

Listed below are the grants approved in September 2020 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 Approved September 2020**

Grant Recipient	Vital Signs Category	Amount Approved	Project Description	Programme Name
One 25	Safety	£15,000.00	Peony is Bristol's specialist service for women facing multiple disadvantages, helping them break free from trauma, heal, and thrive, by providing peer support and access to benefits, training, and employment.	Catalyst
All-Aboard Watersports	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	Towards core costs at an inclusive water sports centre affected by complete Centre closure March - June 2020 and subsequent reduced capacity due to group size restrictions.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Bath & District Citizens Advice	Fairness	£10,000.00	To recruit more advisers to meet the needs of people affected by Covid-19.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Bath & District Samaritans	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	To build volunteer capacity for a service supporting vulnerable and isolated people.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Brigstowe Project	Healthy Living	£8,920.00	A Training & Development Coordinator to further develop a Peer Support Model for people living with HIV or Type 2 Diabetes, and to support other agencies to replicate this model.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Bristol Women's Voice	Fairness	£8,000.00	To provide the Director time and space to identify work streams that best supports women and the organisations that support women.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Coexist Community Kitchen CIC	Fairness	£8,800.00	To continue core work in this transitional time as well as ensuring that Coexist are able to survive particularly in the next 3 months.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
First Steps (Bath)	Learning	£3,050.00	Training for Early Years Practitioners to encourage personal growth, retention and to assess and support children's emotional and social development.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation

Jacari Bristol	Learning	£10,000.00	Towards running costs for delivering a service in Bristol providing weekly 1:1 support for children and young people whose first language is not English.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Keynsham Foodbank	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	Towards the costs of operations and new equipment, fixtures, and fittings at a new foodbank warehouse.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Mentoring Plus	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	Towards the salaries of the Executive Director and Fundraising Manager that are normally funded through unrestricted sources affected significantly by the covid pandemic.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Misfits Theatre Company	Fairness	£9,183.00	Investment in capacity-building to rebuild Misfits beyond the current crisis, focusing on strategic planning, reviewing our new ways of working and better understanding the changing needs of our beneficiaries.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Springboard Opportunity Group	Fairness	£10,000.00	For core costs to provide stability as Springboard recovers from the impact of Coronavirus, in order to maintain levels of support to young disabled children and their families in North Somerset.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Stepping Out Theatre	Healthy Living	£9,990.00	To develop and explore Stepping Out Theatre's online programme and to extend the range of accessible materials in preparation for our 2021 season of events.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
The Community Farm	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	To safely deliver a Social and Therapeutic Horticulture Project, 'Grow and Make' (GM): a programme of courses in horticulture and land-based learning for adults with mental health problems.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Trauma Recovery Centre	Healthy Living	£9,818.00	Reopening the Bath Therapy Centre for face to face therapy in September 2020, including time and resources for organisational planning to open safely and adapt to new ways of working.	Coronavirus Recovery & Stabilisation
Access Sport	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	Delivering a 12 week cycling outreach programme to local schools and community groups in and around the ward of Stockwood, primarily engaging underrepresented groups into cycling.	Express Grant
BLACK* Artists on the Move	Fairness	£4,960.00	To provide an ongoing artist/organisational development and financial consolidation programme to build resilience among Black artists disproportionately affected by the COVID crisis.	Express Grant
Bristol and Bath Parks Foundation	Environment	£3,500.11	To deliver and test an 8 week pilot of park activities around Green Park & bring together carers, community volunteers and local residents revitalising neglected green spaces and improving mental well-being.	Express Grant

Changing Tunes	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	Funding to adapt our normal music rehabilitation service at HMP Bristol to support the recovery period, by providing a 'blended programme' of one-to-ones, small group sessions and in-cell learning resources.	Express Grant
Creativity Works (nesa)	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	To increase staff capacity in the organisation in light of the current and anticipated increase in mental health challenges and demand for the group's services as a result of the COVID crisis.	Express Grant
Cruse Bereavement Care Bristol	Healthy Living	£4,000.00	To provide specialist suicide support to bereaved people in Bristol following the Covid-19 pandemic.	Express Grant
Genesis Trust	Housing & Homelessness	£5,000.00	Lifeline Centre - provision of crisis support and longer term emotional and practical help for homeless, vulnerable, and marginalised people living in and around Bath.	Express Grant
Jigsaw Thornbury CIC	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	To continue to provide COVID adapted outreach services for parents of children/young people with additional needs who are isolated and not currently accessing support.	Express Grant
Knowle West Health Association	Healthy Living	£5,000.00	For support costs for 15 volunteer counsellors to provide a free counselling service in response to increased demand because of the COVID crisis.	Express Grant
Lightbox Theatre	Healthy Living	£577.00	We seek funding to provide creative activity kits to 50 local children who are service users of Full Circle Youth Centre and Food Hub Consortium Project in St Paul's	Express Grant
Long Ashton Youth Club	Stronger Communities	£1,000.00	This project will allow for young people to maintain contact with Youth Workers consistently throughout the year, rather than just term time only (current provision).	Express Grant
Open Minds Active Ltd	Healthy Living	£2,800.00	Toward a 12 week learn to swim initiative for 15-20 BAME marginalised women with a view to progress onto open water swimming and also longer term become qualified lifeguards.	Express Grant
Our Way Our Say	Stronger Communities	£5,000.00	We are looking at running two extra groups a week, because of COVID 19 we need to have smaller numbers and these funds will help all the children attend	Express Grant
Red Tent Project	Healthy Living	£3,878.00	A creative and horticultural project, offering meaningful activities to empower marginalised women to learn and develop new skills, with the primary aims to improve connection, health, and well-being.	Express Grant

Voluntary Action North Somerset	Fairness	£5,000.00	To provide flexible support for small Mutual Aid Groups that have been essential providers of support for vulnerable people during the COVID crisis.	Express Grant
Warmley Rangers FC	Stronger Communities	£5,000.00	To expand the group's clubhouse by replacing patio doors with bi-fold doors and a permanent covering to increase the clubhouse capacity back to pre-COVID levels.	Express Grant
Full Circle	Stronger Communities	£29,000.00	Continuing to deliver the Docklands Youth and Community Centre and Full Circle's Youth Services in a way that adheres to current safety measures and social distancing guidance.	Funding the Future Grant
Hartcliffe & Withywood Community Partnership	Stronger Communities	£15,000.00	Towards (1) the services of an architect, (2) consultancy support for a review of community transport services and community need, and (3) continuing existing consultancy support.	Funding the Future Grant
Clevedon Men's Shed	Healthy Living	£10,000.00	install concrete wheelchair ramp and handrail, Complete landscaping, purchase equipment and tool kits to increase activities for members, (woodturning, pyrography, install hand cleaning stations, provide masks, for current virus situation.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Milestones Trust	Stronger Communities	£1,776.00	For the repair and improvement to a route of the group's licensed Warmley Forest cycle trail which benefits individuals with learning disabilities.	Stoke Park Friends' Fund Grant

**Donor-directed and Donor-advised grants of £1,000 and over approved in September 2020**

<b>Grant Recipient</b>	<b>Vital Signs Theme</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
Great Western Air Ambulance Charity	Healthy Living	£1,200.00
Redmaids' High School	Learning	£7,537.00
Royal Bath & West of England Society	Stronger Communities	£2,000.00
Southmead Hospital Charity	Healthy Living	£3,000.00

