



Hello!

It's been a great start to summer with fabulous sunny weather, and I've already been to some fantastic gala days and school fairs – do let me know if you have events coming up in the next few months that I can share or pop into.

I hope these grants are of interest to your organisation. If you'd like to meet with me and my team to let me know more about the work you're doing, do get in touch on michael.shanks.mp@parliament.uk!

Best wishes

GRANTS

South Lanarkshire Council is offering grants for community groups in South Lanarkshire to organise gala days and summer festivals for the benefit of residents. Grants of up to £1,000 are available, and the council also offer 'in kind' assistance towards staging events.

There is no deadline for applications. You can find more information here: [Community grant information sheet – South Lanarkshire Council](#)

Sainsbury's JJ Charitable Trust has opened applications for their **Literacy Small Grants Scheme** for organisations undertaking charitable projects focusing on literacy teaching for children with learning difficulties, including dyslexia, in the UK. Grants of between £5,000 and £20,000 are available.

The deadline is **3 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [The JJ Charitable Trust - Literacy Small Grants Scheme](#)

The Trades House of Glasgow Commonweal Fund is available to charities and organisations within the city of Glasgow and surrounding areas, including the G71, G72 and G73 postcode areas. The committee can make grants to all schemes for social improvement including child welfare, social and moral training of youth, charitable and educational schemes, and schemes for the advancement of education or for scientific study or research.

The deadline for applications is **15 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Commonweal Fund | The Trades House of Glasgow](#)

The Toy Trust is offering grants for registered charities undertaking projects to support disadvantaged and disabled children who are under 13 years of age within the UK and abroad. Grants are up to £5,000.

The deadline for applications is **15 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Home - Toy Trust](#)

NatureScot has opened applications for their **Future Routes Fund**. Grants are available for projects which help young people to connect with nature and make a positive impact on the natural environment in Scotland. Grants of up to £5,000 are available.

The deadline for applications is **19 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Future Routes Fund 2026 | NatureScot](#)

The **Help the Homeless Grant Scheme** is available to small and medium-sized charities registered in the UK working to assist homeless

people to rebuild their lives and return to the community. Grants of up to £5,000 are available.

The deadline for applications is **20 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Applying for Funding – Help the Homeless](#)

Rosa is a grant making charity supporting groups who work to empower women and girls. They have opened applications for the **Stand With Us Fund**. Grants are available for not-for-profit women's and girls' organisations delivering frontline services in the UK addressing male violence against women and girls. One-year grants of up to £28,000 are available.

The deadline for applications is **22 June 2026**. You can find more information here [Rosa's Stand With Us Fund – Rosa](#)

Bòrd na Gàidhlig are offering **Early Years Grants** to voluntary early years groups that support parents, families and children aged 0 to 3 years, to encourage and increase the day-to-day use of Gaelic, and to encourage continuity into Gaelic education throughout Scotland. Grants of up to £15,000 are available.

The deadline for applications is **30 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Gaelic Early Years Grants 2026/27 – Bòrd na Gàidhlig](#)

Bupa Foundation Green Community Grants are available for schools, registered charities and not-for-profit organisations across the UK and Republic of Ireland for projects that make a positive difference to the health of local communities. Grants of up to £2,000 are available.

The deadline for applications is **30 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Bupa Foundation Green Community Grants – Groundwork](#)

The **Big Give** is an organisation that runs match-funding campaigns, to support charities in their own fundraising activities. The **Christmas Challenge 2026** is opening applications for this year's challenge in early December, which invites charities of all sizes to participate in the week-

long initiative that allows them to double public donations during the festive giving season.

Applications close on **3 July 2026**. More information can be found here: [Christmas Challenge - Big Give](#)

Heart Research UK has opened applications for their **Healthy Heart Grants**. Grants are available to charities and community interest companies in the UK for new community projects aimed at supporting adults to reduce their risk of coronary heart disease, helping them to lead healthier, happier and longer lives. One grant of £15,000 will be awarded this year in Scotland.

The deadline for Scottish applications is **8 July 2026**. You can find more information here: [Healthy Heart Grants - Heart Research UK](#)

APPLICATIONS FOR RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

Hostelling Scotland has opened applications for their **Happy Hosteller Funded Breaks Programme**. Grants are available for schools, early years centres, youth groups, and registered charities across Scotland to enable disadvantaged children and young people and their families to access residential trips at Hosteller Scotland youth hostels.

The deadline for applications is **26 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [Happy Hosteller Funded Breaks](#)

The Adamson Trust is offering grants for voluntary and community organisations and charities to help with the cost of holidays or respite breaks for disabled children (aged 3 to 17 years) with physical, mental, or emotional impairments.

The deadline for applications is **30 June 2026**. You can find more information here: [The Adamson Trust - Disabled children's holiday charity](#)

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