

## 6. AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME FUNDING

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The purpose of this report is to inform the board of the progress of the Bromley after school programme and the Linwood after school programme and to confirm that, with the Board's approval, the funding set aside for these programmes can now be used.

The recommendation in this report is in line with:

### ***Community Board Objectives:***

Key statement number 2

- enhance social well being and strengthen communities.
- And performance measures 17 and 19
- Acknowledge the value of volunteer input ... Allocation of resources.
  - Provide resources to assist community initiatives.

### ***Social Well Being Policy Priorities:***

- Reduce barriers to access services and resources
- Reduce disparity between and reduce multi-disadvantage.

### ***Community Policy Points:***

- 1.1 Work with local communities and organisations to increase the capacity of communities.
- 2.2.2. Participate in and facilitate inter-agency collaborations through community and inter-sector networks.

The Linwood and Bromley After School Programmes have been funded for six months. Funding is now sought for January 2001 until 30 June 2001.

### **BROMLEY AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME**

The programme commenced the year with three staff but now has two. The third staff member who resigned has not been replaced as the numbers attending the programme have not warranted it.

The supervision, training and paying of staff has been contracted to the Woolston Development Project. This has been a very good move in that it has linked two afterschool programmes together providing a good role model for the Bromley after school workers and the Bromley Out of School Trust. This also means the workers are no longer Christchurch City Council employees.

The Woolston Development Project has been a prime mover in the setting up of GASP which is a networking group for after school programmes in the Community Board area.

The management committee treasurer of the Bromley Out of School Trust has been given training and a system of book keeping appropriate to them has been set up.

The management committee of the Bromley Out of School Trust (BOST) has a new chairperson who is committed and energetic. The management committee is at the moment undergoing training with the Woolston Development Project to assist them in developing a projected budget, and the setting up of policies and procedures.

The management committee of BOST has applied for some small assistance from the Community Trust and is waiting for the results of this. They were able to do this funding application on their own indicating that they are now feeling more confident and able to work towards looking outside the Council for funding, although this will take some time. The volunteer hours at Bromley have increased.

Letters pertaining to the programme have been circulated.

#### **LINWOOD AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME**

Oscar Development Christchurch has sent full records regarding their Organisation and the Linwood programme. These have been circulated.

**Recommendation:** That the Board approve the release of the Project the funds set aside for the Bromley After School Programme and the Linwood After School Programme to allow delivery of the programmes for the second half of the 2000/2001 financial year.

#### **Chairman's**

**Recommendation:** That the officer's recommendation be adopted.