

CELCA Grant Application Form

Cranshaws Larder - Maureen Ferguson

Application Reference: GM 12/09/2023.1

Applicant/Organisation:

We are a small group of local residents whose aim is to provide social, educational and wellbeing events within our community encompassing the communities of Longformacus, Cranshaws and Ellemford through our village hall structure. These events range from coffee mornings, theatre evenings and currently keep fit classes. We are continually building upon our database of residents within the community who wish to be included/involved with events we have been introducing within the last six months and hopefully within the forthcoming years.

To continue the Cranshaws Larder which is working very well and people are very grateful that we have it.

The larder is well used and much appreciated by the community here. We thank CELCA very much for supporting the larder. We try to mix things up a wee bit between food for the cupboard, toiletries and cleaning materials. Everyone seems very happy with what is put in the larder and I have had no complaints from anyone or anyone saying that there is something else that they would like to see added.

Reason for Application:

Have continuing funding to buy basic essential food items. Anyone can collect these as they wish. People are encouraged to take only what is necessary for themselves and their family so that there is plenty for everybody.

Benefit to the Community:

It will help people cope with considerable rising living costs and hopefully prevent some emergency driving to Duns for everyday food items; so saves fuel costs which would increase living expenses and be environmentally negative.

Disability Provisions:

There is access for everyone.

Details of Funding Requested:

ITEM	QTY	COST
Buy food online at £100 per week from September to March 2024	28	£2,800.00
TOTAL PROJECT COST		£2,800.00

Amount requested from CELCA: £2,800.00

Details of other sources of funding:

None

Contributions from Applicant/Organisation:

Two local volunteers from Cranshaws are manning and keeping the larder stocked and a record is kept of how it is working.

Dates of Project:

September 2023 to March 2024 or longer as stock is used.