

**Date: 20th March, 2023.****To: An Cathaoirleach and Each member of Kilkenny County Council****Re: Events Grants Scheme 2023****Background**

The closing date for the 2023 Events Grants Scheme was the 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2023. The total budget allocated for the 2023 scheme was €22,000. A total of 57 applications were received.

**Recommendations**

The following allocations be awarded for the 2023 Events Grants Scheme:

<b>Name of Group/Organisation</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date of Event 2023</b>	<b>Recommended Amount</b>
Inistioge Show Society	Inistioge	8th July, 2023	€ 500
Kilkenny Volunteer Centre	Across County Kilkenny	15th-21st May, 2023	€ 700
The MS Society of Ireland	Hoban Hotel - TBC	5th July, 3rd May, 6th Sept & 8 November, 2023	€ 200
Polska Eire Festival Committee	Kilkenny City	9-11 June, 2023	€ 350
Graiguenamanagh Regatta Club	The Quay Graiguenamanagh	6-7 August, 2023	€ 500
Lingaun Valley Tourism CLG	Knockroe Passage Tomb, Windgap	21st December, 2023	€ 350
Tullahought Community Development Ltd	Tullahought	12th & 13th August, 2023	€ 200
Mount Carmel Supported Care Home	Grounds of Mount Carmel	15th July, 2023	€ 500
Johnstown Town Team/Spa Development	Johnstown Recreational Hub	2nd July, 2023	€ 700
Gowran Pantomime Society	Parish Hall, Gowran	14-19 February, 2023	€ 700
Kilcumney Players Theatre Group	Ionad Dara, Goresbridge	27-29 October, 2023	€ 600

Kilkenny Romanian Community	Kilkenny	24-26th November, 2023	€ 350
Carrick-on-Suir Motor Club	Mullinavat	15th & 16th April, 2023	€ 700
Eigse Sliabh Rua	Rhu Glenn Hotel & Slieverue Parish Hall	10-19th November, 2023	€ 500
Muckalee LGFA	Muckalee	TBC March - May	€ 500
Ballyfoyle Agri Show CLG	Ballyfoyle	25th January, 2023	€ 500
Gathabawn Rural Development Group	Millennium Park	2nd July, 2023	€ 250
Rosedale Residential Home	Rosedale Upper	24th June, 2023	€ 500
Johnstown, Urlingford & Galmoy Ploughing Association	Woodsgift, Urlingford	26th February, 2023	€ 500
Woodview Residents	Woodview Estate	July, 2023	€ 400
Newpark resident's association	Upper Green Newpark	4th June, 2023	€ 400
Tullagher Rossbercon Vintage Show	Rossbercon	23rd March, 2023	€ 700
Deenview Inclusive Garden	Deenview Centre	17th July, 2023	€ 400
African Mothers & Youth Association	Kilkenny	16th March, 2023	€ 500
Clongowan Residents Association	Clongowan Estate	June, 2023	€ 300
Kilkenny LEADER Partnership	Kilkenny	Summer 2023	€ 200
Johnswell Development committee	Johnswell Village	16th July, 2023	€ 150
Johnswell Development committee	Johnswell Hall	3rd December, 2023	€ 400
Ionad Lachtain	Ionad Lachtain	17th June, 2023	€ 500
Irish National Sheepdog Trials	Thomastown	24th-26th August, 2023	€ 500
Pil River Park	Pil River Park	19th August, 2023	€ 400
Keep Kilkenny Beautiful	MacDonagh Junction or similar venue	14th or 15th April	€ 50
Droichead Family Resource Centre	Droichead FRC	30th June, 2023	€ 500
Urlingford town development	Old School Grounds	Summer 2023	€ 500
Thomastown Recreational Group	Thomastown	8th July, 2023	€ 300
Dunnamaggin Development Group	Madge's Garden, Dunnamaggin Village	24th & 25th June, 2023	€ 300

Paulstown Development Association	Community Grounds	19th November, 2023	€ 250
Paulstown Development Association	Community Grounds	8th April, 2023	€ 250
Paulstown Development Association	Community Grounds	3rd September, 2023	€ 200
Paulstown Basketball Club	Paulstown Community Hall	26th March, 2023	€ 200
River Nore Music Academy	12a Parliament St. Kilkenny	21st May, 2023	€ 350
Kilkenny One Parent Community	Proposed; Kilkenny Castle Park	7th July, 2023	€ 500
Ferrybank Social Inclusion Events (FSIE) committee	Ferrybank Community Park	8th April, 2023	€ 500
Kilkenny Leader Partnership (SICAP)	Kilkenny Home Rule Club	March, April, May, June 22nd, November 22nd,	€ 400
South Kilkenny Historical Society	Tory Hill, Mullinavat, Co. Kilkenny	9th July, 2023	€ 350
South Kilkenny Historical Society	South Kilkenny – exact location to be decided	26th December, 2023	€ 350
3rd Kilkenny Thomastown Scout Group	Thomastown Scout Den	10th September, 2023	€ 700
Kilmacow Town Twinning	Kilmacow	26th July-1st August, 2023	€ 500
Kilkenny and District Canine Club	St. Patricks GAA Club, Ballyragget	24th June, 2023	€ 500
Kilkenny Motor Club	St. James Park, Kilkenny	27th August, 2023	€ 300
Stoneyford Development Association	Stoneyford Community Centre	16th April 2023	€ 600
			<b>€ 22,000</b>

I recommend to the Elected Members that the above grant amounts in the sum of €22,000 be approved.

Signed:   
 Mary Mulholland,  
 Director of Services.

