



PRESS RELEASE

OVER £30,000 AWARDED TO WHITEHILL & BORDON COMMUNITY GROUPS

“Four Whitehill & Bordon community groups will receive a boost to their 2018 finances thanks to grants from Whitehill Town Council.

A full Council meeting on 5th March agreed to award £19,000 to the Phoenix Theatre & Arts Centre and £5,000 to Citizens Advice, with a further £5,000 earmarked for an outreach service in Whitehill & Bordon.

Rob Allerston from the Phoenix said “This is wonderful news and shows a continuing support and faith in the output of The Phoenix Theatre & Arts Centre. On behalf of all the Trustees, volunteers and staff at The Phoenix I’d like to thank Whitehill Town Council and we look forward to working with you again in 2018-19 (and beyond).”

Councillors also agreed to earmark £2,000 to the Woolmer Heritage Society towards the running costs of a proposed, new heritage centre area in the new town centre.

A further £300 was awarded to Headley All Saints Church to support the upkeep of the churchyard and gardens of remembrance.

Whitehill Town Council Chairman, Colin Leach, said “The Council always tries to give as much support to community groups as it possibly can. Obviously it has financial constraints, such as losing the Rate Support Grant, but still it gives large sums to deserving causes.”

Full details of the Council’s Minor and Major Grant Aid schemes are available on the Council’s website www.whitehilltowncouncil.gov.uk.

The next closing date for Minor Grants is 31st March.

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