

18. APPLICATION TO THE SHIRLEY/PAPANUI COMMUNITY BOARD'S POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – BURNSIDE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for applications for funding from the Shirley/Papanui Community Board's 2011/12 Positive Youth Development Scheme for the Burnside High School Orchestra.
2. There is currently \$6,650 in the 2012/13 Positive Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

3. The purpose of the Positive Youth Development Scheme is to celebrate and support young people living in the Shirley/Papanui ward by providing financial assistance for their development. The Community Board also seeks to acknowledge young people's effort, achievement and potential excellence in the community.
4. The Positive Youth Development Scheme will consider applications for the following activities:
 - Personal Development and Growth - for example leadership training, career development, Outward Bound, Spirit of Adventure, extra curricular educational opportunities.
 - Representation at Events - applicants can apply for assistance if you have been selected to represent your school, team or community at a local, national or international event or competition. This includes sporting, cultural and community events.
5. The following eligibility criteria must be met:
 - Age groups 12-21 years.
 - Projects must have obvious benefits for the young person and if possible the wider community.
 - Only one application per person permitted per year.
 - Applicants should be undertaking other fundraising activities and not relying solely on Community Board support.
6. Attached is a table summarising the applications for funding via the Positive Youth Development Fund. The total cost of projects is \$11,200.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

7. The Shirley/Papanui Community Board has available \$6,650 from the Positive Youth Development Scheme for allocation.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

8. There are no legal considerations.

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

9. This fund aligns with the 2009-19 LTCCP.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

10. This fund aligns with the Strengthening Communities Strategy.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

11. It is recommended that the Shirley/Papanui Community Board consider the **attached** table in its deliberations and make the following allocations to each of the applicants:

Burnside High School – Orchestra Trip: (Four applicants)

\$400 from 2012/13 Positive Youth Development Scheme to assist with the costs of April Ju, Andrew John Robinson, Hannah Xuanen Khor, Gabriel Xanyao Khor travelling to Melbourne for a 10 day tour working alongside the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra from 26 September – 7 October 2012.

NOTE: The Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board agreed to fund at the level of \$1000 to cover the 19 young people attending this trip from their ward.