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Grant Awards - September 2010

Shetland Charitable Trust, through its agents (S.I.C. Grants Unit), has awarded 8 grants during the month of September – see attached appendix.

Local voluntary organisations through Shetland have been awarded a total of £30,366.00 in grant assistance from Shetland Charitable Trust grant aid schemes towards a range of community projects and activities.

The total cost of these projects is £47,695.35 with funding of £17,329.35 being secured from other sources. These projects, which are managed by volunteers, significantly improve the quality of life for all living in Shetland and support the local economy.

Ends

Notes for editors:

Shetland Charitable Trust is an independent organisation set up in 1976 to manage income from Sullom Voe oil terminal on behalf of the community.

Its funds are currently worth around £200m, with £170m invested on the world markets and £30m in the local economy.

Each year it distributes around £10m to local groups and projects, including Shetland Recreational Trust, Shetland Amenity Trust, Shetland Arts Development Agency, the rural care centres, and 17 voluntary groups.

It owns Shetland Leasing and Property Developments Ltd (SLAP), Shetland Heat Energy and Power Ltd (SHEAP) and 90% of Viking Energy Ltd.

SCT's policy is to pass on the oil funds to future generations by investing them in a self sustaining way.

More details about Shetland Charitable Trust can be found at www.shetlandcharitabletrust.co.uk

Shetland Charitable Trust
Grants Awarded in September 2010

<u>Applicant Project</u>	<u>Date Granted</u>	<u>Project Cost</u>	<u>Amount Awarded</u>
Senior Citizen Grants			
NORTHMAVINE HAPPY HOUR CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 January - 31 December 2010.	13/09/2010	£2,776.35	£540.00
Total Awarded - Senior Citizen Grants	1 Award	£2,776.35	£540.00
Shetland Arts Fund			
DAVID MARSH This grant will assist with the costs of attending a masterclass in Afro-Cuban drumming with tutor Ravin Jayasuria of One Voice Music at Pirwindy Keep, By Leven, Fife, from 1 - 3 October 2010.	07/09/2010	£200.00	£100.00
ELIZABETH GARRICK This grant will help pay for course fees and travel to an Afro-Cuban drumming and percussion masterclass, to be taught by Ravin Jayasuria of One Voice Music to be held at Pirwindy Keep, By Leven, Fife, 1 - 3 October 2010.	07/09/2010	£580.00	£290.00
SHETLAND NEEDLEWORKERS This grant will assist with the costs of bringing a tutor to Shetland to hold an evening talk and 2 full-day workshops in Islesburgh Community Centre, 22 - 24 October 2010.	15/09/2010	£850.00	£425.00
Total Awarded - Shetland Arts Fund	3 Awards	£1,630.00	£815.00
Support Grant Aid Scheme			
FIRTH AND MOSSBANK UNDER 5S GROUP This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 April 2010 - 31 March 2011.	28/09/2010	£1,166.00	£483.00
Total Awarded for SCT - Support	1 Award	£1,166.00	£483.00

Support to Youth Centres Grant Aid Scheme**GERMATWATT CENTRE**

This grant will assist with the Centre's and Westside Youth Club's annual running costs, 1 April 2010 - 31 March 2011.

29/09/2010 £5,355.00 £3,824.00

LIVISTER YOUTH CENTRE

This grant will assist with the Centre's and youth club's annual running costs, 1 April 2010 - 31 March 2011.

22/09/2010 £13,128.00 £9,846.00

SCALLOWAY YOUTH CENTRE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

This grant will assist the Scalloway Youth Centre and Youth Clubs with their annual running costs, 1 April 2010 - 31 March 2011.

20/09/2010 £23,640.00 £14,858.00

Total Awarded for SCT - Support to Youth Centres

3 Awards £42,123.00 £28,528.00

Total Awarded in September 2010

8 Awards £47,695.35 £30,366.00