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Grant Awards – June, July & August 2011

Shetland Charitable Trust, through its agents (S.I.C. Grants Unit), has awarded 38 grants during the months of June, July and August 2011 – see attached appendix.

Local voluntary organisations through Shetland have been awarded a total of £44,567.00 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 £106,600.08 with funding of £62,033.08 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 Grouped by Scheme

<u>Applicant Project</u>	<u>Date Granted</u>	<u>Project Cost</u>	<u>Amount Awarded</u>
Development Scheme			
MUCKLE ROEGUES This grant will assist with the costs of purchasing various toys and equipment for the club.	14/06/2011	£1,391.20	£1,000.00
SHETLAND BUS FRIENDSHIP SOCIETY This grant will assist with the costs of purchasing storage and display items for the reception and non-exhibit areas of the main hall in the new Scalloway Museum.	22/06/2011	£1,041.65	£500.00
ST OLAF COMMUNITY CLUB (OLLABERRY PUBLIC HALL) This grant will assist with the costs of additional kitchen equipment for the hall, to assist in catering for larger groups and to continue to comply with Environmental Health requirements.	06/06/2011	£1,147.11	£500.00
Total Awarded - Development Scheme	3 Awards	£3,579.96	£2,000.00
Senior Citizen Grants			
BRESSAY SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB AND OVER 60S CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 April 2011 - 31 March 2012.	09/06/2011	£2,500.00	£375.00
GULBERWICK SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 June 2011 - 31 May 2012.	09/06/2011	£550.00	£306.00
SCALLOWAY & DISTRICT 50+ CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 February 2011 - 31 January 2012.	03/06/2011	£3,352.00	£1,257.00
UNST SENIOR LEISURE CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 April 2011 - 31 March 2012.	22/06/2011	£2,340.00	£1,432.00
WHALSAY SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB This grant will assist the club with its annual running costs, 1 March 2011 - 29 February 2012.	09/06/2011	£862.50	£500.00
Total Awarded - Senior Citizen Grants	5 Awards	£9,604.50	£3,870.00

Shetland Arts Fund

<p>DANNY JAMES GARRICK This grant will assist with the costs of travel and accommodation for Danny to take part in Ethno Camp, Sweden, 29 June - 11 July 2011.</p>	02/06/2011	£428.00	£214.00
<p>ELLEN SMITH This grant will be used to assist with the costs of attending the Edinburgh Napier University Jazz summer school from 25th - 29th July 2011.</p>	05/06/2011	£302.80	£151.00
<p>HANNAH ADAMSON This grant will assist with costs of travel, accommodation and fees for Hannah, with parent, to attend a National Children's Orchestra of Scotland course at Merchiston Castle School in Edinburgh, 5 - 9 July 2011.</p>	14/06/2011	£779.24	£389.00
<p>HAYDEN M Z HOOK This grant will assist with the costs for Hayden (with parent) to attend the 2011 National Youth Orchestra of Scotland Jazz Summer School, July 2011, and NYOS Summer Course, August 2011.</p>	14/06/2011	£1,315.00	£657.00
<p>JACQUELINE CLARK This grant will assist with the costs of providing a programme of family activities with an arts development focus at the Tall Ships Race event in Lerwick, 21 - 24 July 2011.</p>	22/06/2011	£10,300.00	£1,000.00
<p>JAMES WATT This grant will assist with the costs of attending an international gathering of Scottish Highland Dance in Paris, November 2011.</p>	06/06/2011	£585.50	£292.00
<p>LIZA FULLERTON This grant will assist with the costs of travel and accommodation for Liza to take part in Ethno Camp, Sweden, 29 June - 11 July 2011.</p>	02/06/2011	£461.40	£230.00
<p>MERRAN ITA NUGENT This grant will assist with the costs of travel for Merran to take part in Ethno Music Camp, Sweden, 29 June - 11 July 2011.</p>	02/06/2011	£428.00	£214.00
<p>ROSS JAMIESON This grant will assist with the costs of travel and accommodation for Ross to take part in the Ethno Music Camp in Rattvik, Sweden, 29 June - 11 July 2011.</p>	02/06/2011	£428.00	£214.00
<p>SOPHIE WISHART This grant will assist with the costs of travel and fees for Sophie to attend National Children's Orchestra of Scotland Summer Course at Merchiston Castle School, Edinburgh, 5 - 9 July 2011.</p>	14/06/2011	£330.00	£160.00

VUNK FEST

This grant will assist with the costs of Vunk Fest, 8 - 10 July 2011, incorporating gigs at the Mid Brae Inn and Norscot Angling Club and an art display at the Shetland Museum.

15/06/2011 £5,660.00 £2,830.00

Total Awarded - Shetland Arts Fund

11 Awards £21,017.94 £6,351.00

Total Grants Awarded - June 2011

19 Awards £34,202.40 £12,221.00

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Senior Citizen Grants			
SANDSTING AND AITHSTING OVER 65S This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 April 2011 - 31 March 2012.	08/07/2011	£5,020.00	£1,317.00
TINGWALL AND GIRLSTA SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB This grant will be used by the club to assist with its annual running costs for the period 1 May 2011 to 30 April 2012.	21/07/2011	£550.00	£240.00
WHALSAY SENIOR LEISURE CLUB This grant will assist with the club's annual running costs, 1 April 2011 - 31 March 2012.	05/07/2011	£3,335.00	£1,498.00
Total Awarded - Senior Citizen Grants	3 Awards	£8,905.00	£3,055.00
Shetland Arts Fund			
AESTAEWAST This grant would be used for 15 members of the group to participate in an African drum village in Glenisla from 1st - 7th August 2011.	05/07/2011	£3,435.26	£1,500.00
LEWIS HALL This grant will assist with the costs for Lewis and parent to attend the Napier University Jazz Summer Course, 25 July 2011.	05/07/2011	£586.12	£293.00
MAX TYLER This grant will assist with the costs of attending Napier University's Jazz Summer School in Edinburgh.	05/07/2011	£409.00	£204.00
NORMAN WILLMORE To attend the Napier University Jazz Summer School, Edinburgh, 25 - 29 July 2011.	05/07/2011	£338.00	£169.00
PETER JOHNSON This grant will assist with the costs of course fees and travel costs to complete the Apple Final Cut Pro 101: Introduction to Final Cut Pro Course at the Edinburgh Skillset Screen and Media Academy, 1 - 3 August 2011.	07/07/2011	£787.00	£312.00

SARAH KEAY

This grant will assist with the costs of course fees and travel for Sarah and escort to take part in the National Children's Orchestra of Scotland Full Orchestra Residential Course and Summer Concert, 5 - 9 July 2011, in Perth.

05/07/2011	£871.80	£435.00
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SHETLAND JAZZ CLUB

This grant will assist with the costs of running four gigs with visiting artists, during the 2011/12 season.

05/07/2011	£6,500.00	£3,000.00
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Total Awarded - Shetland Arts Fund

7 Awards	£12,927.18	£5,913.00
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Total Grants Awarded - July 2011

10 Awards	£21,832.18	£8,968.00
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Shetland Arts Fund			
DAVID MARSH This grant will assist with the costs of attending a weekend AfroCuban drumming and percussion masterclass with Ravin Jayasuriya, Fife, 30 September - 2 October 2011.	02/08/2011	£630.00	£315.00
ELIZABETH GARRICK This grant will assist with the costs of attending a weekend Afro-Cuban drumming and percussion masterclass with tutor Ravin Jayasuriya of One Voice Music at Pirwindy Keep, By Leven, Fife, between 30 September and 2 October 2011.	15/08/2011	£200.00	£100.00
NORTH STAR PROJECT This grant will assist with the costs of holding a photographic exhibition at the Pier Store (Shetland Museum and Archives) from 13 August - 11 September 2011, and development of a website for community engagement and involvement with the project.	02/08/2011	£1,928.00	£964.00
SANDVEIEN NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE This grant will be used to assist with funding a series of ten music development workshops for young people aged 12 - 25 throughout Shetland, October 2011 - March 2012.	03/08/2011	£3,000.00	£1,500.00
SHETLAND BLUES FESTIVAL This grant will assist with the travel, marketing, lighting & sound costs of the Shetland Blues Festival, 9 - 11 September 2011.	18/08/2011	£15,130.00	£2,875.00
ZETZIMBIRA This grant will assist with the costs of bringing two tutors to Shetland, 12 - 19 September 2011, to teach mbira music, song and dance in workshops for people of all ages.	15/08/2011	£3,000.00	£1,500.00
Total Awarded - Shetland Arts Fund	6 Awards	£23,888.00	£7,254.00

Support**1ST/2ND LERWICK SEA SCOUT GROUP**

This grant will be used to assist with the group's annual running costs during the period of 1 April 2011 to 31 March 2012.

17/08/2011 £9,530.00 £4,261.00

Total Awarded - Support

1 Award £9,530.00 £4,261.00

Support to Youth Centres**BRAE YOUTH CENTRE**

This grant will assist with the Centre and Youth Clubs' annual running costs, 1 April 2011 - 31 March 2012.

19/08/2011 £13,157.50 £9,868.00

Total Awarded - Support to Youth Centres

1 Award £13,157.50 £9,868.00

Total Awarded - August 2011

8 Awards £46,575.50 £21,383.00