



Christchurch City Council

**FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD
COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE
AGENDA**

WEDNESDAY 3 DECEMBER 2008

AT 8.00AM

**IN THE BOARDROOM
FENDALTON SERVICE CENTRE
CORNER JEFFREYS AND CLYDE ROADS**

Committee: Faimeh Burke (Chairman), Sally Buck, Val Carter, Cheryl Colley, Jamie Gough, Mike Wall and Andrew Yoon.

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1. APOLOGIES

2. APPLICATION TO FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – OLIVIA DISHINGTON

General Manager responsible:	General Manager, Community Services, DDI 941-8986
Officer responsible:	Unit Manager, Recreation and Sports
Author:	Ken Howat, Community Recreation Adviser

PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for an application for funding from the Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The applicant is Olivia Dishington, a 15 year old Rangī Ruru student living in Bryndwr.
3. Olivia has been selected for the Wharenuī Swim Club's Training and Development Squad to compete in the Victoria Age Group Swim Championships in Melbourne from 2 - 9 January 2009. All swimmers had to meet stringent qualifying times to attend this meet and have spent the past year training and competing with a view to making this team.
4. Olivia has been a member of the Wharenuī club for six years. Her coach advises that this meet will be of huge benefit to team members in terms of experiencing top level age group competition.
5. Olivia's family will meet any funding shortfall.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

EXPENSES	Cost (\$)
Air fares	600
Food	448
Accommodation	269
Total Cost	\$1,317

7. This is the first time that the applicant has applied to the Board for financial support.

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

8. This application is seeking funding from the Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the its 2008/09 Discretionary Response Fund.

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

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

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

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

2. Cont'd

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

11. As above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

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

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

13. As above.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

14. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommend that the Board approve the application and allocate \$250 from its 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme to Olivia Dishington to compete in the Victorian Age Group Swim Championships.

3. APPLICATION TO THE FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – PHOEBE SHILLING AND GRAYSON MOFFAT

General Manager responsible:	General Manager, Community Services, DDI 941-8986
Officer responsible:	Unit Manager, Recreation and Sports
Author:	Ken Howat, Community Recreation Adviser

PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for two applications for funding from the Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The applicants are:
 1. Phoebe Shilling, a 12 year old Cobham Intermediate student living in Fendalton.
 2. Grayson Moffat, a 13 year old Christchurch Boys' High School student living in Fendalton.
3. Phoebe and Grayson have qualified to compete in the New Zealand National Open and Junior Diving Championships being held in Auckland from 11 – 13 December this year.
4. Phoebe and Grayson are members of the Canterbury Diving Club based at QEII and train six days per week including sessions at the Christchurch School of Gymnastics. Phoebe recently won the Canterbury Championships 12-13 year girls in the one metre and three metre springboard section beating her personal best and setting a new Canterbury record.
5. Both athletes competed in the North and South Island Championships held in Wellington and Dunedin this year and achieved medal placing. Phoebe and Grayson have also recently travelled to Australia to compete in the Pacific School Games.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

EXPENSES	Cost (\$)
Air fares	250
Accommodation and Food	300
Event fees	75
Total Cost	\$625

7. This is the first time that the applicants have applied to the Board for financial support.

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

8. This application is seeking funding from the Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the its 2008/09 Discretionary Response Fund.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

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

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

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

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

3. Cont'd

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

11. As above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

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

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

13. As above.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

14. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommend that the Board approve the applications and allocate its 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme \$150 to Phoebe Shillings and \$150 to Grayson Moffat to compete in the New Zealand National Open and Junior Diving Championships.

4. APPLICATION TO THE FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – LUCY MOLONY

General Manager responsible:	General Manager, Community Services, DDI 941-8986
Officer responsible:	Unit Manager, Community Support
Author:	Maryanne Lomax, Community Development Adviser

PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for an application for funding from the Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. An application has been received from Lucy Molony, a 17 year old Christchurch Girls' High School student from Fendalton.
3. Lucy has been selected to represent her school and community as a participant in The Royal Society of Victoria's 'Young Science Ambassadors' program which includes the 'South Magnetic Pole Anniversary Programme'. The programme, which includes an historic one day flyover of the South Magnetic Pole, Antarctica, will be held in Melbourne, Australia from 16 – 22 January 2009.
4. The Society was established in 1854 for the promotion of Science, and is also actively involved in the promotion of polar (Antarctic) science. The Young Science Ambassadors' programme represents an important aspect of the Society's mission in the promotion of science aimed at encouraging young secondary school students to study science subjects, with the ultimate goal of taking up a challenging and rewarding career in the sciences.
5. Lucy is a high-achieving student with a particular interest in science. She is currently sitting Level 2 NCEA examinations in preparation for entering Year 13 next year. She is keen to focus on science disciplines and is studying chemistry, biology, and physics.
6. This opportunity will enable her to join other young 'ambassadors' from Australian States and Territories, New Zealand, United Kingdom, Denmark, Canada and Finland taking part in this exciting program.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

7. The total cost of participating in this programme is \$3,440. Due to the late notice of being informed that she had been selected, and also the current demand on her time in regards to studying and sitting NCEA exams, Lucy has not as yet undertaken any other fundraising.
8. This is the first time that the applicant has applied to the Board for financial support.
9. This application is seeking funding from the Community Board's 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the Board's 2008/09 Discretionary Response Fund. There is currently \$4,800 remaining in this budget.

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

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

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

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

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

4. Cont'd

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

12. 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?

13. As above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

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

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

15. As above.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

16. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve the application and allocate \$450 its 2008/09 Youth Development Scheme to Lucy Molony towards the costs involved in participating in the Young Science Ambassador Programme in Melbourne.

5. BRIEFING - HERITAGE AWARDS

At the meeting of the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Services Committee on 3 September 2008, it was noted that Community Engagement staff would be in attendance at the next meeting to discuss future options for Heritage Awards. At the Committee meeting on 8 October the Committee requested that presentations by staff supporting Boards already running successful heritage awards programmes be made to a subsequent meeting of the Community Services Committee to enable the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board's consideration of the best model to follow in setting up its own awards.

Roger Cave, Community Engagement Advisor, Shirley/Papanui and Karen Wason, Community Engagement Advisor, Fendalton/Waimairi will be in attendance to discuss this matter with the Committee.