

12 May 2023

To: Group Trustee Boards (Chairs and Treasurers)
Group Scout Leaders
Explorer Scout Units

## APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS FROM THE SHARPE BEQUEST

Applications are invited for grants from the Sharpe Bequest. The application form is available on the District website (together with some additional notes) - use the link given below.

It is anticipated that there will be a moderate sum of money available for distribution this year. The Finance sub-Committee will consider each application carefully and target the grants to support those most in need. In all our discussions we will be guided by the input from the District Commissioner.

One of the main stipulations in Maurice Sharpe's will was that Groups must raise at least half of the cost of the equipment. We have to take the information applicants provide into consideration when awarding grants.

Completed application forms (together with the requested documentation) should be sent to me by 14 July 2023.

If you have any questions, or require any assistance, please contact me in the first instance.

Tony Andrews District Chair

Website link: <a href="https://www.lonsdalescouts.org.uk/finance-grants/">https://www.lonsdalescouts.org.uk/finance-grants/</a>

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