

Grants List 11th September 2020:

We have created this list of possible funding that might be suitable for some of our wonderful Cornish foodbanks, grass root initiatives and Faith based social action projects. The list has a very comprehensive section on hardship funds for Individuals which may be of relevance to your communities and people that you serve.

We are updating this list weekly as the funding environment continues to change at pace. Many of the grants related to Covid-19 are very quickly changing at the moment, so we would recommend that if you see a relevant emergency or individual grant open, apply quickly.

We have also started to add in a number of other Christian and mainstream funders who might support your project in the longer term.

Please contact funders directly with queries on their grant programmes but do please get in touch with Transformation Cornwall if we can help to support you in any way: Info info@transformation-cornwall.org.uk

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Covid-19 Emergency Funding

Allchurches Trust: Hope Beyond.

<https://www.allchurches.co.uk/what-we-fund/hopebeyond/>

Allchurches Trust Hope Beyond grants programme aims to enable churches and Christian charities to apply for up to £50,000 to meet changing needs within their communities, helping them and the communities they support to adapt to the challenges and opportunities presented by the Coronavirus pandemic.

Through our Hope Beyond grants, we aim to fund innovative, impactful projects that will enable people, organisations and communities to flourish in life after lockdown, building resilience and encouraging hope within these 3 key areas:

- Projects responding to the issues of loneliness and isolation exacerbated by the Coronavirus pandemic where new and/or enhanced support is being proposed. This could include enabling improved accessibility to buildings/activities and measures to ensure buildings are Covid-19 safe
- Projects focused on growing community resilience and promoting mental and emotional health and wellbeing, including the provision of mental health and wellbeing support groups and 1:1 counselling for people of all ages (including clergy).

- Projects focused on growing technological capability and resilience, particularly increasing digital capacity and provision, and supporting those without online access to get online through training and support.

The Alpkit Foundation:

<https://alpkit.com/blogs/foundation/adapting-to-the-coronavirus-crisis>

The Alpkit Foundation are now prioritising their funds to support projects that demonstrate an immediate impact on those effected by the Covid-19 virus crisis.

Over £200,000 has been awarded to more than 600 incredible projects so far, with a number of community food schemes supported. **Simple to apply process.

As a community, we believe we are a resourceful and adventurous bunch and we welcome any applications from individuals or organisations serving those affected by coronavirus, across the country.

Examples include:

- Being active in your local community to help elderly or vulnerable people
- Minimising the impact of self-isolation for those in quarantine and need access to food, medicines or social care
- Supporting foodbanks and increasing the number of meals on wheels deliveries to support the elderly
- Supporting those who are homeless or in temporary accommodation
- Bringing adventure indoors and overcoming the obstacles that prevent us benefiting from going outdoors.

Asda Foundation Supporting Communities During Covid-19 Grants:

<https://www.asdafoundation.org/>

All Asda Foundation grants are managed through the individual store Community Champion. Please use the store locator tool on the website to get in touch with your store Community Champion. Asda stores are in Bodmin, St. Austell, Falmouth, Hayle and Newquay.

In their continuing response to Covid-19, Asda Foundation have opened 2 new grant streams:

1) Getting Schools Back on Track: As schools are now back, Asda Foundation is committed to supporting children getting back into the classroom and parents back at work with their Getting Schools Back on Track grant. We know that for many families whilst returning to school is a huge positive it will potentially create extra costs at a time when are struggling to afford the basics, never mind any extra's. Asda Foundation is committed to supporting those families who need our help. This guide is to assist and support you through the application process. The Community Champion in your local store is also able to support you in completing your application

2) Asda Foundation's Christmas Giving: Asda Foundation will award six groups per store £300 each as part of our Christmas activity to celebrate and thank them for their commitment to their community throughout 2020.

Customers are invited, throughout September, to nominate a charity close to their heart which has gone above and beyond in making sure nobody has been on their own throughout the pandemic. This activity will replace the regular Asda Green Token Giving.

**NB. Any foodbank organisation can apply for the donations of produce / bread etc that the store gives away at the end of each day.*

Aviva Community Fund:

<https://www.aviva.co.uk/services/more-from-aviva/aviva-community-fund/>

Working with Crowdfunder, the Aviva Community Fund for core funding has re-opened for projects that enable causes to adapt or continue their vital services by covering core running costs up to £50,000. For this round of funding we have broadened the eligibility criteria to include: covering the core running costs of causes looking to adapt or continue their vital services throughout the COVID-19 outbreak in order to help their beneficiaries and communities during this time of need. We want to support forward-thinking causes that are helping push communities forward, so your submitted project must:

- fall within one of our two key funding areas:
 - Financial capability and inclusion: giving people the tools to become more financially independent
 - Community resilience: tackling inequality and improving environments to build more connected, more resilient communities

- be raising funds to develop a new approach, product or technology, pilot a new scheme, implement a new initiative, or expand existing services to a new area or beneficiary group within the UK
- if submitted in connection with a religious organisation, have an outcome that is accessible to persons of any religious beliefs.

****Closes 13th Oct.**

Burg-Wächter Secure Communities Scheme

<https://www.burg.biz/uk/community/>

Burg-Wächter Secure Communities Scheme offers free security kits, up to a value of £150, for community properties, equipment or outdoor areas that need extra security at this time and have limited funds to meet these needs. The scheme prioritises grassroots organisations who have the most difficulty in meeting extra security costs due to the current situation. Any property, equipment or area that is the responsibility of the local community is relevant, including allotments, sports clubs, village halls, common land or community centres. That means any charity, social enterprise, not for profit and community venture can apply so long as the security kits will be used locally.

Catalyst and The National Lottery Community Fund COVID-19 Digital Response

<https://www.thecatalyst.org.uk/covid-digital-fund>

Emergency funding between £5,000- £60, 000 available to nonprofits in England that are committed to proactively sharing learnings with other organisations in their networks.

This fund is aimed at organisations whose work has been affected by COVID-19 and who need emergency funding to continue to deliver essential services. It will support them to develop the digital, data and design capabilities that allow them to address urgent issues and serve the most vulnerable.

This funding is a combination of direct grants and payment for support from digital agencies.

Deadline: 20th September 2020, 5pm (Development Programme)

Childs Charitable Trust:

<https://childscharitabletrust.org/>

The Childs Charitable Trust is a grant-making trust, supporting Christian UK registered charities and organisations working both in the UK and overseas. In view of the present Coronavirus pandemic the trustees have put together an Emergency Funding Application. Please see details on the Emergency Funding Tab.

Cornwall Community Foundation (CCF) Emergency Fund:

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/introduction-to-grants/>

CCF Emergency Fund offers grants to organisations in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly working with people who are affected by the COVID-19 outbreak. The Emergency Fund welcomes applications from community projects, including newly formed local volunteer groups. Grants range from £500 - £5,000

This fund does not have set deadline and panel dates; CCF aim to turn applications around within a few days as a matter of priority. CCF may consider groups wanting to apply more than once for subsequent grant requests - please contact CCF before applying for repeat funding.

CCF recently stated:

'The Emergency Fund remains open to frontline organisations and the appeal will continue for as long as the need persists, which is envisaged to be for many months and years to come. Our philosophy for the future is to build back better and the versatility of the funds available will enable us to achieve this.'

In addition to the Emergency Fund, CCF have started to reopen some of their other funds too. Please see the CCF website or the section below in the 'Other Grant Funders' section.

Cornwall Council Community Chest Crisis Scheme

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/community-and-living/grants-advice-service/cornwall-councillor-community-grant/>

This scheme is primarily intended to help the small, un-constituted groups who are supporting local communities through the coronavirus crisis. It is also intended to help groups whose funding is impacted by the coronavirus crisis.

Cornwall Council Community Chest Crisis Scheme gives grants of up to £1,000 to smaller un-constituted groups who are supporting local communities through the coronavirus crisis.

The programme operates across all of Cornwall's 19 Community Network areas, and groups can apply for grants from individual Cornwall councillors.

To apply, simply email your Community Link Officer (CLO) with brief details of your group and the work you're doing. In the email also copy in communitynetworks@cornwall.gov.uk. The CLO will then contact the relevant Cornwall Councillors to see if they are willing to support your project in principle. Details of the 19 CLOs are on the Community Network Map that can be accessed through the above weblink.

Coastline Housing is match funding the scheme in the three, main community network areas in which it operates:

1. Camborne, Pool, Illogan and Redruth;
2. Helston and South Kerrier;
3. and parts of Falmouth and Penryn.

This means that community groups in those areas bidding successfully for Community Chest funding would see their cash injection go up by half through Coastline Housing's contribution.

LGBT+ Futures: National Emergencies Trust Fund

<https://www.consortium.lgbt/NETFund/>

Consortium, a nationalist specialist infrastructure organisation that works to strengthen and support the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans+ (LGBT+) community, has launched a new grant programme offering grants up to £15,000. LGBT+ groups across the UK impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic may apply.

Grants will be awarded on a "First come, first served" basis until the £350,000 budget has been fully allocated, so early application is strongly advised for this programme.

Local Giving Magic Little Grants 2020 programme.

<https://grants.localgiving.org/pct>

Together with Postcode Community Trust, a grant giving charity funded by players of People's Postcode Lottery, Localgiving is delighted to offer charitable organisations the opportunity to apply for grants of £500.

The fund will be awarding over 900 grants to community projects across Great Britain. The aim of the fund is to engage with organisations that are supporting hard to reach individuals, encouraging them to take part in some form of physical activity to help improve their physical and mental health and wellbeing.

Applications will receive a decision on their application and, if successful, the funding within two months of submitting a complete application. Deadline for applications 31st October 2020.

More than a Pub: The Community Pub Business Support Programme

<https://plunkett.co.uk/more-than-a-pub/>

Want to take ownership of your local pub and run it for the benefit of the community? Need help getting it into community hands?

The More than a Pub programme provides business development support to enable the community control of pubs in both rural and urban communities across England.

During the covid-19 lockdown they offer combined finance packages of up to £100,000 are available (£50,000 loan and £50,000 grant) to help community groups secure control of their local pub. The loan is not optional and, as well as completing the MTAP paperwork, we will ask you to apply to either Co-operative and Community Finance or Key Fund (please wait for confirmation from us as to who you should apply to). Please note, there are a very limited number of loan and grant packages available, so this will be a highly competitive process.

Email info@plunkett.co.uk to request an application form.

Music for All, Community Project Grants.

<http://musicforall.org.uk/apply-for-funding/>

Grants up to £2,500 for UK community groups to bring musical projects to local communities.

Music for All Community Grants are normally given for the purchase of instruments, associated equipment or for teaching costs. However, all applications are judged on their merit and other project elements may also be considered.

The main aspects that the trustees look for in an application are:

- o The number of new musicians the project will create and support.
- o The sustainability of the project (to ensure that people are able to continue their musical journeys), and
- o Whether there are any other organisations supporting the project that can help with funding, or if funding applications have been made to other charities. (Music for All likes to help as many applicants as it can, so often works with other organisations to enable projects to gain the full support required.)

*Deadline: 1st November for funding in January 2021

National Lottery Community Fund: Emergency Funding (up to £10k)

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-covid-19-fund-up-to-10-000>

National Lottery Community Fund will provide six months' emergency funding, for small and medium organisations between £300 and £100K to support projects and organisations playing a vital role in helping their communities during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Priority is for organisations supporting people and communities who experience disproportionate challenge and difficulty as a result of the Covid-19 crisis.

This category includes:

- organisations supporting older people;
 - disabled people (including people with long-term health conditions);
 - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer + (LGBTQ+) communities
- and
- Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities; all of whom are facing specific challenges during the current crisis.
 - It also includes organisations who provide advice and support to those pushed in crisis as a result of the pandemic and those organisations supporting people and their families with end-of-life care.

National Lottery COVID-19 response funding (over £10k)

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-covid-19-fund-over-10-000>

National Lottery Community Fund may cover six months of expenditure between £10,001 and £100,000. We want to support projects and organisations playing a vital role in helping their communities during the COVID-19 pandemic with a focus on organisations supporting people and communities who experience disproportionate challenge and difficulty as a result of the COVID-19 crisis.

This category includes, for instance, organisations supporting older people; disabled people (including people with long-term health conditions); lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer + (LGBTQ+) communities and Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities; all of whom are facing specific challenges during the current crisis. It also includes organisations who provide advice and support to those pushed in crisis as a result of the pandemic and those organisations supporting people and their families with end-of-life care.

The Phoenix Fund.

<https://globalfundforchildren.org/the-phoenix-fund/>

The Phoenix Fund aims to put racial justice at the heart of COVID-19 pandemic response. The initiative is a partnership between Global Fund for Children and The National Lottery Community Fund and aims to support the network of Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic charities and groups in England that are working in the heart of their communities, providing essential and emergency services, support, and education tailored to the BAME community.

The aims are to:

- Offer core funding to BAME grassroots groups across England working with BAME communities
- Raise awareness of the unique challenges facing BAME communities across England
- Establish an effective, innovative partnership to improve and promote community-based organisations within English philanthropy

This is a flexible, core funding grant programme in which grants can be used in whatever way is needed, including staff costs, running costs, activities, equipment, and other resources needed to support organisations during the COVID-19 pandemic. Applications will be accepted from organisations that:

- o Are registered, unregistered, incorporated, unincorporated, and/or are not constituted.
- o Work with participants and communities of any age.
- o Are led by representatives of Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic communities and work within BAME communities.
- o Have annual operating budgets up to £100,000 per year, and
- o Are located and work in England.

Application deadlines are:

- Wednesday 16 September, and
- Wednesday 30 September 2020.

Social Enterprise Support Fund:

<https://socialenterprisesupportfund.org.uk/>

This grants round opened on Thursday 10th September to support social enterprises in England whose trading income has been adversely impacted by COVID-19. The Fund is aimed at social enterprises supporting people at high health risk from COVID-19, and those supporting people facing increased social and economic challenges as a result of COVID-19. Applications are particularly welcomed from organisations that are led by people from BAME backgrounds, people with disabilities, from the LGBTQ+ community or by people with lived experience of their beneficiary group(s).

To be eligible for this funding, your social enterprise must meet the following criteria:

- Your social enterprise has been incorporated for at least a year
- Your social enterprise's annual income was between £20,000 and £1.8 million before COVID-19, and it was financially stable. It was substantially reliant on trading income to deliver social impact (e.g. sales and contracts).
- Your social enterprise supports people who are at high risk from COVID-19, or supports people most likely to face increased demand and challenges as a result of the COVID-19 crisis

Please see the website for full eligibility criteria, application guidance and FAQs..

Grants can be used for:

1. Activities supporting people and communities affected by COVID-19, and/or
2. Helping organisations overcome any acute financial difficulties they are facing as result of the crisis.

* DEADLINE: 1pm on Thursday 17th September

Tesco Bags of Help Tesco Bags of Help COVID-19 Communities Fund

<https://tescobagsofhelp.org.uk/grant-schemes/tesco-cv-fund/>

Tesco Bags of Help is responding to the current Coronavirus (COVID-19) crisis by setting up a new short-term fund to support local communities. Due to the need to respond quickly to the emergency we have created a streamlined application process and payment process to make it easier to get funds distributed quickly. If your application is successful the fund will provide a single payment award of £500 to organisations who are supporting vulnerable groups.

This very popular grant has already stopped in some areas of the country although at the time of writing this, it is still open to applications from Cornwall. You will need your Tesco store postcode in the application. The wonderful Richard Younger-Ross who presented at our March 12th 2020 Meet the Funders event in Bodmin is happy to be contacted on 07736 132694 if you need help with this application.

Typically, the fund will support organisations that have experienced;

- **Increased demand** – a holiday hunger club needs more resources to support children through the summer months or a food bank whose stocks are running low and needs an immediate donation to enable the food bank to restock.
- **Disrupted services** – a local charity setting up a delivery service to replace its monthly lunch club, or a charity needing to set up a telephone service to support beneficiaries.

New services – a health focused charity having to set up a new online patient service requires new IT equipment or a mental health charity developing a new service.

*APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday 18th September 2020.

True Colours Trust: Small Grants UK – Covid-19 support.

<https://www.truecolourstrust.org.uk/about-us/application-guidelines/#smallgrantscovid>

Grants of up to £5,000 to help smaller organisations to adapt and continue to deliver their vital services in light of Covid-19. Organisations and projects that work with disabled children, children with life limiting conditions and their families may apply for funding to adapt their services to the new situation and to continue or resume supporting families safely.

Proposals for the following areas of work will be considered, in no particular order:

- Activities for disabled children, children with life limiting conditions and their families
- Adaptations to services including PPE, digital service provision and physical changes to spaces to be Covid-19 compliant.
- Siblings' projects
- Bereavement Support
- Respite which supports the whole family
- Support for children/families who are shielding or unable to return to school
- Specialised play equipment / access to play and leisure

Trustees will prioritise applications from organisations:

- Which support a high proportion of children and families from BAME communities
- Which operate in areas of high deprivation or areas which are experiencing a second lockdown
- Whose annual income in 2019/20 was under £350,000

The deadline for applications is 5.00pm on the 21st September.

The Volant Trust: COVID-19 Response Fund

<https://www.volanttrust.org/how-to-apply-covid-19/>

The Volant Trust accepts applications from registered charities, community interest companies, community organisations and social enterprises in the UK and internationally that demonstrate a strong focus on alleviating social deprivation and helping vulnerable groups who have been particularly impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic. Funding is available for project and administrative costs although applications for medical equipment and the production or distribution of PPE will also be considered.

Individual awards for people in need:

ABTA LifeLine

<https://www.abtalifeline.org.uk/news-and-events/news/2020/7/15/covid19support>

ABTA LifeLine is ABTA's charity offering support to people who work, or have ever worked, for an ABTA Member. Spouses/partners, widows/widowers and children of employees are also eligible.

If you have been made redundant, furloughed or self-employed and are struggling to manage during the pandemic ABTA LifeLine will do what they can to help you and your family in your time of need.

Please note we are still accepting applications from those not directly affected by Covid-19 but may be struggling financially due to a change in circumstance, unexpected event, health or disability issue. etc. All applications will be assessed fairly but with priority given to those most adversely affected.

We can support you with:

1. Emergency food vouchers - for immediate relief, essential grocery shopping
2. Urgent financial advice on debt, budgeting and benefits - through our partner Citizens Advice Manchester (CAM)
3. In certain cases, help with priority bills such as rent, mortgage, utility and council tax
4. Mental health support - through our partner The Centre for Crisis Psychology (CCP) - please visit our [mental health page](#)
5. Redeployment support - if you wish to change career or bridge the gap until travel opens up again, we can help you redeploy into other hiring sectors such as retail, health and social care, funeral care and logistics through our partner People 1st International. Please visit our [redundancy/redeployment page](#).

The Ambulance Staff Trust.

<https://www.theasc.org.uk/services-we-offer/financial-wellbeing/>

The Ambulance Staff Trust offers financial wellbeing support services to any serving or retired ambulance staff and their close family members.

They will consider requests for financial wellbeing support and also offer a free, confidential Financial Wellbeing Clinic twice a week to provide free benefits checks and information on other forms of support you may be eligible for.

B & CE Charitable Trust Hardship Grants:

<https://bandce.co.uk/corporate-responsibility/the-charitable-trust/for-times-of-need/>

You could be eligible for help if you currently work in construction or if you've done so previously. In the past, the Trust has lightened the load for people in a number of ways.

If you'd like to find out more about applying for a hardship grant, get in touch – we'll be happy to help.

Email us at charitabletrust@bandce.co.uk or call us on 0300 2000 600. Our phone lines are now open 9-5 Monday-Friday but it may take a little longer than usual to get through – so please leave a voicemail message if needed and we'll get back to you. It may also take us up to 5 days to reply to emails at the moment. Please check our online content for an answer to your question before getting in touch.

*B&CE Charitable Trust also have a Construction Worker Helpline: Call us in confidence today on: 0808 801 0372 Freephone 8am-8pm, 7 days a week.

The BMA Charities Trust Fund

<https://bmacharities.org.uk/get-help/grants-available>

The BMA Charities Trust Fund are committed to helping other doctors and medical students who are in financial difficulty. BMA Charities are able to help doctors outside of the NHS, in particular refugee doctors. This means we can offer fully qualified refugee doctors financial assistance in order that they can practice medicine instead of taking a job where their talents are wasted, and encourage medical students to stay on their course instead of leaving. It provides:

- annual grants to medical students who are taking medicine as a second degree
- one-off grants to medical students who are in immediate and serious financial need
- one-off grants to unemployed doctors for essential items such as utility bills, travel and disability equipment
- one-off grants to working doctors in financial hardship for help with the GMC retention fee and professional indemnity insurance
- grants to refugee and asylum-seeking doctors to meet the costs of taking the PLAB exams and GMC registration
- money advice for any doctor who is having difficulty managing financially

The Book Trade Charity.

<http://www.btbs.org/>

The Book Trade Charity provide care and support to former, current and future book trade people in need with grants and housing.

The Cameron Fund

<https://www.cameronfund.org.uk/>

The Cameron Fund is a medical benevolent fund that solely supports general practitioners and their dependents. The Cameron Fund provide support to GPs and their families in times of financial need, whether through ill-health, disability, death or loss of employment. We help those who are already suffering from financial hardship and those who are facing it. Applications are welcome from, or on behalf of, present or former GPs, their families, and dependents.

The Care Workers Charity Crisis Grant:

<https://www.thecareworkerscharity.org.uk/information-and-tools/apply-for-a-grant/>

Grants to current and former retired care workers. Employed in the UK social care sector in a role that is involved in or supports the provision of adult, elderly or disability care, such as:

Residential social care
Domiciliary/home care
Supported living care
Day care
Private care

** Please note that nurses are not eligible for crisis grants from CWC.*

Criteria:

Currently Employed: At least 1 years' service

Previously Employed: At least 5 years' service in your lifetime

Grants may support:

- A sudden or unexpected loss of income
- A sudden or unexpected illness or injury
- A sudden or unexpected change in living circumstances or loss of home
- A relationship breakdown
- An issue of domestic abuse
- Death of a close relative

Please see the CWC website for a list of costs that are not supported through this funding.

The Care Workers Charity Covid-19 Emergency Fund.

<https://www.thecareworkerscharity.org.uk/covid-19-emergency-fund/>

The Care Workers' Charity COVID-19 Grant Fund aims to provide emergency funding for individuals who are currently employed in a role that is involved in or supports the provision of adult, elderly or disability care. These may include residential social care, domiciliary/home care, supported living care.

The Care Workers Charity is currently offering the following grants:

- ISOLATION AND SHIELDING GRANTS - If you have taken one, two or more weeks off work due to Covid-19 for either illness, self-isolation, or shielding. We are currently awarding between £250 (1 week of self-isolation), £500 (2 weeks of self-isolation), up to £2,000 (12 weeks of shielding).
- FUNERAL COST GRANT - If you are a care worker who is responsible for paying the funeral costs of a next of kin (partner, parent, sibling, child, or other on a case-by-case basis) OR if you are the next of kin for a care worker who has passed on from COVID--19, then we are awarding grants of up to £2000

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If you are currently signed off sick, shielding or self-isolating (for 2 weeks or more) due to Covid-19, please apply for the Covid-19 Emergency Fund Grant.

NEW! You can now apply for Child Care costs for up to £2000.

The Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth): Essential Grants Programme for Children and Families.

<https://www.ccsplymouth.org.uk/what-we-do/grant-giving/>

The Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth) (covering Devon, Cornwall and parts of Dorset) has funds available for essential grants to families living in the Diocese of Plymouth who are struggling as a result of Covid-19. The charity can provide essential items that parents and carers could otherwise not afford for their children such as basic essential items like cookers, fridge/freezers, washing machines or cots and beds for children to sleep in. The fund is open to families of all faiths and none.

The application process is straightforward please see the weblink for an application form, grant criteria and frequent questions list or you can call 01364 645420 to find out more

Cavell Nurses Trust:

<https://www.cavellnursestrust.org/help-and-advice/apply-for-a-grant/>

We help nurses, midwives and healthcare assistants, both working and retired when they're suffering personal or financial hardship.

The Clergy Support Trust

<https://clergysupporttrust.grantapps.net/emergency/>

Supports Anglican clergy and their families in times of need.

Cornwall Council Crisis and Care Awards

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/advice-and-benefits/benefits/crisis-and-care-awards/>

Cornwall Council detail two of their separate awards in the above link.

- Crisis Awards are for those in emergency or disaster situations to help them and their families with immediate needs.
- Care Awards help vulnerable people to live as independently as possible in their community.

The Drinks Trust: Shaken Not Broken Fund:

<https://www.drinkstrust.org.uk/snb-applications>

For seasonal Drinks industry workers on zero hours contracts or who have been made redundant or notice of redundancy. Priority to those struggling with significant financial hardship.

The Shaken Not Broken Fund is a grant scheme created by Campari UK in partnership with TipJar and The Drinks Trust. Its aim is to provide much-needed support to front-line workers in the hospitality industry during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Drinks Trust will continue to support people financially in the months ahead, however the emerging and likely long-term effects the current situation will have on the mental health and wellness of the community has led The Drinks Trust to launch significantly increased wellness services, that it hopes will begin to meet the needs of our colleagues struggling with challenges at this time. A number of services and a helpline.

The Emily Bolitho Trust:

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/grants/the-emily-bolitho-trust-2/>

The Emily Bolitho Trust is administered by Cornwall Community Foundation. To support the wellbeing of individuals, especially those faced with hardship through poor health or low income living within the old borough of Penzance including Gulval, Mousehole, Paul, Newlyn, Ludgvan, Marazion and Madron

Grants are awarded up to £500. Applications for individuals will be processed within 5 working days and we will aim to inform the sponsor agency within 10 working days of the outcome.

The Fashion and Textile Children's Trust:

<https://www.ftct.org.uk/support-for-families-affected-by-coronavirus>

Our grants can help parents and carers who have worked in the UK fashion or textile industry and whose household income has reduced as a result of the coronavirus outbreak.

If you're struggling to make ends meet, our grants can fund items for your children such as clothing, bedding and essential household items.

To apply for an FTCT grant, one parent/carer must have worked in the UK fashion and textile industry, for at least one year within the last nine years. It doesn't matter where you've worked in a fashion or textile business, from store, to head office and distribution.

Our grants typically help families who are already struggling financially (in arrears on your household bills or have debt) OR have limited savings to cover lost earnings.

You might want to apply if you or your partner's income has been affected in any of the following ways:

- Made redundant or were already redundant and now can't get a new job
- Have been furloughed (temporarily laid-off) and can't afford to fund the 20% or more reduction in income
- Have been put on reduced working hours
- Have been made to take unpaid leave to care for your children
- Have lost self-employed income and are not eligible to apply for the new Self-Employed Income Support Scheme (SEISS) and can't fund your lost income. OR can't fund your lost income until the SEISS scheme pays out
- Have to self-isolate and are not entitled to furlough/sick pay or your employer can't/won't pay it

There are many other ways families are being affected at this time, so if you are experiencing hardship in other ways, please read on.

What we fund

We encourage parents and carers to apply for items your children will need for the year ahead.

These might be items you were planning to buy, but now can't due to lost wages, including:

- Essential clothing, e.g. seasonal clothing and school uniform and PE kit to get you ahead for September
- Baby clothing, equipment or bedding
- Children's bedroom furniture, e.g. beds, bedding, clothes storage furniture (chest of drawers)
- Essential White Goods, e.g. replacing a broken appliance such as fridge/freezer, washing machine, cooker/oven.
- Specialist items for children with additional needs, e.g. sensory toys, adaptive clothing or SEN adapted computers

The Furniture Makers Charity:

<https://www.furnituremakers.org.uk/welfare/>

If you work or have worked in the UK furnishing industry, you may qualify to receive financial support and guidance to help you through a difficult time. To be eligible for financial assistance, you must normally have a minimum of two years' employment service in any capacity within the UK furnishing industry. However, During the COVID-19 crisis, we are accepting applications from people with shorter service periods. *This includes companies manufacturing/supplying furniture, kitchens or bathrooms; furniture stores such as DFS, Ikea, Argos; carpet sales or fitting; beds, curtains and upholstery.

As a guide, we often help with essential household bills, such as rent/mortgage, council tax, gas and electricity. Or with replacement items such as cooker, fridge or washing machine.

Grocery Aid Covid-19 Fund

<https://www.groceryaid.org.uk/get-help/covid-19-fund/>

Supporting all grocery colleagues in their time of need. This includes manufacturing, supermarkets, independents, wholesalers, distribution, sales, and all support functions.

Financial criteria apply and applicants must:

be currently working in the grocery industry and can evidence a minimum of one year's service or more or

be no longer working in the grocery industry, but previously worked in it for five years or more*

*The time worked doesn't have to be continuous and can be with multiple companies.

Grocery Aid also offer a separate Bereavement Financial Assistance grant and mental health support – see website for more details.

Help Musicians: Financial Hardship Grant.

<https://www.helpmusicians.org.uk/news/latest-news/advice-relating-to-coronavirus-covid-19>

Provide Financial Hardship Funding to musicians ineligible for government emergency safety nets or unable to survive on what they receive. Please see website for full criteria which includes:

- You are a professional working musician (by which we mean performer, composer/creator or directly involved in the production of music, or in work for which the main qualification is a high level of musical training)
- You are self-employed or currently unemployed.

The Insurance Charities:

<https://www.theinsurancecharities.org.uk/>

The Insurance Charities provides support for current and former insurance employees and their dependants in the UK and Ireland, experiencing difficult life events such as: Ill health, Disability, Tragedy, Depression, Financial problems and Redundancy. In 2019/2020 they gave out £1.7 million to help current and former employees and their families across the UK and Ireland.

In response to the Covid 19 crisis, the Chartered Insurance Institute's (CII) Education and Training Trust has launched a fund to provide access to training and professional development for those working in the UK and Ireland.

Applicants will be able to secure the full cost of their training and choose the course and provider. The course must

be relevant to the insurance/financial planning sector and is only available to those already working in these areas. This fund will solely be available to:

- those working in the insurance and financial planning sector in the UK and Ireland and;
- Who have been furloughed, are unemployed, have been made redundant, suffered business collapse, or those who are still working but concerned for the future.

Submit an application form on the website and they will contact you to see if you are eligible.

Kernow Carers Service Direct Carer Connections Fund.

<https://www.facebook.com/Kernowcarersservice/>

The Fund is designed to reduce social isolation and loneliness within the carer community of Cornwall and enable carers to connect digitally with others from home. This grant has to be accessed via a referral into Kernow Carers Service which needs to be made through the Family Information Service on 0800 587 8191 or fis@cornwall.gov.uk. Please note that we have funding to support only a limited number of carers, so it is likely that this grant will be exhausted relatively quickly. Successful applicants would each receive a virtual goody bag offering carer-relevant information, a Kindle Fire Tablet, and wellbeing item or voucher tailored to the individual and their interests to the sum of £40.

Licence Trade Charity:

<https://www.licensedtradecharity.org.uk/eligibility-criteria/>

The Licence Trade Charity can provide short term hardship grants and Practical advice & Emotional support to licensed trade people. For financial support you, or an immediate family member (living in the same household) needs to be either currently, or have in the past, worked in the licensed drinks trade for a total of 5 years continuously. This can be in one or more jobs. The Licence Trade Charity run a helpline 0808 801 0550 for more information.

Music For All – Individual Grant:

<http://musicforall.org.uk/apply-for-funding/>

Music for All offer 2 grants – one to community projects (please see entry in Non-Covid grants) and also this grant for individuals. The charity states: ‘Not everyone is fortunate enough to have access to musical instruments and lessons. Our Grant Application process allows us to help people fulfil their musical dreams. Young, old, regardless of personal or life challenges, we truly want music to be for all’.

Music For All individual grants offer a maximum individual grant of £500, typically awarded to applicants wanting to purchase instruments, associated equipment or for teaching costs. However, all applications are judged on their merit by our trustees – so if there’s another element of your music that you’d like us to fund, please tell us all about you, and we will happily consider the application.

Princes Trust: Development Awards.

<https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/help-for-young-people/get-funding-train-learn>

Offer financial support (typically £175-£250) to young people aged 16 to 30 who are studying less than 14 hours a week or not in compulsory education or are unemployed or working less than 16 hours a week.

Development Awards can support:

- Accredited course fees up to Level 3 (A-level equivalent)
- Tools, equipment or uniforms for a job or qualification
- Job licence fees
- Transport to a new job until your first pay slip
- Applications can be online or call them up to get help with the form: 0800 842 842

The Queens Nursing Institute:

<https://www.qni.org.uk/help-for-nurses/financial-help/>

The QNI will consider applications from registered nurses in financial need, who work or have worked in the community for a minimum of three years. ‘Community’ is defined as working outside hospital settings, for example:

- Queen’s Nurses

- District Nurses
- Practice Nurses
- Health Visitors
- Community Midwives
- Community Psychiatric Nurses
- Community Children's Nurses
- Other registered nurses who have worked with patients in the community.

If you would like to discuss matters first, please email Joanne Moorby at joanne.moorby@qni.org.uk or Justine Curtis at justine.curtis@qni.org.uk. or call Joanne on 0207 549 1405.

Railway Benefit Fund:

The Railway benefit fund helps railway families through tough times.

<https://www.railwaybenefitfund.org.uk/how-we-can-help/covid-19-support/>

Covid-19 has come into our lives and turned it upside down - everybody has been affected in some way.

If you are struggling with the financial impact then we can help.

- Grants to help you pay the bills
- Funds for families
- Access to the help you need
- Friendly and confidential advice

Please get in touch now so we can give you the help you need.

Email: covidsupport@railwaybenefitfund.org.uk

Call: 0345 241 2885 (telephone office hours are 10am-3pm from Monday to Friday)

The Rainy Day Trust

<https://www.rainydaytrust.org.uk/get-help/apply-for-help/>

The Rainy Day Trust supports past and present employees of the home improvement industry who are struggling financially. Builders Merchants, Cookshops, DIY shops and outlets, hardware stores, garden centres are all eligible.

As well as retailers, people who have worked for manufacturers and distributors and worked in the pottery and glass industry are also eligible. Either you or your partner can have worked in the industry, and you or they should have worked in any part of that industry for 1 year. This must be for one company. Don't forget we target our help at those on lower incomes, generally less than £20,000 per year

The Retail Trust

<https://www.myrtwellbeing.org.uk/financial-support/grants-to-support-those-affected-by-covid-19>

Offers grants to grants support those affected by COVID-19 and are available to those working in the retail or supporting service industries including:

- Logistics
- Manufacturing
- Warehousing
- Wholesale
- Supply chain
- Food distribution
- Pharmaceuticals
- Medical supplies.

Grants are available for a long list of situations, see the website for more details.

Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution

<https://rabi.org.uk/need-help/>

R.A.B.I. offers financial support, practical care and guidance to farming people of all ages, including farmers, farmworkers and dependants.

Coronavirus update: R.A.B. I's Helpline remains open and staff will continue to provide support to people from the farming sector in need, despite the challenges posed by Coronavirus. It's clear from speaking to callers that most people would prefer to access support over the phone for now. Call us on the Freephone Helpline: 0808 281 9490 or email help@rabi.org.uk

Royal Medical Benevolent Fund:

<https://rmbf.org/get-help/>

Open to doctors, medical students and their families, who are facing financial hardship.

The Seafarers Hospital Society

<https://seahospital.org.uk/>

The Seafarers Hospital Society (formerly known as the Seamen's Hospital Society) is a long-established maritime charity dedicated to meeting the health, welfare and advice needs of seafarers.

We provide health and welfare grants to seafarers and their dependants, and to the maritime organisations that care for them. We also support a number of other services provided exclusively for seafarers.

You can apply for a grant:

If you are a working or former merchant seafarer or fisherman

If you are no longer at sea you need to have had at least 7 years sea service, or service which was cut short because of accident or illness

If you are a close dependant of a working or former merchant seafarer or fisherman, such as a wife, husband, widow or widower, or child under 18

How to apply

You or the people supporting you should contact the Society for help. If you already have a caseworker, we will work with him or her. If you don't have a caseworker, we will arrange for one to contact you and organise a visit. We work through caseworkers from other organisations such as the Shipwrecked Mariners' Society, the Fishermen's Mission, the Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association (SSAFA) and Nautilus.

Please see the website or telephone The Seafarers Hospital Society to find out more on 020 8858 3696.

Sure Start Maternity Grant

<https://www.gov.uk/sure-start-maternity-grant>

A one-off payment of £500 to help towards the costs of having a child.

You usually qualify for the grant if both of the following apply:

- you're expecting your first child, or you're expecting a multiple birth (such as twins) and have children already
- you or your partner already get certain benefits.

You must claim the grant within 11 weeks of the baby's due date or within 6 months after the baby's birth.

You do not have to pay the grant back and it will not affect your other benefits or tax credits.

See the link for more details.

The Talismans Charity

<http://www.talismancharity.org/>

We assist individuals in the UK of small means who the trustees consider to be deserving and may be described as "going short". Applications should be made on behalf of individuals by a local authority, another charitable organisation or a non-profit organisation such as the Citizens' Advice Bureau.

The Teaching Staff Trust:

www.teachingstafftrust.org.uk

Support for teachers, teaching assistants, nursery workers, caretakers and lunch supervisors who have worked within the education sector for at least five years. Grant can be used to help with bills, household costs, travel or other essentials.

The Teaching Staff Trust have a note on their website: 'If you are facing financial difficulties you can download and complete our application form from this website or you can complete a contact form and we will forward one to you

as soon as we can. We won't be answering the phone but you can leave a message which we'll pick up and try to respond to you. You can email us at enquiries@teachingstafftrust.org.uk and we'll reply as quickly as we can'.

The Thomas Wall Trust

<https://www.thomaswalltrust.org.uk/grants-for-individuals/>

The charity offers grants up to £1,500 to study on accredited vocational training courses up to qualification level 3 and towards other costs associated with studying, including: child care, travel and mobility costs, and accessible study materials.

To be able to apply for help from the Thomas Wall Trust, you must:

- be undertaking accredited vocational training up to level 3
- Be experiencing financial and other challenges, such as having a disability, mental health issues, carer responsibilities or being a care leaver
- Have been unemployed for at least six months within the last two years
- Have the right to work and study in the UK
- Have lived in the UK for at least 3 years
- Be from a low-income household.

Turn to Us Elizabeth Finn Fund:

<https://www.turn2us.org.uk/Get-Support/Turn2us-Funds/Turn2us-Elizabeth-Finn-Fund>

Award grants to people who hold or have formerly held occupations requiring a certain level of responsibility and education, or whose partners have done so. We can award grants to people from over 120 different professions whose work history includes employment in a role which requires a degree; NVQ level 4 or above; or equivalent. We also assist people who have had their own business or worked in the arts and can clearly evidence they have earned a living from this work.

UNISON: There for You Grants

<https://www.unison.org.uk/get-help/services-support/there-for-you/financial-assistance/>

Grants up to £250 for UNISON members. Please note: The UNISON COVID-19 response fund is currently suspended but if you are in financial difficulty as a result of the crisis, the UNISON 'There for You' grants are still available. To be eligible to apply for financial assistance, you must have been a member of UNISON for at least four weeks and up-to-date with your subscriptions. Also, that the financial difficulties that led you to apply occurred after you joined. Partners or dependants can also apply.

Women's Resilience Fund:

<https://www.smallwoodtrust.org.uk/flexible-response-fund>

The Women's Resilience Funds provides grants and support for women on low incomes who have specific needs and are struggling to make ends meet or trying to overcome financial problems.

During these unprecedented times, we understand that many women are facing extremely challenging situations. If you are worried about your income, employment or wellbeing, check your eligibility and see if you can be helped through the grants to individuals programme.

The Smallwood Trust understand that a small amount of money and support can make a big difference in helping your financial stability, ability to cope with adversity and to maintain your independence. That's why they can provide a little bit of extra cash and a guiding hand through a tough situation. We will discuss your circumstances with you when you apply. we encourage you to email all communications to: info@smallwoodtrust.org.uk or you can call us on 0300 365 1886.

Warm and Well Cornwall

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/health-and-social-care/public-health-cornwall/public-health-campaigns/warm-and-well-cornwall/>

A new Warm and Well Cornwall fund is available for eligible people who need help to heat their homes. If you, a neighbour, a friend or someone you care for meet the below criteria, then we could help:

- Living in a cold and damp home

- In poor health, have a long-term health condition or at risk of ill health
- On a low income

Call Community Energy Plus 0800 954 1956 to see how they can help.

Young and Talented Fund

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/grants/young-and-talented-cornwall/>

Administered by Cornwall Community Foundation, the Young and Talented Fund, now headed by Lord Lieutenant of Cornwall Colonel Edward Bolitho OBE, strives to help those young individuals who have demonstrated an outstanding talent in a particular field – such as sport, the arts, science, voluntary service and enterprise – but are struggling to achieve their ambition or progress in their chosen career because of hardship or disability. Grants are available between £200-£1000.

*Deadline 28th Aug 2020

Turn2Us Website:

Turn2us is a national charity providing practical help to people who are struggling financially.

They have an online grant search for people by postcode: <https://grants-search.turn2us.org.uk/>

The site also has a very well used and regarded Benefits Calculator to find out which welfare benefits you may be entitled to. <https://benefits-calculator.turn2us.org.uk/AboutYou>

Funders sensitive to faith based projects (Non Covid Specific):

Anchor Foundation:

www.theanchorfoundation.org.uk

Supports Christian Charities concerned with social inclusion particularly through ministries of healing and the arts. Grants range between £500 and £10,000.

Archer Trust:

www.archertrust.org.uk

Grants to provide aid or support to a defined group of deserving people, for instance those with physical or mental disabilities or the disadvantaged, and especially to organisations working in areas of high unemployment and deprivation in the UK.

The Bishop Radford Trust

<https://bishopradfordtrust.org.uk/>

Offers grants of up to £5,000 for UK registered charities to support the work of the Christian church in the UK and internationally.

Supporting Christian charities and churches that are serving their local community, the Trusts charitable objectives are:

1. To advance charitable purposes which promote the work of the Christian church in a manner consistent with the doctrines and principles of the Church of England and in furtherance thereof to apply the income in England and Wales and overseas for: a) Church related projects promoting charitable purposes; b) The education of priests, future priests and church workers; c) Otherwise to support Church Ministry.
2. To promote any other charitable purpose within the law of England and Wales and which the trustees consider consistent with the promotion of the work of the Trust.

UK registered charities may apply for the following:

- One-off low-level grants of up to £2,000.
- Mid-level grants of up to £5,000 for networking organisations.
- Larger grants over £5,000 are available for organisations that have already received a grant from the Trust.

Girdlers Company Charitable Trust

<https://girdlers.co.uk/charity/>

Makes donations and grants on behalf of the Girdlers' Company to registered and exempt charities, Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs) and Community and Amateur Sports Clubs (CASCs). Applications for one-off grants for projects that address the funds priorities:

- The improvement in people's employability;
- An increase in the support offered to carers;
- The improvement in people's overall mental health;
- The improvement in people's literacy;
- The reduction in rate of prisoner reoffending.

See their Eligibility Quiz on the above link for more details.

Subject to available funds, the maximum grant is £10,000. The average grant awarded is £4,250.

The Headley Trust.

<http://www.sfct.org.uk/Headley.html>

Grants for UK registered charities working in the areas of the arts, heritage, education, health, social welfare, cathedrals and major churches, parish churches, arts and heritage overseas and developing countries.

The Headley Trust, one of the Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts, awards grants to UK registered charities working in the following fields for innovative schemes that can be successfully replicated or become self-sustaining

1. Arts and Heritage UK:
2. Cathedrals and major churches:
3. Parish churches:
4. Arts and heritage overseas:
5. Developing countries:
6. Education:
7. Health and social welfare:

Funding is not available for:

- o Education centres, conferences, exhibition or heritage spaces.
- o Educational fees.
- o Expeditions.
- o Individuals, or
- o Organs, clocks, bells, plumbing, kitchens or heating.

The Jerusalem Trust

www.sfct.org.uk/Jerusalem

One of 17 grant-making trusts established by members of the Sainsbury family. Its aims are:

- to advance the Christian religion and promote Christian organisations and the charitable purposes and institutions they support;
- to advance Christian education and learning.

The John James Charitable Trust

www.johnjamestrust.org

A grant-making charity providing support for individuals and organisations with a Christian focus, as well as providing funding for ministry training.

The Trust exists to:

- promote education in the Christian faith amongst children and young people
- support people in training for Christen ministry
- relieve poverty and distress created by sudden or unexpected circumstances pursue

Average grant is £2,000.

The Joseph Rank Trust

www.ranktrust.org

An independent Christian grant-maker working with all Christian denominations in the UK. The principal object of the Trust is "to advance the Christian Faith" - to further the Kingdom of God. The Trustees have identified two main areas of interest - projects that demonstrate a Christian approach to the practical, educational and spiritual needs of people of all ages; and the adaptation of Church properties with a view to providing improved facilities for use by the church and its work in the community in which it is based.

Laing Family Trusts

www.laingfamilytrusts.org.uk

The Laing Family Trusts are a group of four grant-making trusts with a Christian foundation - the Beatrice Laing Trust, the Kirby Laing Foundation, the Martin Laing Foundation and the Maurice & Hilda Laing Charitable Trust. The Trusts seek to support projects which promote Christian faith and values, express Christian faith through practical action to care for those in need and encourage young people to realise their potential. The Trusts' website provides information about the priority areas of giving of each of the four Trusts and the application process.

Marsh Christian Trust

www.marshchristiantrust.org

The Trust focuses on providing funding which could help small charities pay for various running costs, such as volunteer expenses, training days, equipment maintenance and other core outgoings.

The Trust funds the following core areas:

- Arts and heritage
- Education and training
- Environmental causes and animal welfare
- Healthcare
- Social welfare

The application requirements are a cover letter and a copy of the most recent Annual Report and Accounts. Grants are unrestricted and range from £300-£2,000.

National Churches Trust

<https://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/our-grants>

The National Churches Trust support a wide variety of projects at churches, chapels and meeting houses through their grant programmes. Our grants are available to any Christian place of worship in the UK that is open for regular worship. From repairing a roof to helping to install an accessible toilet - and many other projects - our grants help keep churches open for worship and community activities and allow them to continue to serve people and communities in all sorts of ways.

The National Churches Trust offer 4 types of grant:

Cornerstone - For urgent and essential structural repair projects with estimated costs of at least £100,000 that will help places of worship become wind and watertight, and for installing kitchens and toilets with estimated costs of at least £30,000, to improve access for all.

Gateway - To support churches in their project development up to RIBA stage 1; supporting local church trusts; and essential repair projects with estimated costs of between £10,000 and £100,000.

Foundation Grants for Maintenance - Small grants to support small, urgent maintenance and repair issues or to carry out small investigative works costing up to £10,000.

Preventative Maintenance Micro-Grants - Grants to support the cost of MaintenanceBooker maintenance services. See their website for more details.

The Norwood and Newton Settlement

www.norwoodandnewton.co.uk

Aims to encourage Church growth, both numerically and spiritually and provides grants to projects which demonstrate Christian Values. This includes demolition and rebuilding of churches, church extensions and upgrades, building purchase and capital projects for local charities.

Rank Foundation – Pebble Grants

<https://rankfoundation.com/pebble-grants/>

The Rank Foundation have recently re-opened their small funding stream for UK registered charities and recognised churches which are raising money for projects where the total cost is less than £150,000. If you are raising money for a particular project for which the mainstay is capital costs (building work, refurbishment or the purchase of long-term equipment) or a one-off short-term activity (such as an annual respite break or holiday for disadvantaged young people) and have already raised a third of the total costs, you may be eligible for this.

The Ross Russell Trust:

<https://apps.charitycommission.gov.uk/Showcharity/RegisterOfCharities/CharityWithoutPartB.aspx?RegisteredCharityNumber=1022570&SubsidiaryNumber=0>

Grants for registered charities in England, Scotland and Wales for educational, social welfare and church projects. Applications may be made in writing at any time.

The Trust's charitable objectives state that the Trust will award to any charity or charitable purpose. Further information about the Trust is available on the Charity Commission website (via link above).

The Trust does not maintain a website, applications will probably need to be made in writing. For clarification, contact the Trust at the address below.

Contact details are: The Ross Russell Trust, 30 Ladbroke Square, London. W11 3NB Email: graham@rossrussell.com

Souter Charitable Trust

www.soutercharitabletrust.org.uk

Assists projects engaged in the relief of human suffering in the UK and overseas – particularly, but not exclusively, those promoting spiritual welfare.

Other Grant Funds: Non-Covid-19

The 7 Stars Foundation

<https://the7starsfoundation.co.uk/>

UK charitable groups, organisations and individuals may apply for grants of up to £20,000 for UK charitable organisations supporting young carers, young people without a safe home and young people facing abuse and addiction.

The aims of The 7StarsFoundation are to relieve the needs and suffering of vulnerable children and young people aged 16 years old and under (or 18 years and under for Direct Grants up to £1,000) in the UK, particularly those who face challenges caused by:

- o Homelessness.
- o Addiction.
- o Abuse, and/or
- o Caring for a sick or disabled adult.

Grants are available:

1. Project applications (for 16-year olds and under): Project Grants up to £5,000.
2. Long term applications (for 16-year olds and under – or 18 and under at the discretion of Trustees): Unrestricted Grants funding as a 2-year commitment, up to £20,000 per year.
3. Direct funding (for 18-year olds and under): social, outreach, or support workers may apply for funding on behalf of a young person aged 18 years and under for a Direct Grant of between £100 and £1,000.

The Allen Lane Foundation:

<https://allenlane.org.uk/>

The Allen Lane Foundation funds small registered charities, voluntary groups, and charitable organisations.

Our aims are to fund work which:

- will make a lasting difference to people's lives rather than simply alleviating the symptoms or current problems;
- is aimed at reducing isolation, stigma and discrimination, and;
- encourages or enables unpopular groups to share in the life of the whole community.

Arts Council National Lottery Project Grants:

<https://www.artscouncil.org.uk/projectgrants>

Arts Council National Lottery Project Grants up to £100,000 for not-for-profits in England.

Applications must include at least 10% partnership funding from sources other than the Arts Council.

Decisions on applications for £15,000 or less take six weeks. Decisions on applications for over £15,000 take 12 weeks.

The Bernard Sunley Foundation

<http://www.bernardsunley.org/>

The Bernard Sunley Foundation offers three levels of grants within the 4 areas of: Community, education, health and social welfare:

- large grants of £20,000 and above,
- medium grants of up to £20,000 and
- small grants of £5,000 and under.

Our large and medium grants are considered and agreed upon at our Trustees' meetings. Our small grants are agreed by Trustees on a monthly basis and form the majority of our grants.

The foundation funds:

- Capital projects which include new buildings, extensions, refurbishments and recreational spaces.
- New minibuses that provide a vital service to those most in need in their local community.
- Churches and other places of worship with a strong, secular community focus.
- Charities or CIOs (Charitable Incorporated Organisations) registered in England and Wales.
- Certain organisations with 'exempt' status which are places of worship, specialist schools, scout and guide groups, hospices, museums, galleries, heritage centres, housing associations and community benefit societies.

Cash 4 clubs

<https://cash-4-clubs.com/>

Grants are available for local sports clubs throughout the UK and Ireland to improve facilities, buy new kit and equipment, gain coaching qualifications and increase sporting opportunities.

Cash 4 Clubs strives to support grassroots sports clubs and teams all across the UK and Ireland, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. Whether you dance, box, swim, climb, throw or draw the bow, your organisation could be successful in securing a grant to help support the amazing things you're doing.

Cash 4 Clubs are awarding grants between £500, £5,000, with the highest grant levels going to clubs experiencing hardship due to the impact of COVID-19.

The Central Social and Recreational Trust

<http://www.csrt.info/>

Grants up to £1,000 for sports clubs and organisations in England to provide opportunities for disadvantaged children and young people aged 21 and under.

The Central Social and Recreational Trust provides small grants for sports clubs and organisations in England that are affiliated to their governing body for:

- o Equipment for the use of all members of the club, and
 - o The maintenance of properties, as long as the property is owned by the club or there is a significant lease period.
- Beneficiaries must be disadvantaged young people aged 21 and under, or where the majority of users are aged 21 and under.

Applications may be made at any time.

Clare Milne Trust

<https://www.claremilnetrust.com/>

The Claire Milne Trust funds small registered charities working with people with disabilities and located in the South West, mainly Devon and Cornwall. Grants are awarded four times a year.

*Next deadline: Monday 21 September 2020.

The Clothworkers Foundation

<https://www.clothworkersfoundation.org.uk/>

We fund charities registered in the UK, CICs, and other UK not-for-profit organisations including special schools.

Grants available in each of their 9 programme areas:

- ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE MISUSE
- DISADVANTAGED MINORITY COMMUNITIES
- DISADVANTAGED YOUNG PEOPLE
- DOMESTIC & SEXUAL ABUSE
- HOMELESSNESS
- OLDER PEOPLE
- PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
- PRISONERS & EX-OFFENDERS
- VISUAL IMPAIRMENT

Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Suicide Prevention Innovation Fund.

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/health-and-social-care/mental-health/resources/>

Funding is available for innovative community-based Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly (IoS) projects to help reduce the numbers of people taking their own lives.

There will be a particular focus on reducing suicide by middle aged men, by people in treatment services, and reducing self-harm within local communities. Applications are only accepted from organisations which are formally constituted (e.g. registered charity, parish council, community interest company, limited company or public sector body who have their own bank account and invoicing abilities).

Community groups have the opportunity to apply for funding of up to £10,000 to support projects designed to prevent suicide and reduce self-harm.

Cornwall Community Foundation (CCF)

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/introduction-to-grants/available-grants/>

In addition to the fabulous CCF Emergency Fund, CCF has started to reopen some of their other funds too.

For a full list of their currents available in Cornwall please see their website link above.

Cornwall Community Foundation Crisis Fund:

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/grants/the-crisis-fund/>

The Crisis Fund is administered by Cornwall Community Foundation and enables charitable organisations to hold a pot of funds to distribute small grants to individuals in crisis.

Charitable organisations reaching people in Crisis can apply for £250 to distribute small amounts, usually £30 or less to a maximum of £90 when there is a need for immediate help, to alleviate destitution or poverty.

Cornwall Rural Community Charity (CRCC) Grants:

<https://www.cornwallrcc.org.uk/grants/carers-resilience-enablement-grant-information/tcs/>

The Grants team at CRCC have a number of grants currently available including:

- Memory Activity and Support Groups Grant

Grant to enable Memory Cafés or Dementia Support Groups in Cornwall to apply for up to £1000 to help pay for running costs, training events or activities that help promote the health and wellbeing of people with dementia.

- Mental Health Support Groups Grant

Grant to enable groups of people aged 16 and over throughout Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly to apply for up to £1000 to set up and run self-help initiatives for people who have experienced, or are experiencing, poor mental health or mental illness.

- Carers Groups Grant

Grant to fund unpaid, informal carers' groups to give their members opportunities to 'switch off' from their caring responsibilities by taking part in group activities and events that promote their health and wellbeing. Groups can apply for up to £100 per person or £1,000 per group.

- Carers Resilience Enablement Grant

Grant to meet any unforeseen circumstance that prevents unpaid, informal carers from fulfilling their caring role and the need cannot be met from elsewhere

- Mental Health Peer Network Development Grant

Grant to assist the development and sustainability of self-support groups through countywide networks.

Organisations can apply for up to £3000 per year.

and

- Memory Activity and Support Network Development Grant

Grant aims to assist the development and sustainability of self-support groups through countywide networks.

Organisations can apply for up to £3000 per year.

To find out more on all these grants, please see the CRCC weblink above or email Grants Grants@cornwallrcc.org.uk for the relevant application form.

The Daniell Trust

<https://www.thedanielltrust.org.uk/>

The Daniell Trust offers small grants to locally based charitable organisations working in the areas of:

1. The care and education of children or other persons with special needs, and
2. The promotion for the benefit of the public conservation protection and improvement of the physical and natural environment.

Application deadline: Wednesday 30 September 2020.

Edward Gostling Foundation:

<https://www.edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk/>

At the Edward Gostling Foundation, we believe that people living with a mental and/or physical disability or a long-term illness should have the same choices, quality of life opportunities and aspirations as others.

Open to smaller registered charities. Priority: organisations with limited reserves.

Emergency grant programme - unrestricted grants of up to £10,000 for charities supporting vulnerable people within 4 main themes:

- Health and Wellbeing
- Independent Living at Home
- Respite
- Transition

The Foyle Foundation: Small Grants programme

<http://www.foylefoundation.org.uk/>

The Foyle Foundation Small Grants programme supports small, grassroots UK charities with an annual turnover of less than £150,000. The Foundation has revised its application criteria to offer flexible support to help charities impacted by COVID-19 who may apply for a grant of between £1,000 and £10,000 for core costs or essential equipment, to enable ongoing service provision, homeworking, or delivery of online digital services.

The Foundation's current priority is to support local charities still active in their communities that are currently delivering services to:

- o the young.
- o Vulnerable.
- o Elderly.

- o Disadvantaged, and/or
- o the general community, either directly or through online support if possible.

Garfield Weston Foundation:

<https://garfieldweston.org/>

Charitable grant-making foundation, which supports a wide range of causes across the UK. It has a preference for charities directly delivering services and activities to those in need, and is especially keen to see applications from charities in the Welfare, Youth and Community sectors and in regions of economic disadvantage. One of its areas of work is Faith and it supports communities by providing funds towards practical projects such as facilities in church buildings and inclusive activities for the wider community.

The Foundation has added an Addendum to their current grant guidelines in response to Covid 19:

<https://garfieldweston.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/GWF-Covid-19-Advice.pdf>

The Gigglemug Charitable Trust

*No website.

Recently formed grant-making Trust awarding small grants to a wide range of registered charities in England and Wales. The Trust that has just completed its inaugural year of making awards. During the year ending 7 June 2019 grants totalling £30,000 were made to 7 organisations. Grants ranged from £3,000 to £6,000.

The following charities were supported:

- o Magic Breakfast.
- o City Gateway.
- o The Brilliant Club.
- o IntoUniversity.
- o Switchback.
- o Human Rights Watch, and
- o Leap Confronting Conflict.

Applications should be made in writing addressed to:

The Gigglemug Trust, Trust Services, 1st Floor, Trinity Quay 1, Avon Street, Bristol. BS2 0PT

The Green & Lilian FM Ainsworth & Family benevolent Fund.

*No website.

The Green & Lilian FM Ainsworth & Family benevolent fund provides grants up to £1,000 for UK charitable organisations providing social welfare activities in the UK. Applications may be made at any time addressed to: The Green and Lilian F M Ainsworth and Family Benevolent Fund, 1st Floor, Trinity Quay 1, Avon Street Bristol, BS2 0PT. Tel: 0345 3042424

The Health and Wellbeing 2020/21 "Starting Well" Fund

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/vcse-health-and-wellbeing-fund-applications-2020-to-2021>

Voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) organisations can apply for funding to run projects focused on starting well in life.

The Fund aims to:

Improve health outcomes for children from preconception to two and a half years old in one or more of the following communities:

- Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) groups
- Children in areas of high deprivation (including urban, rural and coastal areas)

The HW Fund aims to support the following health outcomes:

- Improvement in perinatal mental health
- Reduction in the percentage of babies born with low birthweight
- An increase in babies being breastfed
- Obesity prevention and support
- Reduced smoking or smoke-free homes VCSE Health and Wellbeing Fund Starting Well 2020/21 5
- Improvement in learning and speech and language development

- High immunisation rates and reduction in rates of preventable disease
 - Expand or develop existing projects and programmes that have been running for at least three years, and which are whole-family and/or community-centred
 - Promote equalities and reduce health inequalities for children
 - Work with both the target age range and the target groups
 - Support strong and sustainable local connections between VCSE and statutory services, without duplicating other existing initiatives
 - Facilitate co-production between local partners and service users
 - Evaluate different approaches and share learning. Funding is available for grants between £200,000 to £510,000 per applicant over three financial years to expand or develop existing schemes
- Grants between £200,000 and £510,000 over 3 years are available.
Fund deadline: 30 October 2020.

The HDH Will Charitable Trust

<https://hdhwills.org/grants/>

The HDH Will Charitable Trust is an environmental and conservation grant-making Trust that awards small revenue, capital or project grants to charities in England, Scotland and Wales. Charities should be actively involved in conserving and maintaining the natural environment and its indigenous woodland flora and fauna for the benefit of the public, and in particular the conservation and maintenance of the character and amenity of rural areas.

1. Small Grants of between £250 and £500 to small charities where a grant will make a significant difference, and
2. Medium Grants of between £1,000 and £2,000 for wildlife and conservation charities. Larger grants up to £5,000 are occasionally made.

The Henry Smith Charity

<https://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/>

The Henry Smith Charity aims to bring about lasting change to people's lives, helping them to benefit from and contribute to society. We achieve this by funding organisations that work with people to reduce social and economic disadvantage.

The Ironmongers' Company

https://ironmongers.org/charity_organisations.htm

Supports projects that provide opportunities for disadvantaged children and young people to fulfil their potential. Grants are only given to registered charities. Projects must meet all of the following criteria:

- For children and young people under the age of 25 who are disadvantaged
- Consist of educational activities that develop learning, motivation and skills
- Have clear aims and objectives to be met within a planned timescale
- Are within the UK

The Kelly Family Charitable Trust

<https://kfct.org.uk/>

Grants up to £5,000 for UK registered charities for activities and interventions that focus on families working together to resolve issues that could otherwise fracture the family unit.

The Kelly Family Charitable Trust is interested in funding smaller UK charities whose activities involve all or most family members, where possible, in initiatives that seek to tackle problems facing one or more of its members and encourage the family to work as a cohesive unit to resolve issues.

The three areas of activity that the charity wishes to support are:

1. Interventions that support families and help them in ways that prevent the fracture of the family unit, for example practical family support, relationship counselling, mediation.
2. Families where sexual abuse, physical abuse, domestic violence, alcohol abuse and drug abuse threaten the integrity of the family unit, and
3. Prisoners and in particular their families, during and after the period of imprisonment.

*Grants are awarded twice a year. Applications must be submitted by 1st March and 1st September.

The Linnet Trust

The Trust does not maintain a website - contact the Trust at the address below for details of its application process. Grants for UK registered charities operating in the South West of England providing services for disadvantaged people with mental, physical and/or behavioural challenges.

The Linnet Trust provides core funding grants for UK registered charities operating in the South West of England that are innovative, cost effective, administratively efficient, well respected in their field and can demonstrate that they have a track record of successful delivery.

During the year ended 5 April 2019 the Trust awarded grants 10 grants totalling £110,000 and has budgeted to allocate a similar amount over the next 15-20 years. Grants ranged from £5,000 to £40,000.

Further information is available on the Charity Commission website with a list of all 2018 grants awarded.

Application is most probably by a letter of application, but contact the Trust for further details about how to apply Mrs. R B Suenson-Luke Mr. J K Suenson-Taylor, The Linnet Trust, Rose Cottage, Old Bristol Road, West Harptree Bristol. BS40 6HQ.

Lord Barnby's Charitable Foundation:

The Lord Barnby's Charitable Foundations General Grants programme is a discretion scheme that awards a large number of small grants to a diverse range of organisations, but with a particular interest in supporting not-for-profit organisations with a connection to the textile industry.

During the year ended 31 March 2019 the Foundation awarded, 90 grants totalling £215,940 from its General Grant Fund.

Grants ranged from £500 to £10,000. The average grant award was £2,400. There is no requirement for matched funding.

A list of all grants awarded during the year can be viewed on pages 11-14 of the Foundation's annual accounts.

Charitable organisations working with the following beneficiary groups or causes are regularly supported:

- o Children and young people.
- o Disability.
- o Environment.
- o Health.
- o Older people, and
- o Parish churches.

Contact details for the Foundation are:

Mrs Catherine Thomason, The Lord Barnby's Foundation, PO Box 442, Market Drayton. TF9 9EQ

Tel: 07835441168 Email: lordbarnbyfoundation@gmail.com

Masonic Charitable Foundation

<https://mcf.org.uk/get-support/grants-to-charities/>

Award Small and Large Grants to charities through their Children and Young People Grant – supporting disadvantaged young people (up to aged 25) and their Later Life Grant supporting socially isolated and lonely older people.

Grants available from the smaller grants programme between £1000-£15000 for up to 3 years work or large grants of between £10,000-£60,000.

Grants can be offered to charities/projects that provide:

- Mental and physical health support
- Learning and development, including language and communication skills, social and emotional etc.
- Support for the whole family
- Pastoral and advocacy support

See the deadline dates: website for application dates:

<https://mcf.org.uk/get-support/grants-to-charities/application-deadlines/>

MCS Charitable Foundation

<https://www.mcscharitablefoundation.org/>

The MCS Charitable Foundation is currently inviting applications from UK organisations – including charities, other forms of not-for-profits and public agencies – for a range of projects that advance the mission to accelerate the adoption of renewable energy and low carbon technologies.

Grants will usually be for £5,000 to £50,000. In exceptional cases grants will be considered for higher amounts up to £100,000.

Projects should have a UK-wide impact, either through having a national reach or through developing/demonstrating an innovative approach that could be replicated, adapted or scaled up.

Funding Themes:

- Education, skills and CPD.
- Public awareness/information and consumer confidence.
- Zero carbon planning.
- Local zero carbon delivery initiatives.

Bids should also meet at least one of the following criteria:

- Seed funding for innovative initiatives.
- Support delivery of a proof of concept.
- Research to support innovation or capacity building in one of the themed areas.
- Sharing good practice.

Applications that have matched funding will be looked upon favourably.

Deadline 19 October.

The Morrisons Foundation

<https://www.morrisonsfoundation.com/>

The Morrisons Foundation provides grants of between £1,000 and £25,000 to local and national registered charities in England, Scotland and Wales for new projects that will benefit their local community. Initiatives that support people who are disadvantaged and that have struggled to secure funding from other sources are likely to be prioritised. A wide diversity of projects can be supported through the Fund, including arts, community, culture, education, health and many others.

The NFU Mutual Community Giving Fund

<https://www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/responsible-business/nfu-mutual-community-giving-fund/>

The NFU Mutual Community Giving Fund (CGF) was set up in 2005 to support community initiatives and charitable events, as well as to help boost staff fundraising initiatives. Max £1000.

They are most likely to approve funding requests which meet one or more of their four areas of interest:

- Connecting the community; reducing social isolation; providing opportunities, and encouraging resilience
- Providing care and support to vulnerable members of our community
- Relieving poverty; improving the health and wellbeing of our communities
- Advancing education and experiences for young people

*The deadline for applications is 30th September 2020

The Noel Buxton Trust

<http://www.noelbuxtontrust.org.uk/>

Registered charities may apply for a grant of up to £4,000 over 2-3 years for projects that take place in Great Britain. Larger awards are occasionally made.

Focus on the following areas:

1. Sustainable livelihood projects in Africa.
 2. Work with families affected by domestic abuse in Britain.
 3. Work by organisations that help to improve the lives of prisoners and former offenders in Britain.
- Applications may be made at any time in writing and should be no longer than two sides of A4.

Peter Cruddas Foundation

<http://www.petercruddasfoundation.org.uk/>

The Foundation supports programmes designed to help disadvantaged and disengaged young people in the age range of 16 to 30, to pursue pathways to Education, Training and Employment with the ultimate aim of helping them to become financially independent. Deadline 1st Sept.

Registered Charities may apply under the following priority streams:

- Pathways/support for young disadvantaged or disengaged people in the age range 16 to 30 into education, training or employment
- Work experience/skills projects for young people aged 16 to 30
- Youth work in London particularly evening work for disadvantaged young people aged 16 to 30

DEADLINES 1st Sept / 31st March.

The Percy Bilton Charity

<https://www.percy-bilton-charity.org/applyOrg>

Grants for registered charities in the U.K. whose primary objectives are to assist one or more of the following groups:

- Disadvantaged/underprivileged young people (under 25 years of age)
- People with disabilities (physical or learning disabilities) or mental health problems
- Older people (aged over 60)

One off payment for capital expenditure of approximately £2,000 and over (the majority of grants fall within the range of £2,000 to £5,000).

Persimmon Community Champions

<https://www.persimmonhomes.com/community-champions>

Persimmon Community Champions is a national programme where charities and groups can apply for funding up to the value of £1,000 to match money they have already raised themselves. Groups and charities can apply every month for a donation. The scheme focus on organisations that support the over-70s. To apply, please complete the online form, telling us why your group or charity, which works with or supports the over-70s, deserves our donation. Included in your application we need to know how much you want us to donate.

The Pilgrim Trust

<https://www.thepilgrimtrust.org.uk/>

Small grants under £5,000 and main grants over £5,000 for UK charitable organisations.

Our aim is to preserve and promote Britain's historical and intellectual assets and to provide assistance to vulnerable members of society. We do this by supporting projects where our funds will make the greatest impact. We are also interested in projects where charities are having difficulty in raising funds from other sources.

The Ragdoll Foundation:

<http://www.ragdollfoundation.org.uk/>

The Ragdoll Foundation awards grants to UK not-for-profit organisations for activities that:

- o Evidence the power of arts and creativity and their transformative power for children and young people.
- o Promote the development of children through their imaginative thinking.
- o Encourage innovative thinking and influence good practice elsewhere.
- o Ensure effective evaluation of projects to promote sharing and learning, and
- o In particular, demonstrate how concerns of children can be heard.

Two grants programmes are currently open:

Small Grants Programme: Small, one-off projects, pilot projects, or research and development to inform a new project or programme

Main Grants Programme: New, larger or longer-term projects, or a significant development in the scope or scale of an existing programme, project or pilot

St Martin in the Fields Vicar's Relief fund:

<https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/grants/crisis-fund-st-martin-in-the-fields-vicars-relief-fund/>

St Martin in the Fields Vicar's Relief fund is administered by Cornwall Community Foundation. A grant can only be made by a sponsor or agency organisation, working to alleviate and prevent homelessness on behalf of the people they are supporting.

The maximum award available is £250. Open all year round

Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts

<https://www.sfct.org.uk/index.html>

The Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts is the operating office of 17 different independent grant-making trusts established by members of three generations of the Sainsbury family. The trusts only fund registered charities or activities with a clearly defined charitable purpose. None of the trusts directly supports individuals, education fees or expeditions.

5 of the trusts will consider direct applications if they match their areas of interest: Alan & Babette Charitable Fund, Headley Trust, Jerusalem Trust, JJ Charitable Trust and Three Guineas Trust. Collectively, these areas of interest including:

Civil liberties and human rights

Practical autism projects

Support for older people and their carers

Family welfare

Youth work

Christian mission, education, evangelism, media and art

Literacy

Dyslexia

School inclusion

Sustainable environments, food or finance

Archaeology

Conservation of industrial, maritime and built heritage

Display, study or purchase of British ceramics

Regional museums and galleries, especially curatorial support and purchase of objects with local significance

Restoration and repair of cathedrals and major churches.

See website for more details.

Scops Arts Trust

<https://www.scopsartstrust.org.uk/>

The goal of Scops Arts Trust is to give people of all ages a better quality of life by enabling them to understand, participate in and simply enjoy the arts, particularly music, drama, opera and dance.

Our current interests lie in supporting organisations run by committed and passionate individuals to deliver projects that:

- Improve the provision and quality of music education in schools
- Engage children and young people in music outside of school
- Widen access to the arts for everyone, regardless of any disadvantage they face because of their health, financial or social circumstances
- Reach audiences in parts of the country where arts events are not usually found

We are particularly keen to help small-to-medium-sized organisations. Most of our current grants support projects run by registered charities, but in exceptional circumstances, we will consider applications from established community groups as long as they have clear charitable aims. We award one-off grants and also consider multi-year funding.

Schroder Charity Trust

www.schrodercharitytrust.org

Grants up to £5000 for registered charities supporting:

- education and young people
- health

- communities
- environment and conservation
- heritage
- arts and culture
- international development
- the armed forces

Funding for core costs and specific projects, but not large capital appeals.

Applications from 1st May 2020 onwards will be considered in November 2020. All applications must be made via the Schroder Charity Trust website.

The Screwfix Foundation

<https://www.screwfix.com/help/screwfixfoundation/>

Grants up to £5,000 for UK registered charities and not-for-profit organisations, including Community Interest Companies, for projects that need to fix, repair, maintain and improve properties and community facilities, particularly for those catering for people in need. Buildings can be homes or community buildings and other buildings in deprived areas or for those in need, and can include repairing run-down buildings and decorating the homes of people living with illness and disability. All building projects must show that they are environmentally friendly.

Steel Charitable Trust:

<https://steelcharitabletrust.org.uk/>

Grant giving trust with five funding priority areas: Arts & Heritage, Education, Environment, Health, and Social or Economic Disadvantage. Social or Economic Disadvantage

Open to:

- Charities registered in any part of the United Kingdom
- Organisations that have recently applied for charitable status in the UK
- Exempt Charities (see schedule 3 of the Charities Act 2011) such as recognised educational institutions and Government or municipally-funded museums
- Community Interest Companies (CICs)
- Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs)

Grants are generally made as single payments between £2,500 and £25,000.

The Trust's website does have a Covid 19 announcement: <https://steelcharitabletrust.org.uk/2019/01/31/deadline/> that includes the notes: *'...Within its normal timescales and application procedures, the Trust is still accepting funding applications for both core and project funding as well as short-term responses to COVID-19; we have not limited our current awards to COVID-19 related activity only.'*

The Tudor trust:

<https://tudortrust.org.uk/>

Tudor makes grants to smaller community-led groups that support people at the margins of society. Tudor operates a two-stage application process, so ask all applicants to complete a brief first stage proposal. We are keen to work with organisations that have a real understanding of the challenges facing the communities they support, and a clear sense of the difference they seek to make through their work. We are particularly interested in supporting work that develops and promotes the social connections and relationships which make such an important contribution to the well-being and quality of life of individuals, and which strengthens communities. There is no maximum or minimum grant, though in practice it is unusual for us to make a grant of less than £10,000.

The Truemark Trust

<https://apps.charitycommission.gov.uk/Showcharity/RegisterOfCharities/CharityWithPartB.aspx?RegisteredCharityNumber=265855&SubsidiaryNumber=0>

Grants between £1,000 and £5,000 for small local UK charities working to address social distress and disadvantage, with a preference for innovative neighbourhood-based community projects and unpopular causes.

The Trust prefers to invest in innovative community-focused projects that help relieve social distress, deprivation and disadvantage. Unpopular causes are also supported. A wide range of organisations are provided with grant support, including youth groups, hospices, women's groups, advice centres and churches.

A list of all awards made during the year can be viewed on pages 12-14 of the Trust's annual accounts (via the Charity Commission listing above).

The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information is available on the Charity Commission website.

Applications may be made at any time in writing. The Trust meets every three months to review applications.

Contact details for the trust are:

Clare Pegden, Administrator, The Truemark Trust, P O Box 2, Liss, Hampshire. GU33 6YP Tel: 07970 540015

Email: truemark.trust01@ntlworld.com

The Wakeham Trust

<https://thewakehamtrust.org/what-sorts-of-projects-do-we-help/>

The Wakeham Trust has the core goal is to help small groups of people who are getting together to make a difference in their communities with small grants for grassroots UK registered charities and community and voluntary organisations for small-scale projects that are finding it difficult to secure funding from elsewhere. Unpopular causes are particularly supported. Grants are awarded between £125 and £2,500 and there is no deadline. Registered charities can apply, and organisations that are not registered charities can make an application through a registered charity in their area that can then pass the money directly on to their project.

The Woodroffe Benton Foundation

<https://www.woodroffebenton.org.uk/>

The Woodroffe Benton Foundation offers grants of between £500 and £2,500 towards the core costs of UK registered charities working in the areas of:

- o The relief of persons in need, hardship or distress by reason of disaster or as a consequence of social or economic circumstance.
- o The provision/maintenance of care and accommodation for the sick and elderly.
- o The promotion of education and youth development, particularly (but not exclusively) within the Derbyshire area, and
- o Environmental, conservation, preservation, protection and/or improvement - in particular where this would improve access for members of the general public

Yapp Charitable Trust:

<https://yappcharitabletrust.org.uk/>

We make grants for running costs and salaries to small registered charities in England and Wales with a total annual expenditure of less than £40,000 to help sustain their existing work (maximum £3,000 per year, for up to three years).

The funding is for charities supporting:

- Elderly people
- Children and young people aged 5 - 25
- People with physical impairments, learning difficulties or mental health challenges
- Social welfare – people trying to overcome life-limiting problems of a social, rather than medical, origin (such as addiction, relationship difficulties, abuse, offending)
- Education and learning (with a particular interest in people who are educationally disadvantaged, whether adults or children)

Other:

Free trees (and funding for) for schools and community groups environmental Programmes:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/grow-nature/about/forest-for-cornwall-programme/free-trees/>

Cornwall Council has compiled a great list of organisations that give away trees (or funding for trees) to schools and community organisations which have environmental projects.