

Listed below are the grants awarded in September 2018 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 September 2018

Grant Recipient	Vital Signs Theme	Amount Awarded	Project Description	Grant Programme Name
Babbasa Youth Empowerment Project	Work	£5,000.00	To deliver additional mentoring for 16-19 yr old BME young people who have engaged with the Challenge Programme.	Bristol City Council Youth Sector Support Fund
Hillfields Family and Community Trust	Stronger Communities	£5,000.00	Towards taking over running a weekly junior youth club for 8 - 11-year olds, previously run by Creative Youth Network.	Bristol City Council Youth Sector Support Fund
Bristol Music Trust	Arts, Culture & Heritage	£5,000.00	Toward bursaries for 10 Bristol students from disadvantaged backgrounds to participate in youth ensembles.	Catalyst Grant
Life Cycle UK	Learning	£2,200.00	Toward two bursaries for the group's City & Guilds Level 2 cycle mechanic course.	Catalyst Grant
The Bridge Sexual Assault Referral Centre	Safety	£5,000.00	To provide clothes and toiletries to people who attend the Bridge for a forensic medical examination following a sexual assault.	Catalyst Grant
Young Bristol	Stronger Communities	£300.00	Toward the cost of equipment hire so that Young Bristol can promote their range of activities as part of Bristol Giving Day.	Catalyst Grant
Ashley Community Housing Ltd	Local Economy	£4,250.00	To provide an employment 'taster' for asylum seekers awaiting decision on their status to remain.	Express Grant
Bath YMCA	Housing & Homelessness	£1,500.00	Toward the cost of producing New Home Starter Kits for young people moving into Platform for Life properties, which provide accommodation for young people aged 18-25 in housing need and/or at risk of being homeless.	Express Grant
Bristol Bears Community Foundation	Healthy Living	£2,500.00	Toward the Golden Memories project, a set of social interaction sessions aimed at older people affected by social isolation, loneliness, depression and those living	Express Grant

			with dementia, that combines reminiscence activities with light physical activity.	
Changing Tunes	Safety	£5,000.00	A contribution toward the annual cost of providing the music mentoring programme at HMP Bristol.	Express Grant
Forest of Avon Trust	Housing & Homelessness	£1,795.00	Toward an eight-week woodland well-being programme for the benefit of young people at risk of homelessness.	Express Grant
Friends of Woodlands PTA	Healthy Living	£4,537.00	To construct a bespoke accessible workstation for children and others to learn about plant propagation and contribute to the garden plus the development of a sensory garden.	Express Grant
Kingswood Community Transport	Fairness	£950.00	Toward the cost of six wheelchair restraints for use in the group's vehicles.	Express Grant
Part Exchange Co [PECo] theatre	Stronger Communities	£3,000.00	Towards a group of 6 visually impaired people (50% over 60) devising a piece of theatre in weekly sessions with theatre and support professionals to tell a story about living with VI in Bristol. Another 150 people with VI will take part in live sessions.	Express Grant
Rock Community Centre	Healthy Living	£2,398.00	Toward the cost of four separate weekly sessions aimed at improving the health and well-being of people over the age of 55. This includes Gentle Exercise, Arts & Crafts, Healthy Eating and Lunch Club sessions.	Express Grant
St Pauls Advice Centre Association	Fairness	£5,000.00	Toward the Advocato project, which will recruit and train 12 volunteers from the Somali community to support people in that community with disability benefit applications.	Express Grant
Tortworth Forest Centre	Healthy Living	£3,000.00	Toward the Hawthorn Project which provides woodland activity and confidence-building sessions for women with alcohol addictions.	Express Grant
Voyage Learning Campus	Learning	£3,400.00	To offer 50 young people that cannot attend mainstream schooling the opportunity to engage in professionally-run bush craft activities.	Express Grant
Window Wanderland CIC	Stronger Communities	£1,000.00	To support Manor Farm estate residents to organise the first year of the Window Wonderland community arts activity that aims to bring the community together in a shared activity.	Express Grant
Young Bristol	Arts, Culture & Heritage	£2,500.00	Toward employing a part time Youth Creative Arts Apprentice for one year. The Youth Creative Arts Apprentice will identify eight young people across eight	Express Grant

			youth clubs to become 'Creative Arts Mentors' and lead on coordinating future creative arts activities.	
Hillfields Family and Community Trust	Stronger Communities	£20,000.00	Resource to develop and deliver a strategic vision for the organisation leading to financial resilience.	Funding the Future Grant
Lockleaze Neighbourhood Trust	Stronger Communities	£28,688.00	Project to make a step change in the way the organisation is funded, thus increasing the resilience and independence of the organisation.	Funding the Future Grant
Bridge Foundation	Learning	£22,000.00	The third year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards providing mental health support to children in primary schools.	Henry Smith Charity
Changes Bristol Ltd	Healthy Living	£28,000.00	First year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards the salary and on costs of the Project Manager and a contribution towards running costs of a project providing Peer Support Groups to people with mental health issues in Bristol.	Henry Smith Charity
Filwood Hope	Fairness	£15,000.00	Third year payment of a three-year award towards the running costs of a drop-in advice service.	Henry Smith Charity
Knowle West Health Association	Healthy Living	£44,400.00	The first year of a three-year grant from the Henry Smith Charity towards running costs of a project providing activities, training in horticulture and cookery, and counselling sessions to promote health and wellbeing for residents of the Filwood area of Bristol.	Henry Smith Charity
Mentoring Plus	Healthy Living	£27,000.00	The second year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards a mentoring programme for vulnerable children and young people aged 7 to 21 in Bath and North East Somerset.	Henry Smith Charity
WECIL Ltd	Work	£33,800.00	The first year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards running costs of the 'Working Together' project providing employment support and training opportunities for disabled people in Bristol and the West of England.	Henry Smith Charity
Womankind	Safety	£15,100.00	Third 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
XTND- Improving Futures	Fairness	£18,200.00	The second year of a three-year award from the Henry Smith Charity towards the running costs of a project	Henry Smith Charity

			providing parenting and family support and courses in South Ward, Weston-super-Mare.	
Baby Check Bath CIC	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	Towards providing a free osteopathic service to babies whose would not otherwise be able to afford this support.	Royal London Nomination Programme - helping members make a local difference
FND FrieNDs	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	An award towards providing a befriending service to sufferers of Functional Neurological Disorder.	Royal London Nomination Programme - helping members make a local difference
National Autistic Society South Gloucestershire Branch	Fairness	£5,000.00	A contribution towards a parent-led group for parents of autistic children.	Royal London Nomination Programme - helping members make a local difference
United Communities	Fairness	£2,000.00	To support elderly and BME residents on low incomes to purchase hot water bottles, blankets, food flasks and help with making energy efficiency measures.	Surviving Winter Grant
Buzz Lockleaze	Healthy Living	£9,800.00	A membership scheme that allows residents to access healthy food and educational opportunities in cooking and gardening.	Wesleyan Foundation Large Grants
Harbour	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	Towards a 'Clinical Change Programme' that aims to respond to a growing demand for affordable counselling from people affected by a life-threatening illness.	Wesleyan Foundation Large Grants
The Haven	Healthy Living	£5,700.00	Delivering 40 horticultural sessions over a 12-month period with people recovering from addiction.	Wesleyan Foundation Large Grants

Donor-directed and Donor Advised grants of £1,000 and over awarded in September 2018

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All-Aboard Watersports	Fairness	£2,480.00
Dolphin Society	Healthy Living	£1,000.00
Keble College Development	Learning	£1,000.00

Queen Elizabeth's Hospital	Learning	£1,500.00
Redmaids' High School	Learning	£7,215.00
Save the Children	Fairness	£2,000.00
St George's Bristol	Arts, Culture & Heritage	£5,000.00