

CREICH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

ROCK-BY-SEA Community Benefit Fund

The Rock by Sea windfarm development makes a community benefit payment, each August, to the Creich Community Council to administer to the benefit of the local community.

A micro grant is available to residents of the Creich district to be used towards costs incurred when taking up new training or employment opportunities.

Course fees, travel costs, etc could all qualify as valid expenses for grant consideration provided the opportunity for personal improvement or development is demonstrated in the application.

Grants for travel costs will not be made where similar training opportunities are available locally.

Grants will be limited to one application per individual (or group) per course although other courses up to a maximum of two per annum may be supported.

The micro grant will not take the place of any other grant and therefore will not be a duplicate payment of any other award.

No application forms are required; application should be by letter to the Community Council.

There is an upper limit of £250, with either individuals or groups being eligible to apply. Each award will be considered on its individual merit.

Another feature of the scheme is an Award for Excellence. Candidates for this award can be nominated by a member of the Community Council, putting forward any resident from the Creich area who has shown a considerable talent, perhaps in the face of difficulties, and who has reached a high standard of achievement in his/her own particular field, especially if a wider benefit to the community has also been demonstrated. Any resident wishing to be considered for the award should contact any CC member to ask that his/her case be put forward. CC members will consider each case on individual merit. A cap of £250 is the maximum amount available through the Award for Excellence.