Tickenham Village Hall

Community Grant Programme



Tickenham Village Hall was established in 1952. The hall offers a range of facilities and is a popular choice for local gatherings and activities.

Organisation: Tickenham Village Hall Management Committee

Project: Garden room extension

Beneficiaries:

Approximately 5-6 different user groups per week from meetings to a community café and art activities.

Location: Tickenham

Region: South West

Impact: The Hinkley Connection project involved a new high-voltage electricity connection between Bridgwater and Seabank near Avonmouth, bringing low carbon, homegrown energy to six million homes and business across the UK.

£20,000

Awarded to support a 'garden room' extension to the village hall.

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Community Helpline 0800 279 3408 In March 2023, the Tickenham Village Hall Management Committee was awarded a grant of £20,000 to support the construction of a garden room to the village hall.

The addition of a garden room provided the community of 1,000 largely elderly residents a very useful additional amenity and activity space.

The project was managed by a local villager and built entirely utilising local skills and suppliers and ensures that Tickenham Village Hall can continue to serve the village, with a facility that is fit for purpose well into the future, supporting the provision of activities and organised services which are vital to mental and physical well-being as well as community spirit. Commenting on the funding, parish councillor Ann Loader, said,

'With the completion of the new extension, there is a level of excitement building as to the future usage of the space. Our Friday Library, Coffee and Chat and Warm space initiative will be able to provide more space for villagers to come and browse, stay and chat, and find a warm hub to rest amongst friends.'

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