



Grants awarded under the Sustaining Support programme | Core Track 2020/2021 September 2021

23 Grants totalling £1,575,400.00

Organisation	Project Title	Press Summary	Grant Amount		
England					
The Sir Oswald Stoll Foundation	Core Funding for Veteran Support	The Sir Oswald Stoll Foundation provides a Support Service that enables Veterans to cope with civilian life and helps reduce social isolation and loneliness. With this funding, the organisation will continue to support service staff - a Support Worker and a Support Services Manager to improve the quality of life for Veterans affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.	£85,323.00		
Sporting Force Limited	Core funding for essential services	Sporting Force will use this funding to help ensure that much-needed services can continue to provide support for veterans who are struggling with their mental health and wellbeing.	£49,450.00		
Broughton House Home for Ex-Service Men and Women	Keeping Broughton House Open	Broughton House has faced a significant income loss due to Covid-19 and, without support, faces closure or substantial cuts to services. This grant of £100,000 will help the charity implement a transformation plan to secure it's future and ensure it can continue to support veterans for years to come.	£100,000.00		
Dig In	Core funding for service delivery	This funding will sustain the work Dig In are currently undertaking to support people from Armed Forces communities.	£48,280.00		
Tom Harrison House	Core funding Tom Harrison House	Over 12 months, Tom Harrison House will use the funding to deliver a core programme of therapeutic and wellbeing support to enable one hundred veterans to overcome addiction; as well as implementing transformational change to enable them to reach more veterans and achieve greater financial sustainability in future years.	£100,000.00		
Veterans In Action	Core funding for two posts	Using this funding, Veterans In Action will be able to provide a seamless continued service for those who need it most whilst rebuilding long term stability that has been affected. The lost of normal fundraising revenue was due to the COVID-19 pandemic.	£50,000.00		





Improving Lives Plymouth	ILP Veterans and Family Hub	The organisation will use this funding to enable them to keep delivering services for veterans and families that need them; while working with Veterans to develop future plans.	£50,000.00
VETERANS WITH DOGS	Continue providing vital services	This funding will go towards the continued effort. The grant will help the to organisation continue to provide support to veterans at a time when demand for their support is increasing.	£50,000.00
Royal Star and Garter	Core funding towards leading care	The organisation will use the grant to fund two key posts, enabling them to continue to drive the highest quality of nursing and dementia care for veterans and their partners. They will do this through both current and emerging work and by delivering transformational projects including collaboration with military partners.	£100,000.00
		Scotland	
BRAVEHOUND	Core funding for salary costs	BRAVEHOUND will use this funding to provide core salary costs for essential staff posts to ensure the safeguarding of beneficiaries and staff and effective management of the charity. The funding will be used to support two full time roles of book keeping, administration dog training and co-ordination of services.	£50,000.00
The Royal Caledonian Education Trust	Youthful Frequencies & Digital Amplification	Royal Caledonian Education Trust will use the funding to continue to work with young people from serving personnel and veteran families through a digitisation project. 'Youthful Frequencies & Digital Amplification' project is to co-design a new website and internal communications platform; enabling greater reach to; and engagement with young people from Armed Forces families.	£44,260.00
		UK Wide	
Blind Veterans UK	Funding for beneficiary engagement services	Blind Veterans UK will use this funding to support the continuation of and the expansion of the beneficiary engagement services. This project seeks to place the voices and needs of veterans at the heart of suggesting, improving, assessing and analysing service delivery.	£100,000.00
British Limbless Ex-Servicemen's Association	Blesma Support Officers: North East/West	Blesma Support Officers in North East and North West England will continue to help 582 local limbless veterans and Armed Forces families with immediate and complex physical or mental health needs. Through this transformational blended programme, of telephone or digital, and face-to-face contact utilising the Blesma App. This project will provide beneficiaries with ongoing support, essential goods and services and vital human contact.	£100,000.00





Fighting With Pride	Core funding - Joint CEOs	The grant will provide Fighting With Pride with funding that supports their core costs; at a key time for the charity; which will help it to continue its work with LGBT Armed Forces Communities.	£100,000.00
Scotty's Little Soldiers	Transformation of Bereavement Support	This funding will boost Scotty's Little Soldiers delivery direct one-to-one bereavement support for children and young people who have experienced the death of a parent who served in the British Armed Forces.	£40,880.00
The Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association - Forces Help	SSAFA Transforming Support for Veterans	SSAFA will use this funding to contribute to its strategic organisational change, in response to Covid-19. They will adapt and improve work on behalf of the Armed Forces community by reconfiguring their delivery model, creating a new volunteer support structure and enhancing their organisational infrastructure.	£99,094.00
The Felix Fund	Staff salaries	The organisation faced a substantial drop in income over the past year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. They will use this funding for core staff.	£40,000.00
Walking With The Wounded	Core funding for WWTW	The organisation will use the funding to help to maintain financial stability and ensure the continuation and development of essential services; to veterans with needs.	£98,578.00
Waterloo Uncovered	Core funding for essential posts.	Waterloo Uncovered will use the funding from the Sustaining Support for Armed Forces Community Programme to fund two posts; which will enable the organisation to continue in their work supporting veterans.	£50,000.00
Wings For Warriors	Salary Costs for General Manager	Wings For Warriors have received funding for salary support for the sole employee; which will enable the organisation to continue with their work which enables veterans to learn flying skills.	£20,000.00
		Wales	
Firing Line Limited	Core Funding, the Firing Line	The funding will support the organisation; which encountered significant difficulties during the Covid pandemic. The grant will support vital services and activities through core staff; and help the organisation plan for the future.	£50,000.00
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RFEA - The Forces Employment Charity	Wales, West Scotland Employment Support.	With this funding, RFEA will provide ongoing employment and wellbeing support to veterans and reservists in West Scotland and Wales. There has been increased in demand for support during Covid-19.	£100,000.00
The VC Gallery	Core funding for management.	The VC Gallery will use this funding to cover salary costs for two members of core staff essential to the running of their organisation.	£49,535.00
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