

## **Coldingham Society / Bookshop small grants scheme**

The Coldingham Society is a registered charity and was established with the following charitable aims:

- a) *To advance the education of the public in the history and culture of the area of Coldingham*
- b) *To advance citizenship and community development by promoting civic responsibility, volunteering and the voluntary sector among Coldingham groups and clubs which support the skills and well-being of their members and the wider community.*

Mainly through the successful work of the volunteers who operate the Coldingham Bookshop, the Society are in a position to award small cash grants to local groups and organisations whose activity contributes to the charitable aims as set out above.

Applications from local groups are invited and will be considered at meetings of the Coldingham Society to be held in January, May, September and November each year.

Grants will normally be up to a maximum of £500.

Applicants are not required to be fully constituted bodies although they should set out in some detail the aims and structure of their group.

Please note that it is unlikely that projects will be funded on an ongoing basis beyond the initial first grant.

A Word version of the application form can be obtained by emailing:

[gilli.simmons59@gmail.com](mailto:gilli.simmons59@gmail.com) or [eastoncolin360@gmail.com](mailto:eastoncolin360@gmail.com)

*Completed application forms should be returned to:*

*The Treasurer, Coldingham Society c/o Applin House, Burnhall, Coldingham*

*Or by email to: [gilli.simmons59@gmail.com](mailto:gilli.simmons59@gmail.com) or [eastoncolin360@gmail.com](mailto:eastoncolin360@gmail.com)*

**Deadlines for 2024 applications:**

- **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2024 (for Coldingham Society meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> September)**
- **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024 (for Coldingham Society meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> November)**