

17. APPLICATION TO THE FENDALTON WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – KURT MCKENDRY AND MAYA TURETSKY

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for two applications for funding from the Board's 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The applicants, Kurt McKendry aged 12 and Maya Turetsky, aged 11, are seeking funds to compete in the New Zealand Dance Sport Championships being held in Blenheim from 20 – 22 October 2007.
3. Kurt has been dancing for six years and Maya for four years, and they have been dance partners for the past 12 months. In the recent South Island Championships, held in Christchurch, they won gold medals in their grade for Latin, Ballroom and New Vogue.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

4. The following table provides a breakdown of the costs per person.

EXPENSES	Cost (\$)
Transport	150
Registration fee	160
Accommodation	375
Total Cost	\$685

5. This is the first time that the applicants have applied to the Fendalton Waimairi Community Board for financial support.

Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2006-16 LTCCP budgets?

6. This application is seeking funding from the Board's 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the Board's 2007/08 Project Funding.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

Have you considered the legal implications of the issue under consideration?

7. There are no legal implications in regards to this application.

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

8. Aligns with page 170 LTCCP, regarding Community Board Project funding.

Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2006-16 LTCCP?

9. As above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

10. Application aligns with the Council's Youth Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

11. As above.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

12. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve the application and allocate \$100 each to Kurt McKendry and Maya Turetsky from the 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme.

CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION

That the staff recommendation be adopted.