**THE LOCAL FUND for the Harrogate District**

**2024 Round 1 Successful Applicants**

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| **Community Group** | **Project Description** | **Amount Awarded** |
| Headway Harrogate & District | Funding for a second-hand smartphone, leaflets, printer ink etc. for the group to ensure people in the Harrogate district with brain injury and their families feel connected all year round and are connected to support. | £1,940 |
| The Wellness Gateway CIC | Funding towards staff and management to expand the community wellness hub and set up a further free hub in the Ripon area to support children and families with mental and physical health including signposting, support for mental health problems, advice on SEN and neurodiversity and more. | £3,000 |
| Resurrected Bites Community Interest Company | Funding for staff, and temperature monitoring equipment for food safety, for local community grocery in Harrogate and Knaresborough that supports people living in poverty with dignity. | £3,000 |
| Artizan International | Funding for staff, DBS checks for volunteers, materials, refreshments and overheads for craft and support group in Harrogate that supports people with disabilities and encourages societal change to be more inclusive. | £2,960 |
| Essential Needs | Funding to purchase pillows, duvets and bedding to augment a scheme to provide free beds to children living in poverty in the Harrogate area who do not have a bed of their own. | £1,515 |
| Reflect | Funding towards staff, overheads, publicity and materials for this organisation in the Harrogate area that support anyone who has experienced pregnancy loss at any stage and for any reason. | £2,265 |
| Bilton Dragon Bowling Club | Funding for a mower, concrete slab and lockable container for the local bowling club that attracts all ages. | £1,000 |
| Inspire Youth Yorkshire | Funding for staff, room hire, refreshments and materials for the youth group in Knaresborough for young people with mental health needs, special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) or those who are autistic, and to provide space and time for their parents. | £3,000 |
| Wellspring Therapy & Training | Funding towards staff for counselling and admin time to expand counselling work and reduce waiting times to support people facing mental health difficulties, in the Harrogate and surrounding area. | £2,994 |
| Chain Lane Community Centre | Funding towards CCTV camera system for community building in Knaresborough to improve security, deter anti-social behaviour, and help members and users, many of whom feel vulnerable, to feel more secure. | £1,000 |
| Dacre Banks Bowling Club | Funding for wooden edging and lawn care equipment to help volunteers maintain the bowling green for the rurally isolated club, who are actively recruiting new members. | £998 |
| Aphasia Support | Funding for staff and travel expenses to continue to run drop-in café events in Harrogate for people experiencing aphasia, and their carers, to improve wellbeing and socialisation. | £2,929 |
| Samaritans of Harrogate & District | Funding for volunteer expenses and overhead office costs for organisation providing mental health crisis support, which requires a physical presence for volunteers to support each other, in the Harrogate district. | £1,000 |
| Time Together | Funding towards equipment - sewing machine, steam cleaner, washing machine, clothing rails - and clothes dye to set up clothes upcycling scheme to upskill autistic people and people with disabilities. | £3,000 |
| Harrogate District of Sanctuary | Funding for room hire, language tutor, admin, refreshments and entertainer for isolated refugees in the Harrogate area to provide group activities and support in the home to help improve their English and reduce isolation. | £3,000 |
| Supporting Older People CIO | Funding towards room hire, speakers/entertainers, refreshments and the purchase of tables to support friendship groups for older people in the Harrogate area. | £1,200 |
| Boroughbridge Community Care | Funding for staff, minibus costs and entry to woodworking sessions for socially isolated older men in the Boroughbridge area. | £2,530 |
| Ripon Amateur Operatic Society | Funding for resizing a doorway and creating accessible toilet facilities to improve access for disabled performers at the charitable community theatre venue. | £3,000 |
| Rossett Local Nature Reserve group | Funding towards pond dipping platform for local children to access activities at local nature reserve. | £2,000 |
| **19 groups supported** | **TOTAL distributed** | **£42,331** |