



This free guide is designed to help community groups, charities and voluntary organisations working in Southwark to find locally available funding for their activities.

The guide is not exhaustive. If there are funders that operate in Southwark that you feel should be included in this guide please contact United St Saviour's Charity.

United St Saviour's Charity was established in 1541. Today it invests in community organisations in North Southwark and Bermondsey, and manages almshouses for Southwark pensioners.

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Grant givers in Southwark

NAME	TOTAL GRANT AWARDED	CRITERIA	CONTACT DETAILS
Albin Charity	£6,700 (Nov 2014)	Supports many charities including local hospices, bereavement groups and children charities. It also assists families who wish for donations to be made in place of floral tributes by collecting and forwarding donations on their behalf.	52 Culling Road, SE16 2TN T 020 7237 3637 E laura@albins.co.uk www.albins.co.uk/albins/who_we_are/mission_statement
Amicable Society	£48,000 (Mar 2015)	Grants to schools, individuals or organisations that assist the education of children in financial need that study, or are resident in, the Ancient Parish of Rotherhithe. Applicants should address the criteria, the purpose of the grant requested and the amount sought in their application.	Kevin Farrelly, Clerk to the Trustees, The Amicable Society, 13 Greenland Quay, London SE16 7RN T 020 7394 3394 / 07909546659 E theamicablesocietyrotherhithe@yahoo.com
Bermondsey Square Community Fund	£40,000 PER YEAR	Awards grants for projects that make a positive contribution to the community of Bermondsey around the themes of health, happiness and well-being; education; environment; and creativity. Applications that make use of the public space in Bermondsey Square are particularly encouraged. Applications between £500 and £2,500 are preferred.	12 Bermondsey Square, London, SE1 3FD T 020 7234 0805 E reception@bermondseysquare.co.uk www.bermondseysquare.net/apply
Better Bankside	Funds now allocated until March 2019. Open to new applications in late 2018.	Better Bankside is a Business Improvement District that aims to make Bankside a thriving place to work, live and visit.	18 Great Guildford Street, SE1 0FD T 020 7928 3998 E sak@betterbankside.co.uk www.betterbankside.co.uk
Camberwell Consolidated Charities	£45,710 (Mar 2016)	Twice yearly payments to elderly people on low incomes living in the former parish of Camberwell, which includes Dulwich and Peckham.	c/o Southwark Council PO Box 64529 London SE1P 5LX T 020 7525 7511 E norahjane@aol.com
Charity of John Marshall	£565,000 (2015)	Gives grants for the repair and restoration of Anglican churches in 5 dioceses, including Southwark. Also makes grants for the support of parsonages to dioceses of the Church of England and the Church in Wales.	66 Newcomen Street, SE1 1YT T 0207 407 2979 E grantoffice@marshalls.org.uk www.marshalls.org.uk
Charity of Thomas Dickinson	£2,900 (2015)	Educational grants to individuals aged under 25 who live in, or have strong links, to the Charity's area of benefit which comprises most of the SE1 postal district, minor parts of SE11, SE17 and SE16 (Bermondsey, but not Rotherhithe).	c/o St George the Martyr Church, Borough High Street, London SE1 1JA
Guy's and St Thomas's Charity	£11,698,100 (Mar 2016)	Offers funding for new ideas that tackle major health and care challenges in Lambeth and Southwark. It does not fund on-going or core activities.	Second Floor, Francis House, 9 King's Head Yard, SE1 1NA T 020 7089 4550 E info@gsttcharity.org.uk www.gsttcharity.org.uk
Newcomen Collett	£73,000 (2015)	Gives grants to support the education of residents of the London Borough of Southwark who are under the age of 25. Grants are available for individuals and for organisations working with young people.	66 Newcomen Street, SE1 1YT T 020 7407 2967 E grantoffice@newcomencollett.org.uk www.newcomencollett.org.uk
North Southwark Environment Trust	£25,000 (2015)	Gives grants to projects in North Southwark that protect the environment; promote energy efficiency and efficient disposal of waste; and provide leisure and recreational facilities.	Linda Cordery E info@nset.org.uk www.nset.org.uk
Rotherhithe Consolidated Charities	£119,171 (2015)	Recurrent grants are made primarily to widows who are in need and have lived in the ancient parish of Rotherhithe for at least 10 years. However, help is also given for the general benefit of those in need who live in the parish.	19 Amwell Street, Hoddeson, EN11 8TS T 01992 444466 E keith@hbaccountants.co.uk
Southwark Charities	£143,000 (2017)	Gives grants, pensions and quality of life benefits (e.g. excursions, day trips, parties, musicals etc) to Southwark residents.	c/o 39 Edward Edwards' House, Nicholson Street, SE1 0XL T 020 7593 2000 E clerk@southwarkcharities.org.uk www.southwarkcharities.co.uk
Southwark Council Neighbourhoods Fund	£630,000 (2017-18)	Funds projects that encourage people from different backgrounds to work together; promote respect and consideration and give residents the opportunity to improve their local area.	Neighbourhoods Fund 2016/17 T 020 7525 1019 E pauline.bonner@southwark.gov.uk
St George the Martyr	£5,138 (Dec 2015)	Gives grants or providing or paying for items, services or facilities to relieve individually or generally for older persons resident in the old London borough of Southwark who are in need, hardship or distress.	66 Newcomen Street, SE1 1YT T 020 7407 2994 E clerk@stgeorge1584.org.uk
St Mary Newington Educational Foundation	£14,000 (2017)	Grants for educational purposes to 4 named schools, other schools and individuals resident in the ancient parish of St Mary Newington	c/o Southwark Charities, 39 Edward Edwards' House, Nicholson St. SE1 0XL T 020 7593 2000 E clerk@southwarkcharities.org.uk www.southwarkcharities.co.uk
St Olave's United Charity	£320,583 (2015)	Gives grants to persons resident in the former Metropolitan Borough of Bermondsey in the London Borough of Southwark who are in need, hardship or distress in accordance with the scheme rules.	6-8 Druid Street, SE1 2EU T 020 7407 2530 E st.olavescharity@btconnect.com
St Olave's & St Saviour's Schools Foundation	£100,000 (Apr 2015)	Gives grants to support the education of youngsters under the age of 25 from the London Borough of Southwark. Grants are available for individuals and for organisations working with young people.	Europoint Centre, 5-11 Lavington Street, SE1 0NZ T 020 7945 6007 E grants@stolavesfoundation.co.uk www.stolavesfoundationfund.org.uk
Surrey Dispensary	£22,000 (Dec 2015)	Grants to people who live in Bermondsey, Rotherhithe, Walworth, North Southwark and Newington that are in poor health, or sickness. Applications for grants are welcome from organisations on behalf of individuals or for the benefit of service users.	Clerk to the Trustees, 33 Helsinki Square, London SE16 7UT E surrey.dispensary.fund@gmail.com www.surreydispensary.co.uk
Team London Bridge	£44,000 PER YEAR (Mar 2016)	Three types of funds, aimed at a variety of short and long term projects that promote positive community engagement, support cross-sector partnerships and help local voluntary & community sector groups develop and become more sustainable.	6 Hay's Lane, London SE1 2HB T 020 7407 4701 E info@teamlondonbridge.co.uk www.teamlondonbridge.co.uk
The Mayor of Southwark's Common Good Trust	£4,637 (Mar 2015)	Gives grants to provide assistance in a variety of forms to all those in need, either living or having links with the area covered by London Borough of Southwark.	Southwark Council PO Box 64529, London SE1 5XL T 020 7525 7303 E carolapayne.2@btinternet.com
The Peter Minet Trust	£159,497 (2015-16)	Makes grants to UK registered charities working primarily in the London boroughs of Lambeth and Southwark, supporting a wide range of projects with people of all ages who are in need.	1A Taylor's Yard, 67 Alderbrook Road, SW12 8AD T 020 8772 3155 E info@peterminet.org.uk www.peterminet.org.uk
United St Saviour's Charity	£722,000 (2016-17)	Funds creative, exciting and joined up projects, events and activities that benefit the lives of people in north Southwark and Bermondsey through its Community Investment Programme of large grants (amounts of above £5,001 up to £100,000) and Community Engagement Programme (amounts of £5,000 and below).	St Saviour's House, 39-41 Union Street, SE1 1SD T 020 089 9014 E info@ustsc.org.uk www.ustsc.org.uk
Wakefield and Tetley Trust	£320,000 (2016)	Gives grants only to organisations that benefit people resident or working in Tower Hamlets and/or Southwark and/or the City of London. Grants aim to make a positive difference to the lives of people who face significant disadvantage and have limited choices and opportunities.	Oxford House, Derbyshire St, London E2 6HG T 020 7749 1118 E enquiries@wakefieldtrust.org.uk www.wakefieldtrust.org.uk

National or regional grant givers that include Southwark

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Alan & Babette Sainsbury Charitable Fund	£457,105 (2015/16)	Gives grants in the following categories: Civil Liberties & Community Relations; Overseas; Scientific & Medical Research; Youth Work, including Art and Education, focussing on disadvantaged people in Southwark; General.	The Peak, 5 Wilton Road, London. SW1V 1AP T 020 7410 0330 www.sfct.org.uk/the-alan-and-babette-sainsbury-charitable-fund
Big Lottery Fund	£650,000,000 PER YEAR	Gives grants to community groups and projects for health, education, environment and charitable purposes.	1 Plough Place, London EC4A 1DE T 0345 4 10 20 30 E general.enquiries@biglotteryfund.org.uk www.biglotteryfund.org.uk
BBC Children in Need	£49,846,575 (2015)	Gives grants each year to organisations supporting disadvantaged children and young people in the UK.	BBC Media Village, BC4 D6, 201 Wood Lane, London. W12 7TQ. T 0345 609 0015 E pudseygrants@bbc.co.uk www.bbc.co.uk/pudsey
City Bridge Trust	£18,500,000 (Mar 2016)	Awards grants to charitable organisations tackling disadvantage towards work which meets the Trust's published priorities and outcomes.	City of London Corporation, PO Box 270, Guildhall, London EC2P 2E. T 020 7332 3710 E citybridgetrust@cityoflondon.gov.uk www.citybridgetrust.org.uk/
Comic Relief	£102,447,000 (Jul 2015)	Funds allocated in four programme areas; investing in children and young people, empowering women and girls, improving health and wellbeing, and building stronger communities	1st Floor, 89 Albert Embankment, London SE1 7TP T 020 7820 2000 E info@comicrelief.com www.comicrelief.com
Esmée Fairbairn Foundation	£41,400,000 (2015)	Gives grants across four main areas: Arts, Children and Young People, Environment and Social Change as well as the Food funding strand. Three types of support are available: grants, social investments and Grants Plus support.	Kings Place, 90 York Way, London N1 9AG T 020 7812 3700 E info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk www.esmeefairbairn.org.uk
Garfield Weston Foundation	£58,744,510 (Apr 2016)	Recent funding has supported projects in the following categories: Arts, Community, Education, Welfare, Medical, Religion, Youth and Environment.	Weston Centre, 10 Grosvenor Street, London W1K 4QY T 020 7399 6565 www.garfieldweston.org
Henry Smith Charity	£28,500,000 (Dec 2015)	Gives grants for work with groups experiencing social and/or economic disadvantage (e.g. people with disabilities) and to work that tackles problems in areas of high deprivation.	Sixth Floor, 65-68 Leadenhall Street, London EC3A 2AD T 020 7264 4970 www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk
Heritage Lottery Fund	£430 million (2015/16)	Gives grants to sustain and transform the UK's heritage.	7 Holbein Place, London SW1W 8NR T 020 7591 6151 E london@hlf.org.uk www.hlf.org.uk
Jack Petchey Foundation	£5,841,223 (Dec 2015)	Makes grants to programmes and projects that benefit young people aged 11-25.	Exchange House, 13-14 Clements Court, Clements Lane, Ilford, Essex. IG1 2QY T 020 8252 8000 E email@jackpetcheyfoundation.org.uk www.jackpetcheyfoundation.org.uk
Lloyds Bank Foundation for England and Wales	£22,100,000 (2015)	Funds charities working with people aged 17 plus who are experiencing multiple disadvantage at one of the critical 'transition' points in their life and helping promote practical approaches to lasting change.	Pentagon House, 52-54 Southwark Street, London SE1 1UN T 0370 411 1223 E enquiries@lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk
London Catalyst	£365,000 PER YEAR (within M25)	Funds community health projects and provides a hardship fund for advice and social work agencies to distribute to people in need.	45 Westminster Bridge Road, London SE1 7JB T 0203 828 4204 www.londoncatalyst.org.uk
London Marathon Charitable Trust	£4,751,263 (Sep 2015)	Capital grants programmes providing funding between £5,000 and £150,000 towards the creation or renovation of facilities that tackle physical inactivity in London, Surrey, South Northamptonshire District council area and Aylesbury Vale District council area.	115 Southwark Street, London SE1 0JF T 020 7902 0200 (option 6) E info@lmct.org.uk www.lmct.org.uk
O2 Think Big	£334,500 (2016)	Gives small grants of £300 for people aged 13 to 25 years old in the UK to help make things better in local communities using digital tools. Successful small projects are then eligible for larger grants of £2,500.	T 0800 902 0250 E hello@o2thinkbig.co.uk www.o2thinkbig.co.uk/Start-a-project
Paul Hamlyn Foundation	£13,723,445 (Mar 2016)	Grants in the UK are themed around six strategic priorities: nurturing ideas & people, art access & participation, education & learning through the arts, arts evidence, investing in young people and migration & integration.	5-11 Leeke Street, London WC1X 9HY T 020 7812 3300 E information@phf.org.uk www.phf.org.uk
Santander Foundation	£2,800,000 (for 2016)	Discovery scheme provides grants of up to £5,000 to small local UK charities for projects in the UK that meet the Foundation's priorities of improving skills, knowledge and innovation, directly helping disadvantaged people.	Amy Slack, Santander Foundation, 201 Grafton Gate East, Milton Keynes MK9 1AN E grants@santander.co.uk www.santanderfoundation.org.uk
The London Community Foundation	£5,900,000 (Mar 2016)	Gives grants to small community groups and charities across London, including Southwark, to projects tackling a variety of social issues. Please see our web site for full details.	Unit 7, Piano House, 9 Brighton Terrace, London SW9 8DJ T 020 7582 5117 E info@londoncfc.org.uk www.londoncfc.org.uk
The Tudor Trust	£18,271,500 (2015/16)	Prefer to help smaller, community-led organisations which work directly with people who are at the margins of society; organisations which support positive changes in people's lives and in their communities.	7 Ladbroke Grove, London W11 3BD T 020 7727 8522 www.tudortrust.org.uk
Trust for London	£7,300,000 (Dec 2015)	Gives grants to works that develop new and imaginative ways of addressing the root causes of London's social problems, especially work which has the potential to influence and change policy, practice and public attitudes. Areas it will fund under are: employment; advice; social justice issues; and violence.	6 Middle Street, London EC1A 7PH T 020 7606 6145 E info@trustforlondon.org.uk www.trusforlondon.org.uk
UnLtd	£5,600,000 (Mar 2016)	Gives grants to individuals that have great ideas for creating social change in their local area.	123 Whitecross Street, Islington, London, EC1Y 8JJ T 0207 566 1100 E comms@unltd.org.uk www.unltd.org.uk
Veolia Environmental Trust	£3,394,000 (Mar 2016)	Supports community and environmental projects in England and Wales through the Landfill Communities Fund using money provided by Veolia.	Ruthdene, Station Road, Four Ashes, Wolverhampton. WV10 7DG T 01902 794 677 E UK.EnvironmentalTrustInfo@veolia.com www.veoliatrust.org

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