



East Riding Voluntary Action Services Funding e-bulletin 20 October 2016

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Funding Fair

You are warmly invited to refreshments and cakes at our Funding Fair and AGM on Thursday 10 November, 12.30-4.30pm, East Riding College Campus, Beverley.

Further information and to book a place, contact Claire. Funders attending so far...The Big Lottery, City Health Care Partnership, Two Ridings Community Foundation, Positive Activities Grant, Connecting Communities Grant. **For social investment, we are also pleased to be welcoming Charity Bank and Key Fund to our event.**

There will also be funding workshops and advice on how to gain the best funding searches from the East Riding 4 Community portal <http://www.idoxopen4community.co.uk/er?bcr=MTIzNA>

Application Support Event

Humber Learning Consortium have successfully been awarded the ESF Community Grants Programme 2016-2018 and are pleased to announce the launch of the 2nd round of funding. ESF Community Grants are part of the European Social Fund (ESF) programme which is distributing small grants in the Humber, East Riding, York and North Yorkshire region. The aim of the fund is to help unemployed people progress towards employment through access to learning and training opportunities. The 2nd round of Grants of between £5,000 and up to £15,000 are available. For further details go to www.hlc-vol.org - contact details Jacquie Newman on 01482 327438 or email jacquie.newman@hlc-vol.org, deadline for applications is 16th December 16.

An application support event is also available at Centre 88, Saner St, Hull HU3 2TR on Tuesday 15th November 12.30 – 3.00pm or The Courtyard, Boothferry Road, Goole, DN14 6AE 12.30-3.00 pm.

Funding Opportunities

Galaxy Hot Chocolate Fund launches 7th November

The GALAXY Hot Chocolate Fund opens again on 7th November. They are looking to help small, local community projects and groups through the GALAXY Hot Chocolate Fund. From November 7th 2016 until February 26th 2017, they are seeking to award a total of seventy, £300 donations to help community groups and people across UK and Ireland. Five donations will be awarded each week, four by a panel of judges and one through the People's Choice award to the organisation with the most weekly votes. Additionally this year they are casting a spotlight on the unsung heroes within organisations through the 'Outstanding Volunteer Award'. This gives you the chance to nominate someone whose level of commitment and help makes them a truly outstanding volunteer. The first winners will be announced 14 November. Overall deadline 25 February 2017.

<https://www.galaxyhotchocolate.com/fund/register/>

Waste Recycling Environmental (WREN) - FCC Community Action Fund

Grants for environmental and community-based projects in areas of England and Wales close to Waste Recycling Group landfill sites. Projects must provide, maintain or improve a public park or other public amenity. The WREN Community Fund replaces the Main Grant Scheme and Small Grant Scheme.

The scheme broadly aims to benefit local communities in the vicinity of a landfill site. Interested parties are advised to refer to the introductory report LCF: Landfill Communities Fund, where in-depth information concerning Landfill Tax Regulations can be found.

Waste Recycling Environmental Limited (WREN) is a non-profit making Environmental Body registered to fund projects under the Landfill Communities Fund. The Landfill Communities Fund must be used for the purposes of implementing social, environmental and community based projects complying with specific 'approved objects' or categories in the Landfill Tax Regulations.

Grants of between £2,000 and £50,000 are available for projects with a maximum total cost of £500,000. The application deadline is 22 February 2017 (5pm).

Applications for the FCC Community Action Fund must be made via Wren's online application system.

<http://www.wren.org.uk/apply/wren-grant-scheme>

Petplan Charitable Trust

Grants are available to registered charities in the UK to improve animal welfare. Petplan Charitable Trust was formed in 1994 by Patsy Bloom and David Simpson to provide much needed funds to promote the health and welfare of animals. The aim of the Trust is to promote the health and welfare of animals and fund the advancement of veterinary understanding and treatment. The Trust has the following categories of grant:

- Scientific Grant.
Full scientific grant.
Pump-priming grant limited to £10,000.
- Welfare Grants:
 - One major welfare grant of up to £20,000 towards an innovative project to improve animal care and welfare.
 - Up to £40,000 to be distributed for general grants of between £5,000 and £7,500. This can include items such as neutering, kennelling costs and veterinary fees.
 - Up to £40,000 to be distributed for general grants of up to £5,000. This can include items such as neutering, kennelling costs and veterinary fees.
 - Grants to assist with vehicle purchase.

Applications for Welfare Grants must demonstrate a direct benefit to the species supported by the Trust (dogs, cats, horses and rabbits). Grants to human charities may be considered when it can be clearly demonstrated that the grant will enhance/give support to the animals' best interest. Education is seen as an important role for the welfare arm of the Charitable Trust and requests for funding for education in animal welfare will be considered. Neutering and proper veterinary care are seen as priorities.

Pump-priming grants are available to fund projects that stand-alone or lead to further work. The Trust tries to favour studies that will potentially help vets in practice to treat and care for animals better.

The application deadlines are as follows:

- Welfare Grants – 2 December 2016.
- Full Scientific Grants – 25 November 2016.
- Pump-priming Grants – 14 March 2017.

Application forms are available to complete online at the Trust's website.

<http://www.petplantrust.org/index.php>