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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>

Heritage Lottery Fund – Resilient Heritage – Final Round Deadline: 18th January 2019

Resilient Heritage grants of **£3,000-£250,000** can help you to strengthen your organisation and build the capacity of your staff and volunteers to better manage heritage in the long term. This programme is available to organisations in the UK who want to build their capacity or achieve strategic change to improve the management of heritage. Grants can fund activities to help you acquire new skills or knowledge, or new models of governance, leadership and business to put your organisation in a better position for the future. Organisations in the early stages of planning their activities may also apply.

<https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/resilient-heritage>

Alex Dickson Trust

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/>

Pocket Parks Plus Fund – Deadline: 25th January 2019

Communities across England have the opportunity to bid for a share of £1 million Pocket Parks Plus funding to support them in taking control of their green spaces.

The Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government is providing a £1 million fund to support the development of new pocket parks and to refurbish existing parks that have fallen into disrepair where their restoration could have a significant positive impact on the local community and address a specific local need.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/pocket-parks-plus-supporting-parks-and-public-spaces>

Smallwood Trust – Women First Fund

Charities, social enterprises and other non-profit organisations that are working with women on low incomes in specified areas of England can apply now for funding to support existing or ongoing work. The objective of the fund is to identify and document good practice that is achieving outcomes for women on low incomes by building their skills, confidence and aspirations to enable them to enter into employment. It is expected that 10 to 15 projects will be awarded in this round with an average grant of **£10,000 to £15,000**. Funding will be awarded over one year initially.

<https://www.smallwoodtrust.org.uk/women-first>

Greggs Foundation – Local Community Projects - Deadline: 28th February 2019

Using the money raised from the 5p levy on carrier bag sales in Greggs shops across Great Britain, the Foundation provides grants to small not-for-profit organisations with a turnover of less than £300,000 for projects that make a difference to local areas.

Grants of up to **£2,000** are available for projects and providing equipment for people in need at the heart of local communities.

All projects must support a community of interest, for example people who are:

- Disabled or suffering chronic illness.

- Living in poverty.
- Voluntary carers.
- Homeless.
- Isolated older people.
- Other demonstrable significant need.

<https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants/local-community-projects-fund>

National Churches Trust 2019 Funding

The funding is for projects which can demonstrate how they meet the outcome in line with the new strategy:

- Preserving heritage.
- Promoting sustainability.
- Inspiring support.

The Cornerstone Grants programme (Deadline: 10th January 2019) offers grants of between **£10,000** and **£50,000** for urgent structural repairs costed at more than £100,000 including VAT.

The Foundation Grants programme (Deadline: 24th January 2019) offers grants of between **£500** and **£3,000** to support urgent maintenance works and small repairs identified as high priority within a recent Quinquennial Inspection or Survey Report as well as small investigative works and surveys. Projects should cost up to £10,000.

The Gateway Grants programme (Deadline: 4th March 2019) offers grants of between **£3,000** and **£10,000** for project development and investigative work up to RIBA planning stage 1, to support churches preparing for a major project, and in developing their project to the point at which they can approach a major grant funder. Some grants will also be awarded to local church trusts for strategic or capacity building projects.

Match funding of at least 50% is required for all grants, and applicants should have already raised 50% of the total project cost before applying.

<https://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/>



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