**Hartlepool Borough Council ‘Filling the Holiday Gap’**

**Ring-fenced Community Grant Scheme – Christmas 2019**

Please complete the following questions and return this form to sue.leather@hartlepool.gov.uk

1. Organisation name:
2. We would be interested in receiving a grant of up to £2,500 for a ‘Filling the Holiday Gap’ Scheme this Christmas. **YES / NO (delete as appropriate)**
3. If YES, how much funding are you requesting? **£**
4. Please give a brief description of what your project will involve, when and where it will take place in relation to the following categories:
* The number of children and young people accessing the activity

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* Number of healthy meals or food parcels provided and sample menus to be used during the project

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* Improvements in education and awareness of healthy eating messages and cooking skills, where applicable

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* Evidence of utilising Hartlepool Foodbank and the Hartlepool Food Network, detailing frequency of use, types of foods and amounts used during the scheme

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* Total spend broken down by: food bought and costs associated with food preparation. Please complete the attached form.

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5. Projected outcomes in relation to the following:

***Please consult the Christmas 2019 funding criteria and guidance document when completing this application form – evidence of spend will need to be provided as part of the evaluation process (see attached documentation)***

* Organisations that are supporting children and young people through the provision of healthy and nutritious meals or food parcels during the school Christmas holiday period

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* Organisations providing family-based activities over the school holiday period, where practical healthy eating and/or cooking skills education could be incorporated

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* Organisations providing crafts or physical activity opportunities, which would benefit from the provision of healthy and nutritious meals or food parcels as part of the activity

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* Organisations specifically working with vulnerable and/or disadvantaged children and young people in areas of high socio-economic deprivation, where food poverty rates may be higher

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* Funding will not be granted for the purposes of improving kitchen or hygiene standards within premises – any costs incurred to fulfil the application criteria below must be funded by the applicant(s)

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**DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH GRANT CONDITIONS**

Signed: Date:

Name in capitals: Position:

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| **Type of Costs (Where Applicable)** | **Description** | **Workings (to be completed by Bidding Organisation)** | **Grant Funding Requested £** |
| **Food Preparation**  | Please specify any materials to be purchased (maximum spend £10.00, invoices/receipts will be required) |   |   |
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| **Food** | Invoices/Receipts will be required to support claim.Menus will be required to show the meals provided using the foodstuffs  |   |   |
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| **Total** |   |   |   |
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