

**The Belfrey Small Grants - Round 1 Successful Applicants**

<b>Organisation Name</b>	<b>Project Description</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
Big Futures Foundation	Funding for staffing and activity costs of running Family Activity Groups for 4 months. These sessions focus on improving socialisation, reducing social isolation and building self-confidence.	£2,000.00
The Besom	Funding to purchase essential items for families in need - this includes baby mattresses and stairgates. This will ensure families can give their babies and young children a safe space.	£2,000.00
Older Citizens Advocacy York	Funding to provide staff time to support people access their welfare benefits and providing other advice and support.	£1,973.40
Tang Hall Community Centre	Funding to provide weekly food parcels for 20 families living in poverty. Throughout the school holidays families struggle even more and this will go a long way to supporting them.	£1,800.00
York Womens Counselling Service	Funding to make counselling accessible for all women. The funds will cover the costs of 200 counselling hours.	£2,000.00
Our Father's Heart	Funding to provide activities for 3 part time employees, who have previously been affected by homelessness/addiction. This funding will give them a chance to explore their interests and build more positive relationships.	£2,000.00
Reflect	Funding to cover core overheads for their York space for 12 months, including rent, utilities, volunteer staff time and training. The organisation provides support to people with poor mental health due to their loss(es).	£1,940.00
St Thomas' church (THE PCC OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL PARISH OF ST THOMAS)	Funding to run a weekly creative cafe which addresses loneliness and social isolation. It is a drop in for 10 weeks and will work with other local creative organisations for delivery.	£1,815.00
York Inspirational Kids	Funding to purchase equipment that will enable the organisation to deliver various activities. This will include cooking and crafting items. The organisation works with children who have autism.	£2,000.00
Friends of Clifton Green Primary	Funding to offer sessions outside of nursery time which will bring children and families together who have been significantly impacted by the pandemic. These sessions will focus on developing social skills and play.	£2,000.00
Generate	Funding to run Generate Plus, a monthly session for parents of transgender children. This will be a peer support network and enable people to share their fears and concerns but also what is going well for them.	£1,980.00

York City Knights Foundation	Funding to run reminiscence cafes on matchdays, in partnership with Dementia Forward. These sessions will enable people to share their memories and engage with former players.	£1,920.00
York Vineyard	Funding to help establish the Growbaby project (staff time, equipment and clothes). The project will provide clothing for 0-5 year olds and will look to bring individuals and their families together to reduce feelings of loneliness and isolation.	£2,000.00

