

Appendix 3 – Christchurch Baldock- Tea & Tots, Tea & Tinies

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Version	Issue Date	Changes
1.0	NA	First Draft (BE)

Reference	
Name of Organisation	Christchurch Baldock – Tea & Tots, Tea and Tinies
Organisation Type	Faith Group
Ward	All Baldock and District Wards
Project Type	Tea & Tots is a play group for carers and toddlers, and Tea & Tinies a support group for parents of new babies
Green option considered?	Yes, where possible
NHC Councillor involvement that may constitute a conflict of interest	No
Previous financial support within six years	£200 in 2017 for the summer holiday club
Documentation reviewed and approved*	Safeguarding Yes Accounts Yes
	Demonstrates clear governance Yes
Total applied for	£250 Total project cost £2,960

Officer Summary

For both Tea & Tots and Tea & Tinies Christchurch are seeking funding towards the cost of the hall hire fees which will allow them to reduce or waive the attendance fees where appropriate. Tea & Tots meets every Thursday morning during term time for 2 hours. Tea & Tinies meets every Friday morning during term time for 2 hours.

The main expenses for each group are hall hire and refreshments. Helpers are all volunteers. Part of the costs are met by the church because they charge a nominal amount to attendees (£2 for Tea & Tinies, £2.50 for Tea & Tots)

Tea & Tots provides support for about 25 parents/carers, and Tea & Tinies provides support for about 12 young parents. When Tea & Tots started there were no other toddler groups in Baldock. Similarly, Tea & Tinies started because there was nowhere else in Baldock where young parents could meet.

Tea & Tots meets every Thursday morning during term time at Baldock Community Centre. Tea & Tinies meets every Friday morning during term time in the URC church hall.

The remainder of the costs are met by contributions from attendees and church reserves.