

THE OLD MISSION HALL TRUST

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We are pleased to report on the last 2 year's activities as follows:

Our activities are always driven by the number of requests received from within the parish and controlled by the amount of income we receive in a year. Interest rates still remain frustratingly low, which restricts the amount of income available to applicants unfortunately. As always, getting our message across to the community is always a problem, despite FB announcements, there is currently little demand for financial assistance. In some ways, this is an advantage, allowing us to build up funds which would be of better help to applicants in future years.

We had three requests for assistance in 2019 from higher education students within the parish, all of whom received small grants. Subjects being studied were Animal Management, Engineering and Physics. Hopefully the money has gone towards books and course material and not on the amber liquid!! It is always tempting to give them larger awards out of capital, but then that would mean less income would be generated in following years.

Peter Scott
Clerk to the Trustees