

**10. APPLICATION TO THE RICCARTON/WIGRAM YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – MAICALIA STEINEGG**

<b>General Manager responsible:</b>	General Manager, Community Services, DDI 941-8534
<b>Officer responsible:</b>	Unit Manager, Community Support Unit
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**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1. The purpose of this report is to seek Community Board approval for an application for funding from the 2012/13 Youth Development Scheme.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

2. The applicant, Maicalia Steinegg is a 18 year old Avonhead Resident and Burnside High School student, seeking Community Board support to participate in a Christchurch trip to Melbourne with the Burnside High School Orchestra. The trip will take place 26 September through to 7 October 2012. The orchestra has a total of 67 members. 17 applied for Youth Development Funding from the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board and were granted a total of \$1000. Five applied for Youth Development Funding from the Shirley/Papanui Community Board and were granted a total of \$700. Maicalia is one of two students applying for funding from the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board.
3. Maicalia has been in the Burnside High School Orchestra for five years and is currently the Orchestra's principal oboist. She attends two and a half hours orchestra practice per week, additionally she takes oboe lessons and practices extensively at home.
4. As a member of the Burnside High School Orchestra, Maicalia has won the regional orchestra festival several times. As a year 13 student she is one of the orchestra's senior musicians and takes seriously the responsibility of instilling a passion for music and the orchestra in younger students. She envisages that this trip will be of significant benefit to the orchestra and further build the bonds already developing within orchestra members.
5. The trip to Melbourne for the orchestra includes workshops and rehearsals as well as attending three concerts by the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra. The trip culminates in a concert.
6. A future with the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra and even the New Zealand Symphony Orchestra is a goal of Maicalia's. She would also like to share her passion and gifts by giving lessons in the future. Her other interests include athletics, arts and crafts and she volunteered last year at the International Paralympics Meet in Christchurch.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

7. The following outlines budgetary requirements for Maicalia's trip.

<b>Isaac Daly</b>	
<b>Total Cost of Trip payable</b>	<b>\$2620</b>
<b>Sundries</b>	<b>\$250</b>
<b>Funds raised to date</b>	<b>\$600</b>
<b>Amount Requested from Community Board</b>	<b>\$400</b>

8. This is the first time the applicant has applied for funding from the Community Board.

**Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2009-19 LTCCP budgets?**

9. Yes, see page 172, regarding the Board funding.

**LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS**

10. There are no legal issues to be considered.

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

11. Yes.

**ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS**

12. Yes.

**Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2009-19 LTCCP?**

13. Yes, see page 172, regarding the Board funding

**ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES**

14. Yes, in alignment with the Strengthening Communities Strategy

**Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?**

15. Yes, application aligns with Council Youth Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

**CONSULTATION FULFILMENT**

16. All appropriate consultation has been undertaken.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Community Board support the application and allocate \$200 to Maicalia Steinegg as a contribution towards her expenses for her trip to Melbourne with the Burnside High School Orchestra from the 2012/13 Youth Development Fund.