



# Kiwanis<sup>®</sup>

## CLUB OF BANNER ELK

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### **Woolly Worm Grant Application Information**

The Woolly Worm Grants are funded through Kiwanis fundraising events for the purpose of helping to fund special projects in local youth organizations and enhancing learning opportunities for Avery County School students.

#### **How to apply:**

1. Complete the grant application form.
2. The grant must be postmarked by October 25, 2025, to be considered.
3. Attach a description or printed summary describing your project, including the measurable objectives and how you will evaluate success.
4. Please show your budget for the project identifying the total fund source needs with detailed project expenses. If Kiwanis cannot fully fund your request, is it possible that matching funds will be provided to complete the funding for the project?

#### **How grant applications are awarded:**

Each application is based on its own merits and how the grant will impact the quality of education and experiences for the youth of Avery County. Woolly Worm grants will be awarded in two cycles, the first cycle in mid-December 2025, and the second cycle in late January of 2026.

Criteria that will be taken into consideration when awarding the grants are as follows:

1. The details of the written grant application description and goals for the project.
2. The number of students or children the grant will impact
3. The life or longevity of the product purchased with grant funding.

**Woolly Worm Grants are possible through the help of volunteers. Please consider volunteering for the festival to help make the fundraising efforts a success for all children.**