

Listed below are the grants awarded in August 2017 to local organisations meeting our own funding priorities or those agreed with our fund-holders, together with grants of £1,000 and over directed by our fund-holders to charities of their choice.

Grants Awarded August 2017

Grant Recipient	Vital Signs Theme	Amount Awarded	Project Description	Grant Programme Name
Access Sport	Fairness	£40,000.00	To help rebuild the BMX cycling facility in Lawrence Weston.	Churrgold Environmental Fund
Brave Bold Drama Community Interest Company	Arts, Culture and Heritage	£2,000.00	A contribution toward the Creative Workspace Summer 2017 programme of holiday activities for children in the Withywood area.	Express Grant Programme
Bristol Area Stroke Foundation	Healthy Living	£1,558.00	Toward the cost of a pilot set of 3 mindfulness therapy sessions intended to compliment the now established Action After Stroke therapy course.	Express Grant Programme
Bristol Somali Resource Centre	Strong Communities	£3,000.00	Toward a peer support programme "Talking Across the Generations", where Somali families can talk about adjusting to life in Britain, with the aim of giving a voice to untold and unshared stories.	Express Grant Programme
Changing Tunes	Safety	£5,000.00	To run 130 music sessions in HMP Bristol over the course of the year, teaching prisoners to form bands, teach instruments, facilitate peer mentoring, and work towards concerts, recordings and Koestler awards.	Express Grant Programme
Circomedia	Arts, Culture and Heritage	£2,000.00	Toward the cost of running a free family arts and culture day involving community and voluntary groups from Ashley ward.	Express Grant Programme
Food Cycle Bristol	Strong Communities	£4,640.00	To support the overall activities of Foodcycle Bristol providing meals for vulnerable individuals made by volunteers from surplus food stuffs.	Express Grant Programme
Friends of Hannah More Primary School	Fairness	£1,700.00	Toward the cost of providing additional trips and activities for families over the summer holiday as part of the current Lawrence Hill summer activities programme.	Express Grant Programme

Park Centre (Kingswood)	Strong Communities	£1,300.00	Toward the cost of replacing children's tables and chairs and purchasing toys and craft materials that can be used for holiday parent and toddler sessions over the next year.	Express Grant Programme
Safe Space	Fairness	£4,760.00	Toward the cost of rent for the Safe Space play sessions supporting families of children with additional needs.	Express Grant Programme
Southmead Boxing Club	Healthy Living	£3,000.00	Towards the cost of buying new equipment for this Boxing Club that provides targeted youth activities.	Express Grant Programme
Theatre Orchard Project	Arts, Culture and Heritage	£2,000.00	Toward the Extraordinary Bodies in Weston-super-Mare offering a circus skills project for local disabled adults.	Express Grant Programme
Three Ways School	Healthy Living	£3,035.00	To support the Thrive, Relax Kids, Massage and Family Well-being programme at this school that caters for children with special educational needs.	Express Grant Programme
Wild Walks for Wellbeing	Healthy Living	£2,800.00	Toward the running costs of the Wild Walks which provides 50 weekly walks per year for people affected by mental health issues.	Express Grant Programme
Filwood Hope	Fairness	£15,000.00	Second year payment of a three-year award towards the running costs of a drop-in advice service.	Henry Smith Charity
Womankind	Safety	£14,800.00	Second year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards the running costs of a therapeutic counselling service for refugee and asylum seeking women in Bristol.	Henry Smith Charity
Nailsea Social Sheddars	Strong Communities	£3,493.00	For a secure storage container for their tools and equipment, tool sharpening kit and some advertising costs.	North Somerset Older People's Community Grant (St Monica)
Cambrian Green Court Residents Association	Environment	£500.00	A contribution toward the cost of garden maintenance and improvement of the garden at Cambrian Court a supported housing scheme.	Older People's Programme
Carers Centre B&NES (Care Network)	Healthy Living	£3,000.00	Toward the cost of a pilot Older Carers Outreach Project to take place over the next 6-7 months.	Older People's Programme
Our Way Our Say	Strong Communities	£2,000.00	For the Ray of Sunshine project, providing a set of outings and day trips for older people based in the South Ward of Weston-super-Mare.	Older People's Programme
Park Centre (Kingswood)	Strong Communities	£3,298.00	Toward the cost of 4 IT courses for older people, some magnifying screens for their computers, 50 exercise sessions for older people and new dementia friendly signage.	Older People's Programme

Kippax & Chong CIC (Step and Stone)	Other	£5,000.00	An award from Royal London to a local bakery social enterprise to support its activities helping people with learning difficulties to gain training and employment skills.	Royal London Nomination Programme
Brandon Trust	Healthy Living	£300.00	For equipment to benefit 20 individuals with learning disabilities who attend a weekly Music and Sensory group.	Stoke Park Friends' Fund
Brandon Trust	Fairness	£3,000.00	Toward garden improvements at this residential care setting for individuals with learning disabilities.	Stoke Park Friends' Fund
Friends of Glenside Museum	Learning	£2,000.00	Toward the design of new accessible education materials, relating to the history of the Stoke Park Hospitals, which will increase the enjoyment and learning for a variety of audiences, but in particular, those people with learning disabilities.	Stoke Park Friends' Fund
Milestones Trust	Healthy Living	£256.00	Toward the cost of a holiday for an individual with learning disabilities.	Stoke Park Friends' Fund

Donor-directed and Donor Advised grants of £1,000 and over awarded in August 2017

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Bridge Foundation	Healthy Living	£1,500.00
Children's Hospice South West	Healthy Living	£1,000.00
YMCA Bath Group	Housing & Homelessness	£1,000.00

