**THE LOCAL FUND for the Harrogate District**

**2021 Round 1 Successful Applicants**

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| **Community Group** | **Project Description** | **Amount Awarded** |
| **Badapple Theatre Company** | Funding to cover core organsiational overheads for 6 months to ensure the organsiation remains viable and is able to resume live performances once restrictions allow. | 2,908 |
| **Chain Lane Community Centre** | Funding to cover ongoing running expenses of the hub which are required to meet health & safety requirements. The hub is a multi-purpose community resource in Knaresborough. It provides social, recreational, educational and entertainment facilities for all. | 2,885 |
| **Masham Town Hall Community Charity** | Funding will support the organisation pay for their administrator and insurance costs for 6 months. These are both still expenses the organisation has whilst closed. In covering these costs the organsiation will be in a strong position to re-open once the rules allow. | 3,852 |
| **Peer Support - New Beginnings** | Funding would be used to increase the staff hours. The organisation has seen 350% increase in demand for support throughout 2020 due to lockdowns. | 4,680 |
| **Harrogate & Knaresborough Toy Library** | The funding would be used to cover running costs related to rental and staffing in order to run the toy library lending sessions and reduced capacity stay and play sessions whilst current restrictions prevent a return to a normal offer being possible. | 3,525 |
| **Harrogate Bowling Club** | The cash flow forecast shows the toy library is likely to continue to run at a loss until restrictions are lifted and the grant would enable this to be funded without a large impact on the charity's ability to purchase new resources in the future and hence support its future sustainability. | 2,500 |
| **Harrogate Clothes Bank, St Mark's Church** | Funding for rent | 5,000 |
| **Harrogate Hospital Radio** | Funding would cover 2021's running costs. Group provide radio entertainment to patients & staff at Harrogate District Hospital. Group were unable to conduct their usual fundraising events in 2020 due to Covid so now need help with basic running costs. | 2,500 |
| **Samaritans of Harrogate and District** | Funding (£5,000) would contribute towards running costs . Covid has meant that the group cannot perform their usual fundraising activities. Group are a Harrogate branch of a national self-funded charity whose vision is for fewer people to die by suicide. | 5,000 |
| **Wesley Centre** | Funding to employ an administrator to support the organisation with social media, publicity and basic office tasks. The support of the administrator will help the organisation be ready to open when restrictions allow and put them in a stronger position over the next year. | 5,000 |
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| **10 groups supported** | **TOTAL Distributed** | **£37,850** |