Executive Committee at the Executive Committee meetings.

DISSOLUTIONS

The Association may only be dissolved at a special General Meeting called for that purpose and advertised to all memberships 14 days before the meeting.

The Association can only be dissolved if all present at the Special General Meeting agree to the proposition.

Any refunds, monies or possessions of The Association at that time to be donated to a charity(ies) of the association's choice.

STANDING ORDERS

Members shall at all times conduct themselves in a reasonable and orderly manner at meetings.

Members shall be excluded from meetings if they contravene the aims of The Association, use abusive language, refuse to recognise the authority of the chair and/or behave in a violent, offensive or abusive manner.

Chair..... *D/oke* Date..... *21/10/15*

Secretary..... *D/oke* Date..... *21-10-15*