



Wiltshire Community Foundation

Malmesbury Area Board

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What does the Foundation do?

- Makes grants to support the valuable work of the third sector in Wiltshire and Swindon
- Fundraise
- Manages grant programmes on behalf of other funders

Who do we fund?

Third sector organisations -

- Whose work benefits people in Wiltshire and / or Swindon
- Have an independent management structure based in the Wiltshire or Swindon

What will we fund?

- core funding (normal running costs)
- new projects and the extension of existing provision
- training and other development activities that strengthen groups
- equipment
- building work that directly support disabled people

What won't we fund?

- Groups that have more than 12 months running costs in unrestricted reserves
- One-off events or sponsored events



Foundation Large Grants



- Grants of up to £5,000 per year
- 3 year funding available
- Annual budget of £450,000 per year
- Apply at any time

Foundation Small Grants

- Only available to groups with an income of £50k and under
- Grants of up to £2,000 per year
- 2 year funding available
- Annual grants budget of £60,000 per year
- Apply at any time

Youth Social Action Fund

- Grants of up to £5,000 are available to fund social action opportunities for young people.
- The fund is not to cover general youth club provision nor to fund general activities for young people. The fund is to cover specific activities for young people aimed at developing their skills and confidence as volunteers in their community

Other programmes

- In the next year we also expect to run a grants programme on behalf of Comic Relief and the Police and Crime Commissioner, however these programmes are not currently open. Please check our website regularly for information about these programmes.

Last year

- We awarded £1.2m through Wiltshire and Swindon
- 365 grants were made, but more than 50% of these were paid to individuals



Non funding support

In addition to the grants we offer:

- A monthly funding ebulletin with news about our and other funders programmes
- A series of interactive workshops
- One to one funding and governance advice sessions
- A free funding database.

Information about all of our support can be accessed through our website .

<https://wiltshirecf.org.uk/support-and-advice-for-groups>

Grants in this area

- In the past 5 years we have made grants of £18,187 in the Malmesbury area, £8,000 of which was to individuals through our education and fuel poverty programmes.
- In the past 20 years we have invested nearly £67k in this area.
- We would like to receive more applications from this area.....



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