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If you need further information on any of these grants schemes, how to apply or are going to apply, Contact the Social Enterprise Team Tel: 01369708547 thirdsectorenquiries@argyll-bute.gov.uk

NEWS AND UPDATES

Green Infrastructure Community Engagement Fund

Scottish National Heritage will be holding Open Events in August where further information will be provided about the Fund and how to apply. These will be in Edinburgh on 3rd August, Glasgow on 7th August and a Webinar event on 15th August. Further details of venues, times etc. will be provided nearer the time.

<https://www.greeninfrastructurescotland.org.uk/news/community-engagement-fund-reopen>

Big Lottery to Visit Cowal and Bute

TSI are in the process of arranging for the Big Lottery to visit Cowal and Bute. They will be delivering a presentation surrounding the new funding process, and then be offering short 1-1 sessions with groups and organisations who may wish to apply for funding from them. These are provisionally planned for mid-august, and will be midweek dates. TSI are hoping to be able to facilitate both an afternoon and evening session, so as many people can attend as possible. TSI are inviting **expressions of interest** in both attending and 1-1 sessions, and would be grateful if you could respond with the following if you would be interested:

- Which event? Cowal or Bute
- What time? AM or PM
- number of people attending
- one to one session required? Yes or No

Expressions of interest to samantha@argylltsi.org.uk

Best of the West Competition

Argyll and Bute Council's Business Gateway team is again giving the region's craft businesses the opportunity to showcase and sell their products at the popular Best of the West festival. Now in its fourth year, the competition invites local businesses to pitch for a free trade stand within the Business Gateway sponsored craft tent. The pitch should include what is special about their venture and why their products would be a good fit at the festival. To enter, craft businesses are invited to describe in no more than 250 words why your craft business and the products you sell represent the 'best in the west'. You must include a link to relevant websites or social media to support your entry and you can also include up to 5 photographs of your products and a film clip of no more than 3 minutes.

Deadline: 12th July 2017 <https://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/best-west-competition>

ARTS AND CULTURE

1. Go-Digital Fund

The Go-Digital fund supports Scottish-based book publishers in bringing their books to a new digital audience. It's administered by Publishing Scotland with the help of funding from Creative Scotland. The total sum of £8,000 is spread over two funding rounds annually. The fund helps publishers in three areas:

1. accessing training or consultancy on digital matters;
2. attending digital events in the UK and overseas; and
3. marketing their digital books and content.

Publishers can claim costs up to a maximum of **£1,000** per company.

- As with any Creative Scotland funding, the quality of the publishing programme is important.
- Financial need.

- Type of publishing - priority will normally be given to publishers of fiction, children's books, poetry, and selected non-fiction (normally of a cultural nature) but other types of publishing will be considered.
- Your company must be substantially based in Scotland.
- Self-publishers are not eligible.

Deadline: 4th August 2017

<http://www.publishingscotland.org/about-publishing/funding-information-go-digital-go-see-and-other-funding/>

2. Funding to Support Arts Projects

Grants of up to £5,000 are available to help individuals and organisations such as Colleges, Arts Festivals and other arts organisations carry out arts projects; in particular music projects including Opera, Lieder, Composition and Dance. The funding can be used to pay for tuition or coaching costs, to participate in external competitions, to support a specially arranged performance and for a special publication, musical composition or work of art.

Deadline: 1st October 2017 <http://www.fideliocharitabletrust.org.uk/index.php>

3. Onward International Touring

One of the key aims of Made in Scotland is to maximise the benefit for Scottish artists on the international platform that is the Fringe. As part of this, funding is available to support any work created in Scotland which attracts interest from international promoters as a result of being showcased at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe - it is not just limited to those companies which have been part of a current or previous Made in Scotland Showcase. The Made in Scotland Onward Touring fund is open to any individual or company based in Scotland which has presented a professional piece of theatre, dance or music at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, and which, as a result, was seen by and programmed by an international presenter.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<http://www.creativescotland.com/funding/funding-programmes/targeted-funding/made-in-scotland>

4. Open Project Funding

This fund supports the arts, screen and creative industries, with projects that help them explore, realise and develop their creative potential, widen access to their work, and enrich Scotland's reputation as a distinctive creative nation connected to the world. We want to encourage applicants to generate great ideas and projects that we can then help them to make happen. These ideas can cover a broad spectrum of activity, and Open Project Funding will support:

- Projects that develop skills or artistic practice
- Projects that create something new and of high quality
- Projects which either present work to audiences, or which try to develop and reach new audiences
- Projects which encourage more people to get involved in artistic and creative activity.

Support will be available for activity and projects of different size and scale – and for up to 2 years in duration. You can apply for funding from **£1,000 to £100,000**. We will also consider applications **up to £150,000** by exception and only with prior written approval.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<http://www.creativescotland.com/funding/funding-programmes/open-project-funding>

5. Women Make Music Grants Programme

The programme supports the development of outstanding women songwriters and composers at different stages of their career. It aims to break down assumptions and stereotypes; raise awareness of the gender gap; increase the profile of women who are creating new music in the UK and to encourage women who may otherwise not have applied for PRS for Music Foundation funding. Grants are available of up to £5,000 to support touring, recording, promotion and marketing, community projects involving high-quality music creators, music creator residencies and live performances featuring new UK music.

Deadline: 2nd October 2017 <http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/funding/women-make-music-2/>

6. Museums Galleries Scotland - World War 1 Fund

Organisation in Scotland that run an Accredited Museum can apply for grants of between £1,000 and £10,000 to work with communities to explore the impact and legacy of World War I on the families and communities of Scotland and its continuing resonance on modern life. Projects involving collaborations with artists and/or partnerships are eligible for up to £20,000. Museums, Galleries Scotland want to encourage applications that are

collaborative projects; projects with a strong creative arts component, including projects that involve working with artists; projects that encourage inquiry and understanding about the war; projects which engage younger generations; and projects which will improve access to WWI collections. Potential applicants are strongly encouraged to contact Museums Galleries Scotland to discuss the application they are planning.

Deadline: 4th August 2017 <https://www.museumsgalleriesscotland.org.uk/funding/>

7. Museums Galleries Scotland Museum Development Fund

Accredited museums in Scotland can apply for grants of between £5,000 and £40,000 to support them to make strategic steps towards becoming more resilient organisations. Grants of up to £60,000 for 100% of project costs are also available under this scheme for museums caring for recognised collections. Any organisation that runs an Accredited Museum in Scotland can apply, however, potential applicants are strongly advised to contact Museums Galleries Scotland to discuss their project before submitting an application.

Deadline: 13th October 2017 <https://www.museumsgalleriesscotland.org.uk/funding/museum-development-fund/>

8. Wingate Foundation Music Grants Programme

The Wingate Foundation has announced that its Music Grants programme is open to applications. The Music Grants programme supports those areas of music performance and education which do not readily attract backing from commercial sponsors or other funding bodies, or which are not eligible for public funding. Priority will be given to those organisations which give opportunities to young professionals and to education projects for young people as well as for new adult audiences.

Deadline: 20th September 2017 http://www.wingatefoundation.org.uk/sc_music.php

9. Funding to Promote Events in Scotland

EventScotland, the national events agency which aims to strengthen and promote Scotland's events industry, has announced the National Events Programme round 37 is open to applications. The National Events Programme complements the International Funding Programme and is important in developing domestic tourism across Scotland. Through the programme funding is available to support events (outside of the cities of Edinburgh and Glasgow) that showcase Scotland and help to generate tourism.

Deadline: 6th Oct 2017 <http://www.eventscotland.org/funding/national-events-programme/>

10. Engaging Libraries

Engaging Libraries is looking for public libraries across the UK and Ireland that want to pilot creative and imaginative public engagement projects on health and wellbeing. Public libraries have a key role in delivering on health and wellbeing as outlined in national library strategies across the UK and Ireland and the Society of Chief Librarians' Universal Health Offer. The programme is a partnership between the Wellcome Trust and Carnegie UK Trust and is the outcome of joint work between the Wellcome Trust and the Society of Chief Librarians.

Engaging Libraries offers:

- £5,000 – £15,000 to deliver a public engagement project on a health or wellbeing theme. While most applications are expected to fall within this bracket, there is an opportunity to request up to £25,000 for more ambitious projects
- A package of support from library and public engagement experts
- Kick-starter day with the opportunity to share project ideas, get advice about public engagement and support to think about your evaluation. There will also be the chance to meet other projects.
- An external evaluation to ensure learning and experience can be shared more widely.

Deadline: 23rd August 2017 <https://www.carnegieuktrust.org.uk/project/engaging-libraries/>

BUSINESS AND ENTERPRISE

11. Will it Work?' Grants for Young Business Enterprise

Young people aged 18 - 30 living in the UK, who are unemployed, or working fewer than 16 hours a week can apply for support mentoring and funding to test new business ideas through the Princes Trust's Enterprise programme. As a first stage, 'Will it Work' grants of up to £250 are available to test business viability. Subsequently, low-interest loans of up to £7,500 can help to turn ideas into reality.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/help-for-young-people/support-starting-business/enterprise>

12. Shackleton Foundation

The Shackleton Foundation is offering support and grants of up to £10k 'to enable aspiring leaders and social entrepreneurs to establish their own ventures to help young people in challenging circumstances.'

Deadline: 4th August 2017 <http://shackletonfoundation.org/what-we-fund/funding-applying-for-funding/>

13. ICO Launches Grants Programme

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has launched a Grants Programme to promote and support independent, innovative research and solutions focused on privacy and data protection issues.

There will be a number of grants awarded each year. Awards will be for a minimum £20,000 and a maximum £100,000. The objectives of the ICO Grants Programme are to:

- Support and encourage research and privacy enhancing solutions in significant areas of data protection risk, focused on projects that will make a real difference to the UK public.
- Increase awareness of privacy enhancing solutions with data controllers across the UK.
- Improve understanding of how individuals view privacy issues, interactions with new technologies and promote better public awareness.
- Promote uptake and application of research results by relevant stakeholders, including policy makers.
- Develop existing privacy research capacity in academic and not-for-profit sectors.

Proposals do not need to be technology based but must have practical application and provide real world solutions that are of clear public benefit to the UK.

Deadline: 28th July 2017 <https://ico.org.uk/about-the-ico/what-we-do/grants-programme/>

14. World of Opportunity SME Grants Programme Opens to Support Exporting

The World of Opportunity SME Grants Programme has been established to provide funding for growing businesses in order to help them begin exporting and reaching new markets. Through partnership with the Exporting is GREAT campaign the sponsor can help prepare each successful applicant for international trade; as well as giving them exclusive lounge access as they depart Heathrow from programme supporter, Plaza Premium lounges. The programme is offering 20 SMEs the chance to each win a grant of £2,000 to fund trade missions. The money can also be used to help fund a trade show or research into new markets. The programme is open to all residents in the United Kingdom who are aged 18 years or over. Participants should enter the programme for and on behalf of an SME, being a small or medium-sized enterprise with fewer than 250 employees.

Deadline: 14th July 2017 <http://your.heathrow.com/worldofopportunity/>

15. HSBC UK SME Fund

HSBC UK Bank has announced a £10 billion lending fund to support small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) in the UK. The programme forms part of a broader commitment by the bank to help businesses realise their growth ambitions. The Fund is UK-wide, enabling SMEs in England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland to access the financial support they require. One of the main focus areas of this year's fund is to encourage small firms to explore opportunities for exporting. HSBC research into 1,000 UK SMEs shows that companies are prepared to consider the opportunities of international trade but may be cautious of perceived barriers. With a geographic network covering more than 90% of global trade, HSBC believes it can help businesses to navigate the available markets and overcome obstacles to growth. HSBC approved 91% of small business lending applications in the last year.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<http://www.business.hsbc.uk/en-gb/gb/campaign/10-billion-fund-for-smes>

16. Workplace Innovation Fund to Support New and Innovative Workplace Practices

The Workplace Innovation Fund is administered and funded by Scottish Enterprise, Scotland's main economic development agency. Funding will help introduce new and innovative practices in the workplace; compatible with the key themes of people, place and practice. Scottish Enterprise can contribute up to £5,000 for suitable projects and may fund up to 70% of eligible costs. Small-to-medium VAT-registered business based in Scotland (excluding Highlands and Islands) may apply, with project proposals focusing upon at least two of the following key themes:

- People. Celebrating the benefits of diversity or rewarding and supporting the learning and development of staff members.

- Place. Improving and maintaining a positive working environment; making use of physical space in a creative manner and devoting time to integrating technology.
- Practice. Adopting fair, responsible work practices to improve productivity. For example, building flexible working practices, creating self-managed teams and integrating technologies.

Funding is intended to be used for core business activities. For example, permanent salary costs and recruitment costs. There is no prescriptive list of eligible activities however typical projects costs may include developing potential future leaders, commissioning feasibility studies, consultancy fees and training specialist support staff.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<https://www.scottish-enterprise.com/services/develop-your-organisation/workplace-innovation-fund/overview>

17. Scottish Enterprise Food and Drink Collaborative Innovation Fund

The Food and Drink Collaborative Innovation Fund is a biannual competition for groups of businesses within Scotland's food and drink supply chain - with a focus on small to medium-sized enterprises (SMEs). The aim of the fund is to encourage a culture of collaborative innovation by addressing key food and drink opportunities or challenges. The core focus of the fund is around achieving an innovation outcome of scale, addressing a key food and drink opportunity or challenge in line with the objectives of the Scotland Food & Drink Strategy. This programme supports innovative and applied research and development for:

- Experimental proof of concept
- Technology/Product validated in a laboratory
- Technology/product validated in relevant environment
- Technology/Product demonstration in relevant environment
- System or prototype demonstrated in operational environment
- System or prototype complete and qualified
- Actual system/prototype proven in operational environment

Generally, funding awards will be from £25,000 to £40,000 and to a maximum of 50% intervention and will take between 6-12 months to complete. Grants may also support feasibility studies to a maximum of £5,000. The scheme is open to all businesses within the food and drink supply chain from "farm to fork and sea to shelf". It is targeted at SMEs, however larger companies may be form part of the collaboration for grant funding. If the lead industrial partner is not an SME then additional information on the impact of the proposed project on the Scottish SME supply chain will be required prior to the submission of an application.

Deadline: 30th September 2017

<https://www.scottish-enterprise.com/services/develop-new-products-and-services/competitive-collaboration-innovation-fund/overview>

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

18. DM Thomas Foundation for Young People

The foundation accepts grant applications in the areas of education or health with the following; Children and young people with disabilities; Children and young people sick in hospital; and Children and young people who require palliative care. Grants are generally made up to £30k.

Deadline: 25th July 2017 <http://dmthomasfoundation.org/what-we-do/grants/dmtf-central-grants/>

19. BBC Children in Need Main Grants programme

Grants of over £10,000 per project are available to not for profit organisations and schools that work with young people who are experiencing disadvantage through: illness, distress, abuse or neglect; any kind of disability; behavioural or psychological difficulties; and / or living in poverty or situations of deprivation. Schools can also apply for funding but the project must be additional to their statutory duties.

Deadline: 1st September 2017 <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/3XW7FvN20PD3xr2c1T62Xly/main-grants>

20. BBC Children in Need Small Grants Programme

Not for profit organisations such as schools; registered charities; voluntary organisations; churches; and community interest groups; etc. can apply for grants of up to £10,000 for projects that help children and young people experiencing illness, distress, abuse or neglect; disability; behavioural or psychological difficulties; and deprivation.

Deadline: 1st September 2017 <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/4fJVTzz5QmQx5rx0S4NVg0Q/-grants>

COMMUNITY FUNDING

21. Community Choices Fund

The fund supports Participatory Budgeting activities that create opportunities for more local people to make decisions on local spending priorities and contribute to local participatory democracy. The £1.5m fund is available in two categories of £750k each; Category one for public authorities and other public bodies; Category two for community organisations and community councils.

Deadline: July 21st 2017 <https://pbscotland.scot/blog/2017/6/9/community-choices-fund-announced-for-201718>

22. Climate Challenge Fund

Community-led organisations are invited to apply for CCF funding, with grants of up to £150,000 available per organisation, per year for projects taking place between 1st April 2018 and 31st March 2020. The maximum amount of grant that an organisation can receive during either 2018-19 or 2019-20 is £150,000.

- Grant Applicants may apply for funding for a maximum period of two years.
- Grant Applicants may apply for multiple projects, but will need to ensure that the combined total grant request for the projects is equal to, or less than £150,000 for 2018-19 and 2019-20.
- All grant awards will be conditional on the confirmation of the Scottish Government budget.
- For 2018-2019 some CCF Grant Recipients (with projects involving waste and circular economy activities, or installation of energy efficient measures in community-owned buildings) will be match funded through the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF).

Community-led organisations currently in receipt of CCF funding can submit an Expression of Interest for further funding, but will be required to demonstrate how their new project will achieve additional outcomes. Grant Applicants are encouraged to submit an Expression of Interest as soon as possible to enable the maximum amount of time to develop their application.

- **Expression of Interest - 28/8/17 by 17:00**
- **Draft Application deadline - 8/9/17 by 17:00**
- **Final Application deadline - 27/10/17 by 17:00**

All Climate Challenge Fund projects must meet four criteria to be considered eligible for funding:

- **Community:** Community must be at the heart of decision making process of the project and projects must be designed and delivered by communities themselves.
- **Carbon Reduction:** The funded activity should lead to measurable carbon reductions, improve carbon literacy and help communities move to low carbon living.
- **Sustainable Legacy:** The project should deliver a low carbon legacy, with outcomes (activities and/or behaviours) that continue after the project is completed.
- **Improved climate literacy** Projects should seek to deliver increased understanding of climate change in their communities.

Deadline EOI: 28th August 2017

<http://www.keepsotlandbeautiful.org/sustainability-climate-change/climate-challenge-fund/applying-for-ccf-funding/ccf-grants/>

23. Wesleyan Foundation

Wesleyan Foundation, in partnership with Foundation Scotland, has announced that it will award up to £1m in grants to small charities with the aim of transforming hundreds of lives and communities across Scotland can apply for grants of up to £2k to work in any of the following areas: Improve people's life skills, education, employability and enterprise, maximise ability to strengthen community cohesion and build social capacity. Advance people's physical, mental health and wellbeing.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<https://www.foundationscotland.org.uk/programmes/wesleyan-foundation/>

24. Bank of Scotland Foundation 2017

The Bank of Scotland Foundation is an independent charity supporting local, regional and national charities working at the heart of communities across Scotland. The Foundation is able to provide its grants programmes each year thanks to an annual donation of £2 million from the Lloyds Banking Group. Charities registered in Scotland can apply to the small and medium grants programmes once every 12 months. Applications are currently being accepted to the:

- Medium Grants Programme which offers grants of between £10,000 and £25,000 for projects that address developing and improving local communities and financial literacy and financial inclusion.
- Small Grants Programme which offers grants of between £1,000 and £10,000 for projects that address social inclusion and life-long learning.

Deadline: 6th October 2017 <http://www.evoc.org.uk/noticeboard/notices/bank-scotland-foundation-2017/>

25. Scotland's Community Food and Health's Capacity Building Fund

Community Health and Food (Scotland)'s Capacity Building Fund provides funding to support groups and agencies running food and health activities in Scotland to build the knowledge, skills and expertise they need to help them deliver their activities better. Grants of up to £500 are available to community groups, voluntary organisations or social enterprises working with people in a low-income community or already involved in running a food and health activity. The funding can be used for the following:

- All or part of the cost of a member of staff, volunteer, or management committee/board member taking part in a capacity building activity (for example a training or learning opportunity).
- All or part of the cost of delivering an in-house capacity building activity for staff, volunteers or management committee/board members.

Applicants must be able to show how funding will build the knowledge, skills and expertise of volunteers, staff or management committee or board members, and demonstrate how this will make a positive difference to their food and health activities.

Deadline: 8th December 2017 <https://www.communityfoodandhealth.org.uk/funding/cfhs-funding-opportunities/>

26. Community Food and Health Annual Development Fund

Community Food and Health (Scotland) has an annual development fund (previously known as the annual small grants scheme) open to groups and agencies in Scotland who would like to improve access to, and take up of, a healthy, varied and balanced diet. Funding from £500 to £2000 is available. The development fund is open to groups and agencies working within Scotland's low-income communities to improve access to, and take-up of, a healthy balanced diet.

Deadline: 4th August 2017

<https://www.communityfoodandhealth.org.uk/funding/cfhs-funding-opportunities/small-grants-open/>

27. GLL Funding Scheme for Community Projects

Spacehive has officially partnered with GLL, the UK's largest charitable social enterprise to launch the GLL Community Foundation. The Foundation has been set up to provide both grant funding and practical 'in kind' support with a value of up to £5,000 to community projects across the UK. Projects could include creating or renovating public spaces such as parks or gardens, running sports tournaments or supporting cultural or community events. Along with financial support, GLL staff are also offering practical support and consultancy to projects, while Spacehive provides a platform for local schemes to build support and fundraise from within their own community. We're calling on local clubs, schools, charities and social enterprises who are looking to make positive change within the community, to consider the crowdfunding model we have created. Not only will they have access to match funding of up to £5,000 and practical 'in kind' support, they will also have the chance to engage with and seek support from local residents via Spacehive's crowdfunding platform."

Applications may be submitted at any time

<http://about.spacehive.com/gll-launch-new-100k-funding-scheme-for-community-projects/>

28. Greggs Foundation's Local Community Projects Fund Opens for Round 3

The Greggs Foundation's Community Projects Fund provides grants of up to £2,000 to not-for-profit organisations across Great Britain for projects or for equipment for people in need at the heart of local communities. Projects can support a variety of people:

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| • Disabled or suffering chronic illness. | • Homeless. |
| • Living in poverty. | • Isolated older people. |
| • Voluntary carers. | • Other demonstrable significant need. |

Eligible projects should also be able to demonstrate that they have achieved at least one of the following Key Performance Targets for their beneficiaries:

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| • Decreased social isolation. | • Improved resilience/coping mechanisms. |
| • Improved health and wellbeing. | • Improved life skills. |

- Improved opportunities.

The Local Community Projects Fund is administered by seven charity committees throughout Great Britain.

Deadline: 29th September 2017 <https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants/local-community-projects-fund>

29. Greggs Foundation's Environmental Grants Scheme Opens for Round 3

Using money from the 5p levy on carrier bag sales in Greggs's shops, the Greggs Foundation's Environmental Grants scheme aims to improve people's lives by improving the environment. Groups that missed the second round have three months to apply to the third round. Grants of up to £2,000 are available for projects in England, Wales or Scotland that deliver a real benefit to the environment that address one or more of the following:

- Improving the local environment.
- Insuring involvement of local communities.
- Delivering a sustainable and measurable difference.
- Supporting people in need.

The funding can be used to cover the purchase of equipment, sessional salary costs, purchase of trees/plants, small capital projects and learning activities. Not-for-profit organisations with a turnover of £300,000 or less as well as schools in England, Scotland and Wales can apply.

Deadline 29th September 2017

<https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/local-community-project-fund-grant-application-form>

30. Weir Charitable Trust

The Trust, which has been endowed with an initial £5m, aims to support individuals, groups and charities, new or established, based in Scotland and providing services across Scotland. It will fund specific activities and services in sport, recreational facilities, animal welfare, health and cultural projects to improve the quality of life for people, either through a particular field of expertise or via a local community.

Deadline: 31st August 2017 <http://weircharitabletrust.com/>

EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

31. The Santander Foundation

The Santander Foundation provides grants to support knowledge, skills and innovation to give disadvantaged people the confidence to discover and create a new world of opportunities. Discovery Grants of up to £5k are available to organisations with projects helping disadvantaged people.

Applications may be submitted at any time <http://thediscoveryfoundation.org.uk/discovery-grants.aspx>

32. Funding for Projects that Teach Digital Skills to Young People

The Digital Xtra Fund, which supports projects that teach digital technologies skills to young people has opened its first funding round. A total of £50,000 is available for projects that inspire young people by taking digital skills out of the classroom and teaching concepts like computational thinking, coding, digital making, or data science in a fun environment. Grants of up to £5,000 are available for innovative, adaptable, and sustainable projects, particularly those that engage with groups such as girls and young women, who are underrepresented in the digital sector. Its ultimate aim is to increase the number of young people from all backgrounds entering highly skilled digital careers.

Deadline: 1st September 2017 <http://www.digitalxtrafund.scot/apply/>

33. Charities Leadership Programme Launched

The King's Fund, Comic Relief, and the Big Lottery Fund have opened the application process for a unique support programme that will enable charity leaders to help each other through sharing expertise and developing skills. The Cascading Leadership programme offers an initial 80 free places worth £3,000 each. Anyone leading a voluntary and community sector (VCS) organisation focussed on health and wellbeing of any size, early stage or established, can apply. There are two opportunities on offer. The Cascading Leadership Consultant - open to experienced VCS leaders wishing to share and develop their own skills; and the Cascading Leadership partner - open to VCS leaders who would benefit from the experience of others to enhance their learning to enable them to develop their organisation.

Deadline: 20th July 2017 <https://www.kingsfund.org.uk/leadership/cascading-leadership-programme>

ENERGY, RENEWABLES AND RECYCLING

34. Green Infrastructure Community Engagement Fund to Reopen

Scottish Natural Heritage is giving organisations another opportunity to apply for funding for projects helping communities make the most of their local greenspaces. Their Green Infrastructure Community Engagement Fund is to reopen for applications in August 2017. It supports organisations who want to employ staff or contractors to work with communities to encourage them to make better use of their greenspace or to develop proposals on how it could be improved. This can be for the whole community or for particular target groups. There are a broad range of projects which might be supported, and innovation is encouraged. Possible areas include:

- Art based - artist working with a community to understand and tell their story with green infrastructure to date, and where they want it to go.
- Participation and Activity - support communities with activities and enterprises connected to their green infrastructure.
- Citizen Science - a scientist working with a community to explore and document the changes in their area. Help with planning for the future.
- Volunteering and Skills - development of local skills through volunteering or skills development programmes, which involve direct contact with the local environment, or learning elsewhere and bringing that learning back to their local area.
- Nature based approach - develop an understanding and appreciation of urban nature. Support to explore and engage with local nature through surveys, nature walks, mini-beast adventures, wetland activities. Increase habitat for nature through community management. Celebrate nature through events.
- Ecosystem Approach - Support to explore the ecosystem services provided by green infrastructure. Explore how an area can benefit from its improvement.

A first funding round took place earlier this year, with the successful projects due to be announced shortly. The second round will open on 3rd August and close for applications on 2nd October. This is for projects which will run throughout 2018 and which:

- Are within a town or city of greater than 10,000 population;
- Will benefit a deprived community (within the 15% most deprived as measured by the Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation); and
- Have a total project value of between £50,000 and £120,000. The Fund will provide up to 40% of this (50% in the Highlands & Islands), with the remainder expected to come from match funding.

Anyone who thinks they may wish to apply can have an initial discussion with SNH about their project idea in advance of the round opening in August. Contact them through their **email address** and one of their Project & Funding Officers will get back to you. Full guidance and a copy of the application form will be made available through the project website.

Deadline: 2nd October 2017

<https://www.greeninfrastructurescotland.org.uk/news/community-engagement-fund-reopen>

35. Home Energy Scotland Loan

The Home Energy Scotland loan helps homeowners make energy and money saving improvements to their home. This interest free loan is funded by the Scottish Government and is currently open to applications. Funding up to £32,500 per home is available to owner occupiers and eligible registered private sector landlords in Scotland for energy efficiency improvements, home renewables systems or connections to an approved district heating scheme powered by a renewable energy source. Cashback grants are also available for a limited time for energy efficiency improvements. If you are interested in applying or would like more information please call **Home Energy Scotland** on **0808 808 2282** (free from landlines and most mobiles). Funding operates on a first-come, first-served basis and is subject to availability.

Applications may be submitted at any time

<http://www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/scotland/grants-loans/home-energy-scotland-loan>

36. Electric Vehicle Loan

The interest-free Electric Vehicle Loan, funded by Transport Scotland (an agency of the Scottish Government), currently offers drivers in Scotland loans of:

- up to £35,000 to cover the cost of purchasing a new pure electric / plug-in hybrid vehicle
- up to £10,000 to cover the cost of purchasing a new electric motorcycle or scooter

The loan has a repayment term of up to six years. The purchased electric vehicle, motorcycle or scooter should be the only plug-in vehicle owned by the applicant and must be eligible for the '[plug-in car, motorcycle and van grants](#)' funded by the Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV). Second hand vehicles are not eligible. For more information about electric cars, to request an application form or to learn more about the full terms and conditions please call your local Home Energy Scotland advice centre free on [0808 808 2282](#).

Deadline: 1st March 2018 <http://www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/scotland/grants-loans/electric-vehicle-loan>

37. Smart Energy GB in Communities Fund

This is the second year of the £10 million five-year fund which was set up to support community based organisations that provide information about how to get and use smart meters, especially for those who may face barriers to getting a smart meter. The fund is being administered by the Charities Aid Foundation. This year there will be two application rounds with grants of between £500 and £5,000 being made available to not-for-profit organisations such as charities, clubs, social enterprises, residents associations, and parish councils. This funding round is for projects which are specifically targeted at and engage people over 65 with no personal internet access to provide reassurance and handholding support to help them understand and realise the benefits of smart meters. This could involve a range of activities, including incorporating smart meter messages into existing services and events or running specific advice sessions on smart meters. Projects funded in round one must start on or after 7th August 2017 and be completed by 1st December 2017.

Deadline: 19th July 2017

<https://www.smartenergygb.org/en/resources/press-centre/press-releases-folder/smart-energy-gb-launches-new-fund-to-support-smart-meter-rollout>

Please note that all Argyll and Bute Council officers considering applying for European funding should contact the European Team - genna.lugue@argyll-bute.gov.uk / Tel No [01546 604899](#) for more information.

EUROPEAN FUNDING

38. European Social Fund – Social Innovation Fund

The Scottish Government have announced that Round 2 for the Social Innovation Fund is now open for applications. Applications for Stages 1 and 2 are invited. Application forms and guidance notes are available on their website: <https://beta.gov.scot/publications/social-innovation-fund-guidance/>.

Deadline: 21st July 2017 all enquiries should be sent to the following address:

Infogrowingthesocialeconomy@gov.scot

39. Argyll and the Islands LEADER

The Argyll and the Islands LEADER funding Programme aims to "support community-led economic growth and sustainable rural development within the Argyll and the Islands area". Grants are awarded by the Local Action Group (LAG) to projects that can clearly demonstrate at least one of the following key themes:

- Strengthening the rural economy through maximising the sustainable use of natural, cultural and heritage resources as an economic driver in the area of Argyll and the Islands.
- Enhancing services and facilities within the area of Argyll and the Islands for the purpose of attracting individuals, families, visitors and investors for the purpose of growing and maintaining economically viable communities.
- Small Business Support & Farm Diversification.

	September	December
EOI Deadline	28/07/2017	13/10/2017
Application Deadline	11/08/2017	27/10/2017
LAG Decision Meeting	21/09/2017	07/12/2017

The Argyll and the Islands LEADER LAG is part-financed by the Scottish Government and the European Community LEADER 2014-2020 programme. For details on the application process, applicants should visit <http://www.aiLEADER.org>

GENERAL FUNDING

40. Early Action System Change

The BIG Lottery are inviting proposals to help make a fundamental shift towards effective early action in Scotland. An early action approach aims to build a society that prevents problems from occurring rather than one that copes with the consequences. It also means changing the systems of services and support that are in place now. They will make a small number of grants that help organisations come together to do this. They are interested in the overall system you want to change and the particular areas where there are opportunities to act earlier. The grants will fund change programmes that bring together people and organisations from the voluntary and public sectors to plan for the future and collaborate to make early action central to their work. This change should fully involve the people who benefit from and participate, and those who work to deliver support and services.

They have focused on three areas where they believe there is an opportunity to make a significant impact in the next five years. These are:

- Healthy diet and active lifestyle
- Children, young people and families
- Women and criminal justice.

You should focus on one of these three areas and tell them how your proposal will deliver change in a definable geographic area, which could be as large as a local authority or as small as a single city neighbourhood or district.

Deadline: 2nd October 2017

<https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/scotland/early-action-system-change>

41. Armed Forces Covenant Fund Opens Priority for Local Authorities

The Covenant Fund's 'Strengthening Local Government Delivery of the Covenant' priority has opened for applications with new guidelines for 2017. This priority is only open to local authorities. Applications must be from a lead local authority on behalf of a cluster of local authorities, which must be working in close partnership with the military communities in their area(s), for some of all of the following three strands of activity:

- Proposals for projects or initiatives which will establish and share best practice in delivering the Covenant.
- Proposals to kick start or pilot new drop-in information centres or 'one-stop-shop' venues where any member of the wider 'military family' can visit to get information or advice.
- Request for support to benefit from dedicated Covenant focussed media and communications training and advice. This will include digital production and social media skills, and delivered through external training courses with follow-up expert support.

Applications can be made for awards of between £20,000 and £500,000. Awards over £200,000 will only be made in exceptional circumstances and applicants who are seeking funding of between £200,000 and £500,000 must first contact the Covenant Grant team before applying.

Deadline: 2nd October 2017 <https://surveys.mod.uk/index.php/874226?lang=en>

42. New Round of LIBOR Funding Opens For Applications

The latest funding will support projects that benefit people from one or more of the following categories:

- Serving members of the Armed Forces
- Family members of those serving in the Armed Forces
- Veterans of the Armed Forces
- Serving Emergency Services personnel
- Family members of Emergency Services personnel
- Former and retired Emergency Services personnel

'Emergency Services personnel' are defined as "Police Officers, Fire Fighters, Paramedics, and other professionals called to scenes of crisis or crime." Applications are accepted from:

- a registered charity
- a Community Interest Company or
- an Armed Forces unit with a Unit Identification Number (UIN)

Cadet Units are also eligible to apply but they should apply through their parent organisation. Funding can be used for capital projects, including building projects. However, applicant organisations will need to secure match funding for at least 50% for the project. Projects can be funded for up to three years.

Deadline: 25th August 2017

<https://fundraising.co.uk/2017/06/26/new-round-libor-funding-opens-applications/#.WVO8CcKWzIU>

43. Feminist Review Trust

Funding of up to £15k is available through the Feminist Review Trust for projects within the UK and internationally that support and transform the lives of women.

Deadline: 30th September 2017 <http://www.feminist-review-trust.com/>

44. Volunteering Support Fund 2017-18

Voluntary Action Fund's Volunteering Support Fund 2017-18 enables small to medium-sized third sector organisations, with an annual income of under £250k to apply for grants between £7.5k and £10k. Organisations can apply for the costs of recruiting additional volunteers and should demonstrate that they aim to recruit at least an additional 10 volunteers.

Deadline: 14th July 2017

<http://www.voluntaryactionfund.org.uk/funding-and-support/volunteering-development-grants/>

45. Funding for Town Twinning Projects (UK / EU)

The European Commission has announced a new call for proposals under its Town Twinning initiative. Part of its Citizens for Europe programme Town Twinning is supporting projects that bringing together citizens from twinned towns to promote civic participation in the EU policy making process and develop opportunities for societal engagement and volunteering at EU level. The maximum grant available for a project is €25 000 and the maximum project duration is usually 21 days. The funding is available to towns /municipalities or their twinning committees or other non-profit organisations representing local authorities. A project must involve municipalities from at least 2 eligible countries, of which at least one is an EU Member State.

Deadline: 1st September 2017

https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/europe-for-citizens/funding/town-twinning-2017---second-deadline_en

46. Victoria League in Scotland for Commonwealth Friendship - Grants

VL Scotland gives grants of up to £10,000 to Scottish organisations that provide events, facilities and hospitality to overseas students and other groups visiting Scotland. In the past they've awarded grants to: contribute to the cost of employing someone to organise and liaise with host families; help with the cost of social events such as ceilidhs, trips to historic buildings and other places of interest around Scotland; fund literacy programmes for visitors whose first language is not English.

Deadline: 15th November 2017 <http://www.vlscotland.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/>

HEALTH

47. Eaga Charitable Trust

The 2017 focus is on health, wellbeing and social cohesion, including the behavioural aspects of measures to improve energy efficiency and increase access to low-carbon technologies. Grant applications will be accepted for work based in the UK and other EU countries only. The subject of research needs to demonstrate direct relevance and application to UK fuel poverty policy. Grant applications should consist of one or more of the following elements:

- Rigorous academic and/or public policy-related research.
- Robustly evaluated action projects which either build on existing proven models or offer innovative new models with the aim of achieving population-based effective interventions.
- Dissemination and promotion of proven good practice, for example through appropriate workforce interventions, social media, toolkits including online tools and workshops including online congresses and webinars.
- Technical support for, including scoping of, novel and innovative pilots and demonstration projects and the evaluation of them.

Grant priority areas are as follows:

- Health, wellbeing and social cohesion aspects of fuel poverty.
- Low-carbon policies, behaviours and practices.

All types of organisations and individual research consultants are eligible to apply for grants of up to £25,000. There is no minimum or maximum length of grant although projects usually last between one and three years.

Deadline: 28th July 2017 <https://www.eagacharitabletrust.org/how-to-apply-for-a-grant/>

48. Disability Research on Independent Living and Learning (DRILL)

DRILL has opened its second call for funding applications. Projects must demonstrate a commitment to achieving one or more of DRILL's 4 outcomes; increasing evidence and knowledge capacity; empowering disabled people to influence policy and decision making; improving wellbeing, participation and independent living; and further influence on policy and service provision through co-production of research.

Deadline: 8th August 2017 <http://www.drilluk.org.uk/disability-research-independent-living-learning-drill/funding/>

49. Postcode Community Trust

Postcode Community Trust provides grants for charities, voluntary organisations, CICs, and social enterprises working on projects that benefit communities through grass-roots sports, arts and recreation programmes and healthy living initiatives that improve a community's physical and mental health. Grants of £500 to £20k are available.

Deadline: 18th August 2017 <http://www.postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk/applying-for-a-grant>

50. People Affected by Dementia

The Life Changes Trust believes it is important that conferences and seminars about dementia are attended by people living with dementia and carers. This is why the Trust has funded a number of conference places to date and has written reports on how people have benefited from being at such conferences. The Trust has decided to allocate a limited sum of money to fund conferences and other events bursaries in 2017/18. You can apply for a bursary if you live in Scotland and are:

- a person living with dementia
- an unpaid carer of a person living with dementia
- a former unpaid carer of a person living with dementia, who stopped providing unpaid care in the past 24 months.

Deadline: 16th August 2017

<http://www.lifechangestrust.org.uk/people-affected-by-dementia/funding-opportunities-0>

51. People Affected by Dementia

The Life Changes Trust believes that people living with dementia and carers in Scotland have an enormous amount of knowledge and helpful information to share with each other. This 'person with dementia to person with dementia' and 'carer to carer' support is sometimes called 'peer support'. You can apply for a peer to peer award to produce something that you think will help other people with dementia or other carers. It must be practical and must truly reflect the experiences and needs of people living with dementia and/or carers. It must be something that will have value and relevance for a long period of time, e.g. at least three years.

Deadline: 16th August 2017

<http://www.lifechangestrust.org.uk/people-affected-by-dementia/funding-opportunities-0>

LAND AND PROPERTY

52. Scottish Land Fund

Community led organisations in Scotland can apply for funding of between £10,000 and £1 million through the Scottish Land Fund (SLF). The funding aims to support projects both in urban and rural Scotland that will help local community development through the ownership of land and buildings. A total of £10 million is available for 2016-17. Applicants can be from one of a wide range of representative community bodies, including voluntary organisations. To apply, contact the Big Lottery Fund Scotland to discuss your idea at advicescotland@biglotteryfund.org.uk or on **0300 123 7110**. Projects that are eligible will be assigned a Scottish Land Fund Adviser from Highlands and Islands Enterprise, who will help you develop your idea and get ready to submit your application. The SLF will fund the purchase of land or land assets. Eligible organisations can also request some revenue funding to help with the cost of developing their proposal or initial running costs of their project after acquisition.

Applications may be submitted at any time <https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/scottishlandfund>

53. Funding for Larger Heritage Projects

Grants of over £100,000 are available to support larger national, regional and local heritage projects. A large variety of projects can be funded including projects relating to archaeological sites; collections of objects, books or documents in museums, libraries or archives; cultural traditions such as stories, festivals, crafts, music, dance and costumes; historic buildings; histories of people and communities; and histories of places and events; etc. Heritage

Grants applications go through a two-round application process. This is so that organisations can apply at an early stage of planning their project and get an idea of whether they have a good chance of getting a grant before they send a proposal in greater detail.

Deadline: 31st August 2017 <https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/heritage-grants>

54. AHF Launches Heritage Mortgage Scheme for the UK

The Architectural Heritage Fund (AHF), an independent charity, encourages and supports the work of organisations dedicated to the preservation and renewal of buildings of architectural and historic significance which have failed to find a viable re-use on the open market. Through the new Heritage Mortgage Scheme the AHF is offering mortgage-style loans of between £150,000 and £500,000 over terms of between 10 and 20 years (30 in exceptional circumstances) to assist registered charities and not-for-profit organisations in the UK to acquire buildings, or provide working capital for restoration projects. All AHF loans are typically fixed at 4-6% but can be linked to Base Rate. The AHF can normally lend applicants up to 70% of the estimated open market resale value of any acceptable property or land over which it takes a first charge. If this is the project building for which the loan is required, it can lend up to 70% of the property's estimated "end value" (the projected value once work has been completed).

Applications may be submitted at any time <http://ahfund.org.uk/the/>

55. Grants for Places of Worship (Scotland)

Grants from £10,000-£250,000 are available to fund urgent structural repairs to Category A, B and C listed building and help to make them better places for everyone to visit. The funding can also be used to improve facilities and run programmes to get more people involved with the church. The first stage of the application process is to submit an outline of the project. Applicants successful at this stage will then be invited to send in a full proposal.

Deadline: 11th August 2017

<https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/grants-places-worship-scotland>

56. Funding to Restore Neglected Historic Buildings

The Heritage Enterprise programme supports enterprising heritage organisations in rescuing neglected historic buildings and restoring them to viable productive use. Grants of between £100,000 and £5million will be awarded to meet conservation deficits i.e. where the existing value of the historic asset plus the cost of bringing it back into use is greater than the end value of the asset following development completion. Not for profit organisations, or partnerships led by such organisations can apply via a two stage process with Start-up grants also available for pre-application viability appraisals.

Deadline: 31st August 2017 <https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/heritage-enterprise>

SCHOOLS AND EDUCATION

57. Partnership Grants Scheme

The Partnership Grants scheme offers up to £3000 to UK schools or colleges to buy equipment to run a STEM investigation project in partnership with a STEM professional (research or industry). Successful projects:

- Deliver a better understanding of the latest developments in STEM;
- Improve perceptions of those working in STEM professions;
- Give students pride and ownership in STEM from participation in the investigative process.

Applications need to be made jointly between the two project partners, where the partnership needs to be established before starting the application. The two partners are:

- **School partner:** any teacher or support staff at the main school, such as a computing teacher or a science technician; and a
- **STEM partner:** an individual that is currently working in a STEM related profession, such as a researcher or analyst.

Deadline: 31st July 2017 <https://royalsociety.org/grants-schemes-awards/grants/partnership-grants/>

58. School Grants to Promote Physics

UK schools and colleges can apply for grants of up to £600 from the Institute of Physics for small-scale projects or events linked to the teaching or promotion of physics and engineering to pupils aged 5 - 19. Grants can be used to support a wide range of projects. This can include organising a school based science week or extracurricular

activities such as a science club. Alternatively, schools and colleges may want to use the funding to organise a careers event or a visit from a working physicist or engineer.

Deadline: 1st November 2017 http://www.iop.org/about/grants/school/page_38824.html

59. Wolfson Foundation's Secondary Education Programme

Through its Secondary Education Programme high-achieving (in receipt of an outstanding Ofsted assessment or regional equivalent) state-funded schools and sixth form colleges can apply to the Foundation for funding for capital or equipment projects relating to the teaching of science and technology; or projects involving libraries, languages, music or the arts. Grants do not normally exceed £50,000 for schools or £100,000 for sixth form colleges. Applicants successful at the stage 1 of the application process will be invited to submit a stage 2 application.

Deadline: 10th January 2018 <http://www.wolfson.org.uk/media/2327/1382.jpg?width=1153&height=250>

Through the programme, special schools catering for children with severe learning and physical disabilities can apply for a range of outdoor play equipment packages provided through a partnership between the Lords Taverners and a playground equipment manufacturer. Since 2009 the Lord's Taverners has provided outdoor play equipment to 83 special schools, benefiting nearly 8,000 pupils. The Lords Taverners will provide a grant that will cover up to 80% (of the net cost) of outdoor play equipment and the maximum value of the equipment applied for can be £25,000

Deadline: 31st August 2017 <http://www.lordstaverners.org/outdoor-play-spaces-lords-taverners>

61. Local Schools Nature Grants Scheme

The Local Schools Nature Grants Scheme is funded through the Postcode Local Trust and allows schools in England, Scotland & Wales to apply for £500 worth of outdoor resources, and a two hour training session. The scheme is looking for schools whose learners are aged 5+ and are passionate about making environmental improvements for the benefit of their pupils, staff and the community and who will make great use of the equipment and training supplied by this programme.

Deadline: 15th September 2017 <https://www.ltl.org.uk/naturegrants/>

SPORT FUNDING

62. Rowing Foundation Grants Programme Re-Opens for Applications

The Rowing Foundation has re-opened its grants programme. The purpose of the Foundation is to promote the participation in rowing of young people (those under 18 or still in full time education) and the disabled of all ages. The Foundation gives grants of £500-£3,000 (up to 50% of the cost of the project) to help British rowing organisations, clubs and schools for rowing equipment and whose requirements may be too small or who may be otherwise ineligible for an approach to the National Lottery or other similar sources of funds

Deadline: 6th November 2017 <http://www.therowingfoundation.org.uk/home/>

63. Dan Maskell Tennis Trust Grants

Individuals, disability groups, clubs and special schools can apply for funding to the Dan Maskell Tennis Trust for the purchase of specialist wheelchairs and tennis equipment. Groups, clubs and special schools may apply for one or more tennis wheelchairs designed for general use at grass roots level. A deposit of £250 per chair is required and the Dan Maskell Tennis Trust will offer a grant for the remaining cost. There will also be a delivery charge to be met by the applicant. Individuals, groups, clubs and special schools can also apply for kit bags including tennis rackets, balls, mini nets and coaching aids. The trust may also fund tennis rackets, coaching lessons and development/coaching courses.

Deadline: 1st September 2017 <http://www.danmaskelltennistrust.org.uk/>

YOUNG PEOPLE

64. The Environment Now

Funding for individuals and teams of UK-based young people (aged between the ages of 17 and 24) in order to create unique digital ideas that will help the environment; for example, improving energy efficiency, reducing waste, or recycling. Grants are available with no minimum, up to a maximum of £10,000. The programme will provide a total of 50 individual grants over its lifetime. The programme also offers support, work experience and

insight sessions with industry professionals to help bring young people's ideas to life. Participants will also benefit from training on confidence, networking, presenting, project management and budgeting to ensure their project is sustainable.

Deadline: 14th July 2017 <http://www.o2thinkbig.co.uk/the-environment-now>

65. Funding for Young People to Develop Social Enterprises

UnLtd, in partnership with Sports Relief and the Spirit of 2012, has announced that young people who want to start, grow or build their social enterprise idea can apply for funding of up to £15,000. Young people can apply for a Test it Award of up to £500 or a Build it Award of up to £15,000. Awards can be applied for by an individual or small group of up to four people aged 11-30. Test it Awards provide young people with the chance to unlock their potential and make a positive difference in the community. The Test it Awards are available to 200 young people to run their own projects. There is a one stage application process for Test It Awards. All applicants need to do is fill out the application which can be found at [here](#). UnLtd will also scale up successful projects by providing Awards of £15,000 to 10 young people who are ready to build their ideas into sustainable social. There is a two stage application process for the Build it Awards. Applicants initially will need to submit an expression of interest and if they meet the criteria then UnLtd will send an application form to apply, more details can be found [here](#)

Deadlines will be issued on receipt of a stage one application.

<http://www.sportrelief.com/schools/youth-groups/carry-on-your-good-work>

66. Dulverton Trust

Charities working in the categories of Youth Opportunities, General Welfare, Conservation and Preservation, can apply for funding up to £35k, with preference given to charities with an income between £200k and £5m.

Applications may be submitted at any time <http://www.dulverton.org/application.htm>