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Success stories

A Global Dimension for Sustainable Schools in East Sussex

Pestalozzi International Village Trust has been awarded UK Aid funding of £281,000 from the Department for International Development to deliver a three-year project entitled: A Global Dimension for Sustainable Schools in East Sussex.

The project will be delivered in partnership with East Sussex County Council and aims to enable 12 schools in the county to become models of good global citizenship and sustainable development.

<http://www.pestalozzi.org.uk/index.php?id=1>

Awards for All

Eastbourne

Zakigonj Welfare Association UK £10,000
This group will use the award to support hard to reach groups and local people to help them gain employment. The project will involve a training programme including workshops in CV writing, interview skills and job search.

Stone Cross and Langney Community Interest Company £2,420
This group will use funding to address local healthy living and childhood obesity problems by creating a garden for children and families. The garden will be used to grow fruit and vegetables and the group will promote a healthy lifestyle in the community.

Hastings

The Links Project £9,459
This group provides support drop in services for new and hard to reach communities. The project is to recruit and train volunteers to assist with the running of the groups drop in service, and to offer advice to service users and empower them.

Hasting and St Leonards Seniors' Forum £1,300
The group will use the funding to deliver a craft and hobbies fair, which will include opportunities for attendees to learn new creative skills and physical activities.

Better Braybrooke (environmental watch) £7,734
This group will use funding to improve its current park facilities and offer a number of new activities to people from the local community. This will improve the usage of the park and also bring the community together.

Rother

ARRC Ltd £9,969
This charity and company provides relief to adults with physical disabilities and their carers through the provision of an activity respite centre. They will use the award to extend their services with a new day centre in Bexhill.

Wealden

Wealden Citizens Advice £10,000
The group will use the funding to upgrade its IT system to build capacity to engage with the community. This will enable the group to offer more support and advice to those in need quicker.

Grassroots Grants

Highlight, Eastbourne £2,000
The funding will be used to create an anti knife crime/human rights (portable) art trail around the site of Newhaven Fort, for teenagers, which would be put up for Lewes Arts festival, Artmoves, and left up until 31st October 2010

Barbarian Swimming Club, Hastings £4,838
The funding will help to run 2 Teacher's Certificate Courses this year to replace the volunteers they have who are going to university.

Bridge Arts Group, Hastings £2,600
The funds will be used to rent a dedicated room at The Bridge Community Centre, and to pay their qualified tutor for about 40 weeks--mirroring the school terms.

Chailey Bonfire Society Limited £300
The fireworks storage container they bought last year with funding now needs to be earthed for Fire and Safety regulations. The £300 will allow for this to be done.

Coastal Communities £2,070
The money will pay for an event called 'Isn't it Bonkers' (IIB) with the main focus on encouraging as many people as possible to take action to reduce their carbon footprint.

Creative Coast Ltd £2,000
The money will help to develop a series of guided tours throughout Coastal Currents Festival that explore the heritage and identity of places in Hastings and Rother. The tours aim to encourage the local community to build upon their local knowledge, engage with contemporary art and experience familiar locations in new ways.

Danehill Memorial Hall £5,000
The money will help the village to build a small extension to the Hall to provide a new storage area to free up the small committee room for other meetings and groups. The money will also be used to enhance disabled facilities including provision of a disabled toilet, provide additional equipment for use by the Youth Club and incorporate new services/amenities within the small meeting room.

Forest Row Orchestra £880
The money will be used to put on a week long summer music camp for children living in Forest Row aged 8 upwards.

Hastings Intercontinental £900
The money will be used in an opening community event in Hastings to celebrate Refugee Week.

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| Les Franglophones, Kingston | £2,945 |
| Les Franglophones promote French culture to the French speaking community in East Sussex. The money given will be used to reorganize the Parent and Toddler group, to employ an educator and buy furniture and craft items. They also plan to run a monthly family meeting for children to do activities on a predefined theme with an invited outside contributor. | |
| Lewes Community Land Trust | £1,500 |
| LLT was formed to offer a credible alternative to private development in Lewes. They have conducted a survey of popular attitudes to the development of the large brownfield site in the centre of the town on the floodplain that is in administration. They are now analysing it. | |
| MY Club, Broomgrove Community Centre, Hastings | £1,500 |
| The grant will go towards the cost of a 3 day residential activity weekend at the PGL centre at Windmill Hill near Herstmonceux for 25 teenagers and 5 leaders. The weekend will involve 8 different activities including zip wire, giant swing, mountain biking, climbing, fencing etc. | |
| Natural Beekeeping Trust, Forest Row | £5,000 |
| The money will allow the group to appoint an administrator to allow them to upscale their activities, through helping create a network of natural beekeepers, coordinating more courses, talks, press responses etc in the next 2 years. | |
| Newick Youth Theatre | £4,250 |
| The youth theatre will put on a summer production of 'Dracula - The Final Countdown?', giving between 20 and 30 young people the chance to perform, or get involved with production jobs, learning about the theatre as well as developing confidence and making friends. Some of the money will be used to develop the group into an all year activity, providing workshops and regular weekly sessions. | |
| Plumpton Village Action Plan | £775 |
| Plumpton Village are carrying out a project looking into oral histories, history of ancient buildings, study of collections of images, milling, brick making, dairying, history of the race course, school, shops, railway station and Agricultural College. The money will be used to fund the initial start-up costs for website management, production of posters and leaflets, stationery, room hire and possible lecturers/specialist advice. | |
| Radiator Arts, Hastings | £3,684 |
| This group will work with young people to build from scratch amazing and spectacular pedal-powered vehicles to be ridden in Hastings Carnival on August 7th and to be exhibited at Hasting Urban Bikes cycling promotion days as well as joining the Skyride Parade in London. | |
| Rye District U3A | £809 |
| This branch of the University of the 3 rd Age will use the money to buy a projector and computer for the groups use. | |
| Rye Harbour Village Hall | £5,000 |
| The money will be used to installation a stair lift to improve accessibility to first floor of the Social Club for use by elderly and disabled users of the Village Hall. | |
| Transition Town Hastings | £3,300 |
| Transition Town wants to produce a cookbook which celebrates local food and local characters and which emphasises the importance of using ingredients which are local, | |

seasonal and nutritious. Chapters will also feature growing tips, ideas for food to forage and recipes suitable for children to make with their parents.

Uckfield Art Trail £1,000
The aim of this art trail is to promote art in the local community. They would like to use the funding for advertising, brochures fliers, and website funding.

Tadpoles Swimming Club for the Disabled £1,000
Funding will assist in paying for pool hire, insurance and equipment maintenance/repair amongst other things.

Events

INTERREG IVA – Two Seas Programme - developing your cross border ambitions

As in the previous edition, the Cooperation Fair aims to set up a network of potential partners interested in the development of cross border cooperation projects. This year the event will take place on 23rd September 2010 at the De Vere Royal Bath Hotel in Bournemouth.

All participants will be asked to sign up for their chosen priority and theme of the day.

For more information please visit:

<http://www.interreg4a-2mers.eu/cooperationfair2/cooperation.php?lang=uk>

If you have any queries, please contact: b.ulyett@interreg4a-2mers.eu at the Joint Technical Secretariat.

INTERREG IV A – Channel Programme – annual event

The annual event will take place on 8th and 9th November in Exeter. The purpose of the event will be to give practical information about the Interreg IV A programme, its aims and expectations and how to apply for a grant.

The full programme will be available soon on www.interreg3.com

Awards

Epic Awards

The Epic Awards have been designed to draw attention to work taking place within the voluntary and amateur arts sector. Selected projects will be expected to have something to say, have moved practice forward or approached ways of working differently.

Voluntary or amateur art and craft groups/organisations in England are eligible to apply by entering one or more of the following categories:

- Engagement
- Partnerships
- Innovation
- Creativity

The deadline for the receipt of applications is 10 September 2010. Look at <http://www.epicawards.co.uk/> to get more details.

Health Foundation Closing the Gap Award

Each year, Closing the Gap has a distinct focus. This year they will fund eight awards of up to £400,000 each.

They will give preference to applications from partnerships of organisations bringing together complementary talents, knowledge, expertise and leadership. Teams could include partners such as local clinical leaders, commissioners, providers, service users, national change agencies, professional bodies or the voluntary sector.

Successful applications will include clear strategies for embedding best practice so that it becomes routine, and for encouraging the spread of improvement.

They are inviting proposals that focus on one or more of the following three areas of interaction:

- The dynamic between communities and the wider healthcare system;
- The dynamic between the person using services and the wider healthcare system;
- The dynamic between the person using services and those who work in health provision.

The deadline for this award is the 13th July. For more information, please see http://www.health.org.uk/current_work/open_for_applications/closing_the_gap_2010.html.

Guardian Charity Awards 2010

Five smaller charities have the chance to win £6,000 and consultancy support in the Guardian Charity Awards 2010.

The awards are open to UK social welfare charities who have an income of between £5,000 and £1.5 million. The deadline is 16 July 2010.

See www.guardian.co.uk/charity-awards for further details.

Military and Civilian Health Partnership Awards

The Military and Civilian Health Partnership Awards are a partnership between the Ministry of Defence and the Health Departments of Northern Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales.

There are 9 categories in all, covering the wide range of skills that our health and social care personnel exhibit.

You can choose to recognise a team working in primary or acute healthcare, in social care, in management or in research, at home or overseas. Or you can nominate a special individual contribution that has made a real difference to the lives of patients or to the quality of a service. Everyone involved in the delivery of care can enter, or be entered.

In particular, these awards are about strong, effective, modern partnerships and relationships.

You may enter if you are a military, NHS, independent or voluntary sector health or social care worker, either on an individual or team basis. Anyone can nominate an achiever/achievement.

They are looking for nominations in the following categories:

- Innovation and Service Development Award
- Education and Training Award
- Health Improvement and Promotion Award
- Mental Health Award
- Healthcare Reservist of the Year
- Healthcare Regular of the Year
- Healthcare Civilian of the Year
- Care of Veterans Award
- Deployed Healthcare Award

The closing date for nominations is 9th July 2010. Shortlisted finalists will be named on 1st October 2010 and Awards ceremony and winners announced on 25th November 2010.

See <http://militarycivilianhealthawards.org/entering-theawards/> for further details.

Philips Livable Cities Award

This new €125,000 scheme is seeking projects that will improve health, quality of life and sustainability in cities by tackling some of society's biggest problems, such as an ever-increasing and ever-aging population.

Projects should fall under one of the following categories:

- Wellbeing Outdoors - initiatives to help citizens feel safe and secure in public spaces, or help create identity and sense of belonging.
- Independent Living - initiatives to help the growing number of elderly people living alone to feel secure and comfortable living in a city or to enable them to live longer at home while receiving appropriate access to healthcare.
- Healthy Lifestyle at Work and Home - initiatives to support a healthy body and mind, through surroundings or other essentials such as exercise, diet and sleep.

Bids can be submitted by businesses, community groups and individuals. One project will scoop a €75,000 grant; the two other category winners will receive €25,000. The deadline for initial entries is 28 October 2010.

See www.because.philips.com/Home/AboutAwards for more details.

TRY IT! £1,000 Award

Aged between 11 - 21? Got an idea you want to try out? Could it make a difference to others? Need financial support to get the idea off the ground?

An UnLtd Sport Relief 'Try It' Award can give you support and cash to use sport, arts or recreational activities to overcome an issue in your community and bring people together through a short project or one off event.

You can get up to £1,000 and the support you need to go out and TRY IT!

They're looking for projects that focus on:

- Providing an opportunity for young people to meet new people, engage in activities they wouldn't normally take part in and connect with other young people from different backgrounds and walks of life.
- Encouraging young people to think about social issues that are relevant to them. Encouraging young people to think about how they would like to address these issues.
- Providing a learning experience for the applicant.

Look at <http://unltdsportrelief.com/tryit.html> for more information. You can apply for this award at any time.

Shape It! - £5,000 Award

Aged between 11 - 21? Got an idea that you're ready to shape into a project? Will it make a difference to others? Need some additional financial support to develop the idea further?

An UnLtd Sport Relief 'Shape It' Award can give you support and cash to use sport, arts or recreational activities to overcome an issue in your community and bring people together through a short project or one off event. You can get up to £5,000 and the support you need to go out and SHAPE IT!

They're looking for projects that:

- Show a good understanding of how the project will address issues in your local community such as bringing people together and overcoming problems;
- Provide opportunities for young people to bring communities together, to help them promote understanding and solve conflict;
- Are well thought out;
- Provide a learning experience for the applicant.

Just fill out the online Application Form and select 'Shape It' and soon you could have up to £5,000 to SHAPE IT!

Go to <http://unltdsportrelief.com/shapeit.html> for more details. You can apply for this award at any time.

Do It! £10,000 Award

Aged between 18 -21? Got an idea that will make a significant difference to others? Do you want to run this project long term?

With the UnLtd Sport Relief 'Do It' Award, you can apply for up to £10,000 to grow your idea into a project that will continue to have an impact after your award. The £10,000 can also be used towards your living costs.

They're looking for projects that are:

- Exciting ideas that use sport or recreational activities as a solution to a social problem;
- Run by motivated people who already have experience of running a project or working within their community;
- Has the ability to become sustainable (run without further financial support from UnLtd);
- Innovative and entrepreneurial as well as providing a learning opportunity for the individual.

Do It Awards will be made every 3 months. The first application deadline is Monday 12th July 2010. Before applying for a Do It Award they would strongly recommend that you speak to a member of our team about your project.

Just fill out the Application Form and select 'Do It' and soon you could have up to £10,000 to DO IT!

See <http://unltdsportrelief.com/doi.html> for more information.

UnLtd Sport Relief Awards

UnLtd Sport Relief Awards are a UK wide funding programme for 11-21 year olds, who are prepared to go the extra mile and use their passion for sport and arts to bring respect and understanding to their communities by setting up their own projects.

UnLtd Sport Relief Awards are funded by Comic Relief and provide opportunities for young people to bring communities together, to help promote understanding and solve problems through sport, arts and recreational activities.

<http://unltdsportrelief.com/>

Government

Be the Boss

BtB is a new service aimed at supporting recent UK Service Leavers to plan, fund and grow their own small businesses. Funded by the UK Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (BIS), the Legion and its partner organisations will offer training in small business set-up, assistance in writing a business plan and financial forecast, funding to assist in the launch or growth of a business, periodic health checks and business mentoring to applicants from across the United Kingdom.

The programme consists of the following two types of funding:

- Business Grant - a grant of up to £7,500 can be provided for eligible applicants to assist with the costs of starting up in business.
- Business Loan - a loan of up to £30,000 can be provided to support businesses.

The Royal British Legion will also increase the support available to those choosing to participate in the scheme by including the following services:

- Business Information, Advice and Guidance helping people to market and sell their product; manage their finances; employ people; find and keep customers; pay the correct tax; and identify funding and support.
- Mentoring Support - working with existing providers of mentoring support to provide ongoing assistance for those in the early stage of their business career.

The scheme is open to anyone who has been discharged from the UK Armed Forces since October 2001 and is looking to start-up or expand their own business in the UK. This includes former Reservists who were on mobilised service in accordance with the Reserve Forces Act 1996 before 7 October 2001, provided they were also on mobilised service on or after 7 October 2001.

Interested parties are required to register on the Legion sponsored www.civvystreet.org website and submit a business plan, before completing the online application form.

Applications can be made at any time.

Changes to government funding

£130m worth of grants programme will not be renewed next year as government plans begin to take shape.

The government's new Communities First fund, which will provide start-up funding for community groups, will replace the Grassroots Grants scheme when it runs out in April next year.

It has also been indicated that government funding for Capacitybuilders and the volunteering charity v is also under review.

Grassroots Grants

This £80m programme for small grants to community groups and £50m to match other funding of local foundations will not be renewed from 2011.

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This programme received £38.1m in government funding in 2009/10 and is due to receive £39m in 2010/11. This might change as the government plans to develop a national citizen service to offer volunteering opportunities to school leavers.

Capacitybuilders

This £90m programme is up for review when it is due to finish in 2011

The Compact

£6m in all was allocated to support the agreement between the public and voluntary sectors. This programme will potentially come under review.

Strategic Partners

In 2008/09, £12.2m went to partners such as umbrella body Navca and CSV. The future of this funding might come under scrutiny.

Community Assets

This is a £30m fund for 2008-11 to transfer local council buildings to the voluntary sector. This programme might also come under review in 2011.

Lottery

BIG Community Wildlife

Community Wildlife will fund projects that bring local people together to discover, enjoy or protect the wildlife in their local area.

The programme will fund between £300 and £10,000 for projects that:

- Improve rural or urban environments for people to enjoy, for example by: protecting wildlife habitats creating a nature trail, woodland walk or wildlife garden for people to enjoy improving natural community spaces, such as rivers, ponds and woodlands.
- Get people more active and healthier, for example by: exploring parks, rivers and the countryside to look for rare or endangered species encouraging people to take up gardening or go on nature walks providing opportunities for children to learn about nature through play.

The programme has three rounds with the following deadlines:

- 21 July 2010
- 22 September 2010
- 24 November 2010

For more information, see

http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/prog_community_wildlife.htm

Community Spaces

Community Spaces is a Big Lottery Fund £50 million open grants programme that helps community groups in England create or improve green, open spaces to enhance people's quality of life.

Community Spaces are accepting applications for small and medium grants on a rolling basis up until January 2011. The deadline for submitting a stage 1 application is 28 January 2011. Grants start at £10,000.

For more information, please see <http://www.community-spaces.org.uk/default.aspx?page=63>.

Community Sustainable Energy Programme

The Community Sustainable Energy Programme will provide £8 million to community-based organisations for the installation of microgeneration technologies, such as solar panels or biomass boilers and energy efficiency measures including loft and cavity wall insulation. It will also provide £1 million for project development grants that will help community organisations decide if they could benefit from a microgeneration and energy efficiency installation.

The programme aims to achieve the following outcomes:

- Reduction in CO2 emissions
- Increased community awareness of climate change and how changes to our behaviour can reduce it
- Increased skills base of local trades (for example, local builders and building-service subcontractors working on renewable energy projects for the first time)
- Reduction in energy bills

- Reduction in reliance on imported energy and increased independence from commercial energy suppliers
- Stronger partnerships within local communities with lasting social benefits
- Growth of local enterprise in new technologies.

Capital grants will be awarded on a competitive basis at quarterly Selection Panel meetings.

Deadlines for this programme are:

- Friday 30 July 2010
- Friday 29 October 2010

For more information, please go to the following website:

<http://www.communitysustainable.org.uk/index.jsp>.

Forces in Mind

The Big Lottery Fund is calling on charities and forces organisations to step forward to run a £35 million trust providing support for former military personnel and their families.

The BIG Lottery Fund is setting up the 20-year, independent, Forces in Mind Trust to provide long-term support and advocacy for former forces personnel to make a successful transition to civilian life, including those who served in Iraq, Afghanistan and the Gulf War.

BIG wants the Trust to focus on addressing a range of problems that some veterans and their families can experience back in civilian life, which can include poor mental health, social exclusion, family breakdown and alcohol problems.

The Trust's advocacy work will include research to improve knowledge of the issues affecting veterans and their families as well as awareness raising campaigns, including peer advice, and advocacy and support to other veterans who might be at risk.

The Big Lottery Fund has been in discussion with representatives from the armed forces, mental health and forces charities to shape the Forces in Mind programme and is now calling for forces and other charities to step forward to formalise their aspirations to establish and run the Trust.

Further information about the Forces in Mind programme can be found on the Big Lottery Fund website

http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/prog_forces_in_mind?regioncode=-uk or by calling 08454 102030.

Trusts and Foundations

Aqua Fund

Aqua Fund is provided by Advanced Demand Side Management (ADSM) and is a £700m initiative open to all UK-based private and public sector organisations to support them in establishing greater efficiencies in their water consumption.

The AquaFund provides financial assistance in addition to offering the necessary resources and expertise needed to reduce water costs, this can include:

- Working with companies to benchmark water consumption;
- Preparing a water management plan;
- Optimising water efficiencies and taking the necessary steps to ensure they are maintained.

ADSM say that at 'their' cost they will:

- Survey your sites
- Install and maintain water saving equipment
- Validate your water bills via our Water Bureau Service
- Supply legal and admin resource to optimise your Tariffs
- Investigate water consumption anomalies and potential leaks
- Provide monthly reports for in-depth visibility on water usage and tangible improvements
- Ensure your consumption reductions are maintained.

For more information please contact:

Advanced Demand Side Management (ADSM), 268 Bath Road, Slough, SL1 4DX, Tel:

01753 833880 Email: aquafund@adsm.com

Web: <http://www.adsm.com/aquafund.php>

Architectural Heritage Fund

This scheme provides grants and low-cost loans for the conservation of scheduled or listed buildings, or those in conservation areas. The following grants and loans are available to qualifying charities:

- Options Appraisal Grants - Up to 75% of the cost of looking at the key conservation issues affecting the building, examining all the available options, considering their viability, and exploring possible sources of funding. The maximum grant is normally £7,500, but in exceptional circumstances this can be up to £12,500.
- Project Development Grant – Up to £25,000, available to Building Preservation Trusts only, to help with the costs of developing a project, and to take it towards the point where site work begins.
- Low-interest loans – Up to £500,000, available to registered charities to acquire and/or repair and re-use historic buildings.

Repair grants are not available, only grants for conservation appraisal. The next deadlines for applications are 12 August and 21 October 2010. See www.ahfund.org.uk/ for more details.

Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust

The Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust awards grants to charitable organisations in the United Kingdom and overseas.

Grants of between £1,000 and £10,000 are available for projects in the following areas for the next three years:

- 2010: Children, Youth, The Elderly and Medical research projects dealing with the ageing population.
- 2011: Music and the Arts, and Overseas.
- 2012: Community.

Applications are welcomed from charitable organisations in the UK and overseas, although overseas projects will only be considered in the stated years. Within the Community category applications will only be considered from charities working with: Homeless; Addiction; Asylum and Refugees; Sexual and Domestic Abuse; Prisoners and ex-Offenders.

The deadlines for applications are 1 June and 1 November each year. For more details, please see <http://www.austin-hope-pilkington.org.uk/>.

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: Access to Learning Award

This annual award is given to a public library or similar organisation, which has a commitment to offering the public free access to information technology. The Award, for existing and innovative projects, carries a prize of up to US \$1m.

The 2011 Access to Learning Award has now opened to applications. The Award is a reward for work already accomplished by an organisation and should be used to further expand the recipient organisation's efforts to provide free access to information technology.

Applications are particularly encouraged from institutions in developing countries or those working with disadvantaged communities. Preference will be given to organisations that reach out to under-served groups, such as poor or disabled patrons, or those from minority communities. Applications must be submitted by 30 September 2010.

You can find more information about this fund at www.gatesfoundation.org/atla/Pages/access-to-learning-award-overview.aspx.

Cash 4 Clubs

This scheme funded by Betfair and supported by SportsAid, offers grants of £250-£1,000 to grassroots sports clubs.

No preference is given as to the types of sport or the age range accessing the activity; however clubs should play an active role in the community, encourage social interaction and fitness, and be registered with their sports' National Governing body.

All types of costs will be considered, including equipment, training and capital costs. To find out more, please see www.cash-4-clubs.com/.

Comic Relief Older People's Programme

This scheme seeks to support older people (aged 65 and over) wishing to bring positive change to their communities, enabling them to contribute their time, energy and skills to those individuals who need it most.

Please note that due to the huge response to the first funding round of this scheme Comic Relief have narrowed the criteria for applicants. Only those that have an exact

fit with the programmes aims and outcomes will be considered. Comic Relief are particularly interested in projects involving:

- Acting as mentors to vulnerable young people
- Giving support to their peers who may be isolated
- Acting as advocates around the needs and rights of those with caring duties and
- Running social enterprises

Comic Relief particularly welcomes applications which address the needs of those in the community who experience the greatest levels of isolation and exclusion. Grants range between £15,000-£40,000 providing funding for up to three years.

All bids must demonstrate the active engagement of older people in the development and delivery of the work.

The deadline for Expressions of Interest is 3 September 2010. See www.comicrelief.com/apply_for_a_grant/uk/olderpeople for more information.

Drinkaware Grants

The Drinkaware grants work to positively influence public behaviour and find innovative ways to raise awareness about the effects of alcohol, to help reduce alcohol misuse and minimise alcohol-related harm.

Grants are available to groups working with any population group, through 3 schemes:

- Ideas Fund - up to £2,000
- Awareness Projects - up to £25,000
- Big Impact Awards - up to £100,000

Their funded projects include peer-led education schemes, alcohol education work, awareness raising among disadvantaged people who are at risk of harm from alcohol misuse, pilot projects and innovative work.

This programme is a rolling grants programme with no application deadlines. However, you should apply at least two months before your project is due to start.

For more information, please call 020 7766 9908; e-mail alaw@drinkaware.co.uk or see their website <http://www.drinkaware.co.uk/grants>.

Ernest Cook Trust

The Ernest Cook Trust is one of the UK's leading educational charities. Rooted in the conservation and management of the countryside, the Trust actively encourages children and young people to learn from the land through hands-on educational opportunities on its estates and by offering grants.

The current Trustees are able to distribute more than £1.25m in educational grants to benefit children and young people each year.

The small grants programme supports state schools and small registered charities which would like to undertake projects which meet the Trust's objectives and require a small amount of pump-priming in order for such projects to take place. The programme is a rolling one, with meetings at two-monthly intervals throughout the year: pressure on funds is high; it is therefore wise to think well ahead.

The large grants programme is aimed at more comprehensive education programmes: these sometimes require support for the salary of an education officer; in such cases the ECT would always expect to be a part-funder. The range of the programme is wide; over the years education projects linked to theatres, art galleries and orchestras have been supported, as have those covering a wide range of environmental and countryside projects.

For more information, please see <http://www.ernestcooktrust.org.uk/index.html>.

Film Nation: Shorts

Film Nation: Shorts provides young film-makers with the chance to get their work showcased at the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

The best work will be screened at iconic venues during the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games to an audience of millions. Annual regional and national awards ceremonies will also take place between 2010 and 2012.

The programme also provides young people with the opportunity to meet professional film-makers and learn new skills using the latest state-of-the-art equipment.

Young film-makers aged 11-25 are invited to create short films (of no longer than three minutes) that celebrate the values of the Olympic and Paralympic Games i.e. respect, courage, excellence, friendship, equality, determination and inspiration.

Eligible films can be a documentary, drama or animation.

The competition has now opened to applications. The first deadline is 1 October 2010. See <http://www.london2012.com/get-involved/cultural-olympiad/major-projects/film-nation.php> for more details.

Fire Safety Fund

This scheme seeks to reduce electrical fires in UK homes. Bids are encouraged from local community consumer-safety services and bodies (i.e. Not-for-profit organisations; third sector organisations and Community-safety organisations.) who have an active role in promoting electrical fire safety to their local community, Any project with the potential to help prevent electrical fires will be considered.

You could receive a maximum grant £5,000.

The deadline for the receipt of applications is 16 July 2010. To find out more, e-mail enquiries@esc.org.uk or see www.escfiresafety.org.uk/.

Freerunner: Free WiFi Access

Freerunner have partnered with JustGiving.com to put free WiFi Internet access in 160 charity buildings provided they have broadband access. It could be in charity shops, giving people another reason to visit.

To apply, let Freerunner know why your community needs WiFi at www.freerunr.com/community/.

If you don't get chosen, bear in mind that if five local businesses take freerunner's commercial service (all within 5 miles of each other) the company will put free access in a public space (like a village hall) or a school and those five businesses get to

advertise on the service (for free), to show the community how they are supporting them.

Garfield Weston Foundation

Garfield Weston Foundation is a grant-giving charity for UK registered charities. The Foundation will also consider applications from a limited number of other organisations - churches, educational establishments, hospitals and housing corporations. Average grants are around £25,000.

There are no application deadlines.

For more information, see <http://www.garfieldweston.org/>.

Help the Hospices Emergency Grants Programme

This grant is given to offer support to hospices facing urgent financial crisis.

There are 2 to 3 grants of between £5,000 and £10,000 available to hospices in the UK which are full UK member Hospices.

Hospices who wish to apply must be facing a reduction in frontline services for patients, their families and carers within the next 6 months. Grants will not be given for running costs, core funding, maintenance or for specific short term fundraising activities. All money must be spent on work that strategically moves the hospice towards a more secure and sustainable long-term future.

There is no deadline for applications, but it is suggested that you contact the grants team in advance to briefly discuss your proposal. Further information can be found at <http://www.helpthehospices.org.uk/our-services/grants/uk-grants/emergency-grants/>.

In Kind Direct

In Kind Direct re-distributes new goods donated by some of Britain's best-known manufacturers and retailers to thousands of voluntary organisations working at home and abroad. Founded in 1996, In Kind Direct has since gone on to assist 7000 charities, working with more than 800 donor businesses and funders.

To join the network you don't need to be a registered charity; you just need to be a not-for-profit organisation or social business. If you qualify then many of the goods you require can be obtained at very low cost, thanks to the hundreds of manufacturers and retailers which donate goods to In Kind Direct.

All you pay for each pack of goods is the handling fee, which contributes to the costs of collecting, warehousing and delivering the goods to your door. On average this works out at around 10 - 15% of the actual value.

Find out more at <http://www.inkinddirect.org/>.

Jephcott Charitable Trust

Jephcott Charitable Trust gives grants which will make a difference with preference given to charities or projects which are having difficulty getting started, or raising funds from other sources. This often means that the Trust is funding capital projects, e.g. for equipment or materials, rather than running costs. Grants are made to charities in all parts of the world.

The trust's priorities are

- Population Control - The Jephcott Charitable Trust is prepared to consider support for schemes, particularly educational ones, which help to control excessive growth in population
- The Natural Environment - The Trust has supported a number of projects involved in conserving the natural environment. It does not support projects involving animal welfare or heritage sites or buildings
- Education - Projects will be considered include benefitting people of all ages and backgrounds. They may be able to provide formal education, to teach vocational skills to enhance the possibility of employment, to enhance computer skills, health awareness, distance learning
- Health - A very wide range of healthcare projects are supported. Projects which require long-term funding are not normally considered. The Trust prefers to make one-off donations to get many projects started, rather than support fewer projects charities over a long period

You can apply for the fund if:

- You are a registered charity or properly constituted organisation. The purpose for which you are applying must be legally charitable and your constitution must allow you to carry out that work
- Your proposal falls within our funding priorities
- The work for which you want funding has not already taken place
- The work will benefit an individual

The Trust does not support:

- Organisations whose administrative expenses form more than 15% of their annual income
- Individuals
- Animal welfare
- Heritage

For more information, see <http://www.jephcottcharitabletrust.org.uk/index.htm>.

Joseph Rowntree Foundation - New Insights

The purpose of this Call is to encourage original responses to the UK's current economic, social and environmental challenges that can make concrete suggestions for ways in which disadvantaged communities can be protected, or even supported to thrive.

JRF is interested in funding a range of projects, including theoretical work or deliberative processes, as well as research projects. All of the projects should have the clear potential to influence policy and/or practice, and be grounded in the harsh reality of the current economic climate and public sector funding constraints and the pressures posed by the challenges of climate change.

Proposals must have relevance to JRF's mission to search out underlying causes, demonstrate solutions and influence lasting change in one or more of its overarching themes: Poverty; Place; and Empowerment.

JRF will not fund ongoing service delivery, but will consider funding projects that draw on practice to demonstrate solutions to the challenges faced.

JRF expects to fund a complementary mix of larger and smaller projects and its focus is on value for money rather than cost. Therefore, both larger and smaller proposals

are welcomed, although projects with a budget of more than £100,000 are very unlikely to be funded.

JRF accepts proposals from any organisation or individual and does not restrict its funding to any particular sector.

The deadline for receipt of outline proposals is 2 August 2010. See <http://www.jrf.org.uk/funding/new-insights2010> for details.

Land Rover 'Go Beyond' Bursary

The Land Rover 'Go Beyond' Bursary provides funding and the use of a 110 Defender vehicle to help the successful participants 'go beyond' when exploring their understanding of a particular geographical concept. The loan vehicle must be essential to the journey, and the winning teams will be expected to share their experience(s) by documenting the journey in a medium of their choice. Teams will comprise two to six members.

A grant of £10,000 is available along with the use of a Land Rover 110 Defender vehicle.

Applicants will need to demonstrate how the journey 'goes beyond' his/her usual experiences, limits or boundaries, and how the journey will promote a wider understanding or enjoyment of geography.

Documentation can be in any form or medium: digital; photographic; film; written; visual; musical etc. Team members must be able to demonstrate a passion for sharing the 'Go Beyond' journey and an expertise in getting the message across in the chosen medium and the Land Rover must be an essential part of the project.

Applicants should hold a clean UK driving licence and have three or more years' experience of driving. Applicants must also demonstrate a clear desire to learn from and be able to document the geography of the people, places and environments encountered on the journey itself.

The 2010 deadline is 24 September 2010. For further details please see <http://www.rgs.org/OurWork/Grants/Expedition+and+fieldwork+grants/Land+Rover+Go+Beyond+Bursary.htm>.

NCVO: Cracking the Code Bursary Scheme Round 6

Round 6 of the National Council for Voluntary Organisation's Cracking the Code bursary scheme is now open to applications. Bursaries of up to £500 are available to small third sector infrastructure organisations in England with an annual income of less than £500,000.

The scheme aims to support these organisations to improve their governance based on all, or any, of the following principles that form part of NCVO's Good Governance: A Code for the Voluntary and Community Sector:

- Board leadership
- The Board in control
- The high performance Board
- Board review and renewal
- Board delegation
- Board and Trustee integrity

- The open Board

Bursaries can be used for a wide range of activities including the following:

- Organising a Board 'Away Day'
- Bringing in an external facilitator and hiring a venue
- Training on the latest legal updates or the roles and responsibilities of Board members
- Getting advice on creating a trustee expenses policy
- Developing role descriptions for the Board
- Structuring sub-committees or developing a conflict of interests policy
- Improving recruitment and induction systems
- Carrying out a skills assessment
- Developing a recruitment strategy
- Creating trustee induction packs.
- Holding a stakeholder forum to improve strategic planning
- Carrying out a governance review

The Round 6 deadline for applications is 30 September 2010. See <http://www.ncvo-vol.org.uk/crackingthecode> for more information.

PRS New Music 20x12

PRS for Music Foundation has launched its latest grant stream 'New Music 20x12' as part of London 2012 Cultural Olympiad. The foundation is looking for 20 brand new musical works, of outstanding creative excellence, each lasting 12 minutes. Together these will celebrate the UK's musical talent and creativity throughout 2012 and beyond.

Grants of up to £10,000 are available for each of the 20 commissions and each of these will be broadcast round the world on BBC Radio 3.

The call for proposals invites music organisations, festivals, ensembles, promoters or venues to present ideas for new work, in any musical genre, that they would like to commission from a UK-based composer. Each work will premiere in 2012 and receive at least 2 additional performances.

If you are a composer, ensemble or music creator you will need to partner with one of the aforementioned not for profit organisations in order to apply. The UK-wide call for applications is now open and deadline is 1st October 2010.

For more information please see link below:

<http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/newmusic20x12/index.htm>

ScottishPower Energy People Trust

The ScottishPower Energy People Trust is an independent charity that helps vulnerable, disadvantaged people out of fuel poverty. Charities and not-for-profit groups can apply for funding to support projects in the following categories:

- Crisis funding – for example, to help women and children who need emergency accommodation and vulnerable young people setting up their first home
- Income maximisation – for example, conducting benefits checks to help households that aren't claiming all the benefits to which they're entitled, or those who are not eligible for government grants because they do not receive the qualifying benefit
- Energy Efficiency measures and advice – for example, improving home energy efficiency through draught proofing, insulating and offering energy efficiency advice

- Research – for example, a research project that aims to understand the link between fuel poverty and health.

Priority will be given to projects aimed at helping families with young children and young people.

The deadlines are as follows:

- 20 July 2010 for meeting 7 September 2010
- 19 October 2010 for meeting 7 December 2010

See <http://www.energypeopletrust.com/content/default.asp?page=s4> for further details.

Sobell Foundation

This funder supports registered charities in the following areas:

- medical care and treatment, including respite care and hospices;
- care for physically and mentally disabled adults and children;
- education and training for adults and children with physical and learning disabilities;
- care and support of the elderly;
- care and support for children;
- homelessness.

The Trustees aim to achieve a reasonable spread between Jewish charities (operating principally in the UK and Israel) and non-Jewish charities operating in the UK.

See www.sobellfoundation.org.uk/ for more information.

Sky Sports Student of the Year Awards

The aim of this programme is to improve health, develop self esteem, increase attainment and achievement and encourages young people to reach their full potential.

The Student of the Year award celebrates the successes that secondary schools have had in using sport to encourage and inspire young people as a result of their involvement with the Sky Sports Living for Sport Programme.

To nominate a student you first must register at the below link and provide a planned programme of sport activities in which students have been involved in.

The deadline is 16 July 2010 and the finalists will be notified in the first week of the autumn term 2010.

For more information please use these contact details:

<http://livingforsport.skysports.com/index.aspx?AspxAutoDetectCookieSupport=1>

Tel: 01509 226648

E-mail: sslfsawards@midnight.co.uk

Sussex Community Foundation open programmes

Sussex Community Foundation manages money for a variety of funders and processes application forms on their behalf. Programmes open to applications change regularly and so you should consult the website <http://www.sussexgiving.org.uk/apply-for-funding/>.

Comic Relief

Comic Relief is a British charity organisation which was founded in the United Kingdom in 1985. One of the fundamental principles behind working at Comic Relief is the "Golden Pound Principle" where every single donated pound (£) is spent on charitable projects. Grants of £10,000 are available for groups in East Sussex who wish to:

- increase access to sport and exercise for people who face social exclusion and isolation
- help people who are experiencing difficulties in their lives
- increase local services
- builds skills of local people
- increase community cohesion
- respond to local economic needs

The closing date for applications is 30th July 2010.

General Awards & Donor Funds

Grants of £1,000-£5,000 are given to support groups working in their communities in Sussex. Each donor fund has a set of specific criteria and areas in which they want to give their money. Guidance notes can be found on <http://tiny.cc/8lox9>. The next closing date is the 30th July 2010.

Grassroots Grants

Small, mainly volunteer led groups, with an income of less than £30,000 a year that have been active in their community for more than a year can apply for grants of up to £5,000.

The next closing date is 16th July 2010.

Little Cheyne Court Wind Farm Community Fund

Funded by npower renewables this fund will support community groups (including social enterprises) based within a 7km radius of the Little Cheyne Court Wind Farm. Grants of £500 to £5,000 will be awarded.

The next closing date is 20th September 2010.

Third Sector Placement Fellowship Scheme

The ESRC Third Sector Placement Fellowship Scheme provides an opportunity for social science researchers to spend time within a third sector organisation to undertake practice relevant research and work with the host organisation on specific projects.

The aims of the scheme are to:

- Promote the application and co-production of knowledge between Research Organisations and third sector organisations (and the staff employed within them); Promote an evidence based culture within the third sector;
- Provide third sector organisations with research-informed evidence to develop and review strategic and operational policy and practices;
- Enhance the research capacity of the collaborating third sector organisations;
- Provide career development opportunities and offer skills up-dating;
- Expand networks for third sector organisations into academia and vice versa;
- Enable all parties, including the ESRC, to develop their understanding of the interaction between research and the development of third sector policy and practice.

Applications should also relate to the ESRC Third Sector Engagement Strategy and the strategic aims and seven research challenges set-out within the ESRC's Strategic Plan 2009-14.

The call for applications to this scheme opened on 1st June 2010 with a closing date of 5th August 2010.

All applications should be made via the Research Council Joint Electronic Submission System (Je-S) with proposals approved with costing by the relevant institutional authority at the Research Organisation before submission to the ESRC and a letter of support from the host third sector organisation is required.

For more details, please see

<http://www.esrc.ac.uk/ESRCInfoCentre/KnowledgeExch/ESRCThirdSectorPilotPlacementCall.aspx>.

Wilkinson Charity

Wilkinson Stores has a number of ways they support their local communities including:

Helping Hands Fund

Local Wilkinson stores are responsible for their own Helping Hands Fund community budget. They will consider applications from organisations whose beneficiaries are young people, families and the elderly who live or work in the direct locality of a Wilkinson store and will look favourably on those that are able to show that funding will help people to achieve and reach their potential.

Team Member Fundraising

They will match pound for pound their team members' own fundraising efforts through their Local Stars scheme. If your store cannot support you through the Helping Hands Fund, you might instead attract a team member to raise funds for you by doing such things as a sponsored walk or a sponsored run.

They will give up to £100 per application and up to £250 per application for the Charity of the Year where the team member can show that their fundraising efforts fit the overall theme of helping people achieve and reach their potential.

Wilkinson Local Stars

Each year customers nominate Wilkinson Local Stars, people from the local community, who have winning qualities. Open to all, this scheme rewards 30 individuals annually with up to £5,000 in sponsorship money.

This is a scheme that both helps and recognises life's achievers. You can enter yourself or you may nominate someone you know in one of the three categories:

- Personal potential in sports, dance, music, theatre or a 'chance in a lifetime' activity;
- Someone who has overcome personal difficulty;
- Someone who has benefited others in their community.

To apply to any of the above schemes pick up an application form in your local Wilkinson store or see http://corporate.wilkinsonplus.com/corp/wilkinson_charity.asp.

International

Civil Justice

The Civil Justice programme forms part of the wider Fundamental Rights and Justice programme, which is focused on:

- Promoting judicial co-operation
- Contributing to better functioning of cross-border civil proceedings in Member States
- Enabling individuals and businesses to assert their rights throughout the EU and
- Improving the contacts, exchange of information and networking between legal, judicial and administrative authorities and the legal professions

The deadline for applications for training of national judges in EC competition law and judicial cooperation between national judges has been announced as 30 September 2010. See http://ec.europa.eu/justice_home/funding/civil/funding_civil_en.htm for further details.

Criminal Justice

Criminal Justice is a strand under the umbrella Framework Programme for Fundamental Rights and Justice for the period 2007-2013.

The 2010 Call for Proposals for Action Grants has been launched with a deadline for receipt of applications of 15 September.

2010 priority areas are as follows:

- Judicial training
- Supporting, or improving the implementation of adopted EU Instruments with a view to networking and exchanging best practice among practitioners, including on procedural rights and restorative justice
- Supporting victims of crime
- Interconnection of criminal records
- European e-Justice

The request for funding must be more than EUR 100,000. For more details, go to http://ec.europa.eu/justice_home/funding/jpen/doc/awp_jpen_2010_en.pdf.

Daiwa Foundation Scholarships

The aim of the Daiwa Scholarships programme is to offer young and talented UK citizens the opportunity to acquire Japanese language skills, and to access expertise and knowledge relevant to their career goals.

Daiwa scholars receive a maintenance grant of approximately Y3,120,000 per year for the duration of the Scholarship to cover accommodation and living costs. In addition, the Foundation meets the travel costs to and from Japan, all tuition fees and examination fees throughout the Scholarship.

Candidates must be:

- aged between 21 and 35
- able to provide proof of their British Citizenship
- graduates with a strong degree in any subject, or a strong record of achievement in their field and

- in possession of clear career objectives and a commitment to furthering UK-Japan links.

The closing date for the 2011 Daiwa Scholarships is 2 December 2010. More information can be found on

http://www.dajf.org.uk/page_e.asp?Section=Scholarships&ID=52.

Development Education Fund

Funding is available to groups and organisations in England and Wales which are involved in global justice education work and that are in a position to further the strategic goals and education priorities of CAFOD, the Catholic Agency for Overseas Development.

The four main funding streams are as follows:

- Justice & Peace Co-funding
- Development Education Funding
- Justice Spirituality Funding
- Youth Funding

The final deadline for applications for grants of more than £3,000 is 30 November 2010. Applications for less than £3,000 may be made at any time. For further details, look at <http://www.cafod.org.uk/uk/funding>.

Global Community Links

Community linking is an ongoing relationship between a community group in the UK and a community group in a developing country. Links communicate regularly and do things together for mutual benefit.

Any kind of community group can be involved in a link, from youth groups to sports clubs to churches to social enterprises.

A key part of linking is to help you share learning about development issues with your wider community by running exciting UK learning events. By linking you can make connections between your community and the wider world, learn more about global development issues and take action on them globally and locally.

There is plenty of support available to help you start your link and keep developing it, including grants of up to £10,000 and learning workshops.

Once established with a link, you will be supported by being able to:

- attend an Inspiration and Activation workshop which will give you ideas for Global Learning activities
- apply for a grant to help fund UK based global learning activities
- attend our evaluation and celebration workshops to help you reflect on your successes
- meet other people involved in Links to share ideas and experiences
- receive quarterly newsletters with ideas to inspire and motivate your Link.

For more information, see <http://www.dfid.gov.uk/getting-involved/how-you-can-help/dfid-community-linking-programme/>.

INTERREG IV A – Channel Programme

To be eligible partners must come from the UK – Cornwall to Norfolk and France – Brittany to the Somme and projects must cover one of the following priorities:

Priority 1 – Reinforce the sense of belonging to a common space and the awareness of shared interests

Priority 2 – Build partnerships between players involved in cross-border economic development and between centres of excellence

Priority 3 – Build an attractive common space to live in and visit

Priority 4 – Ensure sustainable environmental development of the common space
Common Priority (see above – 2 Seas Programme, Priority 4)

A new website will be launched shortly to replace:

<http://www.interreg3.com/EN/homepage.asp> - it is not up and running as we're finalising this newsletter but should be shortly: <http://www.interreg4a.eu.int/>

INTERREG IVA – Two Sea Programme

INTERREG IVA Two Seas Programme is an EU-funded programme that part-finances joint co-operation projects between organisations in eligible areas of England and organisations in eligible areas in France, Belgium and/or the Netherlands under a variety of themes including Economic Development, Environment and Quality of Life.

The sixth call for proposals is now open and will close on 9th July.

For more details: <http://www.interreg4a-2mers.eu/UK/accueilUK.html>

Road Safety Call

DG Transport has launched a Call on road safety. The operations to be supported include Research activities and dissemination of best practices; Co-ordination and harmonisation of standards and procedures; Studies to advance knowledge in fields for further & innovative initiatives at the EU level.

The operations must be devoted to one of the following areas of road safety:

- Development and implementation of innovative communication road safety campaigns throughout the European Union; use of original teaching approaches and new information technologies to influence user behaviour in a sustainable manner;
- Innovative concepts or the sharing of best practice to ensure greater awareness and better understanding and communication between various road users in order to improve road safety in Europe;
- Projects relating to the impact that an ageing population has on road safety;
- Projects on the impact that gender has on driving and road behaviour;
- Projects on the economic and social impact of road safety, including in public health policy;
- Projects relating to the impact of new technology on vehicle safety and passenger safety.

For more information please see
http://ec.europa.eu/transport/grants/2010_09_15_en.htm.

The deadline for this call is 15/9/10.

UK-German Challenge Fund

Primary and secondary schools, further education colleges and youth groups in the UK may apply for funding to carry out collaborative projects with a partner institution within Germany.

Projects should involve young people from both countries and activities may focus on thematic project work, leading to concrete outcomes and results.

Joint projects can cover a wide range of themes, such as:

- science and technology
- business and enterprise
- citizenship
- art and design
- music, dance and drama and
- multimedia and ICT

Within these themes activities could involve, for example, debating workshops, work-related activities, community projects and cultural events, exhibitions and productions. A language learning element is welcomed within a project, although this is not compulsory.

Grants of up to £5,000 are available and up to 50% of project costs may be covered, although in exceptional circumstances up to 75% of costs will be funded.

Young people should be involved in the conception of the project and both countries should undertake trips to their partner institution. At least 10 young people from each participating institution should be involved in the project visits.

The third 2010 deadline for applications is 31 October. See
http://www.ukgermanconnection.org/microsites/?location_id=216 for further information.

Youth in Action Partnerships

The aim of this Programme is to combine small youth based projects within Youth in Action in a structuring process, proposed by a public body or an organisation at European level.

Proposals must be submitted by regional or local public bodies or by organisations active in the youth sector at European level which have member organisations in at least eight of the eligible participating countries, namely: EU Member States; Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Turkey.

Grants will not exceed €100,000 and the deadline for submission of applications is 8 October 2010.

For further information, please consult
http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/youth/funding/2009/call_action_4_6_en.php.

Youth in Action – Youth Support Systems

The general objectives of Youth in Action are:

- to promote young people's active citizenship in general and their European citizenship in particular
- to develop solidarity and promote tolerance among young people, in particular in order to foster social cohesion in the European Union
- to foster mutual understanding between young people in different countries
- to contribute to developing the quality of support systems for youth activities and the capabilities of civil society organisations in the youth field
- to promote European cooperation in the youth field

The purpose of this Call for Proposals, which forms sub-action 4.3 'Youth Support Systems' of the programme, is to support, on an experimental basis, youth workers' mobility and exchanges with a view to promoting the acquisition of new skills and competences in order to enrich their profile as professionals in the youth field, as well as to help them better adapt to the changing needs of young people.

It will also contribute to the capacity-building and the development of the structures involved. In doing so, this Call will contribute to supporting the policy priority to support, recognise and professionalize youth work as a cross-cutting policy tool in Europe.

Non-profit-making organisations based in an EU Member State are eligible to apply. The deadline for the receipt of proposals is 22 October 2010.

See <http://www.britishcouncil.org/youthinaction-programmes-youth-support-systems.htm> for more details.

Funding Diary

| Fund | Deadline |
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| July 2010 | |
| Future Vision Awards | 09/07/2010 |
| INTERREG IVA | 09/07/2010 |
| Military and Civilian Health Partnership Awards | 09/07/2010 |
| Health Foundation Closing the Gap Award | 13/07/2010 |
| Children in Need | 15/07/2010 |
| Groundswell's Grant Award Scheme | 15/07/2010 |
| Church and Community Fund | 16/07/2010 |
| Fire Safety Fund | 16/07/2010 |
| Grassroots Grant | 16/07/2010 |
| Guardian Charity Awards 2010 | 16/07/2010 |
| Leonardo | 16/07/2010 |
| Sky Sports Student of the Year Awards | 16/07/2010 |
| The Weavers Company Benevolent Fund | 16/07/2010 |
| ScottishPower Energy People Trust | 20/07/2010 |
| BIG Community Wildlife | 21/07/2010 |
| Difference Engine | 23/07/2010 |
| Comic Relief | 30/07/2010 |
| Community Sustainable Energy Programme | 30/07/2010 |
| General Awards and Donor Funds | 30/07/2010 |
| Wellcome Trust – Arts Awards | 30/07/2010 |
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| European Solar Prize | 31/07/2010 |
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| UIA Charitable Foundation | 01/08/2010 |
| Different Disciplines, Common Experience Expression of Interest deadline | 02/08/2010 |
| Joseph Rowntree Foundation - New Insights | 02/08/2010 |
| ScottishPower Energy People Trust | 02/08/2010 |
| Hilton in the Community | 03/08/2010 |
| Macmillan Helping You Help Others Grant | 04/08/2010 |
| Veolia Environment Trust | 04/08/2010 |
| Third Sector Placement Fellowship Scheme | 05/08/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Festivals | 09/08/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Organisations | 09/08/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Promoters | 09/08/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Performance Groups | 09/08/2010 |
| PRS for Music Foundation – Awards for New Works | 09/08/2010 |
| SITA Trust Young Person's Volunteering Fund | 09/08/2010 |
| Architectural Heritage Fund | 12/08/2010 |
| AHF – Grants for Building Preservation Trusts | 12/08/2010 |
| Get Connected Investment Project Cycle 2 | 20/08/2010 |
| eaga Charitable Trust | 27/08/2010 |
| Eranda Foundation | 31/08/2010 |
| PRS Foundation: British Music Abroad | 31/08/2010 |
| Radcliff Trust Music Grant | 31/08/2010 |
| Will Charitable Trust – Cancer care | 31/08/2010 |
| Will Charitable Trust – Conservation | 31/08/2010 |

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| Europe for Citizens - Thematic Networking of Twinned Towns | 01/09/2010 |
| Europe for Citizens - Town Twinning citizens meetings | 01/09/2010 |
| Youth in Action National Projects | 01/09/2010 |
| Youth in Action European Projects | 01/09/2010 |
| Comic Relief Older People's Programme Expression of Interest deadline | 03/09/2010 |
| Hilden Charitable Fund | 03/09/2010 |
| Access to Volunteering | 06/09/2010 |
| Hedley Foundation | 06/09/2010 |
| Rowing Foundation | 06/09/2010 |
| UnLtd Level 2 Awards | 06/09/2010 |
| V cashpoint | 06/09/2010 |
| Joseph Rowntree Charitable Trust | 07/09/2010 |
| Epic Awards | 10/09/2010 |
| Harold Hyam Wingate Foundation | 10/09/2010 |
| Youth in Action | 10/09/2010 |
| Criminal Justice | 15/09/2010 |
| Culture 2007 Programme | 15/09/2010 |
| Polden-Puckham Charitable Foundation | 15/09/2010 |
| Road Safety Call | 15/09/2010 |
| The Philip Lawrence Awards | 15/09/2010 |
| ScottishPower Energy People Trust | 19/10/2010 |
| Little Cheyne Court Wind Farm Community Fund | 20/09/2010 |
| BIG Community Wildlife | 22/07/2010 |
| Idlewild Trust | 24/09/2010 |
| Land Rover 'Go Beyond' Bursary | 24/09/2010 |
| Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: Access to Learning Award | 30/09/2010 |
| BUPA Foundation - Philip Poole-Wilson Seed Corn Fund | 30/09/2010 |
| Church and Community Fund | 30/09/2010 |
| Civil Justice | 30/09/2010 |
| Different Disciplines, Common Experience | 30/09/2010 |
| Help the Homeless | 30/09/2010 |
| NCVO: Cracking the Code Bursary Scheme Round 6 | 30/09/2010 |
| Ulverscroft Foundation | 30/09/2010 |
| October 2010 | |
| Europa Nostra Awards | 01/10/2010 |
| Fidelio Charitable Trust | 01/10/2010 |
| Film Nation: Shorts | 01/10/2010 |
| PRS New Music 20x12 | 01/10/2010 |
| Unlimited | 01/10/2010 |
| Winston Churchill Memorial Trust Travelling Fellowship Programme | 05/10/2010 |
| E.ON Sustainable Energy Fund | 08/10/2010 |
| Youth in Action Partnerships | 08/10/2010 |
| SITA Trust Young Person's Volunteering Fund | 11/10/2010 |
| Children in Need | 15/10/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Festivals | 15/10/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Organisations | 15/10/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Performance Groups | 15/10/2010 |
| PRS Awards to Promoters | 15/10/2010 |
| PRS for Music Foundation – Awards for New Works | 15/10/2010 |
| Groundswell's Grant Award Scheme | 15/10/2010 |
| Architectural Heritage Fund | 21/10/2010 |

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| Friends Provident Foundation | 22/10/2010 |
| Youth in Action – Youth Support Systems | 22/10/2010 |
| Veolia Environment Trust | 27/10/2010 |
| AHF – Grants for Building Preservation Trusts | 28/10/2010 |
| Philips Livable Cities Award | 28/10/2010 |
| Community Sustainable Energy Programme | 29/10/2010 |
| Wellcome Trust – Arts Awards | 29/10/2010 |
| BFWG Charitable Foundation – Theodora Bosanquet Busary | 31/10/2010 |
| Concertina | 31/10/2010 |
| UK-German Challenge Fund | 31/10/2010 |
| November 2010 | |
| Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust | 01/11/2010 |
| Hedley Foundation | 01/11/2010 |
| ScottishPower Energy People Trust | 01/11/2010 |
| Youth in Action National Projects | 01/11/2010 |
| Hilton in the Community | 09/11/2010 |
| The Weavers Company Benevolent Fund | 12/11/2010 |
| People's Trust UK Mammals Grants | 22/11/2010 |
| BIG Community Wildlife | 24/11/2010 |
| Development Education Fund | 30/11/2010 |
| December 2010 | |
| Rowing Foundation | 01/12/2010 |
| Daiwa Foundation Scholarships | 02/12/2010 |
| Macmillan Helping You Help Others Grant | 02/12/2010 |
| Harold Hyam Wingate Foundation | 10/12/2010 |
| Church and Community Fund | 31/12/2010 |
| Help the Homeless | 31/12/2010 |
| The Health Work and Well-Being Challenge Fund | 31/12/2010 |
| Ulverscroft Foundation | 31/12/2010 |
| January 2011 | |
| EcoMinds – Medium Grants | 08/01/2011 |
| INTERREG IVA | 21/01/2011 |
| Community Spaces | 28/01/2011 |
| High Weald Sustainable Development Fund | 31/01/2011 |
| Community Spaces | 31/01/2011 |
| Heroes Return 2 | 31/01/2011 |
| Marine Communities Fund | 31/01/2011 |
| March 2011 | |
| The Weavers Company Benevolent Fund | 11/03/2011 |
| Bio-energy Capital Grants Scheme | 31/03/2011 |
| Development Innovation Fund | 31/03/2011 |
| April 2011 | |
| Unlimited | 18/04/2011 |
| June 2011 | |
| Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust | 01/06/2011 |
| July 2011 | |
| The Weavers Company Benevolent Fund | 15/07/2011 |
| Open | |
| ACT Foundation | |
| Al Fayed Charitable Trust | |
| Allen Lane Foundation | |
| ASDA Foundation | |

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| Awards for All |
| Barrow Cadbury Trust |
| B&Q Waste Donation Scheme |
| Be the Boss |
| BRIT Trust |
| Boost Charitable Trust |
| Bromley Trust |
| Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation Innovation Fund |
| Cash 4 Clubs |
| C Charitable Trust |
| Childwick Trust |
| Clothworkers' Foundation |
| Crash Support Scheme |
| Small Development Education Fund Grants |
| DFID Community Linking Programme |
| Disabled Facilities Grants |
| D'Oyly Carte Charitable Trust |
| Drink Aware Grants |
| Dulverton Trust |
| English Heritage |
| Ernest Cook Trust |
| European Youth Foundation Pilot Projects |
| Faiths in Action |
| Four Acre Trust |
| Fuserna Foundation |
| Gardening for Disabled Trust |
| Garfield Weston Foundation |
| Global Community Links |
| Google Grants |
| Groundswell Grant Award Scheme |
| H.B. Allen Charitable Trust |
| Help the Hospices Emergency Grants Programme |
| Help the Hospices - Professional Development |
| Henry Smith Charity |
| Jephcott Charitable Trust |
| J Paul Getty Jnr Charitable Trust |
| John Ellerman Foundation |
| Lawrence Atwell's Charity |
| Links Foundation |
| Lloyds TSB Foundation for England |
| Manifold Charitable Trust |
| Mini Mediabox |
| National Churches Trust |
| Noel Buxton Trust |
| Mustard Seed Programme |
| O2 "Think Big" |
| Paul Hamlyn Foundation |
| People's Postcode Trust |
| Peter Cruddas Foundation |
| Porticus UK |
| RDPE LEADER Programme |
| Rowing Foundation |
| Royal British Legion External Grants Scheme |

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| Rye Fund |
| Sir Cliff Richard Charitable Trust |
| Sobell Foundation |
| Sportsmatch England |
| The Archer Trust |
| The Hedley Foundation |
| The Nationwide Foundation - Small Grants |
| The Naturesave Trust: Community Renewable Energy Grants |
| The Yapp Charitable Trust |
| Trusthouse Fund |
| UK Film Council's Film Fund |
| UnLtd Sport Relief Do it Award |
| UnLtd Sport Relief Shape it Awards |
| UnLtd Sport Relief Try it Awards |
| Wakeham Trust |
| WH Smith Trust |
| Wilkinson Charity |