

Nottinghamshire Children and Young Peoples

Voluntary Sector Funding

Funding news



Apply to the Co-op Local Community Fund

The Local Community Fund supports projects in our members' communities that provide access to opportunities and resources to help people thrive.

We know how powerful co-operation can be in creating a positive difference in local communities and that's why our Co-op Members are keen to support local causes throughout the UK.

For our next funding round, Co-op Members will decide how we invest a further £5m through our Local Community Fund which starts in October 2025.

Are you a local cause looking for funding?

You can apply if you're a not-for-profit group that needs funding to deliver a specific project that benefits your local community. We will only accept one application per group.

If your funding application is successful, we'll work in partnership with you for 12 months to encourage Co-op Members to choose your cause.

Applications must be submitted by **midnight on 6 July 2025**.

Check if you can apply for funding

You can apply if your project helps people to thrive in one of the following ways:

- enables people to access food
- creates opportunities for young people
- improves people's mental wellbeing
- promotes community cohesion
- builds sustainable futures

We're also keen to support projects that promote and celebrate diversity and inclusion.

[Co-op](#)



Safer Nottinghamshire Together Grants

The deadline for application is Tuesday 15 July 2025, 9am

Police and Crime Commissioner Gary Godden has launched the Safer Nottinghamshire Together Grants, offering funding to voluntary and community organisations that support the priorities in his [Police and Crime Plan](#).

Two types of funding are available:

1. [Multi-Year Funding](#): for longer-term projects

- Up to £75,000 per application over the funding period (up to £25,000 per full financial year, pro rata).



- Projects must contribute to one or more of the following priority areas:
 1. Tackling crime and anti-social behaviour (ASB)
 2. Protecting vulnerable people from harm
 3. Tackling violence against women and girls
 4. Tackling serious violence
 5. Improving criminal justice outcomes

2. [Community Chest Funding](#): for one-off activities

- Up to £5,000 per application
- Ideal for hosting community cohesion events or testing new ideas or approaches.

To read more and apply click [here](#)

Capacity building support

Need help with your application? The PCC has commissioned expert support from local Community and Voluntary Services (CVSs).

To request support, please complete this form: [Request for Support with Safer Nottingham Together Grants](#)

Your request will be directed to Nottingham CVS, who will ensure it reaches the most appropriate support provider based on your location or delivery area.

Briefing events

Join a virtual information session via Microsoft Teams to learn more:

- Thursday 19 June 2025, 1pm to 2pm
- Wednesday 25 June 2025, 4pm to 5pm

To attend, email commissioning@notts.police.uk stating your preferred date. A Microsoft Teams link will be sent to you.

Questions?

For any queries about the application process, contact the OPCC Commissioning Team:

- commissioning@notts.police.uk

- 0115 844 5998



Grant information for funding applicants

We are a Foundation that distributes funds raised by [The Health Lottery](#) players to communities across Britain.

The areas of work that The Health Lottery Foundation supports

We are broad in the areas of work we support because we know that the causes of poor health, loneliness and social exclusion are complicated. This means the type of projects that improve health and wellbeing outcomes are more varied than we can imagine. We've outlined six areas we are interested in supporting, take a look!

- Chronic disease
- Disability inequity
- Healthcare IT
- Health disparity
- Preventative care
- Young people

The Health Lottery Foundation is currently open for applications from projects that support young people

We are accepting applications from Monday 16 June (9am) – Friday 27 June (5pm). You must apply by going through our [eligibility quiz](#).



Holiday Activities and Food

If you are an activity provider and are interested in providing activities for the Nottinghamshire Holiday Activities and Food programme, you will need to complete an online application.

All providers must read the guidance notes on the application portal alongside the Grant Conditions before completing the application, taking note of the assessment framework (which all applications are measured against). Before starting the application form you will be asked to create an online account with us, or to log in to your account if you already have one.

Providers can apply for an annual grant, to cover all four holiday periods, or apply for individual holiday periods.

Please take note of the cut off dates below:

- Autumn and winter: Open Monday 30 June 2025, 12pm. Applications close Friday 18 July, 5pm.

[Activity providers | Nottinghamshire County Council](#)

Voluntary Sector Development

The Voluntary Sector Development Team forms part of Nottinghamshire County Council's Youth Service. Our team covers the seven districts in Nottinghamshire working to support Voluntary Sector Organisations that work primarily with Children and Young People between 4 and 19 (25 if the young people are looked after or young disabled people).

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