



Adur County Local Committee
Community Initiative Fund application



CLC Reference: 300/A

Local Councillor: Ann Bridges

Status: Fundraising Stage

Project Cost: £1,120.00 (as found under crowdfunding goal total)

Project Title: Easter Bunny Hop – children’s disco

About:

One of the big issues disabled people in our community face is social isolation. We are holding an Easter Bunny Hop to raise funds for disabled people in West Sussex to get out and about.

Loneliness is a big issue for disabled people living locally and you can help change this. We are holding an Easter Bunny Hop Children's Disco over the Easter half-term to fundraise for social activities for disabled children and adults across West Sussex. We are looking for local businesses and people to pledge their support! How you can help: - Make a donation to cover the costs of the event - Donate a prize for the colouring competition - Come along on Wednesday 17th April to the Jubilee Hall at Lancing Parish Hall, the disco and activities are running 2pm-4pm. - If you run children’s workshops, activities or classes locally and would be happy to run a session for free we would love to have you there. All proceeds raised at the disco go to providing social activities for disabled children and adults across West Sussex, and will support our ongoing fundraising for this cause.

Project Delivery Manager: Independent Lives

About me:

Independent Lives is a charity and social enterprise that supports disabled people to live independently in their own home.

We are commissioned by West Sussex County Council to provide support and work with over 1,500 disabled people living across the county.

Website: <http://www.independentlives.org>

Why we're pitching for a pledge:

We work with 1,500+ disabled people in West Sussex enabling them to live independently so can ensure our customers directly benefit.

What we'll deliver:

- A children's disco
- Meet Chase and Skye from Paw Patrol
- Easter crafts for the kids - decorate an Easter headband, face painting, photo booth, sweet shop, balloon modelling
- Enter the colouring competition to win a prize

Why it's a great idea:

The Easter Bunny Hop is an inclusive children disco for the family. We are are crowdfunding to cover the cost of the event and looking for organisations to provide activities on the day. The Easter Bunny Hop is a ticketed event and all proceeds raised on the day go to providing social activities for disabled children and adults across West Sussex. By pledging your support you will help disabled people living in our community to combat loneliness.

Steps to get it done:

- Our local community contributes to the cost of the event
- Apply for match-funding from Santander Discovery Grant
- Apply for funding from Police Property Act Fund
- Apply for funding from Tesco's Bags of Help grant
- Local organisations pledge their support through providing activities for free