



PRESS RELEASE

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DEADLINE APPROACHES FOR THE MALL'S FOUNTAIN CHARITY FUND APPLICATIONS

Small local voluntary and community organisations requiring funds to support their work have until the end of January to submit a grant application to The Mall at Cribbs Causeway's Fountain Charity Fund. The deadline for applications is Thursday 31st January 2008 and The Fund's grants panel will meet in February to award its annual grants.

The Mall Fountain Charity Fund has supported a number of local organisations where a small amount of money – the maximum grant is £1,000 - can make a difference.

Application forms and entry criteria are available on-line at www.mallcribbs.com or The Mall's Information Desk or from the Quartet Community Foundation (contact details listed below), which administers The Mall's Fountain Charity Fund.

Applicants must be based and working within a 25 mile radius of The Mall which includes Weston-super-Mare and Newport to the west, Stroud to the north, Chippenham to the east and Shepton Mallet to the south.

The Mall's Fountain Charity Fund was established in 2003 to mark The Mall's fifth birthday. The bulk of the Fund's money comes from coins thrown by shoppers into The Mall's fountain. To date, 90 grants totalling £60,000 have been given to local voluntary organisations and charities.

For more information about how to apply for a grant, please contact your nearest Quartet Community Foundation representative:

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