

GRANTS & FUNDING POTENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Regional Opportunities

Ceredigion Warm Welcome Spaces

Open for applications up to £1000 <u>Application Form</u>

Conwy Warm Hubs

Open for applications between £500 and £1500 Email: Local.Development@conwy.gov.uk

Hubbub's Community Fridge Investment Fund

With new funding opportunities available, now's the perfect time for more communities to join the Community Fridge Network and help reduce waste while feeding people

Access Broadband Cymru (ABC) Grant scheme

Welsh Government funding to help homes and businesses connect where 30 Mbps download speeds are not otherwise available.

Grants of up to £800 per premises (£550 equipment, £250 installation).

Available to properties in Wales not supported by other public broadband schemes in the last 48 months.

Applicants receive an offer letter and have three months to complete installation.

Visit Welsh Government's website for information:

Access Broadband Cymru guidance – Welsh Government

Rayne Foundation - Where People Meet

Through the grants to community spaces across the UK, the foundation aims to raise the profile of community-led regeneration and shine a light on new solutions to challenges faced in our communities.

The fund will support spaces that enable people in their communities to lead connected, healthy lives. A total of £2 million grant funding will be available through the programme

Electrical Safety Fund

Offering grants to support projects that help keep vulnerable people safe from electrical hazards at home and in the community.

- ✓ Test, repair, or replace unsafe electrical products
- ✓ Deliver safer electrical installations
- ✓ Run workshops to raise awareness about electrical safety
- ✓ Use innovative ideas to promote safer consumer choices



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Community Facilities Programme

From 1 September 2025 – applications open for grants under £25,000 From 1 October 2025 – expressions of interest open for larger grants of up to £300,000

The Community Facilities Programme, run by the Welsh Government, provides capital grants to improve community facilities that are well used and valued by local people.

Funding is available for:

The programme is open to community and voluntary sector organisations, including social enterprises, with a focus on:

- Increasing opportunity
- 🙎 Creating prosperity for all
- Building resilient communities where people are engaged and empowered Applicants are expected to work in partnership with others, which can include the public, private or third sector.
- Find out more here:
 https://www.gov.wales/community-facilities-programme

Community Warm Spaces Fund

The Welsh Government funding for Warm Spaces will soon be distributed across local areas to support community initiatives during the colder months. Your Local Authority or CVC will be making this available soon.

Cash4Clubs

Cash4Clubs is a small grants scheme for adult community sports clubs and organisations giving them a chance to apply for grants to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications, or invest in the sustainability of their club.

Year of Croeso: Weather-proofing Fund for Small Tourism & Hospitality Businesses 2025-2026

Visit Wales is launching a second round of capital grants for 2025-2026. This fund totals £1.75 million and aims to help tourism & hospitality businesses invest in weather-proofing measures.

Useful Funding Search Tools

Using funding search engines can help you find local funding opportunities for your council and community groups. There are numerous Community Benefit Funds – financial contributions provided by developers (e.g., wind farms) to support local projects.

<u>Community Foundation Wales</u> <u>Funding Wales</u>