

Trotshill District – Grant Expenditure Report

Trotshill District are very grateful to have received the grant from Warndon Parish Council. Our District is made up of 3rd and 4th Warndon Rainbows (4-7 year olds), 3rd and 4th Warndon Brownies (7-10 year olds), 3rd Warndon Guides (10-14 year olds) and many dedicated and hardworking volunteers. Our units have been meeting in the heart of Warndon Villages at the Lyppard Hub for 30 years.

We requested the grant to help replace our old camping equipment, which had become broken or unusable after over a decade of regular use by all sections.

What we have purchased using the grant: 4 patrol tents, 1 First Aid Tent, 1 Events Shelter

How our members have benefitted

Guides

We have bought some wonderful new patrol tents which were used for the first time at the Guides festival style camp “Megamix”. This was a fantastic camp where Guides from all over the Midlands came to experience a range of adventurous activities such as abseiling, axe throwing, zip wires and go karting followed by evenings with singers performing on the large stage in the middle of the campsite. This was a particularly wet and muddy camp and thanks to our brand new tents, the girls and their kit stayed nice and dry.



The Guides also have a more traditional camp planned for summer 2024 where we will use our patrol tents and new first aid tent.



Brownies

One of our Brownie units have been busy practising putting up our new tents as part of their camp skills. They were so excited to discover how roomy they were and are looking forward to using them either as a Brownie or when they move onto Guides!

Rainbows

Our events shelter will be used both for camps and general activity days. In July, the Rainbows will be taking part in an adventurous activities day at Blackwell Adventure. This sort of day is great for the Rainbows to grow in confidence and to take on new challenges such as indoor rock climbing. We will be using our new shelter as a base for the girls to come back to, either for chill out time or when we are eating as a group.