

WHAT FUNDS

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Together in Service - Faithaction

Together in Service is a new programme supported by the Department for Communities and Local Government. Its objectives are:

1. To celebrate the practical contribution that faith communities make to society through social action
2. To support faith groups in undertaking new multi-faith volunteering projects at local level

Social action can broadly be defined as practical action in the service of others, which is:

- carried out by individuals or groups of people working together
- not mandated and not for profit
- done for the good of others – individuals, communities and/or society
- bringing about social change and/or value

FaithAction will be administering a pot of £160,000 over 2 years. This is available as 1:1 match-funding for small grants of £2,000 and £5,000 – the Together in Service Fund – to facilitate new multi-faith social action projects at a local level, where there is often a lack of confidence in undertaking volunteering work in a multi-faith way.

If you are looking to apply for a £5,000 grant, *please note that these are extremely limited*, they will expect you to demonstrate how your project will have a wider impact than those who are awarded £2,000.

Grants will be given to constituted bodies, not to individuals. Grants are only available in England.

Tel: 0845 094 6350

E-mail: togetherinservice@nullfaithaction.net

<http://www.togetherinservice.net/funding/>

Allen Lane Foundation

The Allen Lane Foundation offers grants of up to £15,000 to smaller, not-for-profit voluntary organisations for project and core costs. They are also willing to fund new and innovative ideas. The fund looks to help projects that will make a lasting difference to people's lives, and reduce isolation and discrimination.

The fund specifically supports:

- Asylum-seekers and refugees
- Gay, lesbian, bi-sexual or transgender people
- Gypsies and travellers
- Migrant workers
- Offenders and ex-offenders
- Older people
- People experiencing mental health problems
- People experiencing violence or abuse

This is a continuous rolling programme.

Tel: 01904 613223

E-mail: info@allenlane.org.uk

<http://www.allenlane.org.uk/index.html>

Andy Fanshawe Memorial Trust

The AFMT funds projects that give disadvantaged young people the chance to develop an existing interest in the great outdoors. The AFMT supports projects taking place within the United Kingdom. They prefer that applicants have done some fund-raising and usually support organisations, but if an individual wants to apply, they need a referee.

The AFMT does not have an application form. Apply by answering the following questions.

- Who is applying?
- What do you propose to do? And where?
- Who will benefit? Why do they deserve their support?
- What is the overall budget?
- How much are you applying for?
- What are your plans for continuing this type of activity?
- What have you done before?

Submit your application in writing or by e-mail at any time

E-mail: edward.douglas@btinternet.com

http://www.andyfanshawe.org/information_for_applicants.php

BBC Children in Need - Grants Programme

Grants are open to UK charities and not for profit organisations working with disadvantaged children and young people who are 18 years old and under. Small grants of £10,000 or less per year for up to three years and Main Grants over £10,000 per year for up to three years

Children in Need give grants for projects delivered by organisations working with disadvantaged children and young people, who must be 18 years and under, living in the UK.

Disadvantages experienced by children and young people include:

- Illness, distress, abuse or neglect
- Any kind of disability
- Behavioural or psychological difficulties
- Living in poverty or situations of deprivation

The application should focus on the children your project will work with and the differences that your project will make for them.

You should clearly be able to demonstrate how your project will change the lives of the children involved for the better. Where possible it should take into account their views and involve them in decisions that affect them.

The next deadline for Large Grants is 15th January 2015.

The next deadline for Small Grants is 1st December 2014.

Tel: 020 8576 7788 E-mail: pudsey@bbc.co.uk

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/5ysD3mLQYYRPLNZ032LjM7/grants>



Grants for Scouting groups

Over the years The Scout Association has been extremely fortunate to receive generous donations from many individuals and organisations who wish to support their work at a national and local level. The result of these donations is that there are a range of funds available, particularly to support local groups/units and individual members who require financial assistance in undertaking their scouting.

Grants are available for many things, including:

- Opening or re-opening new sections
- Starting a new group (min. two sections) in a recognised area of social deprivation
- Local development planning events
- Capital equipment for promoting Scouting
- Adult recruitment events
- Youth recruitment events aimed at the cub and network sections
- Air and sea scout training and capital equipment purchase
- Support for members 'in financial hardship' - volunteer expenses, uniforms, camp and activity costs
- Members with special needs and the development of special needs scouting, including small scale building works to ensure accessibility for all

Applications can be submitted any time but must be at least 6 weeks before the event date.

E-mail: development@scout.org.uk

<http://members.scouts.org.uk/supportresources/search/?cat=262,658>

Gosling Foundation

Grants of up to £5,000 are available for charitable organisations carrying out projects related to social welfare, especially those involving children and young adults. Grants are only made to individuals in exceptional circumstances. Grants are made under the following headings:

- General Charitable Purposes
- The Relief of Poverty
- The Advancement of Education
- The Advancement of Religion

This is a continuous rolling programme

Tel: 020 7495 5599

This Trust does not have a website. Please do not confuse it with the Canadian Trust of the same name.

Anne Yusof

**The Gosling Foundation
Limited**

**21 Bryanston Street
Marble Arch
London W1H 7AB**

Santander Foundation

The Santander Foundation now has three grants programmes to help disadvantaged people in the UK:

Community Plus provides grants of up to £5,000. The scheme is open to small local UK charities or local projects of national charities with funding available to cover salaries, equipment or materials. Click on the **Spotlight** section to find answers to regularly asked questions about their Community Plus scheme.

Learn & Grow offers grants of up to £10,000 to fund activities which help disadvantaged people to improve skills, build confidence or employability.

Money Skills offers grants of up to £10,000 to charities and credit unions who want to help disadvantaged people to understand and manage their money.

You are welcome to apply to both Community Plus and either Learn & Grow or the Money Skills grants programmes, but a grant from one programme will prevent you from getting a grant from the other.

E-mail: grants@santander.co.uk

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

Woodland Trust - Free Trees

Bring your community together to do something good for your neighbourhood by applying for the chance to receive a free tree pack to plant in Spring 2015.

Each pack is worth £30, £105 or £420. All you need to do is find a suitable site and supply the volunteer planters and tree protection.

Pre-school, school, college and university groups interested in a small pack of 30 trees should head straight over to the school pack page on the website below.

Community and youth groups, as well as educational establishments looking for larger packs is also on the website.

Small schools: learning@woodlandtrust.org.uk

Community groups and larger schools: communitytrees@woodlandtrust.org.uk

<http://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/plant-trees/in-your-community/>

The next deadline is 7th January 2015.

New Grant Making Trusts

The Threadneedle Foundation

Ms Alison Jefferis
St. Mary Axe House
60 St. Mary Axe
London
EC3A 8JQ

E-mail: Foundation@threadneedle.com.

Website: www.threadneedle.com/foundation.

Objects: General charitable purposes.

Area of Benefit: Undefined.

Charity number: 1158970.

Trustees: Mrs Abi Aileru-Thomas; Ms Alison Jefferis; Mr Gareth Davies; Mr Rupert Pybus; Mr Timothy Nicholas Gillbanks.

Comments: This Foundation is linked to Threadneedle Investments

Gordon Ramsay Foundation

Ms Jo Livingston
c/o Gordon Ramsay Group
539-547 Wandsworth Road
London
SW8 3JD

E-mail: gfr@gordonramsay.com.

Website: <http://www.gordonramsay.com/foundation-charities/>.

Objects: General charitable purposes.

Area of Benefit: Undefined.

Charity number: 1158836.

Trustees: Mr Michael Howard Thomas; Mrs Cayetana Elizabeth Ramsay; Ms Jo Livingston; Mr Stuart Giles; Mr Gordon Ramsay.

Comments: The Gordon Ramsay in question is the mild-mannered chef , whose business employs more than 700 people in London where it has a collection of 12 restaurants. The Group has a total of 24 restaurants globally.