



**APPLICATION FORM FOR A GRANT/DONATION
FROM HAYDON WICK PARISH COUNCIL**

APPLICATION DEADLINES: 31 MAY; 30 SEPTEMBER & 31 JANUARY ANNUALLY

Name of Organisation	St John Ambulance
Charity Registration Number (if known)	1077265-1
Contact Name and address	St John Ambulance, Brunel House 158-159 Rodbourne Rd, Swindon
Telephone No	
Email address	
Position held in Organisation	Community Fundraising Manager

Amount requested	£500
How much will the whole project cost?	£65,000
Are you applying to other grant making bodies	Yes
If Yes who have you applied to	Stratton St Mary Parish Council, West Dean Parish Council, Worton Parish Council
Reason for application (please continue on another sheet if necessary)	We are seeking a donation to help us purchase a Community Support Unit Vehicle for our volunteers. St John Ambulance is a first aid charity that responds to health emergencies, supports communities, saves lives. During the pandemic we have provided frontline support to communities, caring for patients in hospitals, supporting 999 services with our ambulances and working alongside the NHS in the delivery of the Covid-19 vaccine by recruiting 70,000 volunteers, training 37,000, to support the vaccination programme. Across Wiltshire we have 627 volunteers based across the County who have, since January 2022, have delivered over 10,650 volunteering hours to support a number of activities across the County.

	Our voluntary support has ranged from providing First Aid cover for events such as the recent Jubilee weekends held locally by communities, supporting the NHS and Ambulance services with additional resources through to continuing to support the vaccination programme across the County. Being easily accessible within local communities is key to St John Ambulance's mission, and this is underlined by the brand new vehicle we have developed, specifically to offer adaptable first aid services to the public – the 'Community Support Unit'. As well as being just right for the job, it means we are able to 'retire' a number of older and less suitable ambulances from our fleet, improving our service and our environmental footprint. We are raising funds to purchase a new Community Support Unit for our volunteers as they deliver first-aid to the communities in Wiltshire for at least 10 years. Every detail of the new vehicle has been designed with our volunteers and for our volunteers, ensuring they have instant access to the lifesaving tools they need. The Community Support Units are spacious four-wheel drive vehicles. They are adaptable for all terrains, so most outdoor locations can be reached. Up to six volunteers can travel together to an event, allowing briefing and preparation during the journey so they do not waste precious time on arrival. Along with the team members, the van will carry first aid kitbags necessary for the different situations the volunteers might encounter, as well as equipment which can be quickly removed from the van to set up a covered first aid post. The Community Support Unit contains facilities essential to enable rapid and safe response from our busy volunteers: a water heater for vital regular handwashing, a power supply to charge radios and mobile phones, a towbar to carry cycles for our specialist cycle responders, a table for setting up communications equipment if needed and four seats for the occasional rest and a cuppa! Improving the environment for our volunteers means improving the quality of our provision to all those who need us. We have currently raised £26,538.91 however the total cost for the vehicle is £65,000.

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Bank details (should an award be made) or A cheque can be raised if preferred	
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Declaration:

I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information in this application is true and correct.

Your Name	
Your Signature	
Date	27/06/22

Checklist:

- ✓ Read the Guidelines
- ✓ Ensure all questions are answered
- ☐ Have you enclosed the most recent certified accounts if you are applying for a sum in excess of £500.
- Applications over £500 should also submit a project and business plan Make a copy of this form for your reference
- ✓ Enclose a copy of your Constitution if you are a registered charity

For office use only:

Grant agreed?	Yes/No	
If yes, at which meeting	Date	Minute No
Sum agreed	£	
Date payment made or cheque sent		
Cheque Number		