Restoration and Reopening of The Old Infants School (Scout Hall) on Weston High Street as a Community Centre and Venue/Café

Organisation:

Our Club House (CIC) with approval of All Saints Weston (owner of building)

Funding Requested:

£100,000 from the Bath Neighbourhood Portion of CIL

(Total project cost: £470,500)

Project Description:

Restoration and Reopening of The Old Infants School (Scout Hall) on Weston High Street as a Community Centre and Venue/Cafe. The building has deteriorated due to damp and neglect.

Restoration will include:

Damp proofing and structural repairs

Full internal refurbishment (toilets, kitchen, electrics, heating)

Insulation and decoration

The new centre will host inclusive, community-led activities for all ages and needs, including:

Children, young families, SEND groups, retirees

Arts, crafts, music, literature, games, homeworking

Social support and wellbeing initiatives

Key Outcomes:

Preservation of a historic community asset

Increased community cohesion and reduced isolation

Support for mental health and wellbeing

Accessible, inclusive space for shared activities

Strengthened local infrastructure in response to development pressures