# The National Lottery Community Fund

# Grant Announcement

**Date:** Thursday 14 December 2023

**Number of grants:** 157

**Total Awarded:** £6,105,774

## Table 1: Grants awarded across all Northern Ireland

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Breaker Breaker | Across Northern Ireland | Breaker Breaker, based in Dromore, is using a £10,000 grant to transform a refrigerated lorry into a mobile welfare hub. The hub will be transported to events across Northern Ireland to provide information and guidance about physical and mental health to people working in the haulage industry. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Fresh Minds Education Ltd | Across Northern Ireland | Fresh Minds Education Ltd in Antrim is using a £10,000 grant to train 10 new facilitators to deliver their suicide awareness and prevention programme to support local communities across Northern Ireland. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| M.E Support Northern Ireland | Across Northern Ireland | ME Support Northern Ireland is using a £6,850 grant to reduce isolation and loneliness for people living with ME, which causes chronic fatigue. The project will run meetings and workshops to help members and their carers to build relationships, access information and develop support networks. | £6,850 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Menopause Together Ltd | Across Northern Ireland | Menopause Together Ltd, based in the Antrim, is using a £10,000 grant to raise awareness of the issues surrounding menopause. The project will recruit and train volunteers to run community-based education programs for women across Northern Ireland. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Prison Arts Foundation | Across Northern Ireland | The Prison Arts Foundation, based in north Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to deliver creative workshops to people in custody or due to be released from Hydebank, Magilligan and Maghaberry prisons. The project will help people develop new skills to help their rehabilitation. Their work will be exhibited in Belfast in March 2024 and they will have the opportunity to submit work to the Listowel Writers in Prison competition and the Koestler Art Awards. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Simon Community Northern Ireland | Across Northern Ireland | Simon Community Northen Ireland is using a £500,000 grant to provide mental health support to young people and adults accessing their homelessness services across Northern Ireland. Over two years the project will use provide specialised counselling and wellbeing support to develop coping skills, empower them to choose their treatment pathway, improve their mental health and help them to prepare for a positive move from hostels to living in the community. | £500,000 | People and Communities |
| The Ehlers-Danlos Support UK | Across Northern Ireland | The Ehlers Danlos Support UK is using a £9,950 grant to run local support groups online and face-to-face in Belfast/Co Down, Coleraine, and Dungannon/Cookstown The project will provide a safe space for people living with the condition to gain peer support and advice. | £9,950 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| The Fostering Network | Across Northern Ireland | The Fostering Network is using a £10,000 grant to run activities for children, young people and their kinship foster carers across Northern Ireland. The project will create a support network for families in similar situations to strengthen relationships, improve wellbeing and provide workshops to develop their key skills. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| The PBC Foundation (UK) Ltd | Across Northern Ireland | The PBC Foundation (UK) Ltd is using a £7,416 grant to provide support and improve mental health for people with Primary Biliary Cholangitis (a rare and progressive autoimmune liver condition). The project will provide training for volunteers and run workshops across Northern Ireland for members to help them manage the condition. | £7,416 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| The Sandcastle Trust | Across Northern Ireland | The Sandcastle Trust is using a £9,810 grant to provide respite support for families from across Northern Ireland who have a child, young person or parent living with a rare genetic condition. The project will provide opportunities for families to spend quality time together away from their daily routine. | £9,810 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| White Ribbon NI | Across Northern Ireland | White Ribbon NI, which is based in Larne but works across Northern Ireland, is using a £9,928 grant to train new volunteers to deliver their Listen, Learn, Lead programme. Volunteers will then have the skills to run sessions to raise awareness of violence against women and girls, at universities, sports clubs, youth clubs and businesses. | £9,928 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Women's Resource and Development Agency | Across Northern Ireland | Women’s Resource and Development Agency, in partnership with Aware NI, is using a £500,000 to expand their Maternal Advocacy Support (MAS) project to help more women across Northern Ireland. Over three years the project will further develop their network of peer support groups for women who are pregnant, or have children up to the age of three, who have experienced a maternal mental health problem. The project will support their groups already set up in Women’s Centres in Belfast, Dundonald, Derry/Londonderry, and Lisburn and also reach out to rural communities to set up new groups in Fermanagh, Magherafelt and Craigavon. The. The project will provide opportunities for women to meet others with lived experience, take part in training, rebuild their self-confidence and empower them to become advocates for better perinatal mental health services. | £500,000 | People and Communities |

## Table 2: Grants awarded in Antrim and Newtownabbey

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1st Monkstown Scout Group | Antrim and Newtownabbey | 1st Monkstown Scout Group is using a £10,000 grant to buy equipment and run residential trips to Millisle and Crawfordsburn. The residentials will improve teambuilding and confidence for an upcoming trip to England. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Edmund Rice College | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Edmund Rice College in Glengormley, is using an £8,500 grant to run a youth club for young people with ASD, to reduce isolation and build friendships. | £8,500 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Home-Start Antrim District | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Home-Start Antrim District is using a £10,000 grant to support local parents during the cost-of-living crisis and reduce the financial pressures of having a baby by running a weekly Baby Bank. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Loanend Bible and Crown Defenders LOL 585 | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Loanend Bible and Crown Defenders LOL 585, based outside Crumlin, is using a £9,996 grant to make improvements to Loanend Lodge Hall. Work includes refurbishing the toilets, installing a new water heater, and upgrading the kitchen facilities to make the hall more accessible and comfortable for community groups to use for activities. | £9,996 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Muckamore Parish Development Association | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Muckamore Parish Development Association, based in Ballycraigy, Antrim, is using a £10,000 grant to buy sensory and soft play equipment to help reduce anxiety and isolation for children and young people with sensory needs who are attending activities in the hall. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Rathenraw Youth Scheme | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Rathenraw Youth Scheme, based in Antrim, is using a £3,970 grant to provide a good relations and resilience training programme for local young people. The project will help young people to reach their potential and and promote stronger relationships within the community. | £3,970 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Rehability | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Rehability in Antrim is using a £199,955 grant to expand their support for people with poor mental health. Over three years the project will help challenge the stigma around mental health and run activities led by members, to improve skills, build confidence and reduce isolation. Activities including gym sessions, relaxation classes, trips and celebration events. The project will also buy a hybrid people carrier to help transport members to activities. | £199,955 | People and Communities |
| Templepatrick LOL 466 | Antrim and Newtownabbey | Templepatrick LOL 466, is using a £10,000 grant to make improvements to their hall. The project will refurbish the kitchen facilities to provide a better space for local groups to use and to celebrate their upcoming 200-year anniversary. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 3: Grants awarded in Ards and North Down

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Ballyhalbert Coronation LOL 878 | Ards and North Down | Ballyhalbert Coronation LOL 878 is using a £4,100 grant to buy furniture for their hall to improve facilities and for bringing people together in this rural area and reduce isolation. | £4,100 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Carrowdore and District Community Association | Ards and North Down | Carrowdore and District Community Association is using a £10,000 grant to provide a social hub to reduce isolation in this rural area. The hub will bring people together for events, to use shared cooking facilities for a luncheon club, access WIFI, swap books, and take part in arts and crafts. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Citizen Sea | Ards and North Down | Citizen Sea in Bangor is using a £10,000 grant to teach volunteers about marine environmental skills. They will also learn how to use a Wasteshark device which floats on water and collects plastic waste from the marina and coastline. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Home Start Ards Comber and Peninsula Area | Ards and North Down | Home Start Ards, Comber and Peninsula Area, based in Greyabbey is using a £10,000 grant to provide a respite playgroup for local families with a child under five years old. The project will support parents and children during difficult situations such as poor health or family breakdown. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Home-Start North Down | Ards and North Down | Home-Start North Down, based in Bangor, is using a £9,872 grant to provide weekly parent and baby/toddler group sessions. These groups will inform and support adults and allow children to learn through play. | £9,872 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| North Down Community Network | Ards and North Down | North Down Community Network in Bangor is using a £492,020 grant to support young people through youth club sessions in the Bloomfield, Breezemount, Clandeboye, Conlig and Whitehill areas. Over four years the project will help young people to reach their potential by providing safe spaces to make friends, learn new skills, develop their resilience and build self–esteem. The project expands on their previous DICE Clubs work to include a new club in Conlig Village and to encourage the young people to visit the youth clubs in other areas to help build relationships. Activities include homework support, career workshops, wellbeing activities, community events, mentoring and training programmes. | £492,020 | Empowering Young People |
| Positive Futures: Achieving Dreams, Transforming Lives | Ards and North Down | Positive Futures, based in Bangor, is using a £10,000 grant to expand their support for people with a learning disability, acquired brain injury or autism. The project will deliver training for staff and run Positive Behaviour Support sessions online and face-to-face. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Safer Waters | Ards and North Down | Safer Waters, based in Bangor, is using a £10,000 grant to buy transportation equipment to allow them to deliver water safety demonstrations at various venues and events on the Ards Peninsula to teach young people to respond confidently in emergency situations. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Sound Around Ards Talking Newspaper | Ards and North Down | Sound Around Ards Talking Newspaper is using a £6,500 grant to buy new recording equipment and furniture for their community studio. Volunteers will record a weekly CD containing information from local newspapers to help people with visual impairments and concentration problems, to access local news feel less isolated. The project will also organise a volunteer celebration event. | £6,500 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 4: Grants awarded in Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Ameera Youth Club | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Ameera Youth club, based in Craigavon, is using a £9,780 grant to support young women from diverse cultural backgrounds. The project will run a range of activities such as arts and crafts, sport and a residential trip to increase their self-esteem and leadership skills, improve wellbeing and promote integration. | £9,780 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Armagh Association Voluntary Welfare Group | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Armagh Association Voluntary Welfare Group is using a £2,850 grant to reduce isolation for members by bringing them together to reconnect and feel part of the community. The project will produce three informative magazines, organise for members to take part in a Remembrance Service and to attend an Old Soldiers Day event. | £2,850 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Armagh Banbridge & Craigavon Senior | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Armagh Banbridge and Craigavon Senior Network is using an £8,900 grant to improve the health and wellbeing of local older people. The project will run activities, produce a printed newsletter for digitally excluded older people, and run wellbeing events, including a Christmas celebration. | £8,900 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Armagh Roma Traveller Support | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Armagh Roma Traveller Support is using a £9,650 grant to improve the wellbeing and skills of local Roma children through after school activities. | £9,650 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballievey Women's Institute | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Ballievey Women's Institute, based outside Banbridge, is using a £3,480 grant to bring the community together and learn new skills through a range of workshops and activities. The project includes IT classes, crafting, repair workshops and showcase events for other local W.I.s and the wider community. | £3,480 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballymore Cultural Development Association | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Ballymore Cultural Development Association, based in Tandragee, is using a £9,950 grant to make the group more inclusive by refurbishing their toilet block with accessible facilities. | £9,950 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballymore Open Centre | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Ballymore Open Centre, based in Tandragee, is using a £9,051 grant to buy equipment to run a Duke of Edinburgh programme which will improve the resilience, problem-solving, teamwork and communication of local young people. | £9,051 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Carers Unite Carers Support Group | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Carers Unite Carers Support Group in Portadown, is using a £6,050 grant to improve the health and wellbeing of local carers. The project will run a range of craft workshops, a Christmas social event and a learning event with another group, to help build relationships and develop support networks. | £6,050 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Carleton over 50s Association | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Carleton over 50s Association in Portadown is using a £10,000 grant to reduce isolation and support people affected by the cost-of-living crisis. The project will run a range of health and wellbeing activities, including a Thursday Supper Club and educational visits and the project will also invest in IT equipment to support their activities. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Cohesive Community Partnership | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Cohesive Community Partnership, based in Armagh, is using a £9,250 grant to run Mourneview Youth Club in Lurgan, which will reduce loneliness and isolation, provide mental health support and reduce anti-social behaviour in the community. The project will provide learning activities for young people, mentoring support, and bring young and older people together through social events and visits to the local care home. | £9,250 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Home-Start Banbridge | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Home-Start Banbridge is using a £186,552 grant to expand their family support groups which provide a safe and inclusive space for families to increase their knowledge, skills and confidence. Over three years the project will bring parents together to learn from each other, build peer support networks and learn to better support their child’s development. The project will also provide play activities for children and their parents to promote their learning and development and build on family relationships. | £186,552 | People and Communities |
| Loughbrickland 60+Luncheon Club | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Loughbrickland 60+Luncheon Club is using a £9,995 grant to continue to run a luncheon club, provide activities, seasonal outings and a newsletter for local older people. The project will improve wellbeing and reduce loneliness and isolation. | £9,995 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Never Too Old | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Never Too Old, based in Portadown Masonic Hall, is using £9,190 to reduce social isolation and improve physical and mental health for local older people. The project will organise day trips and social activities for members. | £9,190 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Nifty Fifties Tandragee | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Nifty Fifties Tandragee is using a £5,176 grant to reduce social isolation for older people by organising trips to places members would otherwise not have the opportunity to visit and allowing them to share positive experiences together. | £5,176 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Orchard Social Club for Visually Impaired People | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | Orchard Social Club for Visually Impaired People based in Armagh, is using a £6,700 grant to fund a range of trips and activities for members to improve their connection to the wider community and increase confidence and learning. | £6,700 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| The S P R I N G Trust Ltd | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | The Spring Trust Ltd in west Armagh is using a £280,755 grant to build the confidence and self-esteem of local young people. Over three years the project will run social activities, training courses, staff outreach to disengaged young people, a drop-in service, one-to-one support, residentials and volunteering opportunities. The project will support young people to build positive relationships, reduce isolation, increase employability skills, develop coping mechanisms to deal with challenges in their lives and reduce risk taking behaviours. | £280,755 | Empowering Young People |
| Trustees of Kilmoriarty Orange Hall | Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon | The Trustees of Kilmoriarty Orange Hall, based in Portadown, are using a £9,850 grant to make improvements to the hall so it can continue to be used by local groups. Work includes laying concrete, replacing windows, painting interior and exterior walls, replacing fencing and installing security cameras. | £9,850 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 5: Grants awarded in Belfast

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 11th Belfast St. Colmcilles Scout Group Scouting Ireland | Belfast | 11th Belfast St.Colmcilles Scout Group, Scouting Ireland, which is based in east Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to buy equipment and run activities for their Venture Scouts group. The project will increase the young people’s confidence, build teamwork and develop life skills. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| 92nd Belfast Brownie Unit | Belfast | The 92nd Belfast Brownie Unit in south Belfast is using a £306 grant to raise member’s awareness of the local area and Girlguiding history. The project will increase their confidence, develop teamwork skills and build a sense of achievement by earning merit badges. | £306 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Adoption UK Charity | Belfast | Adoption UK Charity, which has a based in Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to run social activities to bring adopted young people together to meet and share experiences. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Annadale and Haywood Residents Association | Belfast | Annadale and Haywood Residents Association, based in south Belfast, is using a £9,884 grant to improve the health and wellbeing of local young people. The project will run a homework club to bring them together to make friends and attend workshops to help them to manage the stress of the academic year. | £9,984 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ark Housing Association Northern Ireland Limited | Belfast | Ark Housing Association Northern Ireland Ltd is using a £5,300 grant to improve the health and wellbeing of families experiencing homelessness. The project will create creative spaces within hostels across Belfast and run an arts programme to boost their confidence, skills and relationships. | £5,300 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Belfast Asian Women's Academy | Belfast | Belfast Asian Women's Academy is using a £63,100 grant to run activities for Asian migrant women and their families to help them build connections and reduce isolation. Over two years the project will bring newcomer families together with settled families to help them to integrate, share experiences and build peer support networks. | £63,100 | People and Communities |
| Ben Madigan Women's Group | Belfast | Ben Madigan Womens Group based in north Belfast is using a £9,815 grant to run activities for women to build relationships, reduce social isolation and improve their physical and mental wellbeing. | £9,815 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Cara-Friend | Belfast | Cara-Friend is using a £495,000 grant to create a network for LGBTQIA+ young people across Northern Ireland. Over three years the project will create fully inclusive, safe (physical and mental) spaces to empower and support young people to address the challenges they face and contribute to making a better society. Youth spaces will run in Armagh, Banbridge, Belfast, Downpatrick, Dungannon, Holywood, Lisburn, Lisnaskea, Magherafelt, Newcastle and Omagh. The project will also develop wider support networks through school-based youth groups and providing guidance materials to families, third sector and statutory youth service providers. | £495,000 | Empowering Young People |
| Clonard Neighbourhood Development Partnership | Belfast | Clonard Neighbourhood Development Partnership, based in west Belfast, is using a £1,500 grant to bring residents together and improve community spirit with a Christmas event. The project will help newcomers to the area to feel included. | £1,500 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Community Dialogue | Belfast | Community Dialogue, based in north Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to bring minority groups together and lead discussions to support them to share knowledge, build relationships and feel empowered to have a voice in the community. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Conradh na Gaeilge | Belfast | Conradh na Gaeilge in west Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to encourage people to enjoy Irish language and culture by organising events as part of the Seachtain na Gaeilge International Irish Language Festival. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Corpus Christi Youth Centre | Belfast | Corpus Christi Youth Centre, based in west Belfast, is using a £9,350 grant to organise afterschool activities for young people to support their education and bring them together to have fun. | £9,350 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Greater Village Regeneration Trust Ltd | Belfast | Greater Village Regeneration Trust Ltd in south Belfast is using a £354,402 grant to expand their employability and wellbeing programme for young people. Over three years the project will provide opportunities for young people, some of whom will have additional needs, to take part in vocational training and work placements, gain academic qualifications and build life skills. The project will also organise team building and volunteering experiences such as helping with community fridges and building ‘chatty benches’. The project will prepare the young people for the future, motivating them to set goals and raise their aspirations. | £354,402 | Empowering Young People |
| Greater Village Regeneration Trust Ltd | Belfast | Greater Village Regeneration Trust Ltd in south Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to run workshops to improve the mental health and wellbeing of people in the Greater Village and Sandy Row areas. Activities include craft, upcycling, relaxation exercises, nutrition and fitness. and health workshops. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Greenway Women's Group | Belfast | Greenway Women`s Group, based in east Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to support local women and their families. The project will provide childcare, including nutritious meals, while the women take part in training and development programmes | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Holy Trinity Youth Centre | Belfast | Holy Trinity Youth Centre in west Belfast is using a £498,185 grant to run a development programme for young people in the Turf Lodge and Upper Springfield areas. Over four years the project will engage young people who have barriers to attending youth services and support them to develop skills, build positive relationships and improve their self-esteem. Activities include mentoring, residentials, social action projects, drugs and alcohol support, counselling, leadership training, and employability support. | £498,185 | Empowering Young People |
| Living Hope Charity | Belfast | Living Hope Charity, based in the Shankill area, is using a £5,105 to run Christmas events to bring the community together. The project will provide a lunch for older people, Santa’s Grotto for young people and a petting farm visit for families. | £5,105 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Men's Advisory Project | Belfast | The Men's Advisory Project, based in Belfast, is using a £10,000 grant to support men experiencing domestic abuse. The project will help victims access help and create a support network. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| NI Together CIC | Belfast | NI Together CIC, based in Belfast is using a £9,180 grant to run workshops to increase knowledge and cultural awareness of the challenges facing minority groups. | £9,180 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Prison Arts Foundation | Belfast | Prison Arts Foundation, in partnership with Start360 and Community Sport Network, are using a £499,750 grant to create a network of support for people who have been through the judicial system. Over three years the project will run activities including sport, therapies, accredited training, creative arts and volunteering work to promote community integration and help to reduce reoffending. The project will empower people to improve their lives, support them to address their issues, and build their skills and confidence. | £499,750 | People and Communities |
| Saint Vincent De Paul Pre School Playgroup | Belfast | Saint Vincent De Paul Pre School Playgroup, based in north Belfast, is using a £9,999 grant to support local families by expanding their learning and play space for pre-preschool children. The project will open a second space for younger children and buy new equipment. | £9,999 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Scoil na Fuiseoige | Belfast | Scoil na Fuiseoige in west Belfast is using £9,800 to run an Irish Language men’s shed. The project will bring local men together to take part in activities, reduce loneliness, improve mental health and promote the heritage of the Irish Language. | £9,800 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Shankill Women’s Centre | Belfast | Shankill Womens Centre is using an £8,750 grant to buy equipment and improve their digital communications work to promote their services to more women in north and west Belfast and share their impact with the wider community. The project will create a new website, set up a digital newsletter and develop content for social media. | £8,750 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| SHINE Autism Support Group | Belfast | SHINE Autism Support Group in west Belfast, is using a £9,872 grant to run activities for young people with Autism, or who are awaiting a diagnosis. The project will improve their social and communication skills and provide opportunities to learn life skills. | £9,872 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Sporting Memories Network (Scotland) CIC | Belfast | Sporting Memories Network (Scotland) CIC is using an £8,400 grant to bring older people together, some of whom will have long-term health conditions, to connect through their sporting memories. The project will use sporting activities and memorabilia to spark conversations and stories to reduce isolation and improve wellbeing. The project will work with Age NI and the Irish FA to run a 12-week programme in Windsor Park, Belfast, and also to pilot some activities across Northern Ireland. | £8,400 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Starling Collective | Belfast | Starling Collective in Belfast is using a £10,000 grant to provide support and improve the wellbeing of asylum seekers in the area who fall outside the asylum system. The project will provide financial advice, training, and help people find accommodation. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Suffolk Community Forum | Belfast | Suffolk Community Forum in west Belfast, is using a £5,030 grant to run a circus skills project for young people to build their social and communication skills which will support them in other aspects of their lives. | £5,030 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Survivors of Trauma | Belfast | Survivors of Trauma, based in north Belfast, is using £4,800 to improve their therapeutic services for victims and survivors of the Troubles. The project will buy three electrically powered treatment couches to improve the experience for people receiving complimentary therapies to improve their mental wellbeing. | £4,800 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Versus Arthritis | Belfast | Versus Arthritis, based in north Belfast is using a £10,000 grant to bring together volunteers to improve their wellbeing and celebrate their work by hosting a special recognition event. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 6: Grants awarded in Causeway Coast and Glens

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Ballybogey Over 50’s Club | Causeway Coast and Glens | Ballybogey Over 50's Club, near Coleraine, is using a £9,000 grant to reduce isolation and improve the health and wellbeing of older people in the area. The project will run activities including arts and crafts workshops, exercise classes, wellbeing workshops, a luncheon club and day trips. | £9,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballycastle Community Hub Ltd | Causeway Coast and Glens | Ballycastle Community Hub Ltd is using a £10,000 grant to set up a community hub café and run workshops to support people to develop key skills to save money and reduce waste. The project will teach gardening skills to grow food, sewing to repair and upcycle clothing. The project will also set up a system for selling second-hand baby items at a low-cost to new parents. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballymoney Men's Shed | Causeway Coast and Glens | Ballymoney Men’s Shed is using a £10,000 grant to run activities to bring men together to reduce isolation, learn new skills and improve their wellbeing. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Benedy Community Association Limited | Causeway Coast and Glens | Benedy Community Association Limited, based outside Dungiven, is using a £10,000 grant to run activities to improve the physical and mental wellbeing of local residents. The project will also refurbish the kitchen facilities to provide refreshments for activities including, a Christmas party. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Boveedy Spring Well Club | Causeway Coast and Glens | Boveedy Spring Well Club, based outside Kilrea, is using a £9,975 grant to bring people together to take part in workshops and daytrips to improve their wellbeing. | £9,975 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| C.O.A.S.T (Causeway Older Active Strategic Team) | Causeway Coast and Glens | Causeway Older Active Strategic Team is using an £8,612 grant to run craft and wellbeing workshops Limavady, Coleraine, Ballymoney and Moyle to build the confidence of local older people and help them to make connections. | £8,612 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Coleraine Borough 50+ Forum | Causeway Coast and Glens | Coleraine Borough 50+ Forum is using a £9,990 grant to distribute over 300 Winter Keep Warm packs for older people in the Coleraine, Portrush, Portstewart, Castlerock, and Macosquin areas. The project will help them stay warm and improve their wellbeing over the winter months. | £9,990 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Dungiven Men's Shed | Causeway Coast and Glens | Dungiven Men’s Shed is using a £9,580 grant to run activities to improve the health and wellbeing of local men. The project will help develop practical skills including a Reuse, Reskill and Recycle programme, and building raised beds and learning to grow produce to use in their cookery activities. | £9,580 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Friends of Castlecatt War Memorial Hall | Causeway Coast and Glens | Friends of Castlecatt War Memorial Hall, based in Bushmills, is using a £1,000 grant to run community craft activities and a Christmas tea party bring people together to improve mental health and reduce rural isolation. | £1,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Kilmoyle Primary School | Causeway Coast and Glens | Kilmoyle Primary School and Nursery Unit, based outside Ballymoney, is using a £2,935 grant to bring parents and toddlers together to take part in activities and support their learning and development. | £2,935 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Limavady Community Development Initiative Ltd | Causeway Coast and Glens | Limavady Community Development Initiative Ltd is using a £9,750 grant to run workshops for adults with learning disabilities. The project will reduce social isolation, boost confidence and build friendships. | £9,750 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Magilligan Community Association | Causeway Coast and Glens | Magilligan Community Association is using a £10,000 grant to bring the local community together to improve wellbeing and make connections. Activities include seasonal events, parent and toddler groups, craft groups, a community fridge and warm space drop-in sessions. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| North Antrim Cultural and Musical Society (NACMS) | Causeway Coast and Glens | North Antrim Cultural and Musical Society, based outside Ballymoney, is using a £10,000 grant to carry out repairs and improve the accessibility of Glendinning Hall to make it a more comfortable space for local groups to utilise. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Tapp Friens Community Group | Causeway Coast and Glens | Tapp Friens Community Group in Ballymoney is using an £8,662 grant to bring people together to reduce rural isolation and learn new skills. Activities include art and craft workshops and educational trips. | £8,662 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ulidia Community Empowerment CIC | Causeway Coast and Glens | Ulidia Community Empowerment CIC in Ballymoney is using a £10,000 grant to provide training to produce podcasts on the HERstory-Women in Loyalism project. The project will improve the confidence, skills and knowledge of members. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 7: Grants awarded in Derry City and Strabane

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Altnagelvin Parents | Derry City and Strabane | Altnagelvin Parents, based in Derry/Londonderry, is using a £9,965 grant to organise a Christmas party for families who regularly attend the children's ward at Altnagelvin Hospital. The event will include Santas’ Grottos, games, and a Christmas dinner. The project will reduce stress for parents by bringing their children to a free event with familiar people and support. | £9,965 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ardstraw Area Women's Group | Derry City and Strabane | Ardstraw Area Women’s Group is using a £7,290 grant to run creative workshops, events and day trips to bring local women together, reduce rural isolation and improve their wellbeing. The project will also celebrate the group’s 20-year anniversary. | £7,290 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballylaw Women's Group | Derry City and Strabane | Ballylaw Women’s Group, based near Donemana, is using a £6,500 grant to reduce rural isolation and improve the health and wellbeing of local women. The project will run craft and exercise workshops, informative talks, and a networking visit to a similar group. | £6,500 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Bogside & Brandywell Initiative | Derry City and Strabane | Bogside and Brandywell Initiative in Derry/Londonderry is using a £10,000 grant to run their Hen’s Shed to reduce isolation and improve the health and wellbeing of local women. The project will run craft sessions, exercise classes and teach them new skills to build their confidence. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Campsie Masonic Community Hall Social Club | Derry City and Strabane | Campsie Masonic Community Hall Social Club is using a £10,000 grant to support older people impacted by the cost-of-living crisis in Campsie, Claudy, and Eglinton. The project will deliver workshops on energy efficiency, provide nutritional and money-saving advice, and bring people together to share a hot meal. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Castle Crafts | Derry City and Strabane | Castle Crafts in Castlederg, is using a £4,932 grant to run craft sessions and outings to reduce rural isolation and loneliness for local older people. | £4,932 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Currynierin Community Association | Derry City and Strabane | Currynierin Community Association, based in Derry/Londonderry, is using a £10,000 grant to run events to bring the local community together. The project will include a Christmas event, dinner dance for older people and a summer festival. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Derry Theatre Trust | Derry City and Strabane | Derry Theatre Trust is using a £9,440 grant to run DJ training for young people and adults who have physical, sensory or learning disabilities. The project will provide a place for young people to express themselves and give them the skills and confidence to DJ at their disco nights. | £9,440 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Foyle Women's Aid | Derry City and Strabane | Foyle Women's Aid, based in Derry/Londonderry, is using a £10,000 grant to support local women to improve their confidence and skills to overcome the barriers they face to be the best version of themselves. The Dress for Success NI – Survive and Thrive project will include health workshops, meditation, styling sessions, financial advice and preparation for employment. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Hive Cancer Support Ltd | Derry City and Strabane | Hive Cancer Support Ltd, based in Derry/Londonderry, is using a £10,000 grant to bring a range of top cancer specialists, researchers and community based environmental projects together for World Cancer Day 2024. The event will focus on improving knowledge of the impacts of environmental toxins and practical solutions to address this. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| John Mitchel's GAC, Claudy | Derry City and Strabane | John Mitchel’s GAC, Claudy, is using a £10,000 grant to make improvements to Cumber House so it can be used for a wider range of community activities. The hall will be used as a community hub to reduce rural isolation and improve the health and wellbeing. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Kinship Care Northern Ireland Ltd | Derry City and Strabane | Kinship Care Northern Ireland Ltd is using a £9,997 grant to organise Christmas activities in Belfast, Derry/Londonderry and Strabane for children and young people living in kinship care or community care. Activities will include outings to Christmas shows, a Christmas Disco, a Santa Bus and a Christmas Craft Party. | £9,997 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Londonderry YMCA Ltd | Derry City and Strabane | Londonderry YMCA Ltd is using a £10,000 grant to create a therapeutic, relaxation space for children with emotional, social and cognitive challenges to use when they are taking part in activities. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Music to Your Ears | Derry City and Strabane | Music to Your Ears based in Strabane, is using a £10,000 grant to reduce isolation and loneliness and improve the mental health and wellbeing of local older men. The project will run music, creative writing and drama classes leading up to a performance to showcase the group’s achievements. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| North West Community Network | Derry City and Strabane | North West Community Network in Derry/Londonderry is using a £9,450 grant to run Human Library sessions. The project will bring people together to talk about their experiences and promote discussions on prejudice and discrimination. | £9,450 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Springhill Park Area Residents and Youth Association | Derry City and Strabane | Springhill Park Area Residents and Youth Association in Strabane is using a £166,501 grant to run activities to support children and young people in the area. Over five years the project will run homework clubs, educational workshops, life skills, sports, seasonal events and trips. The project will build friendships, improve confidence, support their schoolwork and teach them skills to improve their lives. | £166,501 | Empowering Young People |
| Triax Social Economy Project Ltd | Derry City and Strabane | Triax Social Economy Project Ltd, based in Derry/Londonderry, is using a £9,700 grant to run activities for young people to strengthen relationships and raise awareness of environmental issues. The project will include environment workshops, opportunities to become Eco Warriers, family days, and tours of their allotments. | £9,700 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Tullyally Community Partnership | Derry City and Strabane | Tullyally Community Partnership in Derry/Londonderry is using a £10,000 grant to bring residents together to reduce isolation and improve wellbeing. The project will run a weekly luncheon club for older or vulnerable people and organise a Christmas event for people impacted by the rising cost of living. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 8: Grants awarded in Fermanagh and Omagh

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Colmcille Club | Fermanagh and Omagh | The Colmcille Club, based in Omagh, is using a £2,798 grant to reduce isolation for local older people by bringing them together to enjoy a Christmas celebratory trip to Belfast, including a tour of the Titanic Museum and afternoon tea. | £2,798 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Connect Fermanagh | Fermanagh and Omagh | Connect Fermanagh, based in Enniskillen, is using a £10,000 grant to run befriending activities to improve wellbeing and reduce isolation for local older people. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Culmore and O'Kane Residents Association | Fermanagh and Omagh | Culmore and O’Kane Residents Association in Omagh are using a £9,980 grant to run training for volunteers and deliver activities for local residents. The project includes a youth club, women’s groups, and activities for older people to build relationships and improve skills. | £9,980 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Drumduff & Drumnakilly Community Association | Fermanagh and Omagh | Drumduff and Drumnakilly Community Association, based outside Omagh, is using a £9,660 grant to bring people of all ages in the community together to take part in activities to improve their skills and confidence. The project includes cookery classes, arts and crafts, seasonal events, and team building activities. | £9,660 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Fermanagh Voluntary Welfare Support Group | Fermanagh and Omagh | Fermanagh Local Voluntary Welfare Group, based in Enniskillen, is using a £4,700 grant to provide respite trips and events for retired police officers and their families. The project will reduce isolation and improve their wellbeing. | £4,700 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Magheraveely Sunshine Club | Fermanagh and Omagh | Magheraveely Sunshine Club, based outside Newtownbutler, is using a £9,950 grant to bring members together to celebrate their 25-year Anniversary. The project will produce a book of memories about the club, host a Christmas lunch, and run social activities throughout the year to reduce rural isolation and improve the wellbeing. | £9,950 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Rouskey Community and Development Association | Fermanagh and Omagh | Rouskey Community and Development Association near Omagh is using a £9,990 grant to bring people together to take part in activities in their community centre and garden. The project will include gardening, nature sessions, men’s shed activities, mindfulness sessions and seasonal family events. | £9,990 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Tursallagh Community Association | Fermanagh and Omagh | Tursallagh Community Association, based near Carrickmore, is using a £2,200 grant to install a defibrillator in a local disused phone box in this rural area. The project will provide access to lifesaving equipment in a medical emergency. | £2,200 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 9: Grants awarded in Lisburn and Castlereagh

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Aghalee Village Hall | Lisburn and Castlereagh | Aghalee Village Hall is using a £10,000 grant to make improvements to their building, buy equipment for arts and crafts activities and carry out strategic planning. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballymacash Neighbourhood Community Craft Group | Lisburn and Castlereagh | Ballymacash Neighbourhood Community Craft Group, based in Lisburn, is using a £6,911 grant to buy outdoor equipment and build a log cabin at their allotment site so members can use the area comfortably during the winter. | £6,911 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Drumbo and District Community Association | Lisburn and Castlereagh | Drumbo and District Community Association is using a £9,985 grant to buy equipment for their Men Shed. The project will provide activities for the men to learn new skills and build connections in a safe and welcoming environment. | £9,985 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Haemochromatosis UK | Lisburn and Castlereagh | Haemochromatosis UK is using a £10,000 grant to raise awareness in rural/farming communities about haemochromatosis (a condition where the body builds up too much iron which causes organ damage). The project will host a stand at events, including the Balmoral Show, and run educational workshops. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Mazetown Rural Action Collective | Lisburn and Castlereagh | Mazetown Rural Action Collective, based at Maze Orange Hall near Lisburn is using a £9,735 grant to install PV solar panels to reduce their energy bills and carbon footprint. The project will also organise two community environment workshops. | £9,735 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| SEN Space Care and Respite Services CIC | Lisburn and Castlereagh | SEN Space Care and Respite Services CIC in Dunmurry is using a £142,960 grant to expand the support they provide for children and young people with disabilities and their families from Belfast, Lisburn and Castlereagh. Over two years the project will run activities such as afterschool clubs and parent and toddler groups, with tailored support to cater for everyone’s needs. The project will provide respite care for children so parents can take part in sessions focused on themselves, and also bring families together to make connections, share experiences and reduce isolation. | £142,960 | People and Communities |
| The Cancer Fund for Children | Lisburn and Castlereagh | The Cancer Fund for Children is using a £10,000 grant to run their CareFree Choir sessions in Dundonald for families impacted by cancer. The project will provide a space for families to feel less isolated, connect with others who understand their situation, and have some fun at a difficult time in their lives. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 10: Grants awarded in Mid and East Antrim

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Ballykeel Together Development Association | Mid and East Antrim | Ballykeel Together Development Association, based in Ballymena, is using a £3,100 grant to run a tailored youth club for children and young people with Autism or additional needs, to make friends and for parents/carers to make connections and reduce stress. The project will also organise a Christmas party adapted to the needs of the children and organise two horse riding trips in spring. | £3,100 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Bann Maine West | Mid and East Antrim | Bann Maine West in Cullybackey is using a £10,000 grant to bring older people together for activities, to reduce rural isolation and provide an opportunity to access advice and services. Activities include a lunch and learn club, skills workshops, men's breakfast club and technology club. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballymena RUC Association | Mid and East Antrim | Ballymena RUC Association is using a £10,000 grant to run respite social events and publish a newsletter. The project will keep members informed and bring them together to reduce isolation and improve their self-esteem. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Carnlough Women’s Institute | Mid and East Antrim | Carnlough Women’s Institute is using a £7,800 grant to run a weekly drop-in centre at Ardclinis Parish Hall for local older people to reconnect and feel part of the community. The project will include day trips, crafts, bingo, music workshops, storytelling, and live music sessions. | £7,765 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Cullybackey Community Partnership | Mid and East Antrim | Cullybackey Community Partnership is using a £10,000 grant to run skills building workshops and events to improve community spirit. The project includes a Christmas celebration with music from the two local school choirs, and a family fun day in the summer. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| D3MAC | Mid and East Antrim | D3MAC, which is based in Ballymena, is using a £10,000 grant to run family events to bring the local community together and strengthen relationships. The project includes fun days, a Christmas fair, a colour run and mental health awareness campaign. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Good Morning Carrickfergus | Mid and East Antrim | Good Morning Carrickfergus is using an £8,359 grant to organise a Christmas dinner for their volunteers and older people from Carrickfergus, Greenisland and Whitehead. The project will also make winter packs to deliver to their clients to help them to stay warm. | £8,359 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Home-Start East Antrim | Mid and East Antrim | Home-Start East Antrim is using a £10,000 grant to set up a baby bank in Larne to support families during the cost-of-living crisis. The project, run by volunteers, will provide essential baby items which have been donated. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Larne YMCA | Mid and East Antrim | Larne YMCA is using a £10,000 grant to run training and learning activities for local young people. The project will build their employability skills, develop their cultural understanding and provide volunteering opportunities. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Portglenone Enterprise Group Limited | Mid and East Antrim | Portglenone Enterprise Group Limited is using a £9,990 grant to run training courses and classes to bring the community together to socialise and build their skills. The project includes a walking group, cooking classes, budgeting, DIY, and bowling. | £9,990 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Portglenone Senior Citizens Arts & Crafts Club | Mid and East Antrim | Portglenone Senior Citizens Arts and Crafts Club is using a £3,870 grant to run art classes, an arts exhibition and cultural trips. The project will reduce rural isolation, promote active ageing and improve wellbeing. | £3,870 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| The Ballymena Club For The Hard Of Hearing | Mid and East Antrim | The Ballymena Club for the Hard of Hearing is using a £3,631 grant to run lipreading classes to for people with hearing impairments to improve their communication and reduce loneliness and isolation. The project will also buy a new portable hearing loop system. | £3,631 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 11: Grants awarded in Mid Ulster

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Active Retirement Cookstown | Mid Ulster | Active Retirement Cookstown is using an £8,660 grant to run activities to reduce social and rural isolation and keep members active. The project will include horticultural classes, informative talks and reminiscence sessions where stories, poems and memories of Cookstown will be collated in a book. | £8,660 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Clonfeacle Parish Church | Mid Ulster | Clonfeacle Parish Church, based in Benburb, is using a £7,383 grant to run a Christmas festival to improve community spirit. The project includes Christmas carolling, Santa’s grotto, refreshments, petting farm and festive crafts. | £7,383 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Cookstown Community Centre | Mid Ulster | Cookstown Community Centre is using a £9,819 grant to upgrade their heating system and kitchen facilities to make a more comfortable space for local groups to use and improve their energy efficiency. | £9,819 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Crilly Cultural and Youth Group | Mid Ulster | Crilly Cultural and Youth Group, based outside Augher, is using a £10,000 grant to hold an event to thank their volunteers and make them feel valued as part of the community. The project will also buy a storage container to hold equipment for their outdoor equipment. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Derryloran Flute Band | Mid Ulster | Derryloran Flute Band in Cookstown, is using a £10,000 grant to carry out renovations to their hall to create a larger community space for activities to take place. Works will include flooring, insulation, heaters and fencing. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Kildress Wolfe Tones GAA | Mid Ulster | Kildress Wolfe Tones GAA is using a £4,024 grant to buy equipment to run a series of cultural, wellbeing, ICT and exercise workshops. The project will bring all ages in the community together and improve their wellbeing. | £4,024 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| MHS Heritage & Culture Ltd | Mid Ulster | MHS Heritage and Culture Ltd in Maghera is using a £192,357 grant to develop The Hearth Healthy Aging and Arts Hub for local older people. Over three years the project will run activities for local older people to build connections, reduce loneliness, and improve their knowledge and confidence to cope with health and financial challenges. The hub will provide a warm social space to take part in activities, including signposting advice to key services, weekly hot meals, health and wellbeing talks, cooking classes, internet workshops, creative activities, and chair aerobics. | £192,357 | People and Communities |
| Mid Ulster Victims' Empowerment | Mid Ulster | Mid Ulster Victims' Empowerment, based in Cookstown, is using £9,993 to make improvements to their building to ensure it is accessible and functional for members to use their services. | £9,993 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Shopmobility Mid Ulster | Mid Ulster | Shopmobility Mid Ulster is using a £10,000 grant to create an accessible toilet in their disability access hub in Cookstown, which provides information and support for people with disabilities or mobility issues. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Sunflower Support NI | Mid Ulster | Sunflower Support NI, based in Coagh, Co Tyrone, is using a £10,000 grant to buy equipment to improve accessibility and run activities for children with additional needs and their carers to build connections. The project will include self-care workshops, gardening, and physical activities to improve motor skills development. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Victim Support Welfare Group | Mid Ulster | The Victim Support Welfare group, based in Clogher, are using £10,000 to install disability access to their building to make it more inclusive for local people. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |

## Table 12: Grants awarded in Newry, Mourne and Down

| **Organisation** | **Location** | **Project summary** | **Amount awarded** | **Funding programme** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Autism Support Kilkeel | Newry, Mourne and Down | Autism Support Kilkeel is using a £9,620 grant to provide tailored swimming lessons and water safety skills sessions for children with autism who aren’t able to attend mainstream lessons. | £9,620 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Ballyhornan And District Community Association | Newry, Mourne and Down | Ballyhornan and District Community Association is using an £8,150 grant to host Christmas and summer festivals for local families. The events will bring people together and improve community spirit. | £8,150 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Craobh Rua Camlocha | Newry, Mourne and Down | Craobh Rua Camlocha, based in Bessbrook, is using a £10,000 grant to buy kitchen equipment, workshop materials and furniture to improve the facilities for community activities for all ages. | £10,000 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Crossmaglen University of the Third Age | Newry, Mourne and Down | Crossmaglen University of the Third Age is using a £6,192 grant to celebrate their 20-year anniversary. The project will bring members together to take part in activities and celebration events to thank them for their commitment over the years. | £6,192 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Dorsey Senior Citizens | Newry, Mourne and Down | Dorsey Senior Citizens in south Armagh is using an £8,030 grant to run arts and crafts workshops and organise day trips for local older women. The project will reduce isolation and improve their wellbeing. | £8,030 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Inverbrena over 50's Group | Newry, Mourne and Down | Inverbrena Over 50's group, based in Strangford, is using a £5,550 grant to buy equipment and run exercise classes and a series of cultural trips to bring local older people together. The project will include aa celebration for one of their members to mark their 100th Birthday. | £5,550 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Mullaghbawn Cú Chulainns CLG | Newry, Mourne and Down | Mullaghbawn Cú Chulainns CLG, outside Newry, is using a £2,110 grant to run a weekly parent and toddler group with varied activities to promote early child development and provide an opportunity for parents to socialise and support each other. | £2,110 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| Newry and Mourne Co-Operative Limited | Newry, Mourne and Down | Newry and Mourne Co-operative Limited is using a £325,201 grant to provide educational and employment activities for young people in the Newry, Mourne and Down, and Banbridge areas, to help them reach their potential. Over three years the project will provide training, community volunteering projects, mentoring, work placements and support to deal with the challenges they face. The project will develop their skills, increase confidence, improve their wellbeing, and help them to re-engage with education or seek employment. | £325,201 | Empowering Young People |
| St Colman’s GAC Drumaness | Newry, Mourne and Down | St Colman’s GAC Drumaness is using a £9,800 grant to bring local older people together to take part in activities and share a warm meal. The project will reduce isolation and loneliness and reduce the impact of the cost-of-living crisis. | £9,800 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| St John’s GAC | Newry, Mourne and Down | St John’s GAC, based outside Castlewellan, is using a £7,778 grant to buy equipment and make improvements to their kitchen facilities. The project will provide a more suitable space for the local community to use including older people benefiting from a warm space and a cup of tea while taking part in activities and cooking classes. | £7,778 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |
| St. Bronagh's Youth Club | Newry, Mourne and Down | St. Bronagh’s Youth Club in Rostrevor is using an £8,570 grant to run activities for local young people to improve their mental and physical wellbeing. The project includes football, dancing, and arts and crafts. | £8,570 | Awards for All Northern Ireland |