#### **FAQs**

### We hope that these answer any queries you may have, if not, please contact us.

### Can I apply for funding as a Community Interest Company?

We follow the Charity Commission guidance on apply for funding as a Community Interest Company. You must be able to demonstrate that your objectives are in line with the focus of our Charity.

# I am an individual artist; can I apply for funding?

We do not give funding to individual artists; however, you can apply for funding as part of an organisation.

# Do you provide funding for local community/youth projects and events?

It is unlikely that funding would be awarded for a local community/youth project or event.

#### How much should we apply for?

We do not have guidelines on grant size but understand it can be challenging trying to decide on an amount to request. Our Trustees take a broad range of factors into account when assessing applications. Examples of previously funded projects with grant size, can be found on our <u>funding</u> page.

Please note that the Trustees sometimes offer a different level of grant than what was applied for.

## How will I know if my application was successful?

If your application is successful, we will contact you by email within two weeks of the Trustee meeting date.

### My application was not successful. Can I get some feedback?

Due to the volume of applications, we receive and the size of our team, we do not provide feedback on applications.

#### My application was declined. Can I reapply?

If your application was not successful, you can reapply.

#### Do you support international projects?

No. We only support projects within the United Kingdom.

## What does public benefit mean?

We follow the Charity Commissions definition of public benefit. More information can be found on their website *Public benefit: rules for charities -* GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

## Can I apply for funding toward educational costs for individuals?

No, we do not fund individual educational costs.