



Please read the Grant Criteria document before you start your application process.

<u>Application Reference (Office use only):</u>		GR22/2324
<u>1: CONTACT DETAILS</u>		
Name of Organisation:	The Green Tree house	
Address of Organisation:	20 Lawton Street Congleton Cheshire CW12 1RA	
Name of Applicant:	Amanda Beech	
Position:	chair woman	
Telephone Number:	[REDACTED]	
Email address:	tgthfoodclub@gmail.com	
Website:	N/A	
Registration Number (If relevant)	1157178	
<u>2: ABOUT YOUR ORGANISATION</u>		
What type of organisation are you?	CIO - Not-for-profit charitable organisation	
Please tell us about your organisation, its aims and the work you undertake. (in less than 200 words)		
<p>To act as a resource for children, young people and their families and carers who are in need of such a resource by reason of their youth, disability, financial hardship or social circumstance within Biddulph Town and surrounding areas. With the object of improving their condition of life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To provide advice and assistance and organise programs of recreational, social, leisure, physical, educational and other activities as a means to:• Advancing in life and helping children develop their skills, capacities, and capabilities.• Advancing education• Providing recreational, physical, leisure activities in the interest of social welfare.		

3: COST DETAILS/ RESOURCES/ TIMETABLE	
Project Title:	TGTH Foodclub
Project Objectives:	To support local Congleton resident with food poverty
Brief Project Description:	TGTH aims to improve health & wellbeing within the community and has operated a community café since 2016. In 2020 during covid we launched a social supermarket to reduce food poverty. This specific initiative has proven to be a critical lifeline to hundreds of local families struggling with the cost of living crisis by enabling them to purchase branded food items at discounted rates; £5.00 for 10 items which would ordinarily cost four times more at mainstream supermarkets. During December 2023 we supported 382 households, a 41% annual increase. We work with local schools to support children's breakfast clubs.
Total Cost of Project	14000
Total contribution sought:	1480
Details of cost breakdown and budgets:	x3 Food Pallets Includes x2 Ambient food pallet x1 frozen food pallet
What will the money be spent on?/ Resources needed:	the money will enable us to purchase 3 pallets of food
Any ongoing costs:	rental of the property on Lawton Street, electricity, rates and water
Details of confirmed match funding, include source Cash/Grant: In kind:	we have a volunteer that works / inkind 20 hours per week 2 volunteers that between then work/inkind 60 + hours per week. buying stock from numerous sources, delivers and stokes the food clubs, weekly accounts, funding bids etc
Estimated timescale of project from start to finish:	The Congleton Foodclub opened in 2021 and it is an on going project
4: POTENTIAL BENEFITS/ OUTPUTS	
What are the potential benefits/outputs to residents of Congleton	Wraparound service outgoing support, debt advice, social Eating space bringing people together Reducing isolation Access to affordable food support people out of food poverty in a Supermarket setting, personal choice and dignity.
Are there similar services/ projects provided in the area	Congleton has several emergency foodbanks, but not like the service we provide
5: EVALUATION	
How will the project be evaluated and who will	We record each day / weekly/ monthly/ annually how many people using the food club, facebook reviews, an annual survey of households using the food club.

carry out the evaluation?	
Describe how you will promote the Town Council in your project.	we have a large following on facebook and we will promote the Town Council on there and on any posters
Please acknowledge you have read our Grant Application Criteria	Please see the Policy on our Grants page on our website: Grants - Congleton Town Council (congleton-tc.gov.uk) I/we have read the policy: YES / NO YES

Declaration

- I am authorised to make this application on behalf of the above organisation.
- I understand and agree that the application and supporting documents will be presented on a public agenda, and that any private information will be redacted.
- I certify that the information contained in this application is correct. If the information in the application changes, I will inform Congleton Town Council as soon as possible.
- I give permission for Congleton Town Council to retain this information electronically. The information in this form will be used for the administration of grant applications.
- I understand that Congleton Town Council will use any personal information I have provided for the purposes described under the Data Protection Statement which can be found [Constitution - Congleton Town Council \(congleton-tc.gov.uk\)](http://congleton-tc.gov.uk)
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Signed:		Date:	18/02/2024
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