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What is YouthBank?

YouthBanks are run by young people for young people. YouthBanks provide small grants to fund young people's good ideas to benefit their local community.

YouthBank is an innovative grant making and empowerment initiative run by young people for young people in communities across Scotland. YouthBank builds on young people's skills and experiences to enable them to give cash for action, funding young people's ideas for the benefit of the wider community.

Shetland Youth Voice is proud to be supporting a local YouthBank with support from the CLLD Fund. Applications open on the 25 November 2025 and close 12 February 2026 at 5pm.

Funding will be considered to any youth group or organisation supporting 12-25 year olds in Shetland that focuses on Shetland Youth Voice's priorities.

Our 4 priorities are:

Transport, Jobs & Fair Work, Public Spaces and Mental Health & Wellbeing



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Application Criteria

- Applicants must be aged between 12 and 25 years old
- Grants must be of benefits to young people
- Groups must apply, applications from individuals will not be considered
- Payment will be made in one lump sum
- We will only fund projects that promote a positive image of young people
- All applications must be youth led
- The initial application must stick to the criteria
- We will then organise to meet/speak to the applicants about the application
- YouthBank applications cannot be over £1000 but could be part of a more expensive project.

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