



## Funding Bulletin

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Information about funding available to groups in Chesterfield and North East Derbyshire. If you need any help you can contact us by completing a **Funding Questionnaire**. - <https://www.linkscvs.org.uk/node/98>



### **Links CVS Funding Workshops**

### **FOR GROUPS IN CHESTERFIELD AND NORTH EAST DERBYSHIRE**

#### ***FUNDING WORKSHOPS DATES/VENUES***

- Thursday 19th March - [Arts Council](#) - Committee Room 1, Chesterfield Town Hall
- Wednesday 8th April – [Heritage Lottery Fund](#) - North Wingfield Community Resource Centre
- Wednesday 6th May - [Get fit for Funding](#) – Venue TBC
- Wednesday 10th June - [Foundation Derbyshire](#) - Holmgate Darby & Joan
- Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September – [Financial Management for Voluntary Groups](#) – Margaret Mowles - Derby Community Accountancy Service - Committee Room 2, Chesterfield Town Hall
- Wednesday 14th October - [Active Derbyshire](#) - The Asian Association
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - [Coalfields Regeneration Trust](#) - Committee Room 2, Chesterfield Town Hall

## ***Bookings are now open for all funding workshops***



You can view presentations from previous funding workshops by following this link: <https://www.linkscvs.org.uk/node/569#C9>

Included in this funding bulletin are:

[Healthy Communities Together](#)  
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### **Healthy Communities Together**

The Healthy communities together programme will offer up to **£3 million** of grant funding and **£850,000** of leadership development support to develop effective and sustainable partnerships to improve health and wellbeing, reduce health inequalities and empower communities.

The programme will enable partners to develop their relationships, to identify and agree what they need to work together more effectively to ensure the involvement of organisations working across communities, and to collaboratively create a plan to deliver meaningful change. This may include:

- Developing infrastructure to engage the VCSE and enable effective partnership
- Developing a local approach to measuring impact on health and wellbeing
- Co-producing ways of commissioning and delivering services for particular groups of people, such as groups who are marginalised, have complex needs or live with long-term conditions
- Developing a commissioning framework which supports the diversity of the VCSE sector locally (for example, including very small organisations) or
- Developing community-centred approaches which aim to involve and empower local people in improving health and wellbeing.

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/the-healthy-communities-together-programme#section-1>

### **Bright Ideas Fund**

Community groups in England looking to set up and start running a community business and who need some help developing it can apply from 26 February for tailored support and grants. Groups accepted onto the programme will receive tailored business development support, mentoring and visits and can apply for a grant of up to **£15,000** to fund development and start-up costs.

To be eligible, the community business needs to be new, locally rooted, trading for the benefit of the local community, accountable to the local community, and have a broad community impact.

<https://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/bright-ideas-fund/>

### **Viridor Credits - Main Grants Scheme**

Viridor Credits Environmental Company is an independent company and Environmental Body set up to administer the Landfill Communities Fund (LCF) on behalf of Viridor Waste Management. The Landfill Communities Fund is an initiative that allows landfill operators to voluntarily donate a percentage of their Landfill Tax liability to Environmental Bodies; it is regulated by ENTRUST. The broad aim of the scheme is to enhance the environment of communities living in the vicinity of landfill sites that are accepting waste.

Funds are distributed via steering groups located in the eligible areas of England.

Projects under the Main Grants Scheme should address one or more of the following ENTRUST objectives:

- Object D (Community) - The protection of the environment; the provision, maintenance or improvement of public amenities and parks, which are open and accessible to the public.
- Object Da (Biodiversity) - The protection of the environment; the enhancement, protection and/or promotion of biological diversity of a species or habitat.
- Object E (Heritage) - The protection of the environment; the maintenance, repair or restoration of a building or structure that is of historic or architectural interest, and is open and accessible to the public.

Grants of up to **£50,000** are available for projects completed within 12 months.

<https://www.viridor-credits.co.uk/>

**Alex Dickson Trust – Deadline: 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

Grants are available for projects in the applicant's local area that involve local people and can demonstrate that through volunteering or community service they can enhance the lives of others, particularly those most marginalised by society. Applications for grants, of up to **£500**, are invited from individuals aged 30 and under or from small groups of young people who believe their actions to be in pursuit of the aims of the Trust.

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



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derbyshire.gov.uk/action

# Action Grants

Cash for community activities



Over the next two years, we're offering 2,000 grants of up to £500 and a limited number of larger grants for local Derbyshire projects which aim to help young people, promote sport, activity and health, enhance public safety, protect the local environment and set up events and new groups which benefit our local communities.

**The final deadline for Derbyshire County Council Action Grants is 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020. Get your applications in now.**

## Patagonia International Environmental Grants

Grants are available to small grassroots activist environmental organisations in the UK and Ireland that are working to protect local habitats and frontline communities through bold, original actions. Grants of up to US\$12,000 (approximately **£9,100** depending on the exchange rate) are available. The funding will support innovative work that addresses the root causes of the environmental crisis and seeks to protect both the environment and affected communities.

In particular, the funding is meant to:

- Encourage work that brings underrepresented communities to the forefront of the environmental movement and defend communities whose health and livelihoods are threatened by environmental exploitation.
- Support multipronged campaigns that push for greater environmental protections and force the government to abide by its own laws.

<https://eu.patagonia.com/gb/en/grant-guidelines.html>



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