





## **INVESTING IN HELATH**

## NEWSLETTER

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Investing in Health is a project that aims to enhance the financial stability and sustainability of grassroots organisations like yours!

## INVESTING IN HEALTH

### **WELCOME**

Welcome to the **Investing in Health** monthly newsletter. Each month we will bring you the latest:

- Charity News
- Funding Opportunities
- Events/Workshops
- Resources

### JANUARY

In our January edition, we have details on our first event of 2024, as well as save the dates for our upcoming events throughout the year.

Plus, we have information on grants from The Skinners' Charity Foundation, Percy Bilton Charity, Bernard Sunley Foundation and more...

# IN THIS EDITION

Find out more and get involved: www.aston-mansfield.org.uk /ffp-investing-in-health/



# **UPCOMING EVENTS & WORKSHOPS**

### FEBRUARY

Non-profit Financial Systems

Learn how to manage finances effectively for non-profit organisations at our in-person event: Non-profit Financial Systems.

Would you like to get a better understanding of the financial systems you need for your charity, community organisation or non-profit? Then, this is the course for you!

We would like to invite you to our upcoming event Non-Profit Financial Systems:

- Thursday, 22nd February 2024
- 10:30am 1:30pm
- 1 Toronto Avenue, Manor Park, London E12 5JF

Find out more and register for free here: <u>https://financialsystems.eventbrite.co.uk</u>



#### **Rebel Business School**

#### Have you thought about starting a business?

Check out this multi-day small business course happening in February from Rebel Business School and Newham Council.

This dynamic start up course is designed to help you navigate starting a side hustle as well as propelling existing businesses to new heights.

Find out more here: <u>https://therebelschool.com/newham/</u>



# **FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

#### THE SKINNERS' CHARITY FOUNDATION

Small grants The Skinners' Charity Foundation are looking to fund Arts, Heritage, and Community projects primarily (but not exclusively) in London and Kent.

Projects can range from one-off events through to multi-year projects. Grants of up to £2,000 per-year are available for projects and/or capital items, with awards for three years open to consideration. ARTS, HERITAGE AND COMMUNITIES

Arts and Heritage projects can include; local heritage projects which help local groups to conserve and restore their landmarks, landscape, traditions and culture. Examples of Performing and Visual Arts work are those involved in performances, art, music, and drama activities. Community projects cover work that support their area, bringing together and supporting local people.

Applying organisations should have an annual turnover below £200,000.

Next application deadline: Friday, 29 March 2024

Learn more: <a href="http://www.skinners.org.uk/charities/scf/arts-heritage/">www.skinners.org.uk/charities/scf/arts-heritage/</a>

#### SMALL GRANTS FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

#### PERCY BILTON CHARITY

The Percy Bilton Charity offers one-off grants of up to  $\pounds 5,000$  for furnishings and equipment (excluding office items), building or refurbishment projects.

The charity's target audience is other charities assisting Disadvantaged/underprivileged young people (under 25 years of age) People with disabilities (physical or learning disabilities) or mental health problems older people (aged over 60) Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

> Learn more: <u>www.percy-bilton-charity.org</u>



# FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (CONT)

#### GRANTS FOR Capital Projects

#### **BERNARD SUNLEY FOUNDATION**

The Bernard Sunley Foundation is a family grant-making foundation which supports charities working to raise the quality of life and provide greater opportunities for the young, the elderly, the disabled and the disadvantaged.

Each year the foundation gives about £4 million to capital projects that deliver a real community focus or provide facilities to support those in need.

Typical funding might be for new buildings, extensions, refurbishments and recreational spaces, or for new minibuses and other vehicles that provide a vital service to those most in need in their local community.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

More info: <u>www.bernardsunley.org</u>



#### ADDITIONAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

GRANT	AMOUNT	DEADLINE
Mayor's Small Grants Programme	£500 to £6,000	2nd February
BLMK Inequality System/Clinical bids	£20,000 to £80,000	2nd February
National Lottery Awards for All England	£300 to £20,000	Ongoing
The Clothworkers' Foundation	Up to £15,000	Ongoing
BBC Children in Need	/	Ongoing
King Charles III Charitable Fund	Up to £10,000	Ongoing
National Highways – A428 Community Fund	Up to £10,000	1st February
Small Grants Programme – Sport England	£300 to £15,000	31st March

# **CHARITY SECTOR NEWS**

#### NEWHAM'S PEOPLE POWERED PLACES BECOMES A World Leader in Participatory Democracy

### NEWHAM & EAST LONDON

This year's People Powered Places programme attracted 366 separate applications for funding for projects across the borough.

Following shortlisting, over 10,000 residents cast their votes during the programme's 'The Big Vote' to decide allocations, with over 12,000 registering on Newham Co-Create to take part in this AND future participatory projects.

Read the full article here: <u>www.newham.gov.uk/news/article/1202/newham-s-people-powered-places-becomes-a-world-leader-in-participatory-democracy</u>

#### GLL TO RUN NEWHAM COUNCIL LEISURE CENTRES FROM 1 APRIL 2024

The UK's leading leisure and cultural charitable social enterprise GLL, will start an exciting new partnership with Newham Council to take over the operation of Newham leisure centres from next year.

Read the full article here: <u>www.healthclubmanagement.co.uk/health-club-management-press-releases/GLL-to-run-Newham-Council-Leisure-Centres-from-1-April-2024/352216</u>

#### NATIONAL

#### FREE TOOLKIT PUBLISHED TO HELP CHARITIES THINK 'MORE SYSTEMICALLY'

Charities need to better understand the connections between the causes of structural problems, according to a think tank.

New Philanthropy Capital (NPC) has published a systems practice toolkit with eight tools for charities to think more systemically.

Read the full article here: <u>www.civilsociety.co.uk/news/free-</u> toolkit-published-to-help-charities-think-more-systemically.html



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