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SECTION 1: SMALL REVENUE GRANTS – COMMUNITY SPORT (starting at £500 and ending at £10,000)

Sport England Small Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Awards are for amounts from £300 to £10,000
- The total project cost should not exceed £50,000
- Projects must be deliverable within 12 months and provide a monitoring report within 13 months of the date of the offer letter
- Projects must seek to increase participation in sport, sustain participation in sport or provide opportunities to excel at a chosen sport.
- Sporting outcomes must be the main focus of the project. Applications for projects using sport as a means to an end are acceptable, but there must be a clear sporting benefit
- Projects must be focused only on sports currently recognised by Sport England and delivered to beneficiaries based in England
- Decisions within six weeks.

The priority areas are:

- Projects increasing the number of adults participating in moderate intensity sports
- Projects seeking to reduce the drop off rates for 16-19 year olds, in particular the following sports - Badminton, Basketball, Football, Hockey, Gymnastics, Netball, Rugby League, Rugby Union, and Tennis.

Apply on-line here – http://www.sportengland.org/funding/small_grants.aspx

Sport Relief - Community Foundation Programme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Sport Relief aims to support projects that use sport and exercise to strengthen communities and provide opportunities for people who are excluded or disadvantaged.
- Distributed through Community Foundations focusing on community groups that are using sport and exercise to: increase access to sport and exercise for people who face social exclusion and isolation. These grants are available up to £10,000 and are being distributed by the Community Foundation Network.

For more information visit –

http://www.communityfoundations.org.uk/community_foundations/looking_for_funding/comic_relief/

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Mars Refuel Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £300

- The Mars Refuel Drink Fund is back. Regardless of whether you're an artist or an athlete, bowler or bird watcher, dramatist or diver, we want to help you.
- We're giving away four awards of £300 every week until Sunday 6th October 2013. On top of this, every week there will be a People's Choice Award for the entry with the most votes.
- To be in with a chance of winning, simply tell us in less than 200 words how £300 would help you.

For more information visit – <http://www.marsrefuel.com>

Cash 4 Clubs

CURRENT STATUS: Closed – Reopens June/July 2013

Max Value: £1,000

- Cash 4 Clubs is a sports funding scheme which gives clubs a unique chance to apply for grants to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications, and generally invest in the sustainability of their club. Cash 4 Clubs offers all sports clubs in the UK the chance to win grants ranging from £250 to £1000.
- The Cash 4 Clubs scheme is funded by Betfair and is supported by SportsAid, the charity for sports people. Betfair and SportsAid have worked in partnership for a number of years and both organisations understand the importance of community sport in promoting an active lifestyle and stimulating local pride.

For more information visit – <http://www.cash-4-clubs.com/>

County Sport Partnerships - Sportivate

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £2000

- Support for organisations to provide sport/physical activity to young people aged 14 – 25 years old in six week blocks.
- Sportivate is aimed at young people who are not taking part regularly in sport. The funding must ensure the young people can continue playing sport in their community after the six week programme.
- Sportivate can provide up to £2000 funding for each project.

For more information visit your local CSP website and search for Sport Unlimited – Find your CSP website via <http://www.cspnetwork.org>

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The Dickie Bird Foundation for Disadvantaged Young People

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £5,000

- Support for individuals to help disadvantaged young people (under the age of 18) to participate in sport, to the best of their ability, in the sport of their choice, irrespective of their social circumstances, culture or ethnicity. Funding is available between £50 and £5,000 and can be used for sports kit, coaching and training
- The Foundation will only accept applications from individuals not organisations.
- Applications are considered 6 times a year.

For more information visit – <http://www.thedickiebirdfoundation.co.uk/grants>

Building On Overlooked Sporting Talent (BOOST)

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £500

- Boost Charitable Trust was created in 2005 to Build on Over-looked Sporting Talent, to champion the disabled and disadvantaged, to inspire them to overcome their challenges through the power of sport.
- Applications are done by letter, grants of £500 available.

For further information visit – <http://www.boostct.org/>

Central Social and Recreational Trust

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £1,000

- Up to £1000 for community sports clubs or groups to develop youth sports participation.

For further information visit - <http://csrt.info/>

Torch Trophy Trust

CURRENT STATUS: Closed

Max Value: £1,000

- Up to £1000 to develop sports volunteering at a local level.

For further information visit: http://www.torchtrophytrust.org/torch_trophy_trust_bursaries.php

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Peter Harrison Foundation - Opportunities Through Sport

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- This Programme is a nationwide one and applications are accepted from **registered charities** throughout the United Kingdom.
- The Trustees wish to support sporting activities or projects which provide opportunities for people who are disabled or otherwise disadvantaged to fulfil their potential and to develop other personal and life skills.
- Grants will often be “one off” grants for capital projects. We will, however, also consider revenue funding for a new project or if funding is key to the continuing success or survival of an established project.
- The Trustees welcome applications for the following types of project:
 - Projects which provide a focus for skills development and confidence building through the medium of sport
 - Projects that have a strong training and/or educational theme within the sporting activity
 - Projects that provide sporting equipment or facilities for disabled or disadvantaged people
 - Projects with a high degree of community involvement
 - Projects that help to engage children or young people at risk of crime, truancy or addiction

For further information visit: <http://www.peterharrisonfoundation.org/programme.htm>

Community Games Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- Community Games are a way for you to bring your community together to take part in sporting and cultural activities inspired by – and in celebration of – London 2012 and the Queen’s Jubilee year.
- Community Games gives you the chance to be part of the London 2012 official legacy. But it’s also about bringing people together to try new sporting and arts activities and having loads of fun.
- You could organise a Games to celebrate a year since the London 2012 Games or perhaps take advantage of one of the Bank Holiday weekends to make sure this great year doesn’t just pass you by.
- Many people have shown that Community Games can be organised for very little cost, and because of this County Sports Partnership across the Country have small pots of funding to offer community groups a grant towards the cost of their event.
- In most cases groups just need to complete a short application form, providing details of their event and provide supporting documentation. This is a rolling programme.

For further information visit: Visit your County Sports Partnership website.

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SECTION 2: REVENUE GRANTS – SPORT SPECIFIC (starting at £500 and ending at £10,000)

Rowing Foundation

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £2,000

- The Rowing Foundation is a registered charity. Its purpose is to promote the participation in rowing of young people (those under 18 or still in full time education) and the disabled of all ages.
- The Foundation gives grants of £500-£2,000 to help organisations and clubs involved in on water elements of the sport of Rowing who are individually affiliated to British Rowing (other than via their governing body) and whose requirements may be too small or who may be otherwise ineligible for an approach to the National Lottery or other similar sources of funds.

For more information : <http://www.therowingfoundation.org.uk/>

National Hockey Foundation

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £75,000

- The Foundation primarily makes grants to a wide range of organisations that meet one of our chosen areas of focus:
 - Young people and hockey.
 - Young people and sport in Milton Keynes.
 - Enabling the development of hockey at youth or community level.
 - Smaller Charities.
- Grants available between £10,000 - £75,000.

To visit their website click here; <http://www.thenationalhockeyfoundation.com/page10.htm>

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Canoe Foundation

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £1,000

- In the last ten years the Canoe Foundation has awarded in excess of £190,000 worth of grants to more than 156 projects, which have in turn benefitted over 35,000 individuals. Applications and successful awards have increased considerably over the past few years, with over £80,000 awarded in the last three financial years.
- Most grants are awarded through the Charity's **Small Grants Panel** which meets three times a year, in February, June and November. Their remit is to award grants specifically relating to Young People and Disability (Equality) in line with our **Application Guidelines and Criteria**. The Small Grants Panel has a budget of £25,000 per annum therefore the usual grant awarded is up to £1,000. However, in exceptional circumstances the Small Grants Panel may award up to a maximum of £2,000.

To find out more click here; <http://www.canoefoundation.org.uk/cf/index.cfm/grants/>

Swimathon Community Grants Scheme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- Community groups and clubs are reminded that time is running out to apply for a grant scheme, with a deadline of 17 May. Funding is available for local groups to create a positive impact on the lives of individuals and their communities through encouraging participation in swimming.
- Grants will be awarded using money raised through events such as the annual Swimathon challenge.
- The grants are being offered through a unique partnership between the Swimathon Foundation, The Swimming Trust and British Swimming

To find out more click here <http://www.swimming.org/asa/news/clubs/swimathon-community-grants-scheme-reminder-for-groups-and-clubs/16927/>

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McDonalds Football KickStart Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £2,500

- You can apply for anything, which will help to support, grow or develop your football players and the community.
- You can apply for one-off grants of between £500 to £2500 including VAT for a single project.
- Examples of things McDonald's will support include, but are not limited to:
 - Club facilities, grounds-keeping tools, training courses, pitch hire, mini-vans and washing machines; whatever your club and team could significantly benefit from.
- Examples of things McDonald's will not support include:
 - Advertising and promotions, fundraisers, kit/team wear, club trips/tours, holiday training camps and club personnel wages/expenses e.g. fuel.
- For the avoidance of doubt, an application must be submitted and approved prior to the project commencing for it to be considered eligible for a grant. No grant will be awarded for work that has already been completed prior to an application being submitted and approved

For more information: <http://www.mcdonalds.co.uk/ukhome/Sport/Football/Investment/small-grant.html>

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SECTION 3: SMALL REVENUE GRANTS – COMMUNITY (starting at £500 and ending at £10,000)

Big Lottery Fund Awards for All

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Awards for All in England offers grants of between £300 and £10,000 for projects that improve communities, and the lives of people within them.
- It is for voluntary and community groups, schools and health organisations, parish and town councils

For further information, visit <http://www.awardsforall.org.uk/england/index.html>

Biffa Award Small Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £5,000

- The scheme offers grants of between £250 and £5000 to support improvements and access to local amenities such as a community building, nature reserve, cycle path, playground, cultural facility or outdoor space.

For further information visit – <http://www.biffa-award.org/small-grants-scheme>

Princes Trust Development Awards

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £500

- Development Awards are cash grants of up to £500* to help young people get into education, training or employment.
- **Who can apply?** UK residents:
 - Aged 14-16 and not expecting to achieve five GCSEs (or equivalent) grades A-C
 - Aged 16-25 and not in education, training or employment
- **How does it work?** Eligible young people are invited to meet face to face with a Prince's Trust Awards Assessor to discuss their Award and to fill out an application which will then be sent to a Prince's Trust Awards panel for a decision. The whole process can take up to 6 weeks so applications should be made well in advance, if possible.

For more information visit: http://www.princes-trust.org.uk/need_help/grants.aspx

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O2 – Think Big

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £2,500

- Mobile phone giant O2 has launched a £5m programme offering cash-in-hand grants for young people to make a difference in their local communities. The programme, Think Big, will enable 13-25 year olds to apply for a £300 grant to fund projects aimed at addressing local issues identified by the young people themselves.
- Projects that prove to be successful will be eligible for a further cash injection of £2,500. The programme is being delivered in partnership with the National Youth Agency and UK Youth, which will manage the programme and deliver training and support respectively.

For more information visit: <http://www.o2thinkbig.co.uk/How-it-works/>

The Co-operative Community Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £2,000

- Community Fund grants, between £100 and £2,000 are awarded to community, voluntary, or self-help groups to run projects.
- Applications for this fund can only be completed on-line. The average award given was £850. If you are a newly formed group (less than three months) the maximum you can apply for is £500.
- The Co-operative is a long term sponsor of StreetGames, and we advise you refer to your relationship with StreetGames in your application.

For more information visit: <http://www.co-operative.coop/membership/local-communities/community-fund/>

The People's Postcode Trust – Small Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Our small grants programme exists to try to make the world a better place through short-term, project specific funding.
- Through this programme, we provide funding for projects of up to six months in length, ranging from £500 up to £10,000 (£5,000 in Wales) to registered charities, community and voluntary groups, community interest companies and other not-for-profit organisations.

For more information visit: <http://www.postcodetrust.org.uk/small-grants.aspx>

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Trusthouse Charitable Foundation - Small Grant Scheme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- This scheme concentrates on projects addressing Rural Issues and Urban Deprivation.
- Applicants must clearly show in their appeal how their project fits into one or both of these categories.
- Within these overarching themes, we are interested in three areas, Community Support, Disability and Healthcare, Arts, Education and Heritage.
- Grants from £5000 to £10000 are available.

For further information visit – <http://www.trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/>

Live UnLtd

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £5,000

- Live UnLtd Wants You. Live UnLtd is looking for anyone aged between 11 and 21 who has the passion and talent to change the world around them for the better.
- Live UnLtd will give up to £5,000 of funding and all the support needed to turn a great idea into a reality.
- Funding is only available for individuals.

For further information visit – <http://www.liveunltd.com/>

Tesco Charity Trust Community Awards

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £4,000

- The Tesco Charity Trust Community Awards Scheme provides one-off donations of between £500 and £4,000. The funding must go towards providing practical benefits, such as equipment and resources for projects that directly benefit children, the elderly and adults and children with disabilities, living in the local communities around our stores in the UK.
- There are two rounds of funding every year for each category.
- **There are two categories of Community Awards:**
 1. Grants to support children's welfare and/or children's educations (including special needs schools)
 2. Grants to support elderly people and/or adults and children with disabilities

For further information visit – <http://www.tescocharitytrustcommunityawards-applications.co.uk/>

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Youth in Action – Action 1 Youth for Europe

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: €6,900 (Euros)

- **Action 1.2 Youth Initiatives** - What is a Youth Initiative?
- A Youth Initiative is a project devised by young people who will play the key roles in the project to develop their initiative, enterprise and creativity.
- The young people participate directly in the activities which they should initiate, set up and carry out. This gives young people the opportunity to directly plan and carry out a project, which is an important non-formal learning experience.
- It encourages young people to consider their contribution and involvement in a local, national and European context. Projects developed by a single group in their country of residence are called National Youth Initiatives.
- Grants of up to €6,900 are available.

For further information visit – <http://www.britishcouncil.org/youthinaction-about-youth-in-action.htm>

Moto in the Community Trust

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- The Moto in the Community Trust looks to support a wide variety of local charity and community projects.
- There are three types of grants under the Moto in the Community Trust umbrella:
 - Community Grant
 - 'Making a difference' Grant (employee volunteering scheme)
 - Moto Benevolent Fund Grant
- The Community Grant Scheme is the most appropriate scheme for outside bodies wishing to approach the Moto in the Community Trust.

For further information visit – <http://www.motointhecommunity.co.uk/grants.htm>

Healthy Heart Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Two application deadlines per year:
 - Deadline 1 is 28th February (apply in January and February) – decision in May.
 - Deadline 2 is 31st August (apply in July and August) – decision made in November.
- Heart Research UK Healthy Heart Grants of up to £10,000 are available for new, original and innovative projects that actively promote Heart Health and help to prevent, or reduce, the risk of heart disease in specific groups or communities. Physical activity project applications are welcome.

For further information visit - <http://www.heartresearch.org.uk/grants/healthyheartgrant>

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The Wakeham Trust

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £4,000

- Small grants to fund new community projects. Applicants that are not registered charities can apply but must nominate a charity to receive the money who will then pass it on (e.g. StreetGames).

For further information visit: <http://www.wakehamtrust.org/howtoapply.php>

Leadership and disadvantaged young people

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £7,500

- The Rank Foundation supports projects that encourage and develop leadership amongst young people, or support disadvantaged young people. The Small Appeals programme awards grants of less than £7,500.

For more information visit: <http://www.rankfoundation.com>

BBC Children in Need – Small Grants Programme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Grants for registered charities and other not-for-profit organisations based in the UK and working with disadvantaged children and young people who are 18 years old and younger living in the UK.

For more information visit: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b008dk4b/features/cin-grants-applyforagrant>

SITA Trust Young Persons Volunteering Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Closed

Max Value: £10,000

- Grants are available to assist young people aged 14-25 to volunteer their time to create or enhance facilities that can be enjoyed by the wider community. Projects must be located within 10 miles of a landfill site in England and Wales.

For more information visit: <http://www.sitatrust.org.uk/volunteering>

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SITA Trust Enhancing Communities Programmes

CURRENT STATUS: OPEN

Max Value: £20,000

- Deadline: 22nd July 2013
- Grants are available for community projects that will benefit refugees, the young, the elderly and the disadvantaged in a wide variety of relevant fields across the UK.

For more information visit: <http://www.sitatrust.org.uk/community-funding>

Coalfield Regeneration Trust Programme

CURRENT STATUS: OPEN

Max Value: £5,000

- The Trust is interested in working with partners to deliver projects and programmes that will contribute to the regeneration of coalfields communities.
- This grants programme is about helping groups who respond to local need. They are also proactive in developing ideas and projects that address key issues such as worklessness, isolation, skills, sector development and sustainability.
- Level 1 grant programme (£500-£5,000) to small organisations to help them develop. At the other end they gave large grants from £10,000 to £100,000 to bigger voluntary, community and statutory organisations.

For more information visit: <http://www.coalfields-regen.org.uk/what-we-do/grant-programmes-and-community-support/>

Santander Community Plus

CURRENT STATUS: OPEN

Max Value: £5,000

- Designed to quick and easy to use, nominations can be made by charities as well as Santander customers and staff for a grant of up to £5000.
- Just visit any Santander branch and complete a Community Plus Nomination. The completed form should be dropped into your local branch.
- There are no closing dates and entries will be considered by a panel of staff drawn from across the region once every two months. Successful charities will be notified within 2 months of submitting their nomination. If you have not heard from us within 2 months then you have been unsuccessful, but you are free to apply again at any time.
- The grant needs to fund something specific like equipment or to pay for the costs of a part time sessional worker. It must also directly help disadvantaged people in your local area.

For more information visit: <http://www.santanderfoundation.org.uk/community-plus.aspx>

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Subway Health Heart Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- HRUK and SUBWAY® Healthy Heart Grants (HHG) of up to £10,000 are available for new, original and innovative projects that actively promote Heart Health and help to prevent, or reduce, the risk of heart disease in specific groups or communities.
- These grants are a result of the partnership between the two organisations and in-store fundraising throughout the SUBWAY® regions.
- The grants are available in specific regions at certain times of the year.

Region	Deadline for applications
Northern Ireland	30 April 2013
Scotland	31 May 2013
Tyne Tees	31 May 2013
Anglia	31 May 2013
Wales	30 September 2013
HTV	30 September 2013
West Country	30 September 2013
Yorkshire	31 October 2013
Granada	31 October 2013
Central	31 October 2013

For more information visit: <http://www.heartresearch.org.uk/grants/subwayhhg>

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Comic Relief Local Communities Programme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000

- Grants of up to £10,000 are available through the Comic Relief “Local Communities” programme.
- The program, which is being managed locally by Community Foundations, support projects that benefit people who are excluded or disadvantaged through low income, rural or social isolation, age, disabilities, race, sexuality or gender.
- Priority is given to small, locally-based groups or organisations in areas of disadvantage that have a clear understanding of the needs of their community and are undertaking actions as a means of addressing these needs.
- The program is currently open for applications (please check with your community foundation to find out when their deadline date is - there may be periods when the grant round temporarily closes.).

For more information visit: http://www.communityfoundations.org.uk/difference/comic_relief/

Funding for Disadvantaged Young People (Buttle Charity)

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £3,000

- The Charity, Buttle UK, has announced that its Access to the Future Programme is open for applications.
- Through the programme financial assistance is available to young people who face multiple barriers to attainment by funding bespoke packages of support put together by themselves and their support worker.
- Grants of up to £3,000 can be awarded per individual. This could include funding for training courses, activities, residential courses, private tuition, clothing, licences, equipment, business start up costs or anything which removes (or helps remove) a barrier that stands in the way of the applicant returning to employment, education or training (EET).
- Applications need to be submitted by support professionals working for a suitable referral agency

Applications can be made at any time. <http://www.buttleuk.org/pages/grant-programmes-access-to-the-future-programme-47.html>

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SECTION 4: LARGE REVENUE GRANTS – COMMUNITY SPORT

Sportsmatch

CURRENT STATUS: Closed

Max Value: £100,000

- The Sportsmatch initiative is managed by Sport England and encourages new or additional sponsorship investment from businesses, trusts and private individuals into community based sports projects.
- The minimum award made by Sportsmatch is £1,000 (£500 for schools), and the maximum is £100,000 to match new sponsorship from commercial businesses, charitable trusts and charities, and private donors.
- Decisions take up to 3 months.

For an application form and guidelines, go to: <http://www.sportengland.org/funding/sportsmatch.aspx> or phone 0845 850 8508

Comic Relief – Sport for Change

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £100,000

- The Comic Relief 'Sport for Change' grants programme focuses on how sport can play a part in delivering positive change within the lives of individuals and communities. Also, how sport can tackle social issues to achieve measurable social change.
- The priorities are:
 - Disadvantaged people – increasing inclusion and well being
 - Increasing community involvement
 - Increasing knowledge of how sport can be used as a tool for social change

For further information visit – <http://www.comicrelief.com/apply-for-a-grant/apply-for-a-uk-grant>

Sport England - Community Sport Activation Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Opens 7th May

Min Value: £50,000

Max Value: £250,000

- The Community Sport Activation Fund is a £40 million Lottery revenue fund developed to support local grassroots sports activity at a very local level for all people aged 14 or over.
- The Fund was designed in response to demand and will aim to unlock potential and resources. We will not prescribe how projects will deliver but will invest in what works best in different areas, based on local evidence.
- Up to 3 years funding. Applicants must find at least 33% match funding, of which half must be cash.
- There are 5 open funding rounds.

For further information visit: <http://www.sportengland.org/funding/csaf.aspx>

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Steven Gerrard Foundation

CURRENT STATUS: Closed

Max Value: £10,000

- Grants are available to UK charities for projects that support disadvantaged children and young people up to the age of 18.
- Maximum grant: £10000 per year for up to 3 years.

For further information visit - <http://www.stevengerrardfoundation.org>

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SECTION 5: LARGE REVENUE GRANTS – COMMUNITY

Big Lottery Fund Reaching Communities Grant

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Min Value: £10,000

Max Value: £500,000

- Reaching Communities funds projects that help people and communities most in need. Projects can be new or existing, or be the core work of your organisation.
- Reaching Communities want to fund projects that respond to needs identified by communities, and those that fund projects that help those most in need including those people or groups who are hard to reach.
- Reaching Communities has two strands:
 1. Revenue and small capital – funding from £10,000 to £500,000 for revenue projects and/or smaller capital projects up to £50,000.
 2. Buildings – funding of between £100,000 and £500,000 for large capital projects
- Every project must:
 - **Respond to need**
 - **Involve the people who will benefit from the project in planning and running the project**
 - **Achieve one or more of the following four outcomes.**
 1. People have better chances in life, with better access to training and development to improve their life skills.
 2. Stronger communities, with more active citizens working together to tackle their problems.
 3. Improved rural and urban environments, which communities are better able to access and enjoy.
 4. Healthier and more active people and communities.
- You can apply for funding for a revenue or smaller capital project if you're a voluntary and or community organisation, school, local authority, not for profit organisation or social enterprise.
- Reaching Communities funds projects that help people and communities that are most in need. To support this aim Reaching Communities buildings will only support buildings or sites based in the most deprived 'Lower Super Output Areas' (LSOAs) in England.
- Following a review of the programme in 2011, the following LSOAs are eligible to apply:
 - the most deprived 20% of LSOA's categorised as urban
 - the most deprived 20% of LSOA's categorised as rural (town and fringe)
 - the most deprived 50% of LSOA's categorised as rural (village/hamlets/isolated dwellings)
- You can only apply if your organisation is an unincorporated association, incorporated association, trust or company set up and registered as a charity, an unincorporated association set up as a voluntary and community group, a community interest company, a not-for-profit company limited by guarantee, a community benefit society or a town or parish council.

For further information visit- http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/prog_reaching_communities or call the national helpline for advice on **0845 410 20 30**.

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Landaid - Training, Education and Support Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Closed

Max Value: £25,000

- Training, education or support programmes targeted at disadvantaged young people, this can include NEETS, homeless or those from a low income background. Projects should engage young people and lead to recognised qualifications (see [UCAS](#)) for list of accepted qualifications or employment.

For further information visit - <http://www.landaid.org/grants/>

Neighbourhood Matched Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- Grants are only available to most deprived areas. Grants are decided by local panels (you will need to get on your local panel or apply to them). The Government has committed £30m to the fund.

For further information visit - <http://www.cdf.org.uk/content/funding-programmes/community-first/neighbourhood-matched-fund>

Big Lottery Fund – Talent Match

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £10,000,000

- The big lottery fund is launching an ambitious investment of up to £100 million to deliver creative ways to help young people find work or start their own enterprise.
- Nearly 1.5 million young people have been identified as not in employment, education or training (NEET). In the current economic climate there is a danger that more young people will become long term unemployed and move further away from being work ready.
- In June 2012 the Big Lottery Fund is launched an ambitious investment of £100 million, to deliver creative ways to help young people find work or start their own enterprises.

For further information visit - http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/prog_talent_match

The Tudor Trust

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: No limit

- The Tudor Trust is interested in helping smaller, under resourced organisations which offer direct services to disadvantaged people.
- The groups they fund do not have to be registered charities. They can commit funding over long periods.
- They aim to make over 350 grants a year. There is a two stage application process.

For further information visit : <http://tudortrust.org.uk/information-for-grant-holders>

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Peoples Health Trust - Active Communities Funding Programme

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £25,000

- The Active Communities Funding Programme aims to close the gap between those communities which experience the worst health in England, Scotland and Wales and the majority of the population.
- They work with people living in the poorest neighbourhoods and are looking to support projects that encourage community activism – projects designed by local people that address issues relevant to them and benefit and improve their local community.
- This programme is for projects that are: requesting between £5,000 and £25,000; last up to 18 months; are based and operate within one of the of the local society areas; and are run by local charities and community groups with an annual income of less than £200,000 a year.

For further information visit: <http://www.peopleshealthtrust.org.uk/index.php/apply-for-funding/your-local-programmes>

Ring fenced public health grants to local authorities 2013-14 and 2014-15

CURRENT STATUS: OPEN

Max Value: £unknown

- The ring fenced grants for 2013-14 and 2014-15 provide local authorities with £2.66 billion and £2.79 billion to spend on public health services for their local populations. Average growth of 5.5% has been provided in 2013-14 and 5.0% in 2014-15, and a significant number will see growth of 10% in each year, representing a major investment in health and the prevention of illness.
- The grant conditions and reporting arrangements that will apply to the grant from April 2013 have also been published.
- Community groups can apply to be commissioned by their Local Authority public health department to run physical activity projects that meet the public health priorities of that local authority.
- Upper tier and unitary local authorities will, from April 2013, have a duty to take appropriate steps to improve the health of their population, funded through a ring-fenced grant. Local authorities will take the lead for improving the health of their local population and reducing health inequalities.

For more information visit: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/ring-fenced-public-health-grants-to-local-authorities-2013-14-and-2014-15>

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CAPITAL GRANTS

SECTION 6: CAPITAL GRANTS – COMMUNITY SPORT

Football Foundation - Facilities Grant

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £500,000

- A facilities grant provides money to develop new or improve facilities for community benefit. These include changing rooms or clubhouses, grass or artificial pitches and multi-use games areas.
- Can you apply? – The Football Foundation welcome applications from football clubs, multi-sport clubs, local authorities, all educational establishments, registered charitable organisations, not for profit companies limited by guarantee, industrial and provident societies and unincorporated not for profit organisations.

For further information visit: <http://www.footballfoundation.org.uk/apply/facilities-grants/facilities-grant/>

Rugby Football Foundation - Groundmatch Grants

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £5,000

- The Groundmatch Scheme provides easy-to-access grant funding for capital projects which contribute to the recruitment and retention of community rugby players. A list of projects which qualify for a grant ('Qualifying Projects') is given in the Guidance Notes but the list is not exhaustive. Clubs at level 5 and below can apply for between £1,500 and £5,000 on a matched £ for £ basis.
- Completed applications are considered on a rolling basis throughout the year. In order for an application to be considered the application form must be fully completed and submitted with all the required paperwork to the RFF Administrator.
- Clubs may only apply for one grant per project and are eligible for only £5,000 in a 24 month period. The 24 months are calculated from the date of the last payment of any previous award.
- The RFF aspires to turnaround Groundmatch Grants in eight weeks from receipt of a complete application.

For further information visit: <http://www.rugbyfootballfoundation.org/what-we-do/grants-loans/groundmatch-grants>

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Sport England - Inspired Facilities Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £50,000

- Inspired Facilities is focused on making it easier for local community and volunteer groups to improve and refurbish sports clubs or transform non-sporting venues into modern grassroots sport facilities.
- Part of Places People Play, Sport England's programme to deliver a London 2012 legacy of increased mass participation in sport, it is investing £50 million of National Lottery funding in up to 1000 community sports projects between 2011 and 2014
- You have one more opportunity to apply for an Inspired Facilities grant, with each round awarding up to £10 million: Round 5: 21 October 2013 to 16 December 2013 - 5pm deadline
- This means you have time to pull together a strong application that stands the best possible chance of success in what will be a competitive process. Grants will be awarded to projects that make the best case.
- **Community and voluntary organisations, including parish and town councils** can apply for grants worth between £20,000 and £50,000. At least 70% of the available funding available is set aside for these groups.
- **Local authorities, statutory bodies and education establishments such as schools**, can apply for grants between £20,000 and £150,000.
- **Do I need partnership funding?:** We would prefer you to have some partnership funding – either cash or in kind. This can be from your own funds or from your partners. However, we know funding can be difficult for voluntary or community groups to find, so we won't rule out your application if you don't have any. This also applies to parish and town councils.
- Please don't rush your application or send it in half complete because a round is about to close. Take your time, gather all the information you need and make the best possible case for your project and the local community want to help

For further information visit: <http://inspiredfacilities.sportengland.org/>

Football Association Facility Strategy

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £unknown

- The Football Association (FA) has announced a three-year, £150m facility strategy which aims to improve 3,000 existing natural pitches across England - as well as create 100 new artificial pitches and refurbish 150 existing all-weather sites.
- The National Facilities Strategy 2013-15, published yesterday (26 February), outlines how the FA intends to spend £50m each year between now and 2015.
- According to the FA, the strategy - developed in consultation with the Premier League, Sport England and the Football Foundation - will ensure the game works together to improve football facilities across the country to deliver a "co-ordinated approach to investment".
- Figures from the Football Foundation show that 84 per cent of people cite poor facilities as their most pressing issue preventing them from taking part in organised football - an issue the strategy looks to correct.

For further information visit: http://www.sportengland.org/about_us/our_news/new_three-year_plan_fa.aspx

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Protecting Playing Fields Funding

CURRENT STATUS: Opens 7th June 2013

Max Value: £unknown

- Communities across the country can start bidding for a share of £2 million of National Lottery investment to protect and improve their local sports playing fields.
- The latest round of Sport England's Protecting Playing Fields fund will help enhance local playing fields or create new sports pitches.
- Overall, 163 projects have benefited from a total of £7.8million of investment from the three rounds of Protecting Playing Fields funding, with 504 pitches and nearly 1,900 acres protected and improved, and 57.4 acres of land purchased.

For further information visit: http://www.sportengland.org/funding/protecting_playing_fields.aspx

Sport England Improvement Fund

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £500,000

- Between 2012 and 2017, the Improvement Fund will invest £45m of National Lottery funding into medium-sized projects that will improve the quality and experience of sport. This is being distributed via five funding rounds of £9m per annum. It is part of Sport England's strategy which is focused on helping more people acquire lifelong sporting habits.
- The Improvement Fund will award grants worth £150,000 to £500,000 into sustainable projects with a clear local need. It bridges the gap between our Iconic Facilities fund which invest in large-scale, multi-sport facilities and our Inspired Fund which supports small-scale community projects. The Fund will support projects that deliver capital improvements through new build, modernisation or refurbishment.
- To ensure the Improvement Fund can support as many projects as possible, we will require a minimum of 25 per cent cash partnership funding towards the total project costs. This can come from either the applicant body and/or third parties.
- Expressions of Interest to the second round of the fund are now invited. The Improvement Checklist can be submitted from 24 April 2013 until 5pm on 29 May 2013. We will review all Checklists by 31 May 2013. Should we require you to complete an Expression of Interest form you will be notified by no later than 3 June 2013. You will then need to complete and return the Expression of Interest Form by 5pm on 12 June 2013. We will not begin assessing Expressions of Interest until after the closing date and any received after this date will not be accepted. Applicants will be informed on whether their project will progress to the next stage by the 9 August 2013.
- We will work with selected partners to develop the project before soliciting grant applications which will then be presented to the Sport England Project Committee for consideration.

For further information visit: http://www.sportengland.org/funding/improvement_fund.aspx

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Wooden Spoon

CURRENT STATUS: Open

Max Value: £100,000

- Wooden Spoon supports projects which will benefit disadvantaged children and young people and which meet the terms of our funding criteria and mission statement.
- Projects must normally be of a capital nature, with a reasonably long-term prospective lifetime.
- Please note that it is Council policy only in very rare, defined circumstances to support minibus or similar vehicle projects, recognising that there are other charities which specialise in these.
- Also, Wooden Spoon only very rarely provides support for revenue expenditure. Grants are generally in the range £20K - £100K and representing 25% - 100% of the total project cost.

For further information visit – http://www.woodenspoon.com/projects/how_to_apply_for_funds.php

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SECTION 7. FURTHER SOURCES

- There are over 10,000 grant giving charitable trusts in the UK, but most only give to official charities registered with the Charity Commission.
- Visit NVCO Funding Central website to search for funders – <http://www.fundingcentral.org.uk>
- Visit J4B Community Grants website to search for funders – <http://www.j4bcommunity.co.uk>
- Visit the Fundraising Directory website for information on fundraising and funders – <http://www.thefundraisingdirectory.co.uk>
- Visit your local County Sport Partnership website and click on their 'Funding' tab