

WHAT FUNDS

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Esmée Fairbairn Foundation - Funding for Young People Leaving Care

The Esmée Fairbairn Foundation will spend over £2m a year for at least five years to support young people leaving care to sustain healthy relationships and to receive more consistent and high quality support from the state.

The aim is to:

- Ensure care leavers are more easily able to form healthy relationships that help them make a successful transition to adulthood
- Ensure young people leaving care receive a consistently high standard of statutory support that has been informed by their views

There is no minimum or maximum level of grant and no specified length of time for funding. In 2015, the Foundation's median average grant was £100,000 over three years. Most support is likely to be in the form of grants, but requests for social investments will be considered.

Applications are accepted from organisations carrying out charitable work to support young care leavers. The Foundation provides funding for a range of organisations, but in practice the majority of organisations funded will be registered charities or non-profit organisations.

Applications can be submitted at any time.

Tel: 020 7812 3700

E-mail: info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk

<http://esmeefairbairn.org.uk/what-we-fund/young-people-leaving-care>

Family Fund Trust for Families with Severely Disabled Children

Grants are available to help families in the UK who care for severely disabled young people up to the age of 17. To meet the Family Fund definition of severe disability, children and young people must have additional complex needs, or have a serious or life-threatening illness. There must be evidence that the child's additional needs impact on the family's choices and their opportunity to enjoy an ordinary life.

The Fund gives awards for a wide range of activities, services and products, to enable families to enjoy everyday life.

You can apply at any time.

Tel: 01904 621115

<https://www.familyfund.org.uk/>

GALAXY Hot Chocolate Fund

GALAXY Hot Chocolate Fund is looking to help small, local community projects and groups.

From 7th November 2016 until 26th February 2017, they are seeking to award a total of seventy, £300 donations to help community groups and people across UK and Ireland.

Five donations will be awarded each week, four by the panel of judges and one through the People's Choice award to the organisation with the most weekly votes.

You can register your organisation now, the first winners will be announced 14th November.

<https://www.galaxyhotchocolate.com/fund/register>



Greggs Foundation - Small Environmental Grants for Groups and Schools

Grants of up to £2,000 are available to small not-for-profit organisations/schools for projects which make a difference to local areas. The scheme is using money from the 5p levy on carrier bag sales in Greggs shops, and all projects must have an environmental benefit. Priority will be given to projects that benefit disadvantaged people, which could include the following groups:

- People with disabilities or suffering chronic illness
- People living in a disadvantaged area
- People living in an area with poor access to the environment
- Voluntary carers
- Homeless people
- Isolated older people
- Other identified need

Grants can be used for purchasing equipment, sessional salary costs, purchase of trees/plants, small capital projects and learning activities.

The next deadline is 3rd March 2017.

Tel: 0191 212 7626

E-mail: greggsfoundation@greggs.co.uk

<https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/environmental-grant>

The Leche Trust

The Leche Trust awards grants in the following areas:

Historic buildings of the Georgian period or earlier

Church furnishings of the Georgian period or earlier

Conservation of historic collections in museums and other institutions

Professional performance in theatre, music and dance

The trustees meet three times a year to review applications, normally in February, June and October. The deadlines for receipt of applications are: 20th December for February meeting, 20th April for June meeting and 20th August for October meeting.

Tel: 020 3233 0023 E-mail: info@lechetrust.org

<http://www.lechetrust.org/funding-guidelines.htm>

Power to Change Community Business Fund

The third window for applications for the Power to Change Community Business Fund has opened.

The fund will award grants between £50,000- £300,000 to existing community businesses in England to become more sustainable and have a greater social impact.

Projects and organisations must be incorporated, based in England and share the following four key features:

- Locally rooted - they are rooted in a particular geographical place and respond to its needs, for example high levels of urban deprivation or rural isolation
- Accountable to local community - they are accountable to local people. This can be demonstrated in many ways but the organisation must have evidence of regular community influence on the business
- Trading for benefit of local community - they are businesses and their income comes from activities like renting out space in their buildings, trading as cafes or selling the produce they grow
- Broad community impact - they benefit the community as a whole and can clearly evidence the positive social impact on the broader community.

Projects must share one or more of the following seven impact goals:

- Reduce social isolation
- Improve health and wellbeing
- Increase employability
- Create better access to basic services
- Improve local environment
- Enable greater community cohesion
- Foster greater community pride and empowerment.

The grants can be used for the following:

- Capital costs including building, vehicles, equipment of significant value, refurbishment costs
- Project-specific revenue costs like staff costs, professional fees, volunteer costs.

Power to Change will fund up to 75% of revenue costs, up to 75% of the building related capital costs and 100% of other capital costs.

The deadline for Round 3 applications is 16th December 2016 (12pm).

Tel: 0300 1240444 E-mail: cbf@be-group.co.uk

<http://www.thepowertochange.org.uk/funding/grants/community-business-fund/>

The Southern Co-operative

Love Your Neighbourhood

The co-operative understands that many groups would benefit from some support in monetary funding e.g. to help projects get started or to purchase equipment. For this reason they have established the Love Your Neighbourhood fund which distributes income raised by the carrier bag levy.

Charitable or not-for-profit groups who benefit local communities can apply for funds from £50 to £1,000.

If you would like to apply for funding, please collect an application form at your local Southern Co-operative store or funeral home or download it from the website.

You must complete this and return it to your local store or funeral home which can be found by clicking on the below 'Find your store' button. The decision on your application will be made by the Area Business Manager and you will be contacted if your application is successful. Please allow up to 12 weeks for a decision and payment to be made.

To ensure your application is successful, please refer to the guidelines whilst completing your application.

E-mail: community@southerncoops.co.uk

<http://www.thesouthernco-operative.co.uk/makingadifference/local-funding/>

Casey Trust

Grants are available to registered charities for projects in the UK that support children and their welfare. Previous grants have been for between £1,000 and £12,500. Most grants are for £2,500 or less. The Trust is increasingly looking at start-up projects or new initiatives within an existing project.

You can apply at any time.

Tel: 0207 435 9601

<http://www.caseytrust.org/>

New Grant Making Trusts

Farmacy Foundation

Ms Kate Lovell
55 Park Lane
London
W1K 1NA

Charity number: 1169835.

Objects: General charitable purposes.

Area of coverage: Undefined.

Trustees: Ms Camilla Fayed; Mr Benjamin Gee Sin Chan; Honourable Emily Jane Marina Pearson; Miss Emma Newman; Miss Katherine Lovell.

Comments: Camilla Fayed is the daughter of Harrods' owner Mohamed Al Fayed. She owns what has been described as a 'clean eating' restaurant in Notting Hill, called Farmacy.

Kate Lovell and Camilla Fayed are also trustees of the Al-Fayed Charitable Foundation.

The Gavins Foundation

Trevor Wormleighton
Venture One
Long Acre Close
Holbrook Industrial Estate
Sheffield
S20 3FR

Charity number: 1169665.

Objects: To preserve and protect health and relieve financial hardship in any part of the world, or for such other charitable purposes which are exclusively charitable according to the laws of England and Wales (other than charities and charitable purposes for the benefit of animals) and for the benefit of the public, as the trustees shall in their absolute discretion think fit by making grants of money to such charities or charitable purposes.

Area of coverage: Undefined.

Trustees: Mrs Joan Gavins; Mr Matthew James Gavins; Mr Trevor Paul Wormleighton.

Comments: This CIO was previously known as the Silver Lining Foundation.