

GRASSROOTS NEWSLETTER

Pass It On....

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Telford & Wrekin CVS is your Local Funder

GOVERNMENT MATCHES £ FOR £

Every pound CVS raises will be matched with a pound by the Government.

Unfortunately, we cannot raise the money ourselves and need your.....

This is a unique opportunity to **double** the impact of your donation.

The money raised will be held in an endowment fund and the interest will be used after 3 years to continue the grant for small voluntary and community groups in Telford & Wrekin.

... HELP



WHAT IS GRASSROOTS?

It is a really good opportunity for the Voluntary and Community Sector

Firstly, there is the Grassroots Grants scheme.

This can help small Voluntary Community Groups develop, with grants up to £5,000 over 3 years.

Secondly, the Endowment Match Challenge.

This is an opportunity to grow a community chest to continue the grant funding in the future.

grassroots
grants

Managed by the Community Development Foundation
Funded by the Office of the Third Sector

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WHAT IS TELFORD & WREKIN CVS?

It is the local **Council for Voluntary Service.**

We support the voluntary and community sector in the Telford & Wrekin area.

This service ranges from advising on how to start up an organisation, helping groups find and apply for funding, to guidance through the process of winding up and every aspect in between.

We are based in Meeting Point House in the Town Centre.

Visit our website:
www.tandwcvcs.org.uk



Meeting Point House

Why is CVS a Local Funder?

CVS applied to the Community Development Foundation and the Office of the Third Sector to be a Local Funder to administer the **Grassroots Fund.**



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

① **Support the CVS Christmas Fundraiser** on Tuesday 25th November at Meeting Point House (11 am) You can just turn up for a browse, donate items for us to sell or have a stall.

② **Shop on-line** via our website. We receive a percentage of the purchase price in commission, at no extra cost.

Visit:
www.tandwcvcs.org.uk

Or

③ **Hold an event** to raise funds and donate part to Grassroots.

We will then be able to

☎ 291350 for info.

www.buy.at/tandwcvcs

Double your money!

The key to the success of **GRASSROOTS** is to let as many people know about what we are trying to achieve.

Please pass this first edition of our monthly newsletter **on.**

