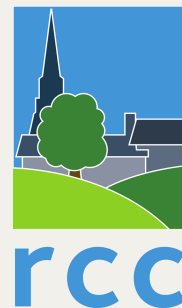


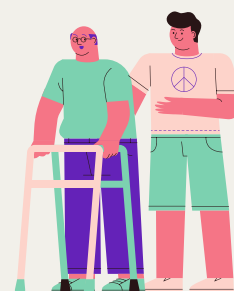
## SUMMARY REPORT SEPTEMBER 2021



**63** community facilities and groups awarded grants across Hinckley and Bosworth as they reopened safely following Covid-19

*"We were thrilled to receive a grant which we used to pay for cleaning equipment and signage to reopen our building following the pandemic. Since then we have been running a successful 'welcome back' coffee morning attended by some of our most vulnerable residents. This grant has been instrumental in helping these people to feel Covid safe, and confident enough to come back into the community"*

Kelly Joel, St Ediths Church, Orton on the Hill



## TYPES OF VCS SECTOR ACTIVITY SUPPORTED

Physical Activity  
Group or Sports Club

49%

Village Halls,  
Community  
Centres & Libraries

32%

Churches and  
Religious Centres

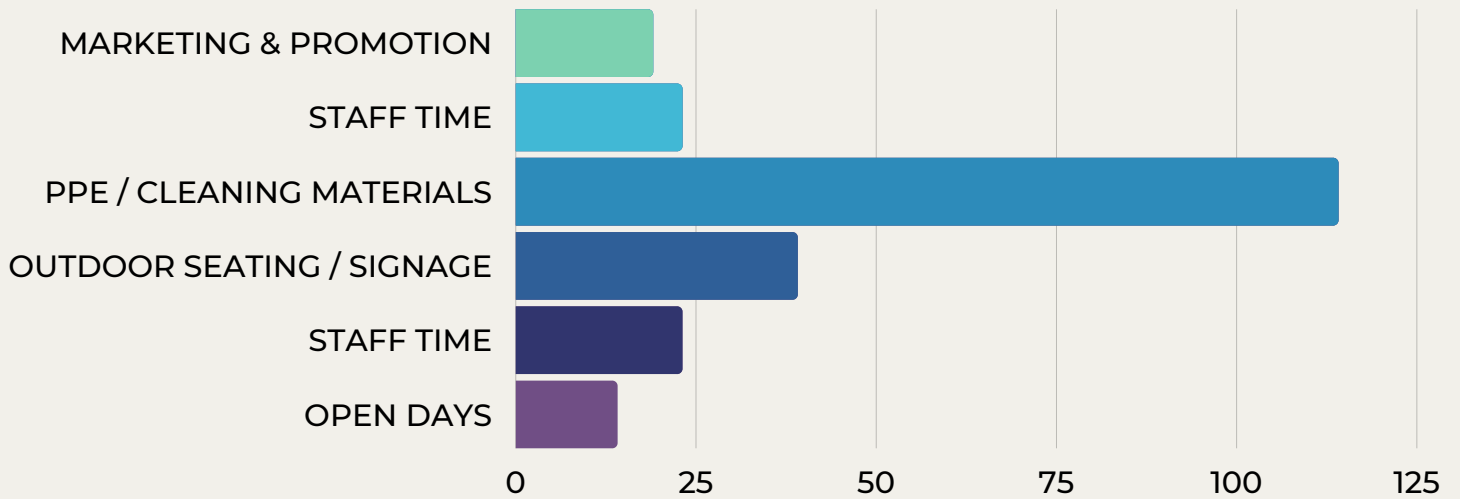
19%



*"We used the grant to buy essential cleaning materials to enable our only community space in Cadeby, other than the church, to re-open immediately following Covid. Our hall is back open and is once again being well used by residents."*

Ian Smith, Cadeby Community Development Trust

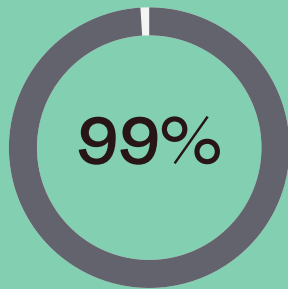
# HOW THE GRANT WAS USED BY FACILITIES AND GROUPS FOLLOWING COVID-19



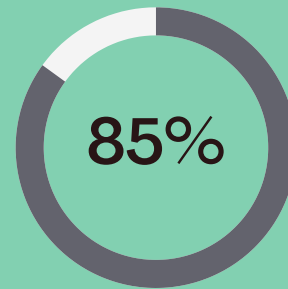
*"We applied for the restart grant to help us to reopen our hall so the community had confidence in using it following the pandemic. Some of the grant paid for cleaning and disposable items such as mugs but also paid for a small gazebo to extend our useable community space to residents."*

Judith Warner, Sutton Cheney Village Hall Committee

Percentage of groups that have incurred additional costs due to Covid



Percentage of groups wanting to be added to VCS mailing list



*"Your support is very much appreciated and will help us provide a safe and secure environment for our club members to enjoy their return to cricket"*

Peter Tillin, Barwell Cricket Club

