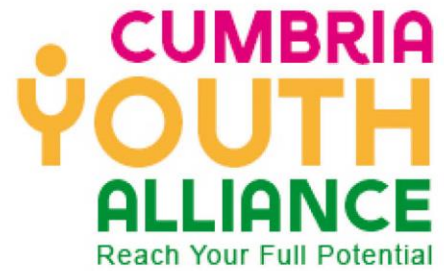


# June 2022 Funding Gazette Sports Edition



Welcome to the June edition of the Cumbria Youth Alliance Funding Gazette. This month we have compiled a sports and activity special edition in conjunction with colleagues at Active Cumbria. Many thanks to the team at Active Cumbria for their co-operation with this. If you would like to contact your local development officer at Active Cumbria, they are listed at the start of this publication with contact details.





## Welcome to our June Funding Gazette

CYA would like to acknowledge a wide range of sources of information. We regularly look at funding information from NAVCA, Active Cumbria, NCVO, Merseyside Funding Portal, Get Grants and Focus on Funding from Cumbria CVS. CVS will do a search for funding for your specific project via Grantfinder. Contact: [cvsfunding@cumbriacvs.org.uk](mailto:cvsfunding@cumbriacvs.org.uk)

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There are significant opportunities to apply for grants and trusts but now more than ever the competition is stiff and you need to take time to read the guidelines carefully for each of the charitable trusts and foundations and only apply to those where you do meet the criteria.

Funders tell us that over 30% of the applications they receive don't meet their criteria and they waste time reading through them and rejecting them but more importantly the organisations have wasted their time compiling the application and the supporting documents only for them to be consigned to the bin.

Cumbria Youth Alliance can help you with your funding applications -we can supply you with up to 10 potential funding sources that are a good match for your organisation. We can assist by being a second pair of eyes to read through your applications before you send them away and we can be a referee for your application if we have worked together and we are aware of your work.

**If you and your team need help with fundraising and you work with children, young people or families here in Cumbria then give us a shout [juan@cya.org.uk](mailto:juan@cya.org.uk) or ring us on 01900-603131 to book a zoom call for some one-to-one support.**

Don't forget you are not alone Cumbria Youth Alliance can help with all sorts of aspects of your fundraising thanks to support from Cumbria County Council under the Infrastructure Support Contract to support organisations working with children and young people.

- We can source 5 big and 5 small charitable trusts giving you a good match for what you want funded
- We can deliver fundraising training - how to apply to foundations and trusts -we can deliver this at a time and place to suit your needs and it can include staff, volunteers and /or trustees
- We can check your bids and see if we can add anything or help it with additional information
- We can act as a referee for any big bids you are submitting
- We can help you set up systems to manage your grant so you can report accurately to funders

If you want to access any of these services email [juan@cya.org.uk](mailto:juan@cya.org.uk) or ring 01900 603131, mob 07859092981

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# SPOTLIGHT ON ACTIVE CUMBRIA

## Active Cumbria

[www.activecumbria.org/about-us/](http://www.activecumbria.org/about-us/)

Active Cumbria, the Sport and Physical Activity Partnership is one of 42 Active Partnerships in England and is hosted within Cumbria County Council's Public Health Team.

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Our 5 Year Plan provides us with a framework which helps inform our decision making around effort and investment, and has been developed in partnership with our Advisory Board and wider sector partners to reflect the key challenges that increased levels of physical activity can contribute and support to improve the health and wellbeing of our communities.

Tackling inequalities in participation in sport and physical activity is at the heart of the Plan, and aligns with the ambitions of Sport England's 10 Year Strategy 'Uniting the Movement' which can be viewed [here](#)

**Funding available via Active Cumbria:** [www.activecumbria.org/workforce/funding/](http://www.activecumbria.org/workforce/funding/)

**Covid-19 specific funding:** [Click here to go to the Covid-19 specific funding page](#)

## Funding Available Through Sport England

Sport England's strategy, Towards an Active Nation, outlines how they will get more people taking part in sport and activity across England, there are a number of funding opportunities available. Coronavirus hit the sport and physical activity sector hard and we know things have been tough, Sport England have modified their funding streams to align with the goals of their Uniting the Movement strategy and to help people safely return to play in the places impacted the most.

For live updates please see [Sport England webpage](#)

### New April 2022: Places and Spaces Fund

Up to £10,000 available in match funding for Crowdfunder projects, as part of a Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games package. This fund is to help community sport and physical activity groups create, enhance or redevelop sports facilities for the benefit of the community as part of the Birmingham 2022 legacy.

Website: [New April 2022: Places & Spaces Fund](#)

### Active Together

is a crowdfunding initiative that can match fund, up to £10,000, successful Crowdfunder campaigns. This funding option is about supporting local clubs and organisations through the coronavirus crisis and with the #ReturnToPlay. If you are a sports club that has experienced short term financial difficulty or need to adapt how you operate due to the pandemic then this could be a fund for you.

Website: [Active Together](#)

### Great Idea

If you have a great idea, Sport England want to hear from you. This approach from Sport England is in response to consultation that funding applications are daunting and time-consuming, so they want to start the conversation earlier. With just four simple questions to answer - the first one being your name, this process couldn't get much easier!

Website: [Great Idea](#)

### Strategic Facilities Fund

Aims to support projects that can encourage people to lead an active and healthy lifestyle. By helping to build the right facilities in the right places, the fund can help deliver local outcomes essential to those communities - **currently open** but it is a solicited fund, so any potential organisations interested in applying to this fund, should email [funding@sportengland.org](mailto:funding@sportengland.org) with their project information.

Website: [Strategic Facilities Fund](#)

### The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Activity Fund

aims to use sport and physical activity as a means of bringing a community together and tackling inequalities via awards between £300 and £10,000 from a pot of £5 million of National Lottery funding.

Website: [The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Activity Fund](#)

# LOCAL FUNDING SOURCES A-Z

## Allerdale Borough Council

Grants from £2,000 up to a maximum of £10,000 will be available with funding being provided to organisations that can demonstrate their project will make a significant difference to their members and users from the local community and should also help to deliver a social/economic impact in the Allerdale area.

Website: [www.allerdale.gov.uk/en/sport-leisure-arts-culture/sport-allerdale/sports-development/allerdale-sports-development-grant/](http://www.allerdale.gov.uk/en/sport-leisure-arts-culture/sport-allerdale/sports-development/allerdale-sports-development-grant/)

## CFM's Cash for Kids

the charity will distribute money to young people in Cumbria to pay for specific equipment. Projects must be for the benefit of young people under the age of 18; who are disabled and have special needs or who come from underprivileged backgrounds.

Website: <https://planetradio.co.uk/cfm/cashforkids/>

## Cumberland Building Society

A fund for charitable organisations, in particular those aligned with the company's purpose to make a positive difference to the lives of its customers, communities and people in the Society's operating area of Cumbria, Dumfriesshire, Lancaster, Preston and Haltwhistle. Both strategic (up to £25k) and community grants (up to £5k) are available.

Website: [www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/cumberland-building-society/](http://www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/cumberland-building-society/)

## The Coalfields Regeneration Trust

is currently inviting applications from community and voluntary organisations who are contributing to the regeneration of their communities to apply for grants of up to £5000. There are a number of eligible wards in Allerdale & Copeland. Temporarily replaced by Coalfields COVID-19 Recovery & Resilience Fund.

Website: [www.coalfields-regen.org.uk/england\\_support/funding-support/](http://www.coalfields-regen.org.uk/england_support/funding-support/)

## The Copeland Community Fund

To be eligible for a Copeland Community Fund, grant applications must come from community groups or organisations which are non-profit bodies. The Fund has six themes, one being 'Arts, Culture & Sport' & another 'Quality Open Spaces'. Click here for further details

Website: <http://www.copelandcommunityfund.co.uk/howtoapply/>

## Cumbria Community Foundation

The foundation exists to tackle poverty and improve the quality of community life for the people of Cumbria by raising money and making grants, responding quickly to emerging need, working in partnership with donors to distribute charitable funds. Their grants reach people and organisations which really need them.

Website: <http://www.cumbriafoundation.org/>

## Cumbria County Council

The County Council's Area Support Teams manage a range of grant funds that are used to invest in communities to bring about a positive and lasting change for the benefit of the whole community.

Dora Beeforth Memorial Fund - Small grants are available for groups working with young people (aged 11 to 21 years) from low income families in Cumbria to take part in sport or foreign travel.

Website: [www.cumbria.gov.uk/yourcommunitysupport/communitygrants.asp](http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/yourcommunitysupport/communitygrants.asp)

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Website: [Dora Beeforth Memorial Fund](#)

## Eden Leisure Grants

Grants are available to support organisations including sports clubs and community groups. The fund is discretionary and can support a wide range of projects including both revenue and capital projects. Applications are considered by the Community Services Portfolio Holder. Applications are accepted throughout the year, subject to budget. Maximum of £700 Contact [leisure.corporate@eden.gov.uk](mailto:leisure.corporate@eden.gov.uk) phone: 01768 817817

[www.eden.gov.uk/leisure-culture-and-events/grants-bursaries-and-leisure-cards/leisure-grant-fund/](http://www.eden.gov.uk/leisure-culture-and-events/grants-bursaries-and-leisure-cards/leisure-grant-fund/)

## The Fellfoot Forward Landscape Partnership Scheme

led by the North Pennines Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB) Partnership, has opened the window for applications to two grant schemes; one of which is for community groups. Grants are available for groups and organisations who are involved in community projects that benefit the sustainability and well-being of Fellfoot Forward communities. Contact [David Coverdale](#) to discuss potential projects.

[www.northpennines.org.uk/what\\_we\\_do/fellfoot-forward/fellfoot-forward-grants/community-fund/](http://www.northpennines.org.uk/what_we_do/fellfoot-forward/fellfoot-forward-grants/community-fund/)

## Francis C Scott Charitable Trust

will support charities working in the most deprived communities in Cumbria who are addressing the key transitions in a child's/young person's life, [click here for further details](#)

Website: <http://www.fcsct.org.uk/>

## Gateway Hub – South Lakeland

Voluntary or community organisations are being invited to apply for grant funding of up to £500 to support projects which improve the quality of life in South Lakeland.

Website: [www.compasshub.com/bulletin/view/150](http://www.compasshub.com/bulletin/view/150)

## Hadfield Charitable Trust

Grants for charitable organisations to carry out projects in the areas of social needs, youth and employment, help for older people, the arts and the environment in Cumbria.

Website: <http://hadfieldtrust.org.uk/>

## Kipling Fund for Younger People

Grants are available to local voluntary and community groups in Cumbria with community focussed projects for young people in the county.

Website: [Kipling Fund for Younger People](http://kiplingfund.org.uk/)

## Kirkby Moor Wind Farm Community Benefit Fund

Charitable groups in and around the Kirkby Moor Wind Farm are invited to apply for funding of up to £10,000.

Website: [www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/kirkby-moor-wind-farm-community-benefit-fund/](http://www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/kirkby-moor-wind-farm-community-benefit-fund/)

## Police & Crime Commissioner's Community Fund

This Fund is specifically for access by the local community, third sector and voluntary groups within Cumbria. It is specifically aimed at supporting projects that are provided within local communities for the benefit of that community

Website: <https://cumbria-pcc.gov.uk/what-we-do/funding/community-fund/>

## Police & Crime Commissioner's Property Fund

The aim of the fund is to enable local organisations and community groups to access grants up to the value of £2,500. These grants must link in with one or more of the objectives in the Police & Crime Plan and aim to reduce crime and disorder.

Website: <https://cumbria-pcc.gov.uk/what-we-do/funding/property-fund/>



## Sellafield

Have are 3 categories of funding for organisations in the Copeland and Allerdale Districts:

1. large projects – Sellafield Ltd contribution over £200,000
2. medium projects – Sellafield Ltd contribution between £10,000 and £200,000
3. small, also called good neighbour projects – Sellafield Ltd contribution up to £10,000

[www.gov.uk/guidance/apply-for-sellafield-ltd-grants-and-reusable-equipment#assessing-needs-and-specifying-outcomes](http://www.gov.uk/guidance/apply-for-sellafield-ltd-grants-and-reusable-equipment#assessing-needs-and-specifying-outcomes)

## Sellafield - SIX (Social Investment, Multiplied)

aims to put local people in charge of their own futures by empowering neighbourhoods in Copeland and Allerdale to create transformational change. The strategy has a range of projects and funds that may be of interest to you.

Website: [Sellafield - SIX \(Social Investment, Multiplied\)](#)

## Sir John Fisher Foundation

The Foundation's objective is to distribute its income to charitable causes, throughout the UK, but with special regard to those based in and working for the benefit of people living in Barrow-in-Furness and the Furness Peninsula.

Website: <https://sirjohnfisherfoundation.org.uk/application-feedback/>

## Walney Extension Community Fund

is a fund for communities along the coastline of Cumbria

Website: [www.grantscape.org.uk/fund/walney-extension-community-fund/](http://www.grantscape.org.uk/fund/walney-extension-community-fund/)

# NATIONAL FUNDING SOURCES A-Z

## Angling Trust

In the wake of the England's first coronavirus lockdown, an increase in the popularity of fishing was observed, with nearly a million people buying or renewing a fishing licence since the spring. As a means of encouraging the wellbeing benefits the sport can offer, the Get Fishing Fund has been created to encourage more people in England to take up fishing or get involved for the first time. From an overall £100,000 budget, grants of up to £500 for small-scale projects and up to £5,000 for larger projects will be available.

Website: <https://grants.anglingtrust.net/online-application-forms/>

## Angus Irvine Playing Fields Fund

The Angus Irvine Playing Fields Fund exists to increase opportunities for young people in disadvantaged areas of the UK to play outdoor sport. The fund is available to local community groups, sports clubs and charities. Grants will typically be in the range from £2.5k - £5k although a larger grant may be possible in some circumstances.

Website: [www.accesssport.org.uk/angus-irvine-playing-fields-fund](http://www.accesssport.org.uk/angus-irvine-playing-fields-fund)

## Aviva Community Fund

The Aviva Community Fund gives you the chance to secure funding for a cause or charity close to your heart. Simply let them know about a project for your community organisation and the difference the money could make.

Website: [www.aviva.co.uk/services-and-support/more-from-aviva/aviva-community-fund/](http://www.aviva.co.uk/services-and-support/more-from-aviva/aviva-community-fund/)

## Awards for All – England

Grants are available for voluntary groups, schools, local authorities and health bodies in England to carry out projects that will improve their local community.

Website: [Awards for All - England](http://Awards for All - England)

## BBC Children in Need Small Grants programme

Funding up to £10,000 is available for projects that combat disadvantage and improve children and young people's lives. BBC Children in Need are planning to open two new funding rounds. **The first will open before end of the year 2020, followed by a further funding round in Spring 2021.** These funding rounds will be open for applications for grants of £10,000 and larger awards of over £10,000.

Website: [www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/grants/apply/small-grants/](http://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/grants/apply/small-grants/)

## Biffa

Funding will benefit people within their free time who are living in communities within five miles of a significant Biffa Group Ltd operation or within 10 miles of an active Biffa Landfill site in England. (Carlisle - St Ninians Road)

Website: [www.biffa-award.org/](http://www.biffa-award.org/)

## BlueSpark Foundation

is a registered charity which supports the education and development of children and young people by providing grants for educational, cultural, sporting and other projects.

Website: <http://bluesparkfoundation.org.uk/>

## Boost Charitable Trust

Grants are available to organisations in the UK helping disabled and disadvantaged individuals participate in sport. Who is eligible? Charities and non-profit making organisations.

Website: [www.boostct.org/get-involved](http://www.boostct.org/get-involved)

## British Cycling - Places to Ride

British Cycling is working closely with Sport England to develop a national network of cycling facilities which meets local demand, making use of a £15 million investment programme called Places to Ride.

Website: [www.britishcycling.org.uk/placestoride](http://www.britishcycling.org.uk/placestoride)

## Bruce Wake Charitable Trust

Grants for the provision of leisure activities for the disabled in the UK

Website: <https://brucewaketrust.co.uk/>

## Cadent Foundation

Over the next 5 years the Cadent Foundation will be awarding £20+ million of grants to charities and community groups to support projects that make a real difference. Charities and community groups can apply for individual grants of between £100 and £100,000. They want to support projects that help alleviate suffering and hardship of people in vulnerable situations under three headings - Environment, Communities and Research & Innovation.

Website: <https://cadentgas.com/cadent-foundation/>

## Canoe Foundation Support Fund

Aims to support projects that create better access to water for recreational users and projects that protect the paddling environment and will provide grants to local community organisations, clubs, parish councils and local authorities with an interest in facilitating paddlesport activity, in order to help alleviate some of the pressure that has been placed on launch sites around the UK. Grants from £500-£10,000 will be made available, with applications being received via the online application form between 5 November and 28 February.

Website: [www.canoe.foundation.org.uk/online-funding-applications/](http://www.canoe.foundation.org.uk/online-funding-applications/)

## Cash 4 Clubs

Cash 4 Clubs is a sports funding scheme which gives clubs a unique chance to apply for grants to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications, and generally invest in the sustainability of their club.

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

## #ClubsInCrisis

Grants for grassroots organisations where sport is used as a vehicle to improve social outcomes (rather than just being about opportunities to participate in sport) for young people ages 5 – 25 with the aim of: developing life skills; improving mental health; reducing crime and anti-social behaviour; developing employability; building stronger communities. Organisations must demonstrate that the COVID pandemic has adversely affected them, either operationally or financially, and that the funding will help ensure the sustainability of their organisation post-pandemic.

Website: [www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/clubs-in-crisis-fund/](http://www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/clubs-in-crisis-fund/)

## Coalfields Community Investment Programme

A £500,000 fund created to support activities that tackle some of the key challenges that still remain in coalfield communities. The fund is open to projects that deliver in the top 30% most deprived coalfield communities.

Website: [www.coalfields-regen.org.uk/england\\_support/funding-support/](http://www.coalfields-regen.org.uk/england_support/funding-support/)

## Comic Relief Community Fund

Is offering grants to grassroots community organisations with an income of less than £250,000. There are two types of grants available to organisations whose work delivers on one of Comic Relief's four strategic themes - Children Survive & Thrive; Fighting for Gender Justice; A Safe Place to Be; Mental Health Matters. Funding is available to help you develop your organisation through a Capacity Building Grant (up to £500) or to deliver projects through a Project Delivery Grant (up to £4000).

Website: [www.groundwork.org.uk/national-grants/comic-relief-community-grants/](http://www.groundwork.org.uk/national-grants/comic-relief-community-grants/)

## Cooperative Local Community Fund

Makes grants for community projects. To apply, you need to be a charity or voluntary group. You can apply for anything from equipment to event costs, help towards rent or fixtures, sport or computer equipment. You can also apply for running costs.

Website: [Cooperative Local Community Fund](http://Cooperative Local Community Fund)

## Central Social and Recreational Trust

Grants are available for sports clubs and organisations in England to provide or assist in the provision of facilities for recreation or other leisure time occupation for the benefit of disadvantaged children who are under the age of 21 years.

Website: [Central Social and Recreational Trust](http://Central Social and Recreational Trust)

## Craven Trust

The trust provides grants of up to £1,500 for community projects in parts of Lancashire and Cumbria.

Website: [www.craventrust.org.uk/](http://www.craventrust.org.uk/)

## Dan Maskell Tennis Trust

Grants are available to help disabled people in the UK to play tennis through the purchase of wheelchairs, tennis equipment and grants for coaching.

Website: [www.craventrust.org.uk/](http://www.craventrust.org.uk/)

## Develop Youth Through Sports Grants

Develop Youth will award, pound for pound for activity that aims to increase participation and/or improve performance at grass roots level. Grants will be awarded in vouchers of £100, £200 and £300 to be redeemed for equipment / kit of your nominated. The criteria for using the voucher: e.g. Applicants budget is £100 – Develop Youth will match the budget of £100 – Allowing an overall spending budget of £200 with the nominated supplier.

Website: <http://developyouth.org/sports-kit-grants-scheme/>

## Dickie Bird Foundation

Support for individuals throughout Great Britain with the aim of helping disadvantaged young people (under the age of 18) to participate in sport, to the best of their ability, in the sport of their choice, irrespective of their social circumstances, culture or ethnicity. Who is eligible? Individuals aged under 18 years at the time

Website: <http://thedickiebirdfoundation.co.uk/>

## DM Thomas Foundation for Young People

Grants are available to UK registered charities that are working with young people (up to 25 years) for projects supporting young people in the vital areas of education, awareness and training. Education funding generally will be given for training/re-training, educational equipment, activity-based learning leading to accreditation and sports equipment.

Website: <https://dmthomasfoundation.org/what-we-do/grants/dmtf-central-grants/>

## DWF Charitable Foundation

One-off grants are available to registered charities in England, Wales and the Republic of Ireland for projects that address issues of homelessness, employability, education, health and well being.

Website: [DWF Charitable Foundation](http://www.dwfcharitablefoundation.org/)

## Fat Beehive Foundation

Digital grants are available to small UK registered charities for building websites or digital products that enable them to carry out their work in a more efficient and effective way, resulting in positive social benefit.

Application deadline: rolling

Website: [www.fatbeehivefoundation.org.uk/](http://www.fatbeehivefoundation.org.uk/)

## FCC Community Foundation

FCC Communities Foundation awards grants to community projects from funds donated by FCC Environment through the Landfill Communities Fund.

Website: <https://fcccommunitiesfoundation.org.uk/>

## Foyle Foundation

Grants are available to smaller charities registered and operating in the UK for projects that will make a significant impact on their work. The revised focus will be to make one-year grants only to cover core costs or essential equipment, to enable ongoing service provision, homeworking, or delivery of online digital services to charities that can show financial stability.

Website: [Foyle Foundation](#)

## Francis C Scott Charitable Trust

Support charities working in Cumbria that support 0-21 year olds from our most deprived communities. Capital and revenue for up to 3 years from £500 - £15,000 p.a. Grants below £4,000 are considered monthly.

Website: [www.fcscct.org.uk/](http://www.fcscct.org.uk/)

## Freemasons' Grand Charity

The charity makes grants to Masonic and non-Masonic charities in England and Wales. Grants are broadly aimed at charitable work in the following fields: Youth Opportunities; Vulnerable People; Medical Research; and Hospices.

Website: <https://mcf.org.uk/charity-grants/>

## Free Fundraising and Charity Training

For small charities across England and Scotland The programme is supported by the Cabinet Office Small Charities Fundraising Training Programme and sponsored by Blackbaud, the event offers eight different courses, covering key fundraising skills such as Trusts & Foundations and Corporate partnerships. There are also courses available in Risk Management and Demonstrating Your Impact.

Website: [www.thefsi.org/services/training/](http://www.thefsi.org/services/training/)

## Football Foundation: Return to Football Fund

Not-for-profit community groups delivering football activity in an area within Decile 1-3 of the Indices of Multiple Deprivation (IMD) are eligible for funding and will be able to apply for grants of up to £500.

Website: <https://footballfoundation.org.uk/game-on>

## Garfield Weston Fund

The Foundation supports a broad range of charities across the UK that make a positive difference. They fund a wide range of causes and charities and their grants vary according to the size of the charity and the work being undertaken.

Website: <https://garfieldweston.org/apply-to-us/grant-guidelines/>

## Gladiator Sports Sponsorship

Up to £500 sponsorship for sports clubs, teams, societies, venues, individuals, events and other sports professionals.

Website: <http://gladiatorsports.co.uk/free-sports-club-team-player-sponsorship>

## Government Funding – VCSE health and wellbeing fund applications

The Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC), NHS England and Improvement, and Public Health England (PHE) are inviting applications from voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) organisations to join the VCSE health and wellbeing fund Starting Well. Projects must:

- have run for at least 3 years
- develop or expand services for children from preconception to 2-and-a-half years old, so they receive the best possible start in life
- be focused on improving health outcomes in black, Asian and minority ethnic (BAME) communities or areas of high deprivation (including urban, rural and coastal areas)

Website: [VCSE health and wellbeing fund applications 2020 to 2021](#)

## Greggs Foundation

The Local Community Projects Fund makes grants of up to £2,000 to help organisations based in local communities to deliver activities that they wouldn't otherwise be able to.

Website: [www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants](http://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants)

## Groundwork UK

Manages a range of funds inc. carrier bag funds, power to change funds and others.

Website: [www.groundwork.org.uk/Pages/Category/groundwork-grant-schemes](http://www.groundwork.org.uk/Pages/Category/groundwork-grant-schemes)

## Grow the Game

The Football Foundation's Grow the Game Scheme provides grants of up to £1,500 for the creation of new football teams and coaching qualifications, with money provided by the Premier League and The FA. The Scheme is delivered by the Foundation.

Website: <https://footballfoundation.org.uk/grant/grow-the-game>

## GSK Impact Awards 2020/2021

The awards are funded by GSK and managed in partnership with The Kings Fund. The Awards recognise and reward charities that are doing excellent work to improve people's health and wellbeing. The awards are designed to recognise success and achievements for the existing work of organisations and you do not have to present a new project.

Website: [www.kingsfund.org.uk/projects/gsk-impact-awards](http://www.kingsfund.org.uk/projects/gsk-impact-awards)

## Hedley Foundation

The Hedley Foundation assists and encourages development and change for the better in the lives of young people. Most grants are capital or one-off, but the Trustees sometimes agree to help fund the introduction of new and innovative projects with a series of up to 3 annual grants.

Website: [www.hedleyfoundation.org.uk/](http://www.hedleyfoundation.org.uk/)

## Henry Smith Charity (Strengthening Communities)

Grants (£20-60k) to support the running costs of small community-based organisations working in the most deprived areas of the UK to help people to make positive changes in their lives.

Website: [Henry Smith Charity \(Strengthening Communities\)](http://Henry Smith Charity (Strengthening Communities))

## HRUK Healthy Heart Grants

Award grants of up to £5,000 and up to £10,000 are available across the UK for new, original and innovative projects that actively promote Heart Health and help to prevent, or reduce, the risk of heart disease in specific groups or communities.

Website: <https://heartresearch.org.uk/healthy-heart-grants/>

## Leeds Building Society Foundation

Funds good causes across the UK, which support those who are disadvantaged or in vulnerable circumstances. The Foundation primarily provides funding towards practical items that directly support those in need including those with disabilities, affected by homelessness, or with serious health issues.

Website: [Leeds Building Society Foundation](http://Leeds Building Society Foundation)

## Les Mills Fund for Children

Les Mills award the funds they raise to registered charities and accountable non-profit organisations who they believe will do their most to improve the education and physical and emotional wellbeing of children aged 0-16. Your work may focus on one or more of these areas: living in poverty, physical and mental health problems, health and wellbeing and living with disability.

Website: [Les Mills Fund for Children](http://Les Mills Fund for Children)

## Lloyds TSB Foundation

Funds local, regional and national charities working to tackle disadvantage across England and Wales. 70% of our funding is for core costs, and our focus is on supporting underfunded charities that can make a significant difference to the lives of disadvantaged people by helping them to play a fuller role in the community. Our strong local presence enables us to respond directly and promptly to local needs.

Website: [www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/](http://www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/)

## Lord's Taverners Accessible Minibuses

Provides specially-adapted transport to schools, clubs and organisations catering for young people with learning and physical disabilities.

Website: [www.fundingforall.org.uk/funds/lords-taverners-accessible-minibuses/](http://www.fundingforall.org.uk/funds/lords-taverners-accessible-minibuses/)



## Magic Little Grants

Small one-off grants (up to £500) are available to local charities and community groups in Great Britain that are running, or planning on running a project that encourages individuals to take part in some form of physical activity to help improve their physical and mental health and well-being.

Website: <https://localgiving.org/magic-little-grants/>

## Morrisons Foundation

The Morrisons Foundation has been set up to make a positive difference to people living in England.

Website: [www.morrisonsfoundation.com/](http://www.morrisonsfoundation.com/)

## Movement For Good Awards

The Movement for Good awards are giving £1m to charities through £1,000 and £50,000 grants. Funding is open to eligible charities registered in the UK and Republic of Ireland with an income of less than £5m, which support a cause that communities care about (e.g. the advancement of education and skills; citizenship or community development; arts, culture or heritage).

Website: [www.ecclesiastical.com/movement-for-good](http://www.ecclesiastical.com/movement-for-good)

## Nationwide

Charities, Community Land Trusts and housing co-operatives who are making positive changes in their local areas can apply for grants of between £10,000 and £50,000.

Website: [www.nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/](http://www.nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/)

## National Lottery

The Funding Finder from the National Lottery will help you navigate the different funding programmes to find the right one for you. 'Awards for All' is a very accessible fund.

Website: [www.lotterygoodcauses.org.uk/funding-finder](http://www.lotterygoodcauses.org.uk/funding-finder)

## One Stop Carriers for Causes Grant

Grants of up to £500 are available to local non-profit organisations and groups for projects within two miles of a One Stop store in Great Britain that benefit local communities by helping to improve lives and local places.

Website: [www.groundwork.org.uk/Pages/Category/carriers-for-causes-uk](http://www.groundwork.org.uk/Pages/Category/carriers-for-causes-uk)

## Places to Ride

This funding is available to any organisation that is developing cycling activity in their community and can be used for anything from equipment packages to activate your local space, through to a brand new cycling facility. The programme is open until January 2021 and has both small scale (£1k-£50k) and large scale grants (£50k-£500k) available as well as equipment packages.

Website: [www.britishcycling.org.uk/placestoride](http://www.britishcycling.org.uk/placestoride)

## Percy Bilton Charity

Funding is available to UK registered charities with primary objectives to assist one or more of the following groups: disadvantaged/underprivileged young people (persons under 25); people with disabilities (physical or learning disabilities or mental health problems); older people (aged over 60).

Website: [www.percy-bilton-charity.org/percy-bilton-organisations](http://www.percy-bilton-charity.org/percy-bilton-organisations)

## Persimmon Building Futures

As part of its sponsorship of Team GB, Persimmon will donate more than £1 million to support children in sport, health and education. Local groups which support under 18's can apply remotely. The top prize is £100k.

Website: [www.persimmonhomes.com/building-futures/](http://www.persimmonhomes.com/building-futures/)

## Peter Cruddas Foundation

Funding available for registered charities in England and Wales working to support disadvantaged and disengaged young people as they move towards pathways into education, training and employment.

Website: [www.petercruddasfoundation.org.uk/about.htm](http://www.petercruddasfoundation.org.uk/about.htm)

## Peter Harrison Foundation – opportunities through Sport Programme

Grants are available to charities registered in the UK that are running sports projects which provide opportunities for people who are disabled or otherwise disadvantaged to fulfil their potential and develop personal and life skills.

Website: [Opportunities through Sport Programme](http://Opportunities through Sport Programme)

## Postcode Dream Trust – Dream Fund

We support charities who wish to deliver highly innovative, impactful and engaging projects across Britain and further afield. Grants of between £500,000 and £1M, including a theme of 'Transforming Society Through Sport'.

Website: [www.postcodedreamtrust.org.uk/](http://www.postcodedreamtrust.org.uk/)

## Postcode Trust

People's Postcode Trust receives all of its funding from players of People's Postcode Lottery. Funding is available for projects of up to 12 months in length ranging from £500 up to £20,000

Website: [www.postcodetrust.org.uk/applying-for-a-grant](http://www.postcodetrust.org.uk/applying-for-a-grant)

## Premier League & The FA Facilities Fund

The fund will provide grants for building or refurbishing grassroots facilities, such as changing pavilions and playing surfaces for community benefit, with money provided by the Premier League, The FA and the Government (via Sport England) and delivered by the Football Foundation.

Website: [Premier League & The FA Facilities Fund](http://Premier League & The FA Facilities Fund)

## The Queens Club Foundation

The club supports lawn tennis, rackets, real tennis, and Squash. It can provide organisations with grants between £500 - £3,000 per year.

Website: [www.queensclubfoundation.co.uk/apply-for-a-grant/](http://www.queensclubfoundation.co.uk/apply-for-a-grant/)

## The Rank Foundation

UK registered charities and recognised churches which are raising money for capital projects (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) can apply for funding through the Rank Foundation – Pebble Grants programme.

Website: [The Rank Foundation](http://www.rankfoundation.org.uk/)

## Ready

This charity provides financial support to disabled young people, (up to 21 yrs). Funding can provide assistance with access ramps, disabled toilets, changing facilities, specialist sporting and recreation equipment.

Website: <http://readycharity.org/grants/>

## The Ron Pickering Memorial Fund

Invites applications from young track and field athletes who are in education and may need financial help towards training or provision of equipment. Applicants must be aged between 15 and 23 years, medallists from their National Schools AA, AAA U17, & U20 or U23 Championships or in the top six of the appropriate UK ranking lists.

Website: <http://rpmf.org.uk/apply-grant/>

## RFU Local Club grants

The RFU now provides Local Club Grants for facility improvements. These are managed and administered locally by RFU staff and Constituent Body volunteers. To find out more please contact RFU Area Facilities Manager [Alex Bowden](#)

Website: [www.englandrugby.com/participation/running-your-club/funding](http://www.englandrugby.com/participation/running-your-club/funding)

## Rugby League World Cup Funding

This grant is dedicated to where Rugby League takes place. It will invest in facilities and equipment that create environments that are accessible, welcoming and build a legacy of the 2021 tournament in local communities. For any queries, please contact the [RFL](#)

Website: [www.rlwc2021.com/facilities](http://www.rlwc2021.com/facilities)

## Seafarers UK

Seafarers UK offer funding to support projects in the UK that fund maritime youth organisations. For further information go to their website

Website: [www.seafarers.uk/helping-you/grant-funding/](http://www.seafarers.uk/helping-you/grant-funding/)

## Screwfix Foundation

They support projects that fix, maintain, improve and repair charitable and community facilities for those in need across the UK. Grants of up to £5,000 are available. Applications can be made at any time and are reviewed on a quarterly basis. The review dates are in February, May, August and November.

Website: [www.screwfix.com/jsp/landing.jsp?id=ScrewfixFoundation](http://www.screwfix.com/jsp/landing.jsp?id=ScrewfixFoundation)

## Sporting Capital

A new social investment fund that focuses on supporting the sustainable development of community sports organisations. The £3m fund is the first of its kind, and offers investment in the form of simple, repayable loans of between £50k to £150k.

Website: [www.sportingcapital.org.uk/](http://www.sportingcapital.org.uk/)

## Swimathon Foundation

Has an annual fund to applications from local not-for-profit organisations from across the UK for local community projects which encourage more people to swim. Community groups and charities who would like to help more people enjoy swimming can apply for funds of between £300 and £2,500.

Website: [www.swimathonfoundation.org/apply/](http://www.swimathonfoundation.org/apply/)

## Tesco Community Grants

Tesco community grants fund thousands of local projects right across the UK. Projects that bring benefit to their community will get the green light. Grants up to £2000 are available.

Website: <https://tescobagsofhelp.org.uk/>

## Trusthouse

Trusthouse gives grants for running costs or one-off capital costs to charities and not-for-profit organisations for projects addressing Rural Issues and Urban Deprivation.

Website: <http://trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/grants/>

## Tudor Trust

Grants (min. £10k) are available to smaller community-led groups that support people at the margins of society in the UK, encouraging independence, inclusion and integration. Sports organisations need to have a strong social focus.

Website: [Tudor Trust](http://TudorTrust)

## UnLtd

Offers young people aged between 11-21 up to £5,000 of funding and all the support you need to help make great ideas happen

Website: [www.unltd.org.uk/our-support/starting-up/do-it](http://www.unltd.org.uk/our-support/starting-up/do-it)

## Vinspired Cashpoint

A fund for 14-30 year old volunteers, up to £500 is available

Website: <https://vinspired.com/organizations/8034>

## Will Charitable Trust

Support is available for activities in the UK that fall within the following categories: care of and services for blind people; long-term care of people with learning disabilities; and care of and services for people suffering from cancer.

Website: [www.willcharitabletrust.org.uk/grantspolicy.htm](http://www.willcharitabletrust.org.uk/grantspolicy.htm)

## Whizz-Kidz

A children's mobility charity who will fund children and young people under 18, who have limited mobility or no mobility at all, with Sports Wheelchairs.

Website: [www.whizz-kidz.org.uk/get-our-help/equipment](http://www.whizz-kidz.org.uk/get-our-help/equipment)

## Wilkinson

Every Wilkinson store has a small budget to help their local community to do great things. They want their donations to improve the lives of as many local people as possible and can make a big difference to lots of good causes.

Website: <http://corporate.wilko.com/stories/supporting.php>

## Wooden Spoon

Wooden Spoon is the UK's leading grant-making charity dedicated to helping disabled and disadvantaged children and young people through rugby. The fund is open to 'not for profit' organisations to apply for grants including Sports Areas

Website: <https://woodenspoon.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/>

## YAPP Charitable Trust

Awards core funding to charities with an annual expenditure of less than £40,000. Grants up to £3,000 per year are available for up to three years, for core funding for projects. Application deadline: rolling

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

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