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*A bi-monthly newsletter providing the latest information from the*

Big Local is an exciting opportunity for residents in 150 areas around England to use at least £1m each to make a massive and lasting positive difference to their communities.

The CCC is focused on improving our area by means of investing in groups and projects that support:

**Sports and Leisure    Arts and Heritage    The Environment    Crime Prevention/Reduction  
 Community Cohesion    Employment/Skills    Preventing/Reducing Poverty    Health**

If you belong to an organisation or group that benefits any of the above areas, you may be entitled to apply for a grant. If so, please contact us.

**Organisations that have recently benefited from applying to the CCC for grants include:**

Sutton on Sea Horticultural Society - a marquee, tables and chairs and a storage facility

New Maltby Players - venue hire, equipment and costumes

Bells and Whistles Exercise Group (Trusthorpe) - storage facility for equipment

Mablethorpe Christian Fellowship - ongoing funding for the community bus for hospital visitors

BriJen Linedancing - audio equipment

Mablethorpe In Bloom - mower and strimmers



**Community Payback**

The CCC have been working with the Community Payback team on a project to tidy up St. Mary's Conservation Park. The young men have done a fantastic job of cutting back and clearing old vegetation, litter picking and grass trimming.

Photographs of the progress can be viewed on our Facebook page [biglocalccc](http://biglocalccc) or our website

**Sinfonia Viva**

The CCC sponsored a concert by Sinfonia Viva in July, which proved to be a great success. School children from our area attended performances of Flutter & Fly throughout the day and in the evening the adult audience were treated to instantly recognisable popular classical tunes from Beethoven, Bizet, Strauss and Gershwin with a Can Can finale.

**Christmas Extravaganza**

Plans are well underway for the CCC's Christmas Extravaganza on Saturday 9th December, in Mablethorpe (with a similar event planned for Sutton on Sea in 2018). If you are a local group/singer/busker/street entertainer and would like to be part of our entertainment team on the day, please email [rubyisace@aol.com](mailto:rubyisace@aol.com), for further details.

If you would like to talk to us about how we can work together to help improve our area, you are welcome to come along to one of our regular sessions:

Monday and Tuesday: Mablethorpe Community Hall, Stanley Avenue, 10am - 12noon

Friday: Meridale Centre, High St, Sutton on Sea, 10am - 12noon

You can also email [chairman@coastalcommunitychallenge.co.uk](mailto:chairman@coastalcommunitychallenge.co.uk) or telephone on 01507 622162

Further details of the work that we've supported and commissioned can be found at [www.coastalcommunitychallenge.co.uk](http://www.coastalcommunitychallenge.co.uk) or [www.facebook.com/biglocalccc](http://www.facebook.com/biglocalccc)