



WARD MEMBER DECISION
NUMBER

WB/20-21/081

Decision taken by:

**Ward Member for Cheriton–
Councillor Peter Gane**

Subject:

**Folkestone and Hythe Sea and Royal Marine
Cadets**

Executive/non-executive decision: Non-executive

Date decision taken:

4 January 2021

Name and address of applicant(s):

Ricky McNeice
Folkestone and Hythe Sea and Royal Marine Cadets
Ross Mews, Folkestone,
CT20 3UJ

Name and description of project:

New lighting system - Cost saving exercise to aid our Charities longevity by replacing old lights with a new efficient LED lighting system throughout the building

DECISION:

To provide funding of £600 to the above project.

Reason for decision:

At our unit, we have 53 cadets (aged 9-18) with 21 adult volunteers, who (during normal operations) attend the unit twice a week, and then at weekends we take the cadets away on training weekends. This is hugely beneficial for those young cadets in helping them grow as individuals. Historically, we have had a number of cadets continue their careers by joining the Royal Navy, all citing the benefits that Sea and Royal Marine Cadets bring to making their naval careers a reality. As a Charity, we also make sure we are prominent in all Folkestone events including Armed Forces Day, Hythe Venetian Fete, and Remembrance Events, to name but a few.

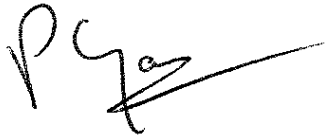
Declarations or disclosable pecuniary interest/any other significant interest:

None

The decision set out above was made by me.

Signed:

4 January 2021

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**Councillor Peter Gane
Ward – Cheriton**