

## Heritage Lottery Fund

### Schedule of Decisions under delegated powers to Head of HLF East of England on 22 March 2018

#### Our Heritage

Item	Project Title	Project Description	Applicant	Decision
1.	Thatched roof repair and supporting outcomes	Urgent repair to thatched roof to maintain and protect the heritage of this 700 year old listed church. Community activity includes Heritage Booklets (eg catalogue and illustrate the biodiversity of an unspoilt medieval churchyard; a guide that also records the history, architecture, archaeology, myths and stories of this ancient building), students and updating county data bases, involving volunteers and local groups. Range of events, tours and talks.	St Peter's church westletonSuffolk Coastal	Award grant of £65,300 (49%)
2.	Hidden Herstories: Amy Walmsley's Gift (Bedford's Suffrage Heritage)	To erect a memorial statue of Amy Walmsley to record her significant impact on the town on December 14th 2018, the first general election which involved women voters; engage 10 Bedford schools in the 'History Hopscotch', including local children in researching and recording the contribution that a further 10 women made over the last 100 years, and including them in the creation of mosaic designs for the finished piece; and establish a year of celebration of women with key organisations across Bedford to mark this important anniversary.	Women of Bedford	
3.	Theatre Royal 200th anniversary project	Use the 200th anniversary of Theatre Royal Bury St Edmunds to reinterpret its 200 year story, engaging the community with its history through a number of events and participatory projects throughout 2019. To set the story of Theatre Royal against the social backdrop of Bury St Edmunds and the UK. New exhibition, interpretation, tours, dramatic presentations, new website.	Bury St Edmunds Theatre Management Ltd St Edmundsbury	Award grant of £83,300 (63%)

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4.	Ramsey: A Journey Through Time	To develop a timeline with five “stops” highlighting the wealth and diversity of Ramsey’s heritage, providing a coherent and holistic story working with schools, young people and families. Joint heritage days and events; working with individual heritage groups to build their capacity and recruit more volunteers; develop stronger partnership working; marketing heritage sites together as a holistic visitor “experience” and record town’s history by enabling local amateur historians to collate their research so it is readily accessible to all.	Ramsey Neighbourhoods Trust Huntingdonshire	Award grant of £51,800 (85%)
5.	Fields Familiar, Foreign and Far Away	To focus on the First World War experiences of the two Norfolk communities of Great and Little Dunham. Pupils from the village school, and their families, will investigate the experiences of the soldiers listed on their war memorials with stories from Gallipoli to Palestine to The Western Front. Children will study agricultural life 100 years ago and will learn local traditions, stories, dance and song. The heritage research and learning will work towards two performances for the wider community. The children will be mentored by a professional writer and assisted by a drama expert. Includes talks and publication.	Great Dunham Primary School Breckland	Award grant of £27,700 (100%)
6.	The Chesterfords Big Dig	Work with contracted archaeologists to dig 25 test pits in Great and Little Chesterford - selected at random. The village is rich in archaeological history having been a Roman town. A considerable amount of excavation took place in the 19th C and later but with the finds being removed from the village to museums elsewhere. Aims to be a family activity and involve the local primary school and secondary school pupils.	Chesterford Local History and Archaeology Society Uttlesford	Reject
7.	Norfolk's Wildlife in Common	In partnership with the University of East Anglia and Norfolk County Council to reconnect people with their commons, celebrate the importance of Norfolk’s common land, and inform community-led solutions to improve commons for wildlife and people. The project will enable more people to enjoy and value their local commons, develop a better understanding of the sites’ historic and ecological value, and ultimately expand the commons	Norfolk Wildlife Trust Norwich	Award grant of £58,800 (41%)

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		network, securing the future of these precious landscapes. Includes skills development and volunteering.		
8.	Forward Sister Women 2	Springboard East with the assistance of the Guides will research the Suffragette movement in Norfolk. The project will focus on women who were active in the campaign for female suffrage. The trials of these women will be re-enacted in the Shirehall Courtroom at Norwich Castle. Springboard East will run a residential weekend with the Girl Guides to explore the experiences of the Suffragettes. They will assist the Guides in devising and enacting a demonstration to take place at the Castle as part of the re-enactments. Also exhibition and other activities at Norfolk Show Ground 2018.	Springboard East Norwich	Award grant of £29,000 (100%)

### Sharing Heritage

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9.	Bringing the Outside In	This project is about bringing two groups together (women who participate in an arts and walking group and residents in a local care home) to share and explore their heritage. Both groups are based in a social housing estate which faces multiple issues of deprivation. The theme will be memories of the natural local area from childhood and early adulthood. Includes pairs talking about the resident's memories of playing outdoors in nature and of making crafts/everyday objects from natural materials as well as the practical and technical research that the women have been doing between sessions based on previous conversations. This research will include library and museum visits, poetry, journaling, natural heritage crafts and mixed media artwork. Individual memory books will be co-created for wider sharing and future use.	ArtatWork CIC Forest Heath	£10,000 (96%)

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10.	Brockdish & Needham Community Project	A Community Heritage Project involving residents researching the history of the adjacent villages of Needham and Brockdish in South Norfolk (population: 480 approx.). To include research, free public presentation accompanied by a two day exhibition of a selection of the historic material uncovered during the project, design and building of a Needham and Brockdish History website, illustrated paperback book.	Waveney Heritage CIC South Norfolk	Award grant of £9,500 (98%)
11.	St Clement Church—The Memories and Recollections Project	Inspired by three local women in their 70s who visited the Church during the Heritage Open Days in Sept 2017, and shared their personal memories of their parents getting married and of them attending St. Clement Church as children with young volunteers of the Ipswich Arts Centre. To capture oral accounts of local residents who used the church before it became redundant as a place of worship in the 1970s The University of Suffolk and Suffolk Record Office have offered in-kind support.	Ipswich Arts Centre Ipswich	Award grant of £9,900 (100%)
12.	St Catherine's School - 200 years of memories	Commemorating 200 years of local primary school St. Catherine's. Through the memories of local people, school archives and the collections at Lowewood Museum, the project will explore school life through history and celebrate the school's heritage. This will be presented through a series of community projects and a culminating exhibition. Following oral history training with pupils, staff and volunteers the school will work with a film maker and an oral history professional to hold a reminiscence day tea party where current pupils will interview past pupils about their memories of school life. The School Council will develop ideas for a display inspired by the historical objects in the school's archive and the Museum's collection as well as the history of the school; an artist will then work with each year group to create a part of this display. Exhibitions and events programme.	Lowewood Museum (Epping Forest District Council) Broxbourne	Award grant of £9,700 (100%)

## First World War

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13.	East of England - commemorating the end of WW1 - a primary school intergenerational project	The charity reaches out to thousands of older isolated people across England and Wales (Goldies Cymru) and has developed across Essex in recent years, through local partnerships and contacts with town councils, community groups and housing organisations - Greenfields Community Housing and Genesis Foundation. Sessions take place at community centres, Churches and are led by a team of four session leaders managed by Charity Founder Grenville Jones. The intergenerational programme was introduced six years ago encouraging schools to 'open their doors' and engage with older people from local communities. As it has developed, its focus in 2012 was the Diamond Jubilee and since that time projects have been based on the commemoration of the First World War..	Golden-Oldies Chelmsford	Reject
14.	Behind the Name: telling the stories honouring men and women of Melton during WWI.	A community project involving local groups researching the names on the WW1 Melton War Memorial, the Roll of Honour and the collection of wooden crosses from the WWI battlefields held in Melton Old Church. This research includes the important role of women during the war, a time of great political change for both men and women. Our research has uncovered the important work that the local women stepped forward to take on whilst their menfolk were away fighting. Includes book, walking trail, visits by local primary school to Suffolk Records Office and activities lead by local WI branch.	Melton Heritage Group Suffolk Coastal	Award grant of £10,000 (100%)
15.	WHEATHAMPSTEAD DURING THE GREAT WAR 1914-1920	Researching and sharing the story of our village of Wheathampstead during the Great War years (1914-1918) and immediately afterwards (1918-1920). A wide range of volunteering opportunities and community activities including research, exhibitions, talks, commemorative village newsletter and more.	Wheathampstead History Society St Albans	Award grant of £5,500 (99%)