

CORNWALL FA
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OPPORTUNITIES



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Cornwall FA have put together the following document to highlight possible funding opportunities that your club/organisation may be able to use to help contribute towards your project costs. Cornwall FA realise a high proportion of projects struggle to find additional partnership funding to enable a project to be delivered. The funding options highlighted in this document range from National funding opportunities to County FA programmes and localised funding pots. The options presented in this document may not be suitable for every project so please review the application criteria before forming an application.

It is advisable to seek advice before any project is started as most funding partners/organisations do not fund projects retrospectively. If you would like any guidance on different funding opportunities that may be relevant to your club, please feel free to contact Cornwall FA who will support and advise where possible.

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* The nature of funding causes funding windows to be varied in length and different funding pots may close at different parts of the year, with some expiring. We will try and keep this document updated (last updated: February 2023) *

Any sections highlighted in yellow will indicate new funding opportunities added to this document



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National Funding Opportunities				
Funding Provider	Funding Limits	Who Can Apply?	Additional Information	Application Details
Football Foundation	Case by case basis.	Applications welcomed from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Football clubs Community trusts Multi-sport clubs Local authorities Educational establishments 	Possible funding options: Has various items that can attract funding including goals posts, storage containers, machinery equipment up to large scale projects.	<p>Application: http://www.footballfoundation.org.uk/</p> <p>Email: daniel.greenough@cornwallfa.com and/or lee.rider@footballfoundation.org.uk</p>
Premier League Stadium Fund (formerly the Football Stadia Improvement Fund)	Up to 70% of project costs. Grant limits available are dependent on the step of The FA National League System / Women's FA National League System your club plays at.	Funding is available to clubs who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> play in Steps 1 to 6 of the National League System play in tiers 1 to 4 of the Women's Football Pyramid have been promoted into the English Football League 	Possible funding options: These football grants are designed to improve stadium safety and enable clubs to satisfy The FA's ground grading requirements.	<p>Application: https://premierleaguestadiumfund.co.uk/</p> <p>Email: daniel.greenough@cornwallfa.com and/or tom.willson@footballfoundation.org.uk</p>
Football Foundation (Schemes)	Various amounts depending on scheme.	Applications welcomed from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Football clubs Community trusts Multi-sport clubs Local authorities Educational establishments 	Possible funding options: Has various schemes that can attract funding including Grow the Game, Retain the Game, Respect and the Premier League Kit and Equipment scheme.	<p>Application: https://footballfoundation.org.uk/</p> <p>Email: daniel.greenough@cornwallfa.com</p>

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Sport England Small Clubs Grants Scheme	£300 to £15,000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a community amateur sports club (as registered with HMRC) an unregistered voluntary and community organisation with a not-for-profit constitution a registered charity a not-for-profit company (limited by guarantee without share capital or charitable incorporated organisation) a community interest company (CIC) or other social enterprise community benefit society a school using their facilities for wider community benefit. local authority bodies (including town, parish and community councils). 	<p>Provided your project meets the programme aims, we can fund a wide range of costs and items.</p> <p>However, your application should state how your project adds value to existing services or provision – we won't fund costs that are already being incurred.</p> <p>Your project should consider how you involve your community in the design and delivery of the project to help show it's really needed.</p>	<p>Application: https://www.sportengland.org/funds-and-campaigns/our-funds/small-grants-programme#support-for-environmental-sustainability-projects-22370</p> <p>Email: funding@sportengland.org</p>
Sport England Community Asset Fund (Currently paused to new applications due to COVID-19 and is unlikely to re-open in the same format)	£1000 to £150,000.	<p>Any sports club or community organisation with a great idea that'll make a real difference to the places where people play sport and get active.</p> <p>*Won't fund football only projects*</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Looking to take over an underused sports facility or one under threat of closure (for example, you may need financial support to bring a building back into use) Wanting to expand or improve the experience you offer your customers (for example, upgrade a changing room or installing new toilets, heating system or social space) Responding to an emergency or unexpected event that's stopping people from being active (for example, fixing a roof that's been damaged by flooding) Intending to make improvements to a building or open space that's clearly needed in the local community 	<p>Application: https://www.sportengland.org/how-we-can-help/our-funds/community-asset-fund</p> <p>Email: funding@sportengland.org</p>

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The National Lottery Partnerships	Over £10,000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voluntary and community organisation Registered charity or charitable incorporated organisation (CIO) Group of organisations, as long as they're led by a voluntary or community organisation School Statutory body (including local authorities, town, parish or community council) Not for profit company including companies limited by guarantee and Community Interest Companies with two or more directors 	<p>Possible funding options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff salaries Project activities Running costs (and your partners running costs) Small-scale refurbishment Equipment Organisational development <p>Projects that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bring people together and build strong relationships in and across communities Improve the places and spaces that matter to communities Help more people to reach their potential, by supporting them at the earliest possible stage 	<p>Application: https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/partnerships-england#section-1</p> <p>Email: southwestteam@tnlcommunityfund.org.uk</p>
The National Lottery Reaching Communities	Over £10,000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voluntary and community organisation Registered charity or charitable incorporated organisation (CIO) Group of organisations, as long as they're led by a voluntary or community organisation School Statutory body (including local authorities, town, parish or community council) Not for profit company including companies limited by guarantee and Community Interest Companies with two or more directors 	<p>Possible funding options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff salaries Project activities Running costs Small-scale refurbishment Equipment Organisational development. <p>Projects that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bring people together and build strong relationships in and across communities Improve the places and spaces that matter to communities Help more people to reach their potential, by supporting them at the earliest possible stage 	<p>Application: https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/reaching-communities-england</p> <p>Email: southwestteam@tnlcommunityfund.org.uk</p>



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<p>The National Lottery Awards for All England</p>	<p>£300 to £10,000.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voluntary or community organisation • Registered charity • Constituted group or club • Not-for-profit company or Community Interest Company • School (as long as your project benefits and involves the communities around the school) • Statutory body (including town, parish and community council). 	<p>Apply at least 12 weeks before you want to begin activities or spend any of the money.</p> <p>Possible funding options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment • One-off events • Small land or building projects • Training costs • Transport • Utilities/running costs • Volunteer expenses 	<p>Application: https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england#section-1</p> <p>Email: general.enquiries@tnlcommunityfund.org.uk</p>
<p>National Lottery Climate Action Fund</p>	<p>Up to £1.5 million</p>	<p>We'll accept applications from either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • local partnerships • UK-wide partnerships • single voluntary or community organisations 	<p>We want to fund projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • encourage communities to use energy in an environmentally friendly way • bring communities together to promote energy efficiency • enable communities to understand and engage with opportunities for clean energy generation <p>Projects can apply for up to £1.5 million over 2 to 5 years, with the minimum grant being £500,000 and the aim being to fund 8-12 projects. Applications can be submitted at any time and the program is expected to remain open until at least December 2023.</p>	<p>Application: https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/energy-learning-network-expression-of-interest-guidance</p> <p>More info: https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/climate-action-fund-energy</p>
<p>Sport England – Sustainability Projects</p>	<p>£15,000</p>	<p>Sport England has widened its Small Grants programme to provide support for projects that deliver environmental benefits for local communities</p> <p>For eligibility, see Small Grants Programme above.</p>	<p>We're inviting applications from projects that focus on supporting inactive and less active people to become more active, while reducing our impact on the environment - projects that can deliver both environmental and physical activity benefits for your community.</p>	<p>https://www.sportengland.org/funds-and-campaigns/our-funds/small-grants-programme#support-for-environmental-sustainability-projects-22445</p>

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Biffa Award Community Buildings & Recreation	£10,000 to £75,000.	Your project must be based within 5 miles of a Biffa Operation or 10 miles of an active Biffa landfill site.	Possible funding options: Grants available to provide and improve community buildings located within 10 miles of a Biffa operation. 4 themes biodiversity, cultural facilities, community spaces & recreation. Sports equipment, pitch improvements and floodlights are not eligible.	Application: https://www.biffa-award.org/ Email: biffa-award@wildlifetrusts.org
Persimmon Community Champions	Up to £1000.	The charity match programme gives donations of up to £1000 to local UK groups and charities which have already raised vital funds themselves.	Each of our 31 businesses and our PLC head office are giving away up to £2000 each, every month – that's a whopping £64,000 a month available to fund local community initiatives.	Application: https://www.persimmonhomes.com/charity Email: contact@persimmonhomes.com
Tesco Community Grants Fund	Up to £1500.	Tesco community grants fund thousands of local projects right across the UK. Projects that bring benefit to their community will get the green light – these range from improving community buildings and outdoor spaces to buying new equipment, training coaches or volunteers and hosting community events.	Projects that bring benefit to their community will get the green light – these range from improving community buildings and outdoor spaces to buying new equipment, training coaches or volunteers and hosting community events.	Application: https://www.groundwork.org.uk/national-grants/grants_tesco-community-grants/ Email: tescoinfo@groundwork.org.uk

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The Matthew Good Foundation	£15,000 to be shared between five projects each quarter – up to £5,000	Your application must be on behalf of a local community group, charity, voluntary group or social enterprise that has a positive impact on communities, people or the environment and has an average income of less than £50,000 in the last 12 months.	We want to make it easy to apply, so organisations/groups do not need to be a registered charity, however, you will need to have a bank account in your organisation's/project's name such as a community bank account. We are not able to provide funding to personal bank accounts.	https://www.matthewgoodfoundation.org/grantsforgood/ If you have any problems applying using the online form, please email info@matthewgoodfoundation.org
Get Kids Going!	Case by case basis.	Disabled children and young people across the UK can apply for funding to help them participate in disability sports. 'Get Kids Going!' provides young people up to 26 years with all disabilities and from all backgrounds with funding for specialist sports wheelchairs to help them compete in sporting events.	There are hundreds of talented, disabled youngsters who have the potential to participate in events but receive either none or very little funding and are desperate to achieve their life-long sporting dreams. Please help us to turn their dreams into reality!	To apply, e-mail info@getkidsgoing.com for an application form.
Community Enterprise Fund	Up to £25,000 (up to 20% grant)	Community organisations (charities and social enterprises) based in England and Wales. A community organisation is defined as an organisation that is owned by or operating clearly for the benefit of the community within which it is located.	The Community Enterprise Fund (CEF) supports community organisations with funding packages of blended loan and grant fund of up to £25k. The emphasis of the fund is impact in the community.	Application: https://www.sibgroup.org.uk/funds/community-enterprise-fund/

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Asda Foundation	Case by case basis.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Asda Foundation supports small grass roots organisations in a number of ways throughout the year. Working with Asda's Community Champions in store they are able to work with a range of organisations and groups on a range of projects. <p>Groups applying must meet all the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have a presence in and benefit the local community End beneficiaries must be community groups of people Must be not for profit 	5 different funding options, one of which being: Transforming Communities and Improving Lives Grants: These grants are about bringing people together in local communities. This could be by offering better facilities, providing easier access to activities for all ages and abilities and encouraging everyone to celebrate what is important to them.	<p>Application: https://www.asdafoundation.org/</p>
Barclays Community Football Fund	Access grants up to £500	Groups wishing to start offering football, those keen to expand their existing provision to new audiences, or those already delivering football to under-represented young people	<p>Alongside the access grants, there are additional pots of funding and support resources for groups doing deeper impact work with under-represented young people.</p> <p>More information: https://sported.org.uk/barclays-community-football-fund-2/</p>	<p>Application: https://thehub.sported.org.uk/barclays-community-football-fund.html?fr=4f41be80</p>

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Parkinson's UK Physical Activity Grants	£3000	Community groups and organisations across the UK can apply for grants of up to £3,000 to help people with Parkinson's to become and stay active.	The Funding is for new activities that encourage people affected by Parkinson's to participate in physical activity and sport, or increased participation in these areas. This could be anything fun and enjoyable that encourages people, particularly those from isolated and ethnic communities, to get moving such as a walking group, joining a Parkinson's boxing class, or playing ball games. The funding, which is made available through the Parkinson's UK Physical Activity Grants Programme, can be used to cover costs such as equipment, facility hire,	The closing date for applications is 30th November 2023. https://www.parkinsons.org.uk/news/parkinsons-uk-reopens-physical-activity-grants-2023
Postcode Community Trust	Up to £2500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Interest Companies with an asset lock • Constituted voluntary organisations with no charity number • Constituted sports groups • Community benefit societies • Organisations with tax exempt status but no registered charity number 	<p>Funding priorities for 2023:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisations with an annual income of £250,000 and below • Funding for communities that rank as being within the top 15% on the Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation • Groups that are led by and provide services for people from the following minority/marginalised groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Communities experiencing racial inequity ○ People with disabilities ○ LGBT+ Community <p>The funding rounds for Postcode Community Trust 2023 will open at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10am on the 1st of March for a minimum of 24hrs • 10am on the 1st of June for a minimum of 24hrs • 10am on the 4th of September for a minimum of 24hrs 	<p>Application: https://www.postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk/</p> <p>Email: info@postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk</p>

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Aviva Community Fund	Matched donations up to £50,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charities • Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs) • Community Interest Companies (CICs) • Company Limited by Guarantee (CLG) • Community Amateur Sports Club (CASC) • Constituted Community Groups 	Community Fund is focused on supporting projects that enhance community resilience in the face of uncertainty, with a focus on two main areas: Climate Action and Financial Wellbeing. To take part, the project must also be raising funds to develop a new approach, product, or technology, pilot a new scheme, implement a new initiative, or expand existing services. Once applications have been submitted, applicants will create a fundraising page on Crowdfunder, which Aviva employees and the public can donate to.	<p>Application:</p> <p>https://www.avivacomunityfund.co.uk/</p>
Screwfix Foundation	Up to £5000.	Charity and non-profit organisations	<p>The Screwfix Foundation will fund projects which improve a physical building (or land attached to it) that is used by people in need.</p> <p>The types of projects we fund are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved energy efficient lighting & heating • Installation of new kitchen, bathroom etc. • Installation of a sensory room • General painting & decorating <p>Improving safety and security of a building</p>	<p>Application:</p> <p>https://www.screwfix.com/help/screwfixfoundation/</p>

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Trusthouse Charitable Foundation	Case by case basis.	Our focus is on supporting smaller charitable and not-for-profit organisations within the UK, with a total annual income under £500,000, who work in the 15% most deprived urban areas or the 50% most deprived rural areas.	<p>Community Support For example: work with young people; community centres; support for carers; older people's projects; help for refugees; family support; community transport; sports projects; rehabilitation of ex-offenders; alcohol and drug misuse projects; domestic violence prevention and aftermath; support groups for people with disabilities.</p>	<p>Application: http://trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/</p>
Comic Relief Capacity Building Grant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to £1,000 for capacity building Up to £9,000 for project delivery 	<p>We will fund applications from grass roots, community led organisations that can demonstrate how people with lived experience of the issues being tackled are involved in the organisation and the project. Applications must sit within one of the four key themes:</p> <p>A Safe Place To Be: Supporting people to rebuild their lives because of homelessness or forced migration.</p> <p>Children Survive & Thrive: Every child has the right to the best start in life.</p> <p>Fighting Gender Justice: Supporting safety and equality for women and girls.</p> <p>Mental Health Matters: Supporting better mental health in your community.</p>	<p>Examples of capacity building grants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A project to increase the capacity of the organisation through increasing volunteering, including to development of a volunteer strategy, volunteer policy, recruitment and training of volunteers Project to train trustees and senior management, to ensure good governance is in place, and organisation has capacity and capability to manage new projects Developing an organisation website and/or social media channels to enable an organisation to communicate more effectively with its beneficiaries Developing social value processes to better record impact of work Project to increase the diversity of trustees, encouraging more lived in experience members Engaging with service users, clients and the community to develop models of delivery 	<p>Application: https://www.groundwork.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/national-grants/comic-relief-community-grants/comic-relief-apply-for-capacity-grant/</p>

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The Henry Smith Charity (Strengthening Community Fund)	Up to £70,000 per year.	The Strengthening Communities grant programme is designed to support small charitable organisations working at grassroots level. Through this grant programme we want to make sure that our funding reaches the most disadvantaged areas of the UK, targeting places that are economically marginalised and affected by poverty.	<p>Projects that benefit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People from across the community to participate in activities which improve connectedness, opportunities and wellbeing • People who are excluded, vulnerable or facing other forms of hardship to have access to community-based services that support positive lasting change • A stronger, active, more engaged community 	<p>Application: https://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/explore-our-grants-and-apply/strengthening-communities-grants/strengthening-communities-overview/</p>
Rural Community Energy Fund	Up to £100,000.	The Rural Community Energy Fund (RCEF) is a £10 million programme which supports rural communities in England to develop renewable energy projects, which provide economic and social benefits to the community.	<p>RCEF provides support to rural communities in 2 stages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stage 1: grants of up to £40,000 for a feasibility study for a renewable energy project • Stage 2: grants of up to £100,000 for business development and planning of feasible schemes 	<p>Application: http://www.westofengland-ca.gov.uk/south-west-energy-hub-rcef/</p> <p>Email: swenergyhub@westofengland-ca.gov.uk</p>
Co-op Community Fund	Various.	To apply to be a local cause you must be part of a not for profit organisation and run a project that will benefit your local community.	<p>Your project must do one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • brings people together to access food • helps improve people’s mental wellbeing • creates opportunities for young people to be heard and make a difference • helps people protect local biodiversity or tackle change by reducing carbon emissions 	<p>Application: https://causes.coop.co.uk/</p>

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Magic Little Grants	Up to £500.	<p>Charitable organisations can apply for grants of £500.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Income - You must have an annual income under £250,000 or be in your first year of operation Physical activity projects – Your planned project must encourage people to participate in sports and exercise with the primary aim of improving the physical health and well-being of participants <p>Operating within England, Scotland, or Wales - Please note that organisations operating in Northern Ireland are not eligible to apply.</p>	The fund will be awarding over 900 grants to community projects across Great Britain. Successful projects will support and inspire people to participate in sports or exercise with the primary aim of improving the physical health of participants.	<p>Application: https://localgiving.org/about/magic-little-grants/</p> <p>Email: help@localgiving.org</p>
Foyle Foundation Small Grants Scheme	£2000 to £10000.	<p>This Small Grants Scheme is designed to support smaller charities registered and operating in the UK, especially those working at grass roots and local community level, in any field, across a wide range of activities. Please note we are not able to support individuals.</p> <p>Priority: local charities that are active in their communities and currently delivering services to the young, vulnerable, elderly, disadvantaged or the general community.</p>	They plan to make one-year grants for core costs, equipment, capital or project funding to charities which can show that such a grant will make a significant difference to their work. If you cannot demonstrate this, your application will be declined. Please note that demonstrating ongoing sustainability is also important, particularly if you have recently lost local authority or other regular funding.	<p>Application: http://www.foylefoundation.org.uk/small-grants-scheme/</p> <p>Email: sgs@foylefoundation.org.uk</p>
Access Sport	Case by case basis.	Access Sport is a charity meeting the urgent need to improve children and young people's health and wellbeing, working solely with young people in deprived communities and with a strong emphasis on young disabled people.	<p>Access Sport look to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop community sports clubs Build, equip and up-skill local sports clubs Train and support volunteer sports coaches and club leaders 	<p>Application: https://www.accesssport.org.uk/overview</p>

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Ford Britain Trust	Up to £3000.	Grants are available to not-for-profit organisations and schools for projects that benefit local communities in Great Britain with preference given to Essex, including East London, Southampton, Daventry, Manchester, Liverpool, and Bridgend (South Wales).	<p>Grant applications are considered for the following purposes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contributions to capital projects (e.g. refurbishments) • Capital expenditure items (e.g. furniture/equipment/computers) • Contribution towards the purchase of new vehicle (maximum grant £3,000*) <p>Grant applications supporting the following activities will be considered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work that has clear benefits to the local community/environment • Work with young people/children • Education/schools (mainstream) • Special education needs • People with disabilities 	<p>Application: https://www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/about-ford/ford-britain-trust</p> <p>Email: fbtrust@ford.com</p>
Clark Foundation	Case by case basis.	Making grants towards organisations which are located close to where C & J Clark Ltd employees, ex-employees, pensioners and their dependents live. Tend to make grants for capital projects or sometimes start-up costs but not to individuals nor for running costs. Examples of recipients of recent grants have included schools, hospitals, community facilities, sports, village halls, preservation.	<p>This charity supports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education/training • The advancement of health or saving of lives • Arts/culture/heritage/science • Amateur sport • Environment/conservation/heritage • Recreation 	<p>Application: https://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=313143</p> <p>Email: trustgrants@clarks.com</p>
Dickie Bird Foundation	Case by case basis.	The Dickie Bird Foundation considers grants from all recognised sports. They want to help less privileged young people play sport.	Previous funding has supported football as well as plenty of other sporting disciplines.	<p>Application: http://thedickiebirdfoundation.co.uk/grants/</p>

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The Hedley Foundation	£250 to £5000	<p>You should meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You are a small- to mid-size UK registered charity Your application is not for salaries, building construction, general running costs, transport, financial deficits or overseas projects Your application is not on behalf of a church, museum, an individual or exclusive group of people You have not received a previous grant from The Foundation within the last 18 months. 	<p>They award grants to those charities that are able to demonstrate quantifiable outcomes to beneficiaries. Typically, grants of up to £5,000 are regularly made and occasional larger sums are given to charities where high impact can be achieved. Similarly, smaller charities often benefit from smaller grants of £250 upwards.</p>	<p>Application: http://www.hedleyfoundation.org.uk/apply-now</p> <p>Email: ljanes@hedleyfoundation.org.uk</p>
The Leathersellers' Small Grants Programme	Up to £5000	<p>The Leathersellers' Small Grants Programme 2022-23 will consider applications from charities registered and operating in the UK (including Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIO) but not Community Interest Companies (CIC)</p>	<p>Grant applications are considered for the organisations that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To provide assistance to vulnerable people in their community In geographical areas of deprivation (within the UK) – we recognise all relative measures of deprivation as tracked by the Indices of Deprivation or similar tools. We ask you who your work helps and why this is needed for that group or in that area so you can explain the need that exists there. Have an annual income of under £200,000 (secured for the coming year) <p>The Small Grants Committee will be meeting regularly to ensure charities receive a decision within a month of submitting their application</p>	<p>Application: https://leathersellers.co.uk/small-grants-programme/</p>

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Cornwall FA Programmes			
Funding Provider	Funding Limits	Programme Information	Application Details
England Football Accreditation and Adult Retention	Opportunities to receive support for your grassroots clubs.	<p>England Football Accredited Leagues and England Football Accredited Clubs set the standards, raise the bar and fly the flag of respect and diversity for football in England.</p> <p>Being Accredited helps you attract players, coaches, and volunteers - with tailored support to build the strong, sustainable, successful league or club you want to be.</p> <p>England Football Accredited Leagues and England Football Accredited Clubs lead the game by example. They're safer, stronger, more effective and more enjoyable places to play and enjoy football.</p> <p>When you're Accredited you're not just part of it, you're the beating heart of it.</p> <p>Existing FA Charter Standard Leagues and Clubs will automatically become an England Football Accredited League or England Football Accredited Club.</p> <p>The annual deadline for renewal is 30th April 2023.</p>	Please email Will Snapes (CCFA Football Development Officer): will.snapes@cornwallfa.com
Small Club Grant Scheme	Up to £500.	<p>Cornwall FA is aware that a large number of our 'small clubs' find difficulty in raising funds to improve and maintain their facilities and that any fundraising carried out is often restricted to their own memberships or players providing funds.</p> <p>The Small Club Grant Scheme is a local initiative which addresses this issue by supporting clubs in Cornwall that are not part of the National League System (Steps 7 and above). The SCGS is a 'do it yourself scheme', with clubs able to apply for up to £500 of funding to be put towards the maintenance of facilities.</p> <p>Application normally open around February with the closing date around March and decisions made by April, with work to be completed by August.</p> <p>Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Small Clubs Grants Scheme is currently on pause.</p>	Please email Daniel Greenough (CCFA Football Development Manager): daniel.greenough@cornwallfa.com

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FA Wildcats	£900 funding split across two years along with footballs and support.	The FA has developed an initiative designed to inspire girls aged between 5-11 to be involved in football. Wildcats Girls' Football Centres provide girls with regular opportunities to play football and take part in organised sessions in a fun and engaging environment.	Please email Chloe Harris (Women's, Girls and Disability Development Officer): chloe.harris@cornwallfa.com
Age UK's Walking Football Programme	More information to follow.	More information to follow.	Please email Will Snapes (CCFA Football Development Officer): will.snapes@cornwallfa.com
FA Snickers Just Play	Funding, equipment and support.	The FA Snickers Just Play is a key part of The FA's National Game Strategy, aiming to support the growth of the game in particular the recreational side of the game.	Please email Will Snapes (CCFA Football Development Officer): will.snapes@cornwallfa.com
Flexi-Football	Support to start and maintain new teams.	As the name suggests, Flexi-Football aims to make football participation as simple as possible, providing a football experience designed to fit around your busy lifestyle. Flexi-Football is played in a fun and friendly environment on fantastic 3G pitches, with 60-minute games, minimal costs, easy administration and qualified FA referees. Key bonuses of Flexi Football: Flexible game commitment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 60-minute games • Fantastic floodlit 3G pitches • Minimum weekly costs • Easy administration through FA online systems • Support with funding for new teams starting up • Qualified FA Referees 	Please email Will Snapes (CCFA Football Development Officer): will.snapes@cornwallfa.com

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Norman Family Charitable Trust	Up to £10,000 but the majority of grants are <£2500	Charities and other not-for-profit organisations can apply as long as they are wholly based and working in the South West of England, particularly Devon, Cornwall and parts of Somerset.	The Norman Family Charitable Trust was set up in 1979, and funds good causes in Devon, Cornwall and parts of Somerset. The funding is intended to support a wide range of charitable work.	<p>Application: https://nfct.org/apply-for-funding/</p> <p>Phone: 01395 446699</p> <p>Email: info@nfct.org</p>
Viscountess Boyd Charitable Trust	Various.	The Viscountess Boyd Charitable Trust and is available for voluntary and community organisations active in the South West of England, particularly Devon, Cornwall and Somerset. Priority will be given to organisations in Devon, Cornwall and Somerset.	<p>The scheme is intended to support charitable organisations undertaking projects in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nature preservation • Horticulture • Conservation • Education 	<p>Application: The Viscountess Boyd Charitable Trust Smith & Williamson 25 Moorgate London EC2R 6AY</p> <p>Phone: 020 7131 4000</p> <p>Email: vbovdctrust@gmail.com</p>

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Hays Travel Foundation	Up to £30,000 but normally £3000-£15,000.	To be eligible, organisations must be working to help young people (up to 25 years) in at least one of the following areas: Education, Prevention of poverty, Health, Arts and culture and Sports. Charities which are not located in an area where Hays Travel operate must be able to provide evidence of how the proposed project impacts a community in which they do.	Hays Travel Foundation was set up in 2015 by Hays Travel, the UK's largest independent travel agent, with 180 branches, to support charitable causes which help people achieve their potential.	Application: https://www.haystravel.co.uk/foundation
Elmgrant Trust	£450 on average.	The Elmgrant Trust offers grants to voluntary and community organisations in the South West of England. The funding is intended to support projects that encourage local life, especially through education, the arts and social sciences.	The board of trustees meet three times a year, in February, June and October. Applications need to be submitted one clear month prior to the meeting date. Organisations working in the South West of England are eligible to apply. Priority will be given to groups in Devon and Cornwall.	Application: http://elmgrant.org.uk/sample-page/ Email: info@elmgrant.org.uk
Leonards Laity Stoate Charitable Trust	£100-£2000.	The Leonard Laity Stoate Charitable Trust offers grants to charitable organisations in England and Wales with priority shown to the South West of England. The funding is intended to support a range of charitable purposes. In particular, the Trust wishes to support projects with the following themes: Medical welfare and disability Children and young people The disadvantaged Community projects	Small innovatory projects with a good measure of self-help or voluntary input are preferred.	Application: http://www.stoate-charity.org.uk The application process is ongoing and interested applicants may apply at any time. However, the majority of applications are decided at biannual Trustee meetings held in April/May and October/November each year.

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Cornwall Council	Various amounts.	Various organisations.	At times the Council are able to support different projects and it is always worth contacting them to discuss the project and if there is any money available.	Contact Cornwall Council.
Town/Parish Council	Various amounts.	Various organisations.	At times Town and Parish Councils are able to support different projects and it is always worth contacting them to discuss the project and if there is any money available.	Contact your local council.
The Patrick Trust	£1,000 to £5,000.	Grants are available for UK registered charities undertaking general charitable projects in Birmingham, Coventry, Warwickshire, Worcestershire or Cornwall.	<p>The Trust will consider funding for projects that address the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General charitable purposes • Education and training • Disability • Prevention or relief of poverty • Arts, culture, heritage • Science • Other charitable purposes • Children and young people • Elderly and older people 	<p>Application: The Trust does not maintain a website. Applications must be made in writing.</p> <p>Address: Enquiries The Patrick Trust The Lakeside Centre 180 Lifford Lane Birmingham B30 3NU</p> <p>Phone: 0121 486 3399</p> <p>Email: thepatricktrust@aol.com</p>

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Coastline Community Impact Funding	<p>Small Change/Big Impact - up to £50.</p> <p>Community Connections Fund – up to £200.</p> <p>Great Places, Great Spaces – up to £500</p>	<p>We welcome applications from individuals, groups of neighbours, and formally constituted groups, who are Coastline customers and live within our communities. Projects or events must have a positive impact and meet the needs of the community.</p>	<p>You will need to show that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your community are in favour of the project/event. How the project/event will have a positive impact on the community, and which community members will benefit. How the project/event will achieve at least one of the following: Increase social cohesion/reduce social isolation, increase digital skills, increase wellbeing – physical/mental health, improve the local environment, create opportunity to gain skills/increase employability 	<p>Applications processed on a rolling basis, usually within two weeks.</p> <p>https://www.coastlinehousing.co.uk/sites/coastlinehousing.co.uk/files/documents/Coastline%20Community%20Impact%20Funding.pdf</p>
Cornwall Community Foundation Trust	<p>Dependant on targeted funding stream.</p>	<p>They support local charities, community and voluntary groups and social enterprises in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. They award small grants to grassroots, front line, volunteer led organisations who are making a positive impact in their area. Their aim is to overcome challenges of disadvantage, exclusion and poverty for all ages. We welcome applications from both new and established groups.</p>	<p>Possible funding options: Cornwall Community Foundation manages a variety of charitable funds. They offer grants on behalf of different donors and the funding criteria is specific to each grant programme. Please read the criteria for the fund before starting your application form.</p>	<p>Closing date dependant on application: https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/introduction-to-grants/available-grants/</p>

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<p>Cornwall Council Section 106 Fund</p>	<p>Case by case basis.</p>	<p>Where it is determined that on site open space is not appropriate or it is acceptable for there to be less open space on site than planning policies dictate there should be, it is appropriate to request from developers a financial contribution (a planning obligation) to meet these needs outside of the development.</p>	<p>In essence, funding can be awarded to projects that deliver:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purchase of land or buildings to create or directly benefit existing public open space • Capital improvement of public open space • New build construction on or directly relating to public open space • Alteration, refurbishment or extension of infrastructure on or directly relating to public open space • Enhancement to the public realm where it is used as public open space (such as town squares) • A project will only be eligible for funding where targeted facilities or opportunities are • Freely accessible i.e. all are welcome to make use of facilities and opportunities supported through funding and no membership is required • Free to use in that there should be no cost to participate unless the infrastructure is publicly owned or delivered in a “not-for-profit” capacity 	<p>Application: https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/media/5kmbamvs/application-for-section-106-funding-for-amenity-spaces.pdf</p>

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Community Chest Scheme	Between £200 and £1000	<p>Community and voluntary groups in Cornwall are invited to apply for grants as part of Cornwall Council's Community Chest grant scheme.</p> <p>Each of Cornwall Council's 87 councillors has a fund to support projects run by not for profit groups in their local area and community and voluntary groups are being asked to apply.</p>	<p>The grants can be used to help a wide range of people and activities, for example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helping vulnerable children or adults • Helping young people • Providing facilities for older people • Supporting community facilities • Improving a community centre or village hall • Local environment projects • Helping to address community safety issues • Purchasing play and exercise equipment for community use • Public events, festivals and exhibitions • Helping communities recover from the Covid-19 pandemic. 	<p>Closing date for applications this year is 24th February 2023.</p> <p>Application: https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/people-and-communities/cornwall-council-community-chest/</p>
Penryn Town Council Small Grants	Small grants £300 Larger grants £300+.	Applications will be considered from community groups and charitable organisations serving Penryn residents.	<p>Projects that: Benefit to the residents of the Parish of Penryn.</p> <p>For grants of more than £300, the Town Council will expect to see match funding from another source and will also require a copy of the latest set of annual accounts.</p>	<p>Application: https://www.penryntc.gov.uk/services-and-facilities/community-grants/ Email: info@penryntowncouncil.co.uk</p>
Pirate Trust	Small grants available.	Projects, individuals and organisations across Cornwall, Plymouth and West Devon.	The Pirate Trust is Pirate FM's charitable arm, which aims to raise money and support projects, individuals and organisations across Cornwall, Plymouth and West Devon. Every single penny raised by the trust, stays locally - helping people in our area.	<p>Application: https://www.piratefm.co.uk/piratetrust/#fundraising Email: piratetrust@piratefm.co.uk</p>

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Samworth Brothers Sports Opportunity Fund	Two types of grants; up to £1,000 for projects nominated by Samworth Brothers staff and a number of Major Project grants awarded for larger projects.	For groups in a 20-mile radius of Launceston & Callington. They support projects in areas where a Samworth Brothers business is an integral and important part of the local community.	Projects that: Projects should support the social and economic development of local communities by helping young people develop confidence, self-esteem, better life skills and increasing participation in sport.	Application: http://www.samworthbrothers.co.uk/Our-Responsibilities/Community/Sports-opportunity-fund
St Dennis and Nanpean Community Trust	2 Funds are available for groups in the area – small (for grants up to £1,000) and general (for grants greater than £1,000).	Local community groups/organisations based in the Area of Benefit (St Dennis and Nanpean Electoral Division and the Parish of St Dennis).	The St Dennis and Nanpean Community Trust is a registered charity (1164049) and exists to award funds (from the Section 106 agreement between Cornwall Council and SUEZ, for the construction of the Cornwall Energy Recovery Centre) to projects that will provide social and environmental benefit to people living within the Area of Benefit (St Dennis and Nanpean Electoral Division and the Parish of St Dennis).	Application: https://www.stdennisnanpeanct.org.uk/apply/ Email: info@stdennisnanpeanct.org.uk

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The Water-Saving Community Fund (South West Water)	Up to £30,000	South West Water are looking for projects - big and small - whether it's rainwater harvesting loos, drought tolerant gardens, water butts in your community allotments, educational displays in your school, or harnessing new technology to educate people about water use.	<p>Projects must meet two key requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water efficiency – the project must save tap water and be able to demonstrate a reduction in water use (litres saved as a result of the project) Benefiting the community – the project must be located within our service area and demonstrate a benefit to the community we serve 	<p>Application: Applying to the Fund (southwestwater.co.uk)</p> <p>Email: myuse@southwestwater.co.uk</p>
The Neighbourhood Fund (South West Water)	Up to £2000	<p>The Neighbourhood Fund is all about supporting our local community. There is a total annual fund £100,000 available for neighbourhood community groups which inspire physical activities, education, health and wellbeing and deliver positive environmental outcomes.</p> <p>The project must be located within our service area, and funding is available to non-profit organisations only.</p> <p>Organisations eligible for funding for over £1,000:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School, college or academy Voluntary or community organisation Registered charity Constituted group or club Not-for-profit company or Community Interest Company <p>Funding under £1,000 is available for local community groups such as: cricket club, allotment group, scout group, garden club etc.</p>	<p>Funding projects that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Protect nature and the environment for the benefit of community health and well-being Providing new opportunities for people to learn and develop Assisting local projects which bring communities together, virtually or physically – when safe to do so Supporting the upkeep of local neighbourhood centres and facilities to keep communities strong 	<p>Application: Neighbourhood Fund (southwestwater.co.uk)</p>

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Disability Funding				
Funding Provider	Funding Limits	Who Can Apply?	Additional Information	Application Details
Grow the Game	£1500.	Grow the Game aims to support the growth of new Disability teams by offering grants of £1,500 for the creation of new affiliated teams.	Projects that: Support the creation of either a Women's or Disability football team. Opens and closes once a year.	Application: https://footballfoundation.org.uk/grant/grow-the-game Email: Please email Chloe Harris (Women's, Girls' and Disability Development Officer): chloe.harris@cornwallfa.com
Peter Harrison Foundation	Case by case basis.	The Foundation only accepts applications from organisations that are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered in England and Wales with the Charity Commission Registered in Scotland with the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator (OSCR) Registered in Northern Ireland with the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland (CCNI) A CASC (Community Amateur Sports Club) 	Projects that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities through Sport Special Needs and Care for Children and Young People Opportunities through Education Trustees' Discretion 	Application: https://www.peterharrisonfoundation.org/ Email: enquiries@peterharrisonfoundation.org
Boost Charitable Trust	Up to £500.	Charity or non-profit making organisations with a focus on sport (disability and disadvantaged participants).	Projects that: The trust aims to Build on Over-looked Sporting Talent. All of its activities, are designed to 'champion the disabled and disadvantaged and to inspire them to overcome their challenges through the power of sport'.	Application: https://www.boostct.org/get-involved Email: sarah.johnson@boostct.org

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Sports Foundation for the Disabled	2 Funding streams Stream 1 - Up to £5000. Stream 2 – Up to £1000.	Young people or adults residing in South West England or Wales who are physically disabled or have a visual impairment. Organisations for physically disabled or visually impaired groups residing in South West England or Wales.	The following costs are eligible for funding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New equipment and kit specifically for disability sport activities • Training courses • Costs relating to a sport project for people with physical disabilities or visual impairments • Costs relating to sporting challenges including travel, equipment, sustenance and accommodation 	Application: https://www.sportsfoundationforthedisabled.org/funding-criteria Email: sportsfoundationforthedisabled@gmail.com
Caudwell Children	Case by case basis.	Caudwell Children transforms the lives of disabled children across the UK. We act as a safety net for families who are unable to gain the help they need.	They aim to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change the futures of all disabled children providing access to the services, equipment, therapies and treatments they need • Increase awareness and understanding of the needs of disabled children across the UK • Enable disabled children to lead an active and independent life reaching their full potential • Enable disabled children to lead ordinary lives 	Application: https://www.caudwellchildren.com/about-us/ Email: applications@caudwellchildren.com
The Boparan Charitable Trust	Up to £5000	The Boparan Charitable Trust was set up in 2009 to aid children and young people across the nation who are disadvantaged by disability, life limiting conditions or extreme poverty.	We work directly with families providing financial grants for key items that assist the children. In addition to providing grants for specialist equipment, we also donate money towards therapies. We also work in the community, awarding funds to hospitals, hospices and community organisations.	Application: https://www.theboparancharitabletrust.com/Apply/ Email: applications@boparan.com

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<p>Bruce Wake Charitable Trust</p>	<p>Case by case basis.</p>	<p>The Trustees will consider grant applications related to the provision of leisure activities for the disabled but favour particularly applications whereby the potential beneficiaries meet one or all of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The potential beneficiaries are physically disabled wheelchair users – unable to raise the required funds • Improved access for wheelchair users is proposed • A sporting or leisure activity involving disabled wheelchair users is proposed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Their grant giving policy is to make no more than one donation in any 12-month period to an organisation and in any three-year period to individuals. 'For profit' registered companies will not be considered. 	<p>Application: https://brucewaketrust.co.uk/grants</p>

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