

Funder List – Unregistered Charities (Unincorporated Associations)

This is one of 20+ funder lists from the free [Charity Excellence Framework](#) Maximising Income questionnaire. Double click the funder name to be taken to their website.

New To This?

1. [Awards for All](#) - £300 to £10k, apply online - for projects that make a difference to your community.
2. [Community Foundations](#) - there are 46 foundations across the whole of the UK that make grants to tackle the biggest issues facing communities and supporting some of society's most disadvantaged people.

National & Regional

1. [Allen Lane Foundation](#) - small grants for start-up, core or project costs.
2. [Arts Council National Lottery Projects Grants](#) - arts, museums and libraries projects that engage people in England with arts and culture.
3. [ASDA Foundation - Significant Local Community Projects](#) - local charitable projects and activities that benefit the wider community, address local needs and make a significant difference to the local community.
4. [Ashley Family Foundation](#) - protecting rural communities and encouraging participation in the arts, particularly that of textiles, in England and Wales.
5. [Aviva Community Fund 2020](#), £250k a quarter for small charities and community groups.
6. [Awards For All](#) - between £300 and £10k for grassroots and community activity.
7. [Banks Community Fund](#) - community and environmental projects in areas close to a current or proposed Banks Group operation in Scotland or the North of England.
8. [Barchester Healthcare Foundation](#) - small local UK groups and charities to improve the quality of life for older people as well as adults with a physical or mental disability.
9. [Bernicia Foundation](#) - Inspiration Grants of between £5,000 and £10,000 to voluntary or community groups, registered charities, social enterprises and co-operatives with income under £750,000 per year.
10. [CAF Tourle Foundation Fund](#) - small place based charitable organisations providing a service to the heart of their community within the UK.
11. [Coalfields Community Investment Programme for England](#) - projects in deprived coalfield communities; food poverty, debt advice, mental health issues, substance misuse, social isolation or participation in physical activity.
12. [Community Foundations](#) - 46 across the UK, investing in local people and organisations.
13. [Connected Communities Matched Fund](#) - London boroughs, matched funding up to £10k for community groups.

14. **Elephant Trust** - artists, small organisations and galleries to make it possible for artists and those presenting their work to undertake projects when frustrated by lack of funds.
15. **Football Foundation**_ - development of new or refurbished local football facilities, such as hanging pavilions and playing surfaces in England.
16. **Gay and Peter Hartley's Hillards Charitable Trust** - one-off grants of up to £1k for projects which improve the lives of those who are needy, poor or sick.
17. **John James Bristol Foundation** - charitable organisations working to benefit Bristol residents.
18. **Landfill Communities Fund** - enables Landfill Operators in in England and Northern Ireland to support a range of environmental projects. Contact ENTRUST - 01926 488300 or communications@entrust.org.uk.
19. **Letchworth Garden City Heritage Foundation** - Supporting Clubs and Organisations - not-for-profit groups operating in or providing activities for the retired or elderly residents of Letchworth Garden City.
20. **London Catalyst Grants** – charities, voluntary and community organisations working in Greater London to tackle poverty and ill health and make a difference.
21. **Mayor of London – Stronger Communities Fund** - local grassroots organisations, groups and individuals who typically find it hard to access funding for London projects to encourage and support social integration through physical activity.
22. **Michael Tippett Music Foundation**_ - group music-making in the UK, especially involving young people in projects incorporating composition and creative ideas.
23. **National Lottery: Reaching Communities** - flexible funding over £10k for up to 5 years to organisations in England for issues that matter to people and communities.
24. **National Lottery: Partnerships** - grants over £10k for organisations which work together with a shared set of goals and values.
25. **National Lottery: Youth Capacity Fund** - frontline, grassroots organisations who help young people facing barriers to work.
26. **People's Health Trust** - Active Communities Funding Programme - local communities in England, Scotland and Wales to help create a society without health inequalities.
27. **Princes Countryside Fund's Rural Four Grant Programme** - rural community projects in England, Scotland and Wales; wellbeing of isolated communities in deprived areas with a particular focus on tackling isolation and improving the health and wellbeing.
28. **Rowan Bentall Charitable Trust**_ - support small grassroots organisations based and working in the boroughs of Kingston-upon-Thames and Richmond-upon-Thames.
29. **Strategic Legal Fund for Vulnerable Young Migrants** - specialist level legal advice to vulnerable young migrants.
30. **Sylvia Waddilove Foundation UK** - small grants for West Midlands; education, visual and performing arts, medical research, disability and severe illness, the preservation of buildings of architectural or historical significance and those in need.
31. **True Colours Trust - Small Grants (UK and Africa)** - Small grants for UK registered charities and organisations with charitable status that are working to make a difference to the lives of disabled children and their families in the UK or to support the development of palliative care across Africa.
32. **Tudor Trust** - smaller community-led groups that support people at the margins of society in the UK, encouraging independence, inclusion and integration.
33. **Ulverscroft Foundation** - supporting the visually impaired.

34. **Viridor Credits - Main Grants Scheme** - community, biodiversity or heritage projects that benefit local communities in areas within the vicinity of a Viridor site in England.
35. **Warburtons Families Matter Community Grants Programme** - Local projects, activities and organisations that will benefit families in England, Scotland and Wales.
36. **Weaver's Company Benevolent Fund** - if in process of applying for registration; young offenders, prisoners and ex-prisoners, and young disadvantaged people, especially those at risk of criminal involvement.
37. **William Adlington Cadbury Charitable Trust** - social welfare, medical and healthcare, education and training, conservation, penal reform and the arts.
38. **William Webster Charitable Trust** - voluntary and community sector organisations in the North East carrying out projects with a clear benefit to the local community, particularly those involving young people, the elderly and the disabled.
39. **Wooden Spoon Charity** - organisations that disadvantaged and disabled children in the UK.
40. **West Lancashire - Older People's Champion Grant** - local community groups and organisations for projects benefiting older people in West Lancashire.
41. **Yorkshire Building Society Charitable Foundation** - to alleviate poverty, improve health and save lives.
42. **Youth Music Programme** - projects in England that increase the number of children and young people who have the opportunity to take part in high-quality musical activities.

Local Trusts

Ashford - Community Grants Fund, Cripplegate Foundation - Islington Community Chest, East End Community Foundation, Hertfordshire - Member Locality Budget Scheme, Jack Brunton Charitable Trust (North Riding, Yorkshire), Paul Bassham Charitable Trust (Norfolk), Pilkington Charities' Fund (Merseyside), Rainford Trust (St Helens), Sir John Middlemore Charitable Trust (West Midlands), Somerset Crimebeat Trust, SYCF Community Grants Programme, Swale - Sports and Physical Activity Grant Scheme.

And last but not least.....

Because I'm the Chair! - Aylesbury Vale Community Trust; sports and leisure.

Can you help?

The CEF works on a community collaboration basis. Can you help me help others by adding to this resource? If so, e mail me at charityexcellence@gmail.com.