



**THATCHAM TOWN COUNCIL**  
**COMMUNITY PROJECT FUND – FUNDING APPLICATION**

<b>Section 1 - Applicant</b>	
<b>Name</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Organisation</b>	7th Thatcham Guides
<b>Address</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Aims &amp; Objectives of Organisation</b>	To support young women and girls, providing experiences they wouldn't normally get, building their confidence and skills through fun experiences.
<b>Telephone</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Email</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Website</b>	
<b>Charity number (if applicable)</b>	

<b>Section 2 – Project Summary</b>	
<b>Project Title</b>	WINGS 2026
<b>Amount of Funding Required</b>	£250
<b>Duration of Project</b>	25th July to 1st August 2026

**Section 3 – The Project**

<b>Objectives of the Project</b>	This is a once in a guiding lifetime camp for the guides, called WINGS 2026.
<b>Details of the Project</b>	A huge international jamboree in Windsor Great Park with guides and scouts from all over the world and filled with loads of activities that they wouldn't normally get to try. This is a once in a guiding lifetime experience, usually running every 4 to 5 years but the last time got cancelled due to covid. This event hasn't run since 2014. We're asking for funding towards the cost of the event to make it more accessible to guides. This includes the cost of the event itself as well as coach transport to and from the camp.
<b>RESOURCES</b>	
<b>Project Cost</b>  Please provide a breakdown of costs for this project	  The cost is £425 per girl and £150 for leaders,
<b>Timescale</b>  Please provide details of timescales for this project	It's a one off camp running from 25th July to 1st August 2026.
<b>Project Management</b>  Who will oversee this project	It's being run and organised by the WINGS committee but we are planning our own transport and our own camp in the event.
<b>Acknowledgement</b>  Please provide details of how the Town Council's support will be acknowledged, if funding is awarded	The guides and parents would be made aware of the generous grant should we get it. We would also post about the support in local Guiding channels as a thank you and sharing with other units the support available.

<b>Section 4 - Viability</b>	
<p><b>Background</b></p> <p>Please provide details of the background to this project, what initiated the project?</p>	<p>This is a once in a guiding lifetime experience, usually running every 4 to 5 years but the last time got cancelled due to covid. This event hasn't run since 2014.</p>
<p><b>Evidence</b></p> <p>Does this project meet an identified need? Please provide details.</p>	<p>This supports a local youth group (Girl Guiding) which has a strong contingent in Thatcham which we'd like to maintain by providing exciting and unique experiences to the girls. This camp would give the girls lots of one off experiences and allow them to meet guides and scouts from around the world, expanding their experience and teaching them useful life lessons.</p>

<b>Section 5 - Sustainability</b>	
<p><b>Is this a one-off project or the start of a long-term service?</b></p>	<p>One off event</p>
<p><b>If a long-term service, how will this continue to be funded beyond the initial funding requirement?</b></p>	<p>N/A</p>

Please send your completed application to:

Thatcham Town Council  
 Council Offices  
 Brownsfield Road  
 Thatcham  
 RG18 3HF

Or email to: [enquiries@thatchamtowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@thatchamtowncouncil.gov.uk)

**Following an initial assessment, more information may be requested prior to presentation to the relevant Town Council Committee for consideration.**