



Funding Digest



'Meet your Funders – To build effective relationship' workshop was held on 3rd December 2005. David Culter (central), Director of the Baring Foundation made a presentation for LCCN members.

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LCCN Members Network Meeting

LCCN Members Network Meeting in collaboration with Mental Health Subgroup Meeting

Date: Wednesday 23 February 2005
Time: 10:30am – 12:00noon (Lunch provided after Meeting)
Venue: Vietnamese Mental Health Service
Thomas Calton Centre, Alpha Street, Peckham, London SE15 4NX
Tel: 020 7639 2288

Aim of the Meeting

The aim of the meeting is provide the opportunity for LCCN members and our Mental Health Subgroup members meet together to update our works, sharing and refresh the newly published information, knowledge and skill in order to learn from each other. Step to 2005, LCCN is planning to a big change in coming future. We will announce the details on the meeting and we would like to consult and collect the opinions from our members and stakeholders.

We are delighted to have Mr Jack Shieh OBE, Manger of Vietnamese Mental Health Service to join us make a presentation on the topic of 'Vietnamese in Britain' as well as introduce the works of VMHS.

We'll also make a briefing of the document 'Action on mental health – a guide to promoting social inclusion' which published by Office of the Deputy Prime Minister. Action on mental health is a short guide for frontline staff and service providers; people affected by mental health problems; local agencies and employers. It sets out the key issue on mental health and social inclusion and provides practical tips for action. There are 12 individual fact sheets on themes such as families and carers, discrimination and employment. It also includes practical suggestions to help different services and staff to promote social inclusion and work in partnership. You will find examples of good practice together with sources of extra support and advice.

Meanwhile, Marigold Lee, Chair of LCCN Mental Health Subgroup will announce her.....

Enclosed with the programme. For any further queries, please contact Tom Cheung on 020 8432 0683 or tomcheung@chinese-network.net Please let us know of your attendance by complete the following reply slip and return to us no later than **Wednesday 16 February 2005**.

Programme

10:30am	Registration and Coffee
10:45am	Welcome and Introduction
10:50am	Network update
11:00am	Presentation on Vietnamese in Britain - Mr Jack Shieh OBE, Manger of Vietnamese Mental Health Service
11:30am	A briefing of "Action on mental health – a guide to promoting social inclusion." Published by Office of the Deputy Prime Minister
11:45am	Notice board
12:00noon	End

We look forward to work with you on forthcoming year.

All the best
LCCN Staff Team



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REPLY SLIP

I would like to attend the "LCCN members Network meeting in collaborate with Mental Health Subgroup Meeting" on Wednesday 23 February 2005 at Vietnamese Mental Health Service.

Name : _____

Position: _____

Organisation: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postal Code _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email : _____ Website: _____

Are you / your organisation a member of London Chinese Community Network?

YES / NO

Please indicate your main area of interest or reason for attending this event?

PLEASE RETURN BY **Wednesday 16 February 2005** to:
London Chinese Community Network
1st Floor, Boardman House, 64 Broadway, Stratford, London E15 1NG
or Fax to 020 8432 0685
or Email to info@chinese-network.net

Funding Update

> Lloyds TSB Foundation 2005 guidelines & thematic programmes for 2006

The Lloyds TSB Foundation for England and Wales has published its new 'Guidelines for Charities who are Applying for a Grant 2005' - for regional and England and Wales-wide grants. Grants are given to grassroots charities which help disadvantaged and disabled people to play a fuller a role in the community. The Foundation funds a wide range of social and community needs, including core funding - from disability information services to community centres and telephone helplines.

For 2005, most of Foundations' funding policies remain unchanged. The majority of the Foundation's 3,000 grants currently fall under the 'Community Programme' - 88.5% of funds distributed in 2004. The average regional donation was £6,000 and England and Wales-wide donation £15,000. The guidelines also give details of the 'Collaborative Programme' which encourages 'joined up' working within the voluntary sector and with public agencies (7% of its funds in 2004). 'New Initiatives' will continue to be funded which demonstrate innovation, and where there is a clear intention to roll out pilot projects across England and Wales (3.5% of funds in 2004). Each of the Foundation's nine regions and Wales has their own funding priorities according to local need. In an effort to make a more sustainable difference through the Foundation's grant-making, the England and Wales-wide priority areas: refugees and asylum seekers; supporting diversity and inclusion; and capacity building remain unchanged for 2005 but are more tightly defined.

Full details of regional and England and Wales-wide funding strategies can be found at www.lloydstsbfoundations.org.uk. A copy of the guidelines can be obtained by telephoning 0870 411 1223 or from the website.

The Guidelines include a new section on 'Looking ahead to 2006' when we will launch a series of new Thematic Programmes, with one-third of the Foundation's grant-making budget. The first of these will build on the Collaborative Programme and during 2005, we will consult on other potential themes. The Community Programme will continue with approximately two-thirds of the Foundation's grant-making budget, responding to local, regional and national needs, with a focus on identified priorities. From 2006, the New Initiatives Programme will no longer be a specific programme in its current format. The new Guidelines for 2006 will be published in November 2005.

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Tel: 0870 411 1223 Email: Guidelines@lloydstsbfoundations.org.uk
Website: www.lloydstsbfoundations.org.uk

> Refugee Housing Integration Programme (RHIP)

Hact's mission is to develop solutions promoting people's well-being and enabling people to live in their homes with dignity and independence. Supported by the European Refugee Fund, the Community Fund and a broad range of matched funders this programme aims to achieve more integrated neighbourhoods in which there is an increase in the amount of quality housing available to refugees.

RHIP seeks to achieve this aim through a number of different but complementary initiatives which: integrate the housing needs and aspirations of refugee communities into mainstream housing policy and practice; increase the capacity of refugee communities to participate in the development of housing services appropriate to their needs; develop sustainable partnership working between emerging refugee communities and mainstream housing and related service providers.

The initiatives undertaken under RHIP include two grant funds, housing development training and consultancy work with refugee communities, events and projects to facilitate networking, the development of partnerships and the dissemination of learning. For more information please contact hact 78 Quaker Street, London E1 6SW Tel: 020 7247 7800 Email: hact@hact.org.uk Website: www.hact.org.uk

> Changes to Big Lottery Fund programmes

The Big Lottery Fund is entering an exciting transition period as they begin to develop new programmes. They want those programmes to build on the achievements of programmes previously delivered by the Community Fund and New Opportunities Fund and to help them realise their aim to tackle social disadvantage and involve individuals and communities in bringing about positive social change. As you know, the Big Lottery Fund has been carrying out a wide consultation to identify the funding priorities of their customers and stakeholders. Responding to your views in the consultation, they will make changes in the way they do business, including developing new approaches to funding and introducing a new portfolio of programmes. Here is important information about the transition between current and new programmes in 2005. They also need to begin now to make the changes which will make way for the new programmes. Since they have a strong commitment to customer care, they want to give you as much notice as possible of these changes.

The New Opportunities Fund's programmes, which are all-time limited, will be phased out in accordance with the timetables set out in the relevant programme guidance. Over the next ten months they will also be winding down their Voluntary and Community Funding Programmes (the Medium and Large Programmes in England, and the UK-wide Strategic Programme, including international and research, previously run by the Community Fund) . They will be awarding and announcing grants under these programmes up until November 2005.

They will, therefore, continue to accept applications to these programmes until 31 May 2005. However, they will be phasing out their application forms before that. You will be able to download application forms from their website until 31 March 2005. After that date you will still be able to request a form from their Big Advice Line Tel: 00454 10 20 30) and they will continue to send these out until 31 May 2005. Their Grants officers will continue to carry out assessments and the last grants under this programme will be announced in November 2005. The only exception to this is applications for building work or refurbishment that will cost more than £30,000. Because are more complicated to assess, all grant applications for building work or property refurbishment must be in by 31 March 2005. They expect high numbers of applications before these deadlines and strong competition for funds.

Applicants may therefore want to wait for the opening of their new programmes. They will aim to provide more detailed information about the overall portfolio of new programmes in early summer 2005 (see below). To summarise, the key dates to note (Large and Medium Programmes in England, Strategic Grants Programmes UK-wide) are: 31 March 2005 - Last date for downloading application forms from the website; 31 March 2005 - Last date property applications for more than £30,000 will be received; 31 May 2005 - Last date applications will be received; November 2005 - Last grants announced. Their first new programme, the Young People's Fund is currently being rolled out in England and has been very well received. From early summer to late 2005, they expect to launch, incrementally, a range of new programmes. This will include a new international grants programme UK-wide. Awards for All will also continue UK-wide in 2005 - 2006. They will meet their commitment to provide £14m for voluntary and community activity in eight rural districts in England between 2002 and 2007 (Countryside Communities). They have also given an undertaking that 60-70% of their funding will go to the voluntary and community sector and 30-40% to the public sector and others. During the transition, they will continue to keep you informed of changes that they are making. To find out more, please visit their Website: www.biglotteryfund.org.uk or ring their Big Advice Line Tel: 0845 4 10 20 30 For organisations hoping to apply for funding in Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland, they will provide additional information on timing shortly.

> 2005 is the Year of the Volunteer

Volunteering England, in partnership with BitC, The Media Trust, TimeBank and Youth Action Network, Youthnet, are distributing small grants in order to enable and encourage more people to participate in the Year by taking action to address the needs of their own communities. Small grants will be available to projects which: are conceived, organised and led by local people; address a local need which they have identified as important AND engage other local people in their delivery.

These projects can be: one off activities OR a series of activities or events all of which must take place during 2005. Grants of £500 - £1,500 will be available to individual people (or small groups of people) to organise a project or activity in their area which will make a difference to their community OR Grants of £1,000 - £4,000 will be available to voluntary and community sector organisations to support individual people to organise their own project or activity OR Grants of up to £6,000 are available for group of 2 or more organisations working in partnership with each other to support individual people to organise their own project or activity.

Further details on the 2005 small grants programme will be available on the Volunteering England website from 21 January 2005. Volunteering England (London), Regents Wharf, 8 All Saints Street, London N1 9RL Volunteering England (Birmingham), New Oxford House, 16 Waterloo Street, Birmingham B2 5UG Tel (London & Birmingham): 0845 305 6979 Fax (London): 020 7520 8910 Fax (Birmingham): 0121 633 4043 Email: information@volunteeringengland.org Website: www.volunteeringengland.org

> Community Champions Fund - England Regions

This scheme ends 31 March 2006.

The Community Champions Fund supports individuals who wish to get involved in community activity and those who have already shown leadership in stimulating community activity. Total fund value is £9,000,000. The grant value average is £1,200, with a * maximum of £2,000.

The fund is designed to increase the skills levels of individuals to enable them to act as inspirational figures, community entrepreneurs, and community mentors/leaders, in order to increase community involvement in regeneration and learning activity. The Fund will also support small-scale community inspired projects as part of supporting potential champions (individuals) who have not previously sought funding. The Fund also encourages older (50+) volunteers to get involved in helping their communities. The main type of funded activity is very small-scale but it is activity that makes a real difference. Often, a small amount of support at a crucial time can help individuals become strong role models in their communities. The fund has, for example, provided training in giving presentations, or enabled individuals to attend conferences that are relevant to what they are trying to do in their community.

Funding will not be provided for: activities outside of England; activities of a political or predominantly religious nature; existing provision or posts (unless there is clear added value); continuing work previously funded by another organisation (unless there is clear added value); provision that could more appropriately be funded from other sources; business start-up where there is no demonstrable benefit for groups within the wider community; larger capital purchases of equipment (more than £1,000), as opposed to smaller purchases including consumables or items which would have very little value by the end of the project; works or activities which an individual or organisation has a statutory duty to undertake, except where there is strong justification in terms of the impact this activity will have on local communities.

The programme is very flexible and supports individuals who are already active in their communities, or who would like to become active in their communities. All applications for support under the Community Champions Fund must demonstrate clearly the potential benefit which will be gained by the community.

Large capital purchases of equipment of more than £1,000 will not normally be funded.

The Community Champions Fund is delivered through dedicated staff in each of the 9 Government Offices for the Regions, working with locally contracted intermediary organisations who promote and deliver the programme. Applicants should contact their local Government Office in the first instance to identify to which intermediary organisation it is most appropriate to submit completed application forms.

For all enquiries contact your regional contact

London: Helen Barry, Government Office for London, Floor 6, Riverwalk House, 157-161 Millbank, London SW1P 4RR Tel : 020 7217 3302 Fax : 020 7217 3451 Email: hbarry.gol@go-regions.gsi.gov.uk

There are also details of this scheme and also Community Learning Chests, and Neighbourhood Renewal Community Chests on the www.governmentfunding.org.uk website. Contact your regional Government Office about these schemes in your region. Further details and an online application form can be found at www.dfes.gov.uk/communitychampions

> Henry Smith Charity - new guidelines

Types of grant:

Special List - All of the grants on this list are made on a one-off basis and relate to a specific project for which applicants have requested support. This could include purchase/ refurbishment of a building, purchase of specialist equipment, other similar capital expenditure, or one year's running costs.

General List - This List covers annual grants made for more than one year, and up to three years. They are usually for a specific item in the applicant's budget such as a salary, or towards the costs of a particular project. Grants can be used for core costs.

Small Grants - Small grants are given to organisations with an annual income of less than £150,000. Grants can be for one-off capital items such as equipment purchase; these grants must be used within six months of being awarded. Grants can also be towards one year's running costs. Small Grants are one-off payments although repeat applications can be considered.

Major Grants - No applications are accepted for the Major Grants Programme. From time to time the Trustees select a special area which will be the subject of a Major Grant consisting of a programme of grants paid over a period of three years, with the aim of making a significant impact in the chosen field. Trustees use the following categories to classify their grants: Hospitals and Medical Care - Projects providing residential care or health care for those who are sick or in need, and projects which provide outreach services such as home care support. Services operated by the NHS will not normally be funded.

Hospices and Palliative Care - Projects providing residential care or health care for those who are sick or in need, and projects which provide outreach services such as home care support.

Medical Research - Specific medical research projects will be considered, although the Charity does not normally fund cancer research. Generally, only applications from recognised "Centres of Excellence" will be considered. Please refer to separate guidelines.

Disability - Projects which are specifically aimed at the rehabilitation and training of the disabled can be considered.

Elderly - Projects for the relief of the elderly, such as housing or support services. Projects which can be considered are residential care or health care for those who are sick or in need, emotional support such as befriending services and day care centres. Preference will be given to projects in needy areas.

Young People - Projects that provide support to young people at risk particularly those living in areas of considerable deprivation.

Drugs and Alcohol - Projects aimed at the support and rehabilitation of people with drug and/or alcohol problems, as well as those to support people at risk of developing such problems, will be considered.

Community Service - Projects that provide support for communities in areas of considerable deprivation including ethnic minority groups. This could include projects providing employment for the disadvantaged, shelter and necessities of life such as furniture for the homeless, or work with offenders.

Family Services - Projects which provide support to families at risk.

Homeless - Projects providing practical support for the homeless and those at risk of homelessness.

Holidays for children - Projects which provide holidays or outings for children from areas of considerable deprivation or children with a disability, aged 13 or under.

For more information on this programme please call our Information Line Tel: 0207 320 6884.



> Tyne & Wear Included Communities Fund

The TyneWear Partnership's Included Communities Fund, managed by the Community Foundation serving Tyne & Wear and Northumberland, has granted over £2 million in grants to community projects throughout Tyne and Wear since April 2003. Applications are now being sought for capital and revenue projects for the next round of grants. Capital and Revenue projects - Community and voluntary groups working across Tyne & Wear are encouraged to apply to the Included Communities Fund for projects that address economic development and promote community activity within TyneWear Partnerships growth poles. The fund can provide grants from £10,000 to £100,000 for capital projects, and £10,000 to £25,000 for revenue projects.

Groups can apply for projects that: -Address barriers to employment; Increase employability; Enable the voluntary sector to attract additional resources; Supporting the most disadvantaged communities and people in Tyne & Wear. The closing date for the next round will be Friday 4 February 2005 with a decision being made on the grants by the end of March 2005. There will be two further meeting this year and applications for these should reach the Community Foundation by **6 May 2005 and 22 July 2005**.

Organisations are encouraged to discuss the project they intend to put forward to the fund in advance with the Included Communities Fund Grants Manager, as funds are limited. For further information and/or an application form and guidelines please contact Zahida Hussain at the Community Foundation Tel: 0191 222 0945
Email: zh@communityfoundation.org.uk

The Included Communities fund is made up of funds from Single Programme and the European Regional Development Fund, It is an initiative put together to provide flexible access to Single Programme and European Funding for the voluntary and community sector in Tyne & Wear. The TyneWear Partnership obtains the funds for these grants from One NorthEast, and the Community Foundation administers the grants scheme on its behalf.

> Health Foundation - Leading Practice Through Research

The Health Foundation has announced that its competitive award scheme, Leading Practice Through Research, is now open for applications. Applications are sought from a wide range of health professionals who have ideas for research projects that will make a direct difference to the quality of patient care or the health of the population. This unique scheme is open to mid-career professionals, including healthcare practitioners, health improvement practitioners (including public health professionals), health service managers, policy makers and primary care researchers, who want to take time out from practice to carry out research. Applicants don't need to be doing research as part of their current job, but should have access to research expertise.

Leading Practice Through Research is part of the Foundation's portfolio of leadership award schemes. Successful applicants will benefit from personal development training to enhance their leadership skills and will be supported to disseminate the results of the research. Proposals should demonstrate how dissemination of the results has the potential to influence current policy and practice and therefore result in a direct impact on the quality of patient care.

Awards are for a period of six months to a maximum of two years and support locum cover costs, personal development training, research and travel costs, and some knowledge transfer costs. The deadline for applications is 3 February 2005. The final round of Leading Practice Through Research awards will be open for applications from 28 March 2005. Eligibility requirements and application guidelines are available on The Health Foundation's

Website: www.health.org.uk . The Health Foundation, 90 Long Acre, London WC2E 9RA Tel: 020 7257 8000 Fax: 020 7257 8001

> Victims Fund: Provision for Victims of Sexual Offending

The Home Office is placing £4 million over two years, recovered from the proceeds of crime, into the new Victims Fund to support the development of community-based services for victims of sexual offending. Established voluntary and community organisations working to help the victims of sexual violence and abuse in England and Wales are eligible for funding. Total fund value is £4,000,000, maximum £50,000. The total fund value includes funding which is earmarked for the development and extension of services already provided by statutory agencies, over the financial years 2004/5 and 2005/6.

Applications will only be considered from established organisations within England and Wales (for example, those with charitable status). Applications from individuals will not be eligible. Priority will be given to applications from Voluntary and Community Sector groups. Priority will also be given to extending, replicating or growing existing initiatives, rather than setting up new projects. Funding will not be provided to support party political activities.

Successful bids will demonstrate clearly that they meet all the criteria, focus on service delivery, and are targeted in areas with a high level of un-met need, or cater for specific client groups for whom service provision is currently patchy.

Organisations may apply for either one or two years of funding, but should be aware that there are no guarantees of further funding being available beyond March 2006. The closing date for funding in 2005/6 is **Monday 28 February 2005** and applications must be received by the Home Office by this date. This grant is available to apply for online at: www.governmentfunding.org.uk/VCSSearch.aspx?WCI=htmschemeview&WCU=Grant_PKEY=70 Downloadable application forms and guidance can also be accessed.

> Consultation Fund for Children and Young People

This national programme is now open for applications. The application deadline is 31 March 2005. The Consultation Fund gives children and young people the chance to have their say about policies and services which affect them. Consultation activities are intended to allow children to contribute directly to decision making at local, regional, national and international levels. The goal is to give children and young people a voice on issues and the ability to 'make a difference', with the benefit of achieving better outcomes for decision making at all levels.

The total fund value is £500,000 with an average £4,500, a minimum of £50. The maximum award per activity is £7,500 for domestic events and £10,000 for international events. Funding is not eligible for activities or events that: are organised by national or local governments and their agencies; cover training or ongoing projects; develop mechanisms for consultation, such as websites; involve a series of meetings.

Activities must be for children and young people who reside in England and are 19 years old or younger.

Funding is typically for events or activities lasting one or two days.

Voluntary sector or independent organisations working on a local, regional, national or international level are eligible.

Eligible activities include conferences, meetings, workshops and debates.

Activities should have a clear purpose, allow participation in debate, and involve input into a decision-making process.

Workshops or sessions which allow children and young people to participate actively should be incorporated into the activity.

Activities which prepare children and young people to attend specific consultation events could also be included, for example, a session to give practical guidance on participation in a consultation event.

Organisations are required to supply a programme of the activity with the application form.

Funding is to cover the costs of attendance at the activity including: travel expenses, such as standard rail fare, economy flight and petrol; accommodation and subsistence costs; delegate fees; set up costs, such as rental of venue and catering; carer costs, including childcare, to enable those children and young people with carer responsibilities to attend; any additional costs for disabled attendees; corresponding expenses for appropriate level of adult support workers.

The scheme is currently open to applications. The administration and management of the Consultation Fund will shortly be transferred to another organisation. In the meantime applications should be sent to the Participation Team whose contact details are shown below.

For all enquiries contact: Emma James, Children, Young People and Families Directorate, Participation Team, Department for Education and Skills, 2U Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, London SW1P 3BT Tel : 020 7925 5822 Email: consultation.fund@dfes.gsi.gov.uk Website: www.governmentfunding.org.uk



Grant Making Bodies Websites

The HB Allen Charitable Trust <http://www.peter.shone.btinternet.co.uk/hbact1.htm>
The Architectural Heritage Fund <http://www.ahfund.org.uk>
The Baring Foundation <http://www.baringfoundation.org.uk>
The BBC Children in need Appeal <http://www.bbc.co.uk/cin>
The Bridge House Estates Trust Fund <http://www.bridgehousegrants.org.uk>
The William A Cadbury Charitable Trust <http://www.wa-cadbury.org.uk>
The Campden Charities <http://www.campdencharities.org.uk>
The Charities Aid Foundation <http://www.cafonline.org/>
Charity Know How <http://www.charityknowhow.org>
The Church Urban Fund <http://www.cuf.org.uk>
City Parochial Foundation, Trust for London <http://www.cityparochial.org.uk>
Comic Relief <http://www.comicrelief.org.uk>
The Community Foundation <http://www.communityfoundation.org.uk>
The Community Foundation in Wales <http://www.cfiw.org.uk>
Community Foundation Network <http://www.communityfoundations.org.uk>
Community Fund <http://www.community-fund.org.uk>
The Roald Dahl Foundation <http://www.roalddahl.org>
The Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund <http://www.theworkcontinues.org>
The John Ellerman Foundation <http://www.ncvo-vol.org.uk/jef.html>
The Esmee Fairbairn Charitable Trust <http://www.efct.org.uk>
The Gatsby Charitable Foundation <http://www.gatsby.org.uk>
The Great Britain Sasakawa Foundation <http://www.gbsf.org.uk>
Greater Bristol Foundation <http://www.gbf.org.uk>
Hact (The Housing Associations Charitable Trust) <http://www.hact.org.uk>
The Paul Hamlyn Foundation <http://www.phf.org.uk>
Peter Harrison Foundation <http://www.peterharrisonfoundation.org>
Help a London Child <http://www.capitalfm.com>
Help the Aged <http://www.helptheaged.org.uk>
Hospital Saving Association Charitable Trust <http://www.hsa.co.uk>
Isle of Dogs Community Foundation <http://www.idcf.org>
The Jerwood Charitable Foundation <http://www.jerwood.org.uk>
The Elton John AIDS Foundation <http://www.eltonjohn.com>
The King's Fund <http://www.kingsfund.org.uk>
Landfill Tax Credit Scheme and ENTRUST <http://www.entrust.org.uk>
The Allen Lane Foundation <http://www.allenlane.demon.co.uk>
The Leverhulme Trust <http://www.leverhulme.org.uk>
Lloyds TSB Foundations <http://www.lloydstsbfoundations.org.uk>
The Lord's Taverners <http://www.lordstaverners.org>
The Mental Health Foundation <http://www.mentalhealth.org.uk>
The Mercers' Company Charities <http://www.mercers.co.uk>
The Metropolitan Hospital-Sunday Fund <http://www.mhsf.org.uk>
The Henry Moore Foundation <http://www.henry-moore-fdn.co.uk/hmf>
The National Art Collections Fund <http://www.art-fund.org>
The Northern Ireland Voluntary Trust <http://www.nivt.org>
The Northern Rock Foundation <http://www.nr-foundation.org.uk>
The Nuffield Foundation <http://www.nuffieldfoundation.org>
The Nuffield Trust <http://www.nuffieldtrust.org.uk>
The Peabody Community Fund <http://www.peabody.org.uk>
Jack Petchey Foundation <http://www.jackpetcheyfoundation.org.uk>
PPP Healthcare Medical Trust <http://www.ppptrust.org.uk>
The Joseph Rowntree Charitable Trust <http://www.jrct.org.uk>
The Joseph Rowntree Foundation <http://www.jrf.org.uk>

The Rufford Foundation <http://www.rufford.org>
 The Francis C Scott Charitable Trust <http://www.fcsct.org.uk>
 SHINE (Support and Help In Education) <http://www.shinetrust.org.uk>
 South Yorkshire Community Foundation <http://www.sycf.org>
 The Sir Halley Stewart Trust <http://www.sirhalleystewart.org>
 The Sutton Trust <http://www.suttontrust.com>
 The Sir Jules Thorn Charitable Trust <http://www.julesthorntrust.org.uk>
 The Tudor Trust <http://www.tudortrust.org.uk>
 The Variety Club of Great Britain <http://www.varietyclub.org.uk>
 The Wellcome Trust <http://www.wellcome.ac.uk>
 Westminster Foundation for Democracy <http://www.wfd.org>

Small Grants Funders Contacts

Funders	Address	Telephone	Website
Fast Forward Grants Greater London Enterprises	28 Park St, London SE1 9EQ	020 7940 1515	www.gle.co.uk
Trust for London (small grants from City Parochial Fund)	6 Middle St, London EC1A	020 7606 6145	www.cityparochial.org.uk
BBC Children in Need	PO Box 76, London W3 6FS	020 8576 7788	www.bbc.co.uk/pudsey/
EC1 New deal for Communities	173B Old Street, London EC1V 9NJ	020 7608 3412	www.ec1newdeal.com
King's Fund Grants department	11-13 Cavendish Sq, London W1G 0AN	020 7307 2495	www.kingsfund.org.uk
Help a London Child	Capital Radio Group, 30 Leicester Sq, London WC2H 7LA	020 7766 6563	www.capitalradiofm.com/helpalondonchild/
Islington neighbourhood Renewal Community Chest and Community Learning Chest	Cripplegate Foundation, 76 Central St, London EC1V 8AG	020 7549 8181	
Awards for All		0845 600 2040	www.awardsforall.org.uk
BT Community Connections			www.btcommunityconnections.com

Other Resources

> Funding Formula

Funding Formula has been written by Jane Standing, Chief Executive of Kairos in Soho, to ease your way through the fund-raising process. It is a holistic approach to resource development for voluntary and community organisations. As it is stated in the introduction of this resource “sitting still” and “thinking creatively” are two vital ingredients for funding development and fundraising. Funding Formula uses the word fundraising to cover everything that is involved in securing a stable financial future, from strategic planning, to developing a new project, and to writing an application. Copies could be obtained for £10 by contacting London Voluntary Services Council publication team on publication@lvsc.org.uk

> Government Funding Website

The www.governmentfunding.org.uk website is being developed with a bulletin board and directory of users to be added shortly. The biggest development is that you are now able to apply online from the website for the government grants that you identify from using the search facility on the website for suitable funding.

> Free Guide for Trustees

Leading charity law firm Bates, Wells & Braithwaite have published a free guide to trustee's duties and responsibilities. The passport-sized booklet, Duties of Charity Trustees is available from Philippa Hart at BWB, Email: p.hart@bateswells.co.uk or download from Website: <http://www.bateswells.co.uk> clicking on publications within the Charity and Social Enterprise Department. For more information on the duties of Trustees don't forget DSC's The Charity Trustees Handbook and Effective Boards. For prices and full details these books please go to Website: http://www.dsc.org.uk/acatalog/Finance_Law.html

> Funding Crisis Helpline

Has your local authority slashed your funding? Don't know what to do? If you are a minority ethnic organisation the National Funding Crisis Helpline can provide information, guidance and support. Freephone 0800 652 1676 Email: crisis@emf-cemvo.co.uk

> GrantsNet

A new online information source for grant support schemes, has announced the introduction of a new service to give quicker and more direct access to grant schemes available in the UK. GrantsNet offers easy access to information about the many grant schemes available to businesses and charities in the UK. Their exceptionally user-friendly search facility allows organisations to easily search for grant schemes by geographic area, by project type or by keyword. GrantsNet does not screen visitors, there is no membership required to access information. Please visit www.grantsnet.co.uk for more information.

> CASweb-gateway to community advice online

CASweb is a free web service providing free website space and tools for advice organisations and a new interactive space for advice organisations and local authorities to meet online to share ideas, experiences and best practice. All advice organisations working with clients from: Camden, Islington, Kensington and Chelsea, Westminster and the Corporation of London can have a free website www.casweb.org

> Charities Evaluation Service – new website

Charities Evaluation Services, or CES, is the UK's leading provider of training and consultancy to the voluntary sector on quality and evaluation systems. CES aim to increase the effectiveness of the voluntary sector by providing training, consultancy, advice and information. The website includes information, advice, publications and links about quality and evaluation systems.



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> **Online fundraising service tops £1 million**

Over £1 million has been donated to charities online through CAF's Tailored Efundraising service. Launched in August 2002, Efundraising enables charities of all sizes to accept secure, tax-effective credit/debit card and Direct Debit donations from their own website, without the need for a specialised trading and banking service.

Currently used by over 350 non-profit organisations, individual donations through the service have ranged from £5 to £10,000 and have been made from 100 countries including Australia, Belgium, the US, Canada and Japan.

Efundraising links a charity's website to secure donation pages which can be tailored to fit in with the look and feel of its own site. Working alongside World Pay, the leading e-commerce solutions company, CAF (Charities Aid Foundation) undertakes all the administration on behalf of the charity, from designing the donation pages, to processing gifts and reclaiming tax from the Inland Revenue. On average 76% of donations through Efundraising are made via Gift Aid compared to a sector average of 28%.

As well as UK sterling, charities can appeal for gifts in US dollars or Euros with further currencies added to their donation pages on request.

Charities are able to view statements of donations online, while CAF provides donor records and hard copy reports to further support their fundraising activities. In addition, charities are able to view donations being made through their websites in real time and a unique online tracking facility enables them to identify from which sites or emails their donations have originated. For more information about Efundraising call 01732 520 316 or visit www.efundraising.org

> **igive2**

Turn everyday shopping into donations for your charity, school or good cause. igive2 can provide a profitable fundraising tool for your charity, school, community group or good cause.

An effective online fundraising tool with no cost to your supporters. It generates funds from your supporters against purchases they would have made anyway! It is free to join and no technical skills required. You can gain publicity for your charity or cause and increased awareness of your activities.

igive2 provides a complete solution to help you generate donations for your charity or good cause at no cost to your supporters. Through their partnerships with hundreds of brand name retailers your supporters can easily raise money for your organisation every time they shop online. Simply register your cause with igive2, encourage your supporters to join and every time they shop with a participating retailer a percentage of the purchase will be rebated to your organisation.

Your supporters will be able to shop from hundreds of leading online retailers including Boots, WHSmith, MotherCare, CDWow, Debenhams, John Lewis and Argos. In addition to earning donations for your cause, supporters will be buying direct from these retailers whilst still qualifying for any of the shops usual offers and sales. There is no additional cost to your supporters.

For every purchase made by your supporters you will receive a percentage rebate of the purchase price. The various rebate amounts are publicised to your supporters in their members directory. Rebate percentages vary from 1%-20%, however, there are also generous donations made when a supporter applies for financial products or registers with gaming sites or simply agrees to receive companies newsletters!

Every month your supporters donations are aggregated and sent to you direct as a single donation to your cause. Look at website: www.igive2.co.uk for further information.

> **www.thanq.org**

Working in the voluntary sector can be a rewarding career path with many opportunities to make a difference, whether this is as a paid or unpaid employee. In gratitude for the work that you do, business across the UK are saying 'thanQ' by giving significant discounts on goods and services. Now all staff and volunteers can benefit from savings at over 30 top retail brands - completely free. Website: www.thanq.org



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> **FunderFinder – DSC**

While this Funding Digest contains new and time deadline funding opportunities, don't forget that for ongoing funding from trusts and foundations there are: FunderFinder (E-mail: info@funderfinder.org.uk) GIN software which assists groups to identify suitable charitable trusts they can apply to, and the two CDs by Directory of Social Change which also help - Grant Making Trusts CD Rom and the CD ROM Company Giving Guide. The CD Rom database is also available to subscribers at website: www.trustfunding.org.uk

If you don't want to receive such information in future, please notify our staff team via email info@chinese-network.net and we will delete your e-mail address from our mailing list accordingly.

Regards.
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London Chinese Community Network (LCCN) is the regional network of Chinese voluntary and community organisations (CVCOs) funded by Race Equality Unit of Home Office. LCCN aims to advocate on behalf of CVCOs in London as well as enhance representation of its members in the wider network, to facilitate consultation on issues of concern and to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of the organisational development of its members. LCCN is hosted by The Chinese in Britain Forum.