



# Funding Bulletin

June 2019

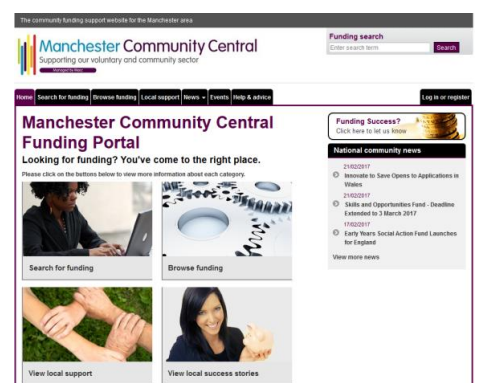
Information for the bulletin is compiled from a number of sources including Grantfinder, and direct from funders themselves. It showcases just a few of the hundreds of funding opportunities available for local community, voluntary and faith organisations.

Assistance and support is available with putting together your quality funding bid. Please find the details below of who to contact in your area and get in touch to see how we can work with you to help you achieve a successful application.

Contact details for support and further information can be found on the final page. Please also let us know if you are successful in securing funding as a result of spotting an opportunity in our bulletin!

## Find the funding that you need

Our funding search engine is a straight forward FREE service using information from IDOX Information Solutions that can help voluntary, community, social enterprise sector (VCSE) organisations like yours to find suitable funding. By becoming a member of Macc you will gain access to our free funding portal of funding opportunities. Please note: To be eligible to access our funding portal you must be a VCSE organisation working in



the City of Manchester with at least 50% of your beneficiaries in the City of Manchester. VCSE organisations working outside of the City of Manchester, consultants, sole traders, statutory bodies, private businesses and infrastructure organisations who become members of Macc aren't eligible to access our funding portal. To sign up to become a member of Macc to access our funding portal, [complete our membership form here](#)

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## LOCAL

### Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund



DUCHY of LANCASTER  
BENEVOLENT FUND

1 Lancaster Place, Strand, London WC2E 7ED

**Aims/priorities:** The Greater Manchester

Trustees are particularly interested in the following:

- Causes with which the Duchy has historical association such as Church livings, Estates etc. within the boundaries of the three Counties (Greater Manchester, Lancashire and Merseyside) and purposes which will benefit the community
- Trusts, Associations and Institutions that maintain and preserve monuments, Estates and possessions of the Duchy which prove to be of benefit to the public and local community
- Organisations which provide care and support for the elderly, inform and disadvantaged members of society
- Community Associations that benefit local people
- Organisations for young people e.g. Scouts, Guides, Cadets, Youth Organisations etc.
- Support for educational initiatives that will have beneficial results for the local community

**Who can apply?** Organisations must be a registered charity and operate in Merseyside, Greater Manchester or Lancashire and have a bank account in the organisation's name

**Grant amount:** A single grant will only be made to an organisation within a two year period and will normally be between £250 and £1,000

**Application process:** The application form can be downloaded from their website

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time. The Greater Manchester Duchy Panel considers all applications on a quarterly basis.

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 834 0490 Email: [secretary@gmlo.org](mailto:secretary@gmlo.org)

**Website address:** <http://manchesterlieutenancy.org/lancaster>

### FM Awards – Cash 4 Graft

**Aims/priorities:** Cash 4 Graft rewards resident involvement and volunteering time with between £50 and £250 to help get community ideas off the ground. The awards are matched with the passion and effort of



CASH 4 GRAFT

residents and their neighbours who work together to create and develop projects and are available in various areas of Greater Manchester.

**Who can apply?** Forever Manchester support smaller organisations with a track record of attracting funding or a turnover under £150,000 per annum

**Grant amount:** Awards of between £50 and £250 are available

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Application process:** The application form can be downloaded from the website

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 214 0940 Email: [awards@forevermanchester.com](mailto:awards@forevermanchester.com)

**Website address:** <http://forevermanchester.com/funding/>

## For Getting Together: 21 – 23 June

**Aims/priorities:** Bringing local people together to create something special. Forever Manchester is encouraging people across Greater Manchester to come together with neighbours and friends over the weekend of 21 – 23 June 2019. The funding could be:

- For getting together with your neighbours
- For having a street party with loads of food
- For games in the local park followed by a BBQ
- For an afternoon tea in your local community hall
- For bouncy castles and face painting
- For a walk around interesting places in your local area followed by ice-creams all round
- For what your community will enjoy
- For Happy Days

**Who can apply?** Groups of people

**Grant amount:** £200 to support 100 groups of people

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** 7 June 2019

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 214 0940 Email: [awards@forevermanchester.com](mailto:awards@forevermanchester.com)

**Website address:** <https://forevermanchester.com/for-getting-together-21st-23rd-june/>



## Ford Britain Trust

**Aims/priorities:** Ford Britain Trust is committed to supporting the communities they work and live in. That is why they have created the Ford Britain Trust in April 1975 to help fund the education and advancement of their neighbours. Ford Britain Trust pay special attention to



**FORD BRITAIN TRUST**

projects focusing on education, environment, children, the disabled, youth activities and projects that provide clear benefits to the local communities close to their UK locations, which includes Manchester. The Ford Britain Trust particularly encourages applications from Ford employees, but is open to all, provided that the qualifying organisations meet their selection criteria. Grant applications supporting the following activities will be considered:

- Work that has clear benefits to the local community / environment
- Work with young people / children
- Education / schools (mainstream)
- Special education needs
- People with disabilities

**Who can apply?** Registered charities; schools / PTAs (non-fee paying, state sector schools only; independent/private, fee paying, schools will not be considered); non-profit organisations (including small clubs and societies)

**Grant amount:** Small grants for amounts up to £250 and large grants for amounts over £250 and up to a maximum of £5,000

**Application process:** An application form can be downloaded from their website

**Deadline:** Small grants are available three times each year: 1 April to 30 June; 1 August to 31 October; 1 December to 28 February. Large grants are open for applications: 1 March to 31 July for consideration in September and 1 September to 31 January for consideration in March.

**Contact information:** Email: [fbtrust@ford.com](mailto:fbtrust@ford.com)

**Website address:** [www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/AboutFord/CorporateSocialResponsibility/FordBritainTrust/Overview](http://www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/AboutFord/CorporateSocialResponsibility/FordBritainTrust/Overview)

## Heart of the Community Fund

**Aims/priorities:** Virgin Money Foundation are on a mission

to support community regeneration by backing people who

can make big changes happen locally. Virgin Money Foundation would love to support projects:

- Run by smaller local registered charities. That means annual running costs of less than £500,000
- Working in the parts of Greater Manchester South (Manchester City, Salford, Trafford, Stockport and Tameside)
- With strong local roots
- Benefiting the wider community

Funds can be used to buy materials and equipment, make improvements to a community building or sports facility, clean up an area of wasteland or support an event. The money could also pay for staff to run an activity.



**Who can apply?** Smaller local registered charities

**Grant amount:** Every two months three local charities can win £1,000 – with awards of £500 and £250 for the two runners up

**Application process:** There is an online application form. The awards will go to the charities with the most votes from Virgin Money customers and Lounge members.

**Deadline:** This is a rolling programme

**Contact information:** Tel: 0330 123 3624 Email: [info@virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk)

**Website address:** <https://virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk/grants-programme/heart-community-fund/>

## Jigsaw Foundation

**Aims/priorities:** The Jigsaw Foundation offers funds for projects which make a difference to the lives of their residents and their communities. Projects must

demonstrate that they make a difference to people's lives and communities in one or more of the following areas:

- Health and wellbeing and social inclusion
- Employment, individual capacity building, enterprise and training
- Environmental improvement
- Sustaining tenancies
- Financial and digital inclusion



**Who can apply?** Charities, resident and community groups, voluntary organisations, social enterprises and partner agencies

**Grant amount:** Funding up to £25,000 voted on by tenants and entries over this amount will be approved by the Jigsaw Homes Group's Executive team.

**Application process:** An application form can be downloaded for the website

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 0300 111 1122 Email: [JigsawFoundation@jigsawhomes.org.uk](mailto:JigsawFoundation@jigsawhomes.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.foundation.jigsawhomes.org.uk/information-article/jigsaw-foundation/](http://www.foundation.jigsawhomes.org.uk/information-article/jigsaw-foundation/)

## Manchester Airport Community Trust Fund

**Aims/priorities:** The Manchester Airport Community Trust Fund is a registered charity and was established to promote, enhance, improve and protect both the natural and built environment in the local community. To be successful a group must:

- Carry out positive work in the community and be of charitable nature and be not for profit status



- Be community, socially or environmentally focused
- Based within the area of benefit

The project should offer / be:

- Improve, enhance, protect and conserve the natural and built environment; or offer heritage conservation
- Promote or advance social welfare
- Provide better appreciation of the natural and urban environment
- Create a safe habitat for flora and fauna
- Demonstrate lasting benefit to the community
- Benefit all members of the community regardless of race, gender or religion
- Be from an established group or charity able to demonstrate clear banking or financial records, and not an individual or commercial organisation working for profit

**Who can apply?** Community groups and charities that are approximately within a 10-mile radius of the Airport, concentrating on the areas most exposed to aircraft noise

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to £3,000 are available

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** Ongoing, the Community Trust Fund meets four times a year – January, April, July and October

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 489 5281

**Website address:** [www.manchesterairport.co.uk/community/working-in-our-community/community-trust-fund/](http://www.manchesterairport.co.uk/community/working-in-our-community/community-trust-fund/)

## Manchester Children's Relief In Need Fund

**Aims/priorities:** The majority of grants awarded are for individuals. The Trustees award grants that provide a 'Relief in Need' for children and young people living in the City of Manchester.

**Who can apply?** Individuals

**Grant amount:** Grants awarded tend to range between £50-£500

**Application process:** All applications for a grant for an individual must be submitted by a professional person on their behalf such as a Social Worker, Health Visitor, Teacher or other professional as appropriate

**Deadline:** Applications should be submitted before the 15th of the month

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 834 6069 Email: [info@gaddum.co.uk](mailto:info@gaddum.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.reliefinneed.co.uk/childrens-relief-in-need](http://www.reliefinneed.co.uk/childrens-relief-in-need)

## Manchester District Nursing Institution Fund

**Aims/priorities:** The majority of grants awarded are for individuals. Grants may be made for the relief of people living in the City of Manchester, Salford or Trafford who are on low income and are sick, convalescent or disabled, which are calculated to alleviate their suffering or assist in their recovery.

**Who can apply?** Individuals

**Grant amount:** Grants awarded tend to range between £50-£500

**Application process:** All applications for a grant for an individual must be submitted by a professional person on their behalf such as a Social Worker, Health Visitor, Teacher or other professional as appropriate.

**Deadline:** Applications should be submitted before the 15th of the month

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 834 6069 Email: [info@gaddum.co.uk](mailto:info@gaddum.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.reliefinneed.co.uk/district-nursing-fund](http://www.reliefinneed.co.uk/district-nursing-fund)

## Manchester Guardian Society Charitable Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Manchester Guardian Charitable Trust is a grant making charity, which makes donations to a wide variety of community based organisations in the Greater Manchester area. The Trustees are particularly interested in the following:

- Organisations for young people e.g. scouts, guides, youth organisations
- Provision for the sick and disabled
- Assistance for groups providing for the elderly and disadvantaged members of society
- Support for educational initiatives by arts organisations particularly for children and young people
- Community associations
- Organisations providing services for people in Greater Manchester

**Who can apply?** Small community groups with charitable aims that are based and working within Greater Manchester

**Grant amount:** Most grants awarded are between £250 and £2,000

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Application process:** Applications must be made by post on the Manchester Guardian Society's own application form and 13 copies in total should be supplied. Contact Manchester Guardian Charitable Trust to request an application form.

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 934 6190 Email: [joe.swift@addleshawgoddard.com](mailto:joe.swift@addleshawgoddard.com) Post: Joe Swift, Clerk to the Trustees, Manchester Guardian Society Charitable Trust, Addleshaw Goddard LLP, 100 Barbirolli Square, Manchester, M2 3AB

## Manchester Holiday Buzz Playscheme Fund 2019–2020



**Aims/priorities:** The purpose of the Playscheme Fund is to complement the all year round play offer in Manchester. The funding aims to enable open access play activities, primarily over the Summer 2019 and Easter 2020 holidays, with a particular focus on; addressing gaps in provision, increasing the numbers of disabled children accessing universal play services, ensuring access to healthy food and increasing children’s opportunities to play outdoors. It is envisaged that this will be done through the delivery of play activities by the Voluntary and Community Sector in Manchester. Grant applications must demonstrate how they will meet at least one of the following objectives:

- Objective 1: To increase the number of play activities over holiday periods, in priority areas of the city where there is a need for provision
- Objective 2: To increase the numbers of disabled children accessing play services
- Objective 3: To increase access to high quality outdoor play opportunities, with particular focus on increasing play opportunities in parks, streets and open spaces and ensuring access to healthy food

Grant applicants are asked to demonstrate how their activities will help to achieve outcomes for children and young people: Safe, Happy, Healthy

**Who can apply?** Voluntary and community sector organisations working with children and young people. Young Manchester welcome applications from education providers partnering with the VCSE sector.

**Grant amount:** Bids are invited for between £1,000 to a maximum of £10,000

**Application process:** An application form is available to download on the website

**Deadline:** 14 June 2019, 17:00

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 631 2881, Email: [enquiries@youngmanchester.org](mailto:enquiries@youngmanchester.org)

**Website address:** [www.youngmanchester.org/manchester-holiday-buzz-playscheme-fund/](http://www.youngmanchester.org/manchester-holiday-buzz-playscheme-fund/)

## Manchester Relief In Need Fund

**Aims/priorities:** The majority of grants awarded are for individuals. The Trustees award grants that provide a ‘Relief in Need’ for adults living in the City of Manchester. The provision of the scheme gives the Trustees a wide choice in the kind of relief they can provide.

**Who can apply?** Individuals

**Grant amount:** Grants awarded tend to range between £50-£500

**Application process:** All applications for a grant for an individual must be submitted by a professional person on their behalf such as a Social Worker, Health Visitor, Teacher or other professional as appropriate.



**Deadline:** Applications should be submitted before the 15th of the month

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 834 6069 Email: [info@gaddum.co.uk](mailto:info@gaddum.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.reliefinneed.co.uk/relief-in-need](http://www.reliefinneed.co.uk/relief-in-need)

## Manchester Wellbeing Fund

**Aims/priorities:** In January 2017, Greater Manchester Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust (GMMH) embarked on an ambitious programme of clinical service

transformation to improve the mental health outcomes for people receiving their services and to support the wider mental wellbeing of Manchester citizens. Part of this vision for Manchester services involves building community support to promote mental wellbeing (feeling good and functioning well) and support people living with mental health conditions in the community. A budget of £1.5m has been allocated for the three-year Manchester Wellbeing Fund, for community groups and GMMH service users who have great ideas about how to support their communities.

The main objectives of the Fund are:

- to develop community support around people's mental health needs
- to promote mental health and wellbeing
- to challenge the stigma around mental illness

**Who can apply?** The Fund is for groups and service users who are passionate about mental wellbeing in their communities. It is designed to support individual projects rather than provide core funding for organisations.

**Grant amount:** Grants of between £250 and £3,000 are available

**Application process:** Applicants need to first complete an Expression Form online. For grants of up to £500 applicants will only have to submit an Expression of Interest.

**Deadline:** This is a rolling programme, applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 271 0477 Email: [mwf@gmmh.nhs.uk](mailto:mwf@gmmh.nhs.uk)

**Website address:** [www.gmmh.nhs.uk/manchester-wellbeing-fund](http://www.gmmh.nhs.uk/manchester-wellbeing-fund)



## Near Neighbours

**Aims/priorities:** Near Neighbours brings people together from communities that are religiously and ethnically diverse,

so that they can get to know each other better, build relationships of trust and collaborate together on initiatives that improve the local community they live in. There are two key objectives:

- Social interaction – to develop positive relationships in multi-faith and multi-ethnic areas i.e. to help people from different faiths and ethnicities get to know and understand each other better



- Social action – to encourage people of different faiths and of no faith and of different ethnicities to come together for initiatives that improve their local neighbourhood

**Who can apply?** Faith groups, places of worship, partnerships of different faith groups, and informal local groups comprising people of different faith groups. Secular organisations that are working with faith communities. Projects must run in one of these eligible areas: Manchester, Rochdale, Bury and Oldham.

**Grant amount:** Grants of between £250 and £5,000 are available

**Application process:** Speak to your local Near Neighbours Coordinator, Samra Kanwal

**Contact information:** Tel: 07927 550 744 Email: [samra@greatertogethermanchester.org](mailto:samra@greatertogethermanchester.org)

**Website address:** [www.near-neighbours.org.uk/small-grants](http://www.near-neighbours.org.uk/small-grants)

## Neighbourhood Investment Funds

**Aims/priorities:** Neighbourhood Investment Funds are



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available to communities to make their neighbourhoods better places to live. £20,000 of neighbourhood investment funding is available to every area (ward) in Manchester each year – to help groups carry out events and activities that benefit people in their local neighbourhood.

**Who can apply?** The fund is open to established groups, voluntary groups and other community groups, as well as groups of residents working together for the first time. School Parent Teacher Associations can also apply if they have the support of local residents and parents and the project benefits the wider community as well as the school.

**Grant amount:** Applications should not exceed £10,000

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Discuss your ideas with your Neighbourhood officer before applying, the contact details can be found here: <http://bit.ly/2knb6zW> Email: [nif@manchester.gov.uk](mailto:nif@manchester.gov.uk)

**Website address:**

[www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100003/people\\_and\\_communities/202/neighbourhood\\_investment\\_funds](http://www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100003/people_and_communities/202/neighbourhood_investment_funds)

## The Rob Ferguson Fund

**Aims/priorities:** The Rob Ferguson fund is a programme that offers funds to individuals and groups working in MSV's communities and neighbourhoods. This fund offers cash and direct support to initiatives that improve people's lives and the places where they live. All you need is a great idea that connects direct to Mosscares St Vincent's customers.



- Green up where you live – this could range from growing your own food to creating a garden that’s worthy of a ‘Britain in Bloom’ award
- Reaching out to the isolated and vulnerable – Like the elderly and young people living on their own
- Improve safety in your neighbourhood through an activity for young people that uncaps their potential
- Improve health – through things like armchair fitness classes, a community boot camp, a sports event or an outdoor pursuit
- Bringing people together – it could be the old and young, it could be different community groups. The end result is the same. Building a stronger, happier, harmonious place for people to thrive
- Tackle poverty – You can cook and eat healthy on a budget
- Get skills and improve individual capability
- Improve life chances or peoples wellbeing
- Step up through employment, entrepreneurship and training

**Who can apply?** Community groups

**Grant amount:** Not specified

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** For small projects decisions are made week by week, project by project. For bigger projects a panel meets every month.

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 226 4211 Email: [involvement@msvhousing.co.uk](mailto:involvement@msvhousing.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.msvhousing.co.uk/rob-ferguson-fund/](http://www.msvhousing.co.uk/rob-ferguson-fund/)

## ARTS

### The Andrew Lloyd Webber Foundation

**Aims/priorities:** Andrew Lloyd Webber Foundation offers grants in three different strands of funding:

- Unlock – Grants for projects that increase diversity in the arts and heritage by breaking down social, economic and geographical barriers, encouraging engagement and providing high quality training to young people aged under 25, e.g. youth theatres, youth orchestras, side-by-side music initiatives, music therapy groups, music in prisons, heritage skill training
- Enhance – Grants for projects that provide specialist training and work place experience and apprenticeships for emerging artists and newly graduated professionals, e.g. theatre



**Andrew  
Lloyd  
Webber  
Foundation**

director schemes, actor mentoring and training, heritage building craft apprentices and training schemes, young composer schemes, writer's workshops

- Empower – Grants for projects that allow renowned practitioners to apply resources widely, unlocking access to high quality arts and heritage education and training for a significant number of people

**Who can apply?** Registered Charities, or not-for-profits e.g. Companies Limited by Guarantee, constituted community groups. Companies limited by shares are only eligible to apply if the grant is treated as restricted and will not make a profit for the organisation.

**Grant amount:** Unlock – Up to £5,000 per year. Enhance – Up to £10,000 per year. Empower – Up to £25,000 per year

**Application process:** There is a two stage application form

**Deadline:** 1st stage application to be received by 31 July 2019

**Website address:** [www.andrewloydwebberfoundation.com](http://www.andrewloydwebberfoundation.com)

## Foyle Foundation



**Aims/priorities:** The Foundation seeks applications that make a strong artistic case for support in either the

performing or visual arts. The Arts programme has a twofold purpose to help sustain the arts and to support projects that help to deliver your artistic vision. The Foundation look for value for money, long term benefit and sustainability in projects that they support. Typical areas of support include:

- Helping to make the arts more accessible by developing new audiences, supporting tours, festivals and arts educational projects
- Encouraging new work and supporting young and emerging artists
- Building projects that improve or re-equip existing arts venues (rather than construction of new facilities, although this will not be excluded)
- Projects that encourage sustainability by reducing overheads or which help generate additional revenue

**Who can apply?** Individual artists, community and cultural organisations

**Grant amount:** Grants of between £1,000 and £10,000 are available

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** Applications are accepted all year round, except for capital projects, it may take up to four months, occasionally longer, to receive a decision

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7430 9119 Email: [mgs@foylefoundation.org.uk](mailto:mgs@foylefoundation.org.uk) (Main Grants Scheme), [sgs@foylefoundation.org.uk](mailto:sgs@foylefoundation.org.uk) (Small Grants Scheme)

**Website address:** [www.foylefoundation.org.uk](http://www.foylefoundation.org.uk)

## Paul Hamlyn Foundation – Access and Participation Fund



**Aims/priorities:** The PHF's mission is to "help people overcome disadvantage and lack of opportunity, so that they can realise their potential and enjoy fulfilling and creative lives". The Foundation places particular focus on supporting both young people and the arts. The Foundation's Strategy 2015 identifies six strategic priorities relating to changes the PHF wishes to see in the UK. These are:

- To support imaginative people to nurture exciting ideas
- To widen access and participation in the arts
- To improve people's education and learning through the arts
- To show that the arts make a difference to people's lives
- To support the development and growth of organisations investing in young people and positive change
- To improve support for young people who migrate, and strengthen integration so that communities can live well together

The funding schemes offered by the PHF are designed to support innovation, give people a voice, work with others and make lasting commitments.

**Who can apply?** Not-for-profit formally constituted organisations

**Grant amount:** The Access and Participation Fund offers two levels of funding:

- 'Explore and Test' grants of up to £60,000 for up to two years. Funding is designed to help explore and test both new approaches and ways of addressing new issues. Up to 20% of the grant may be allocated as a contribution to organisational running costs
- 'More and Better' grants of up to £400,000 for up to four years. Funding is intended to increase the impact and effectiveness of work which has already shown promise or positive impact

**Application process:** Online application form available

- Explore and Test – A one-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form can be filled in online on the PHF website
- More and Better – A two-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form for stage one is available to complete online

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7812 3300 Email: [information@phf.org.uk](mailto:information@phf.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.phf.org.uk/funds/access-and-participation-fund/#the-purpose-of-the-fund](http://www.phf.org.uk/funds/access-and-participation-fund/#the-purpose-of-the-fund)

## Said Foundation – Amal Grants Programme

**Aims/priorities:** Grants to support a variety of high-quality arts and cultural activities that aim to further the objectives of increasing understanding of Britain's Muslim communities among people

of other faiths and none and fostering a stronger sense of belonging in the UK among its Muslim communities.

**Who can apply?** Applications will be considered from:

- Registered UK charities which are:
  - Arts, cultural and educational organisations (e.g. arts centres, museums, galleries, performing arts spaces and companies, heritage organisations, etc.)
  - Established community groups
  - Other not-for-profits
- Local authority cultural organisations
- Schools
- Community Interest Companies, Companies Limited by Guarantee and potentially other kinds of company or partnership

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to a maximum of:

- £25,000 for funding in a single year
- £40,000 for funding spread over two years
- £50,000 for funding spread over three years

**Application process:** There is a two stage application process

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7593 5427 Email: [hello@amal.org.uk](mailto:hello@amal.org.uk)

**Website address:** <http://amal.org.uk/grants/>

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## CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE & FAMILIES

### Alec Dickson Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Alec Dickson Trust supports young people who, through volunteering or community service, aim to enhance the lives of others, particularly those most marginalised by society.

**Who can apply?** Individuals or groups of young people aged 30 or under

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to £500 are available

**Application process:** An application form can be completed through the website

**Deadline:** 31 July 2019

**Contact information:** Email: [secretary@alecdicksontrust.org.uk](mailto:secretary@alecdicksontrust.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.alecdicksontrust.org.uk](http://www.alecdicksontrust.org.uk)

The logo for the Alec Dickson Trust, featuring the words "alec dickson trust" in a bold, lowercase, sans-serif font. The text is arranged in three lines: "alec" on the top line, "dickson" on the middle line, and "trust" on the bottom line. The logo is set against a light yellow background.

## The Henry Smith Charity – Holiday Grants

**Aims/priorities:** A day trip or a longer holiday of up to seven days. These can be to the countryside or a city, but must be within the UK and outside of children's immediate localities. Examples include camping, trips to adventure activity centres or the seaside.

Applications that will benefit disadvantaged or disabled children living in the most deprived areas of the UK will be prioritised. For Holiday Grants this means areas that fall within the bottom 20% according to the National Indices of Deprivation.

**Who can apply?** Schools, small charities and not-for-profit organisations

**Grant amount:** Grants of between £500 – £2,500 are available

**Application process:** An application form and guidance can be downloaded from the website

**Deadline:** Applications accepted 1 May 2019 – 2 July 2019 for trips 1 July to 31 August. Grants are made on a first come first served basis until the available funding for that round has been fully allocated

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7264 4970

**Website address:** [www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk](http://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk)



The  
Henry Smith  
Charity  
founded in 1628

## The Ragdoll Foundation

**Aims/priorities:** The Ragdoll Foundation's Open Grants scheme has been designed to support the cultural sector's work with children and young people. The Foundation's vision is to support projects where the concerns of childhood can be heard. The

Foundations primary purpose is to make grants for charitable purposes that:

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

Preference will be given to innovative projects that share the same values of imagination and creativity as the Ragdoll Foundation. In particular, those projects which have a deep commitment to listening to children and allow the perceptions and feelings of children themselves to be better understood. The Foundation are mainly interested in applications that involve children during their early years, but appropriate projects for older children (up to 18 years) will also be considered.

**Who can apply?** The Ragdoll Foundation accepts applications from not-for-profit organisations based in the UK



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**Grant amount:** Applications of up to £50,000 are welcome although the majority of grants are likely to be in the region of £5,000 to £20,000. Applications will be considered for both one-off short-term projects and for projects lasting up to three years.

**Application process:** An application form can be downloaded from their website

**Deadline:** The grants scheme operates a rolling deadline

**Contact information:** Email: [applications@ragdollfoundation.org.uk](mailto:applications@ragdollfoundation.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.ragdollfoundation.org.uk/portfolio/grant-giving](http://www.ragdollfoundation.org.uk/portfolio/grant-giving)

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## COMMUNITY

### The Charlotte Heber-Percy Charitable Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Trust is keen to fund work in the following areas:

- Animal welfare and the local environments
- Medical, cancer and hospices
- International charities
- Local organisations
- Education and children
- General charitable organisations
- The Arts and museums

**Who can apply?** UK registered charities

**Grant amount:** Grants tend to range from £1,000 - £10,000, with most being in the £3,000 - £5,000 range

**Application process:** The Trust does not maintain a website. Contact Charlotte Heber-Percy Charitable Trust for further information.

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7399 0820 Email: [linda.cousins@rathbones.com](mailto:linda.cousins@rathbones.com) Post: The Administrator, The Charlotte Heber-Percy Charitable Trust, Rathbone Trust Company Limited, 8 Finsbury Circus, London, EC2M 7AZ

### David Wilson Homes North West – Our Space, Your Place Grants

**Aims/priorities:** Our Space, Your Place is an exciting community initiative from David Wilson Homes North West. Our Space, Your Place offers organisations, community groups and charities across the region the opportunity to benefit from support in the form of funding or time, to improve their community. The only condition is that the contribution should be used for something, which will genuinely enhance or improve services, facilities or the environment within their local area. The funding aims to improve and enhance local communities in the North West, which the scheme



defines as Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Staffordshire, Merseyside, Flintshire, Wrexham and Lancashire. This could be by providing a charitable service, enhancing the local environment or offering educational facilities.

**Who can apply?** Local community groups, charities, and schools in Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Staffordshire, Merseyside, Flintshire, Wrexham and Lancashire can apply.

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to £1,000 are available

**Application process:** The application form is available to download on their website

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 236 2277 Email: [hannah@unsworthsugden.co.uk](mailto:hannah@unsworthsugden.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.ourspaceyourplace.co.uk/applications/](http://www.ourspaceyourplace.co.uk/applications/)

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## ENVIRONMENT

### Alan Evans Memorial Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The scheme aims to fund projects for the permanent preservation of areas of natural beauty or historic interest, including projects involving animal or plant life.

**Who can apply?** UK charitable organisations

**Grant amount:** Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees. Grants tend to be in the range of £1,000 to £5,000 with a few larger grants made to exceptional projects.

**Application process:** The Trust does not maintain a website. Applications may be submitted at any time via an application form available on request from the Trust.

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 01793 847 777 Email: [aevans@withyking.co.uk](mailto:aevans@withyking.co.uk) Post: Alan Evans Memorial Trust, Royds Withy King LLP, 34 Regent Circus, Swindon, SN1 1PY

### The Naturesave Trust

**Aims/priorities:** Grants are available to environmental and conservationist groups in the UK for projects that deal with specific environmental and/or conservationist problems, and that encourage the greater commercial adoption of sustainable development. The Naturesave Trust was set up in 1995 to promote the adoption of sustainable development. The principal areas of funding are:

- Conservation Projects – Working with communities and organisations to protect wildlife and improve biodiversity
- Social Enterprise Projects – Working with charities and voluntary organisations to support vulnerable and disadvantaged groups
- Community Renewable Energy Grants – Providing startup ‘seed corn’ grants for community renewable energy projects

- Environmental Performance Reviews – The Trust also funds independent reviews for commercial customers of Naturesave Insurance

**Who can apply?** Charities, Companies or Organisations whose activities are based within the UK

**Grant amount:** Grants are available up to £10,000

**Application process:** Applications can be completed online or by downloading the application form on their website

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 01803 864 390 Email: [mail@naturesave.co.uk](mailto:mail@naturesave.co.uk)

**Website address:** [www.naturesave.co.uk/the-naturesave-trust/about-the-trust/](http://www.naturesave.co.uk/the-naturesave-trust/about-the-trust/)

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## FAITH

### The Altajir Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Trust aim to support organisations working on projects that enhance the understanding and recognition of the achievements of Islamic culture and foster positive Muslim-Christian links. Grants may be used to host exhibitions, produce publications and run educational programmes.

**Who can apply?** Charities registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales, excepted or exempted charities

**Grant amount:** Contact the Altajir Trust for further information

**Application process:** An application form can be found on the Trust's website. Once completed, it should be sent by post to the Altajir Trust along with a copy of the latest annual report and accounts. The application should be printed and signed before sending it to the Trust.

**Deadline:** The trustees meet four times a year. Applications will be acknowledged when received and an indication given of the time frame for a decision.

**Contact information:** Email: [enquiries@altajirtrust.uk](mailto:enquiries@altajirtrust.uk)

**Website address:** [www.altajirtrust.org.uk/grants.html](http://www.altajirtrust.org.uk/grants.html)

### Joseph Rank Trust

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**Aims/priorities:** The Trust will consider funding one-off grants for capital expenditure and three-year grants for project funding / core costs. The Trust's main areas of interest are as follows:

- Projects that demonstrate a Christian approach to the practical, educational and spiritual needs of people of all ages
- 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

Applicants are required to ensure that they have other sources of funding or can match any funding the Trust might provide.

**Who can apply?** Charities registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales, excepted or exempted charities

**Grant amount:** There are no minimum or maximum levels of grant available, however the resources available for unsolicited appeals are very limited. The Trust will consider funding one-off grants for capital expenditure and three-year grants for project funding/core costs.

**Application process:** There are no application forms and written applications should be submitted in hard copy, not by email. Before contacting the trust, visit the website first.

**Deadline:** In 2019 the Trustees will be meeting in July and October

**Contact information:** Tel: 01293 873 947

**Website address:** [www.ranktrust.org](http://www.ranktrust.org)

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## GENERAL

### The Jill Franklin Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Jill Franklin Trust has a small amount of funding which it offers each year in grants to small charities working in deprived areas of the UK. It looks with particular favour at applications from the North of England and from Wales. The Trust has five areas for which it solicits grant applications as follows:

- Self-help groups, advice, training, and employment; to support people with a mental illness or learning difficulties, and their carers (parents etc.)
- Organisations helping and supporting refugees and asylum-seekers coming to, or in, the UK
- The restoration (not improvement) of churches of architectural importance (half a page in the Pevsner series Buildings of England, Wales, Scotland or Ireland or Grade 1 listed). The church should be open to visitors every day
- Local schemes to help prisoners to resettle, or to inhibit delinquency
- Bereavement counselling

**Who can apply?** The Trust accepts applications from registered charities working in deprived areas of the UK

**Grant amount:** Grants are typically £1,000 for one to three years (except for church restoration, which is normally £500)

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** Applications can be made at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7722 4543 Email: [jft@jill-franklin-trust.org.uk](mailto:jft@jill-franklin-trust.org.uk)

**Website address:** <http://jill-franklin-trust.org.uk/>

## Rhododendron Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Rhododendron Trust, a small family charitable trust, offers funding to support social welfare and humanitarian aid projects both in the developing world and the UK. In the UK, the Trust wishes to support those disadvantaged by disability or mental illness (such as those suffering from epilepsy or autism). It also regularly supports charities, which work with prisoners and ex-offenders, or those addicted to drugs, and the homeless. It funds charities, which support carers and which help the elderly or disadvantaged children. The Trust is also open to proposals for small theatre and music projects, and to proposals for the protection of cultural and natural heritage. It is interested in projects, which help sustain the environment.



**Who can apply?** UK registered charities based and working in England

**Grant amount:** Grants of £500 or £1,000 are available.

**Application process:** There is no formal application form. Applicants should send a request letter to the Grants Officer. The request letter should not go into much detail about the need, which is being met, but give details about how it will be met by a donation from the Rhododendron Trust.

**Deadline:** There are no deadlines you can apply at any time

**Contact information:** The Grants Officer, Rhododendron Trust, 6 Bridge Street, Richmond, North Yorkshire, DL10 4RW

**Website address:** [www.rhododendron-trust.org.uk](http://www.rhododendron-trust.org.uk)

## Ward Blenkinsop Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The funding is intended for the following:

- General charitable purposes
- Education and training
- Advancement of health or saving of lives
- Arts, culture, heritage and science



**Who can apply?** UK registered charities or voluntary organisations can apply

**Grant amount:** Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees

**Application process:** The Trust does not have a website or an email address. Applications should be made in writing and posted to the Trust. Contact the Ward Blenkinsop Trust for further information.

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Charlotte Blenkinsop, Ward Blenkinsop Trust, PO Box 28840, London, SW13 0WZ

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## HEALTH AND WELLBEING

### The Yapp Charitable Trust



**Aims/Priorities:** The Trust offers grants to support the core funding of smaller registered charities that are tackling difficult or less popular work throughout England and Wales. The charities' work must focus on one of the Trust's priority funding groups:

- Elderly people
- Children and young people aged five to 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

**Who can apply?** Small charities with a total annual expenditure of less than £40,000 and registered with the Charity Commission in England and Wales can apply

**Grant amount:** Grants are normally for a maximum of £3,000 per year for up to three years.

**Application process:** Applications can be made through the website

**Deadline:** Trustees meet 3 times per year to consider applications and a decision time can take up to 5 months from the date of submission

**Contact information:** Joanne Anderson, Trust Secretary Tel: 0191 389 3300 Email:

[info@yappcharitabletrust.org.uk](mailto:info@yappcharitabletrust.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.yappcharitabletrust.org.uk](http://www.yappcharitabletrust.org.uk)

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## HERITAGE

### The Glaziers Trust



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**Aims/priorities:** Funding to

churches and other public buildings to support the preservation or restoration of historic and important stained glass in the UK.

**Who can apply?** Churches and public bodies in the UK may apply for funding as long as their stained glass is accessible to the public

**Grant amount:** Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees

**Application process:** An application form and guidelines can be found on the Glaziers Trust's website

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at anytime

**Contact information:** Tel: 0781 110 6264 Email: [mog500@york.ac.uk](mailto:mog500@york.ac.uk) / [neilmoat@aol.com](mailto:neilmoat@aol.com)

**Website address:** <http://glazierscompany.org.uk/conservation-grants/>

## Heritage Impact Fund



**Aims/priorities:** The Architectural Heritage Fund (AHF), an independent charity, was established to promote the conservation and sustainable re-use of historic buildings for the benefit of communities across the UK. The Heritage Impact Fund (HIF) is a £7 million joint initiative between the AHF, the National Lottery Heritage Fund, Historic England, Historic Environment Scotland and the Welsh Government's historic environment service, Cadw, to support sustainable heritage projects in the UK that benefit local communities and will deliver enhanced local economic and community impact. This new Fund offers tailored, flexible loans to charities, social enterprises and community businesses to enable the acquisition, reuse or redevelopment of buildings that are of historic or architectural importance (these buildings might be listed, in a Conservation Area, or may be of special significance to the local community).

Projects should achieve the following outcomes:

- Be financially viable and help support the objectives of the organisation
- Provide impact to or benefits for the communities in which the buildings are based

**Who can apply?** Eligible applicants must be formally constituted and incorporated charities, community businesses or social enterprises whose members have limited liability.

**Grant amount:** Loans of £25,000 to £500,000 are available for up to three years

**Application process:** Applicants can complete the initial enquiry form on the AHF website or can email or phone the AHF Investment Team any time to discuss prospective projects.

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7925 0199 Email: [hif@ahfund.org.uk](mailto:hif@ahfund.org.uk)

**Website address:** <http://ahfund.org.uk/hif>

## National Churches Trust – Cornerstone Grants Programme 2019-2023

**Aims/priorities:** The National Churches Trust supports church and chapel buildings open for worship throughout the UK. It funds urgent repairs and modernisation, provides expert advice on church maintenance and on how churches can continue to serve local communities and promote church heritage and tourism.



The funding is for projects, which can demonstrate how they meet the outcome in line with the new strategy:

- Preserving heritage
- Promoting sustainability
- Inspiring support

The Cornerstone Grants programme is intended to support structural repairs and maintenance issues costing more than £100,000 or the installation of kitchen and toilets costing over £30,000.

**Who can apply?** Places of worship of any Christian denomination and age can apply

**Grant amount:** Grants of between £10,000 and £50,000 are available for urgent structural repairs costing at more than £100,000 including VAT. Projects that introduce kitchens and accessible toilets to enable increased community use, costing at more than £30,000 including VAT, will also be considered. Grants will cover up to 50% of the project cost.

**Application process:** Guidance notes and an online application form can be found on the Trust's website

**Deadline:** Applications can be made at any time and are considered three times a year. The next deadline is 1 July 2019

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7222 0605 Email: [grants@nationalchurchestrust.org](mailto:grants@nationalchurchestrust.org)

**Website address:** [www.nationalchurchestrust.org](http://www.nationalchurchestrust.org)

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## OLDER PEOPLE

### Barchester's Charitable Foundation

**Aims/priorities:** Barchester's Charitable Foundation helps older people and other adults with disabilities across England, Scotland and Wales. The Foundations gives grants to help reduce isolation and loneliness, promote group activities and generally improve people's independence, mobility and quality of life. The Foundation aims to give grants that will help people lead more fulfilled lives and reach their full potential. This year the focus is about connecting or re-connecting people with others in their local community. Applications that combat loneliness and enable people to be active and engaged will receive their highest priority.



**Who can apply?** Individuals, small community groups and small local charities

**Grant amount:** Grants range from £100 to £5,000

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Application process:** Applications must be submitted online

**Contact information:** Tel: 0800 328 3328 Email: [info@bhcfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@bhcfoundation.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.bhcfoundation.org.uk](http://www.bhcfoundation.org.uk)

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## SPORT & RECREATION

### The Football Association's Stay in the Game



**Aims/priorities:** The Football Association's Stay in the Game scheme, formerly known as Retain the Game, is aimed at supporting the retention of adult male teams. The scheme provides grants to clubs with existing male teams to support the essential costs of pitch hire, training venues, and affiliation fees

**Who can apply?** Applications will be considered from grassroots clubs that meet the following criteria:

- Adult clubs with two or more adult male teams that hold the FA's Adult Charter Standard award, Charter Standard Development or Charter Standard Community Club award
- Adult clubs with two or more adult male teams who commit to become Adult Charter Standard within the 2019/20 season

The funding will support clubs' adult male teams in the following categories:

- Under-18, Under-19s, Under-21s, Under-23s
- Open Age
- Veterans

Priority will be given to:

- Clubs with three or more adult male teams
- Clubs that have been in existence for five to nine seasons
- Clubs that have been in existence for ten or more seasons
- Clubs that operate in leagues employing Full Time

Only one application can be submitted per club

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to £750 are available

**Application process:** Applications are made through Grantshot, the Football Foundation's online application portal

**Deadline:** 6 June 2019, 5pm

**Contact information:** Tel: 0345 345 4555 Email: [sitg@footballfoundation.org.uk](mailto:sitg@footballfoundation.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.footballfoundation.org.uk/funding-schemes/stay-in-the-game/](http://www.footballfoundation.org.uk/funding-schemes/stay-in-the-game/)

### The National Hockey Foundation

**Aims/priorities:** The Foundation aims to encourage the development and growth of hockey by providing capital and operational funding to the sport through clubs and educational establishments in England and by support to England Hockey's youth development activities.



**Who can apply?** Grants can be awarded to clubs, limited companies, registered charities and other bodies in England. Other bodies can include not-for-profit organisations, schools, colleges and universities as long as the application completely meets the aims of the foundation. Applications that are supported by England Hockey are favoured. The Trustees would like all applications to specifically identify the part of the scheme project costs, which solely support the development of young people.

**Grant amount:** There is no limit on the amount of funding an organisation can request. However, the Foundation does not generally award grants for less than £10,000 or more than £75,000.

**Application process:** There is an online application form

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Email: [Nathockeyfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:Nathockeyfoundation@gmail.com)

**Website address:** <http://thenationalhockeyfoundation.com/forms>

## The Richard Overall Trust

**Aims/priorities:** The Richard Overall Trust offers funding to advance the physical education of disabled young individuals and groups in the UK through the provision of grants to allow their participation in or attendance at sporting activities, or the purchase of equipment for sporting events or activities. Examples of applications for which funding may be made:

- Equipment: Such as Specialist Sports Equipment
- Training: Instructors and the Use of Gymnasiums
- Clothes: Track Suits or Footwear
- Transport: To Include Fares or the Hire of a Specialist Vehicle
- Attendance: The purchase of Tickets to Sporting Events

**Who can apply?** Open to individuals, groups, family and carers who are UK citizens

**Grant amount:** Funding is provided at the discretion of the Trustees

**Application process:** Contact the Trust for more information

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 01420 511 375 Email: [therichardoveralltrust@gmail.com](mailto:therichardoveralltrust@gmail.com)

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