



VINCI UK
FOUNDATION
Annual Report
2019

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Fighting social exclusion together

The VINCI UK Foundation funded by eight UK Subsidiaries and set up in 2016 has been a huge success. Our main aim, to fight social exclusion, is at the heart of the Foundation and we do this by creating lasting relationships between associations and employees (VINCI sponsors) who donate time and professional skills. With a total of 96 projects supported so far; 29 in 2019, VINCI has taken this opportunity to give back to the communities where we live and work, targeting areas such as 'Promoting access to employment', 'Integration through housing', 'Inclusive mobility'

and 'Building better communities in underprivileged neighbourhoods', VINCI has the opportunity to have a really positive influence on local communities. It has been a privilege to see the tangible benefit that the Foundation provides to so many deserving organisations in and the enjoyment on the faces of our own employees noticeably proud of the benefits that they have been able to bring to the different organisations.

We are looking forward to further developing the work of the Foundation in 2020 and our thanks goes to all those who supported us in 2019 and have made the work of the Vinci Foundation so successful.



Phil Hines

Chairman of the VINCI UK Foundation



Ruth Otley

Head Coordinator of the VINCI UK Foundation

2018



Applications 44



Projects 24



Funding granted 207k



Sponsors 26

185,000
Funds (raised in 2019)200,000
Project grants*

Budget 2019

2019



Applications 59



Projects 29



Funding granted 200k



Sponsors 30

How we have grown

- The Selection Committee, with **Philip Hines** as representative of the Board of Directors, selected **29 projects** out of 59 applications
- Each project has **between 1 and 2 VINCI sponsors** associated.
- The Local Co-ordinators, the Sponsors and the charities have been informed of whether they had been selected or not.
- The 29 successful projects are to **receive between £3,000 and £20,000** each.
- The **Partnership Agreements** of the successful projects have then been sent out and have all been signed.

Our Successful Projects

Local engagement – Sponsorship – Responsibility



Taking action against all forms of social exclusion

The Foundation supports projects that provide lasting solutions to social or employment integration difficulties experienced by some of the underprivileged in the community.

Encouraging initiatives

The Foundation encourages initiatives located as close as possible to the regions where VINCI is present. In order to adapt to local circumstances and encourage the social commitment of Group employees, the Foundation has created a European network. Today, there are 12 Foundations making a lasting commitment to fighting exclusion.

Support dual aid for project sponsors

The Foundation systematically provides support in two forms to the projects in which it participates: financial aid for investments and the skills of one or more Group employees.

Evaluating our impact

All the projects that receive the Foundation's support are monitored and assessed. The project managers and their VINCI sponsors conduct an annual review of their actions together. The Foundation sets objectives for each project to enable the measurement of its impact, especially in deprived neighbourhoods.



Art 4 Wellbeing

Reduce loneliness & support wellbeing

Art for Wellbeing is an organisation dedicated to gathering all the generation together to share activities. Developing a network of interlinked community hubs in rural communities. Their overall purpose is to deliver projects, and to engage with vulnerable people. Working alongside groups co productively where

ever possible to co design a project to fit needs, working with personal and asset-based community development, building engagement, inclusive participation, confidence, teaching new skills, transferable skills, increasing self-belief, overcoming negative scripting, enable people to live more connected fulfilling lives, greater support networks, a greater understanding of their unique self-potential.

A vehicle for 2 purposes

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, A4W will be able to purchase a vehicle for two purposes.

The first one, to outreach work enabling them to set up in rural locations by offer pop up story studio engagement, mobile creative workshops, using additional pop up space for workshops, engaging local people in activities and conversation, attending isolated village shows, supporting a community to move forwards. And in another hand, to create a tool lending library. By developing a creative lending library, the aim is to encourage sharing of community assets. They want to involve the hub volunteers to develop sustainable practices and share assets.

The main objective is to reduce loneliness and support wellbeing.



Sponsor

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Charity

A4W Innovation

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Amount of funding

£10,000

Project

A4W Compassionate, Creative, Co-productive, Community hub project

Involvement of the sponsor

Help them with their project and visit the workshops as a volunteer



Take your leads

Giving everybody the chance to lead their future

Abergele Community Action is a community led organisation that seeks to meet the needs of people in the community that are, or at a risk of becoming, excluded from educational, social, economic and digital opportunities. Known as Itaca,

they operate out of an Internet Café and IT resource. Itaca, is an example of a successful community enterprise which uses the income generated from the commercial use of the building to provide a superb ground floor facility to the public and new state-of-the-art sports chairs.

By providing services to the community such as work club, foodbank, eat well spend less advice, community money advice, youth inclusion, and supported volunteering they want young people to take back control of their life.

In a favourable place

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the group will be able to refurbish one building of two rooms. The project is to equip the two classrooms and a community workshop area for people aged 11-25 yrs. The young people will work on the design and fit out, then it will be open for the community.

The first room, will be equipped with two kitchen work stations where young people can gather to cook and enjoy a meal together. There will be opportunities for informal teaching, discussion and activities around the table. And the second room will be used as a communal workshop providing opportunities for young people to create their own space and pursue practical activities of their design.

This investment will contribute offering a safe and friendly environment to work together or individually.



Sponsor

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Charity

Abergele Community Action

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Amount of funding

£4,000

Project

Abergele Youth Shed

Involvement of the sponsor

Offer tutoring, workshop, careers advice, help with management skills and expertise

Ballaghaderreen Men's Shed



A Shed for Sharing

An opportunity for conversation

Ballaghaderreen Mens shed is a place where they accommodate the needs of the community, also they accommodate teenagers on work placement schemes. They arrange social outings a few times a year, like a day at the races, a trip on a boat followed by educational walks on an island, and they attended the cinema. In the shed upstairs they play card and board games. They invite guest speakers covering topics from diabetes, health and wellbeing, home security and making a will. They have undertaken computer courses and defibrillator training. For Christmas they hosted 44 adults where family members came along.

In a renovated shed

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Ballaghaderreen Men's Shed plans to renovate the ground floor to provide a workshop with suitable equipment for the members to use in a safe environment and allow their creative minds to click. They will need to provide tools to run classes and sessions on woodworking and other skills. It will be a place to have company and fight loneliness. A workshop is a way of inspiring the individual to be active again. With good equipment, a good team and training, members will thrive.



Sponsor

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Charity

Ballaghaderreen Men's Shed

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Amount of funding

£3,000

Project

Development projects workshop upgrade

Involvement of the sponsor

Help with practical and computing skills, track their membership, implement smart goals to track our progress and create surveys



Rebuilding life of refugees

Help to improve quality life

Barnet Refugee Services is a charity which want to improve the quality of life and promote the physical, social and mental well-being of refugees and asylum seekers in London. Their main aim is to support and empower refugees and asylum seekers to rebuild their lives and integrate into UK society. Through various activities they support refugees such as Advice and Information, Volunteering and Employment, English classes, Women's group, Men's group, Gardening and Ecotherapy, Group therapy, Health access workshops and many other.

By expanding its services

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Barnet Refugee Services has been able to set up a new floor in the same building to welcome refugees. This new space will allow them to receive more refugees and asylum seekers. The project is for the refurbishment and fit-out of this space, it will accommodate staff and counselling rooms.



Sponsor

Alexander Chaizemartin
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Grands Projects

Charity

Barnet Refugee Services

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Amount of funding

£5,000

Project

New Place for an expansion of services

Involvement of the sponsor

Assist the charity in identifying and sourcing value in the procurement of furnitures and items



Helping blind and partially sighted people gain employment

Offering new opportunities for blind people

The Blind In Business is a charity that provide specialist training and employment advice. They try to remove the barriers and challenges that blind and partially sighted people face getting into work. They do this by helping clients update their C.V, by giving the practice interview and making them aware of what routes into employment might be suitable for them. Blind and visually impaired people of working ages looking to get in to employment are at the core of the beneficiaries.

The organisation works mainly with blind graduates under the age of 30, but also with parents and carers of all ages, teachers and education professionals working with visually impaired students in education.

New (technology) equipment suite

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, new equipment suite in the office will be fitted with the latest access technology. This will give guidance to 50 beneficiaries who would benefit from this project over a period of 1 year and 50% of these beneficiaries are expected to move into employment. The targeted access technology has various features to allow blind people to access information on a computer. Some of them include screen reading -i.e. the technology will read aloud what's on the screen, manipulating the colours on the screen to have the information presented in a higher contrast easier to see format, and various other features.



Sponsor

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Eurovia

Charity

Blind In Business

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Amount of funding

£5,353

Project

The Access Technology Suite

Involvement of the sponsor

Assist the charity in one of their 'education to employment events'. Help guide blind people around the event and conduct mock interviews



Fresh bread. Fresh start.

Empower refugees

Breadwinners is helping refugees in London to empower them through entrepreneurship, employment, work experience, training and mentoring whilst providing Londoners with the best organic artisan bread. Breadwinners plays two important roles. One support refugees who already have status and are struggling to find work with their first employment in UK, the Breadwinners Programme, a 7 months programme. And two, the Risers Programme, a 2 months programme, which provide early intervention support for young people seeking asylum to build transferable skills, gain UK work experience, prepare them to become entrepreneurs.

Expanding the market stalls

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, in 2019, their aim is to expand their market stalls from 4 to a total of 8, and employ a total of 16 refugees. With the objective for each market stall to be self-sustainable within a month, meaning bread sales cover running costs and allows Breadwinners to employ refugees with their first UK work experience.



Sponsor

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Grands Projets UK

Charity

Breadwinners

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Amount of funding

£6,520

Project

Purchase new equipment,
expanding their market stalls

Involvement of the sponsor

Support with volunteers
mentors and venues for
training



A place to learn

Carrying out new activities...

Canley Community Centre provides children's and youth activities at the centre as well as providing the facilities for sports, recreation and interest groups. The centre exists to provide facilities and promote the health and wellbeing of the community of Canley in Coventry, an area of significant social deprivation, it is among the 10% most deprived neighbourhoods in the country. They have a regular user base of over 500 people across a variety of groups and

activities that take place at the centre. This ranges from mother's and toddlers, children's and youth groups through to all-age groups such as church groups and fitness classes. They would like to start healthy eating and cooking classes.

... by providing workspace

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Canley Community Centre will be able to refurbish a kitchen. Enabling them to run healthy eating and cooking classes to improve physical well-being of residents and to help people eat well on a budget. Other users of the centre such

as the children's groups would benefit from having proper functioning kitchen facilities allowing hot and cold meals to be created at the centre. Improved kitchen facilities will also make the centre more attractive to private hire groups who's hire fees help them to fund the community activities.



Sponsor

Trevor McClay
VINCI Energies UK

Charity

Canley Community Centre

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Amount of funding

£7,200

Project

The Dream: 5 different projects / kitchen refurbishment

Involvement of the sponsor

Help the charity with experience in project management and providing contact with kitchen supplier.



Home from Home

Housing homelessness

'Chelmsford Chess seeks to relieve homelessness and related hardships and distress amongst single adults in Chelmsford and Essex, through the provision of support services and temporary accommodation that helps them move on in their lives'.

Their general activities consist of housing 32 individuals throughout the 6 properties. They have an additional 10 bedspaces, increasing up to 14, if it is deemed Emergency Severe Weather Protocol, over the winter months from December – March.

Need a house refurbishment !

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Home from Home aims to refurbish one of the Chess homeless houses with Chess service users. This will give the opportunity for the Chess service users to learn and put in practice new skills to complete a refurbishment project (to include Kitchen installation, Painting and decorating, Floor laying, and Bathroom refit). Skills achieved from the project would positively show experience gained that would reflect upon the service users CVs - making them more employable.



Sponsor
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■ **Amount of funding**
£12,600

■ **Project**
Home from Home - refurbish one of the CHES homeless home

■ **Involvement of the sponsor**
Help publicise and with the refurbishment from the company



Free sport for underprivileged young people

Fighting antisocial behaviour

Denis Law Legacy Trust, operates a number of free to access Programmes for young people aged 8 to 19 years and living in areas of deprivation/or in 'hot spots' of antisocial behaviour. These Programmes are designed to help improve the lives/aspirations/outcomes of underprivileged young people through prevention, intervention and diversionary tactics. Qualified coaches and trained volunteers provide taster sessions in primary schools in the designated areas promoting 'Streetsport', which delivers the Programmes 5 evenings a week, 50 weeks a year, transporting and setting

up mobile sports arenas, floodlights and equipment and offering a range of sports/creative activities. Older teenagers are encouraged to become volunteers

Redesign streetsport Vans

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the organisation will be able to realise its project, involves the design, delivery and fitting of fabrication for the 3 Streetsport vans so that there is a place for everything and everything in its place, making items easier to locate and to check on/off the vans. This will provide organisational/productivity benefits including safer transportation, durability and security and most importantly a more efficient service to the children and young people.



Sponsor

Steve Mosley
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Charity

Denis Law Legacy Trust

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Amount of funding

£6,117

Project

"Streetfit" - Outfitting Streetsport Vans

Involvement of the sponsor

Help in training coaches and volunteers, design the necessary fittings for the streetsport activities delivering and carrying out the fitting and fabrication needed for the 3 Streetsport vans



Working together

Adult training facility

Down Syndrome Cork is a parent run voluntary organisation under the umbrella of the national organisation Down Syndrome Ireland. They provide a wide range of support for babies, children, teens and adults ranging from specialised speech and language therapy, occupational therapy and physical therapy to the important social skills and outings that is important for the development and self-esteem of family members of all ages. They have a comprehensive educational support programme with schools and the *Field*

of Dreams, which is their adult training facility in Curraheen, Cork.

need new equipment on site

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Field of Dreams will purchase many tools and achieve many objectives. For example, to support adults training in the Field of Dreams with the understanding of one element of animal husbandry. And to further promote the social farming model on which the Field of Dreams is based on.

They will also be able to support the supply and installation of fencing, chicken coup and all associated equipment for the provision of chicken husbandry. Training of personnel in chicken husbandry. Purchase and supply of equipment in relation to the above. Purchase of replacement polytunnel doors.



Sponsor

Kevin McDonnell
Bachy Soletanche

Charity

Field of Dreams

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Amount of funding

£3,000

Project

Purchasing fencing and equipment and replacement of polytunnel doors

Involvement of the sponsor

As an advisory role, the sponsor will support the charity in budgeting, sponsorship, development opportunities and help with his organic farmer skills.



A new park

Ramble through the forest...

Friends of Stonehouse Park are a constituted community group founded to improve Alexander Hamilton Park and encourage people to use the local park facilities. FOSP hold in the region of 20 free events including Little Saplings outdoor play, throughout the year, with attendance figures between 15 and 300.

In addition, they also carry out small scale improvements such as litter picking, maintaining flower beds, installing benches, etc. The group are also in the process of finalising a feasibility study to redesign the park to make it easier for people to use.

... in one aim : protect it !

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, FOSP wish to obtain several items to cover various group activities;

- obtaining plant and equipment (trailer,

projector and screen, tables and chairs) for the group to use during all events and park improvements.

- providing outdoor clothing that can be used at the outdoor play sessions (Little Saplings) which will allow children who don't have access to suitable clothing to attend the events.

- improving the access to a natural part of the site by creating 12m simple wooden steps in the steepest sections, as the outdoor play sessions are held down a muddy slope in this part which is not frequented by the public.

- creating willow structures within the park in conjunction with a local artist, Shirley Marzella.



Sponsor

Emily Birch
Bachy Soletanche

Charity

Friends of Stonehouse Park

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Amount of funding

£3,000

Project

Purchase items for group activities

Involvement of the sponsor

Provide advice to the committee in different areas such as Health and Safety and organise group work



A place to gain job skills

A second school

The Friends of Castle School is vital to the school as a means of gathering parents, students and staff together for social and fundraising activities. The objects of the charity are to advance the education of the pupils with learning difficulties at the school by providing and assisting in the provision of facilities for education and to promote the social inclusion and community development of pupils with learning difficulties at The Castle School and their families by providing them with opportunities to interact and attend events which may

otherwise be inaccessible to them due to their disabilities, or lack of provision.

The employability van

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Friends of Castle School will purchase a Multi-Purpose Vehicle which can be used to take students to and from their work placements. The Castle School has a very active work experience programme with the majority of Post-16 students attending a regular placement at an external organisation at least once a week. These placements are vital for creating future employment opportunities for the students.



Sponsor

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Charity

Friends of the Castle School

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Amount of funding

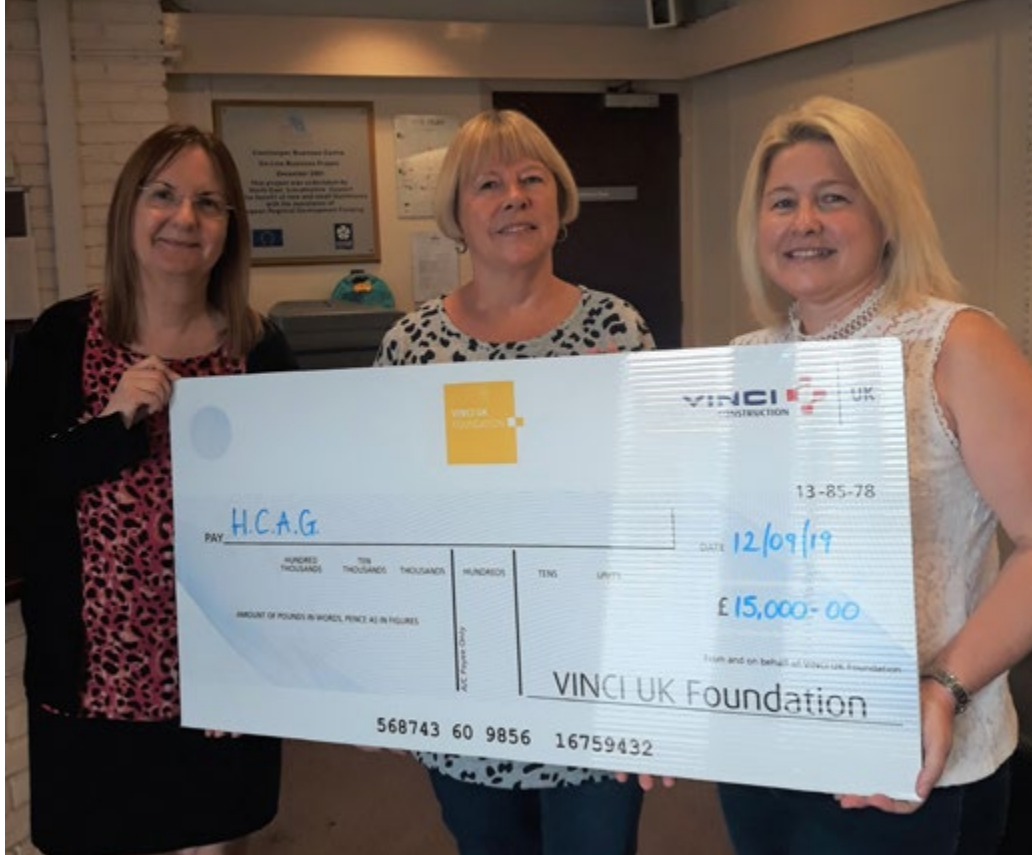
£10,000

Project

'The WoW' - World of Work, Multi-Purpose Vehicle

Involvement of the sponsor

Providing help in management, organise STEAM involvement in the Castle School



Small charity for a huge difference

Valuable services and...

The Handicapped Childrens Action Group provides specialist equipment for children with disabilities, learning difficulties and other specialist needs, given that these devices are not funded by the NHS. During the year 1st December 2017 to 30th November 2018, the Charity provided 185 items of equipment to applicants, including 84 buggies and 31 special needs tricycles.

By doing so, they help children with disabilities and learning difficulties from birth to leaving full time education, giving them much needed mobility, which allows them to access and experience learning opportunities that otherwise they would not have.

...special needs for incredible children

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Group will love to provides equipment to Disabled children and those with special needs. They have a waiting list of children with disabilities and learning difficulties that require specialist equipment that is not provided through the NHS. Specifically, the main types of mobility equipment that they fund are bespoke special needs buggies and specialist trikes. Through this project, they aim to assist between 20 to 25 children by providing them with a bespoke special needs buggy or trike.



Sponsor

Sue Matheson
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Charity

The Handicapped Children Action Group

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Amount of funding

£15,000

Project

Purchasing equipment to satisfy additional disabled children needs

Involvement of the sponsor

Supporting the charity by using business skills and networking



Catering and food for locals

Passionate locals

Live Laugh Lache is made up of local residents who are passionate about their community. Building on the strengths within their community, the residents aim to enable local people to use their skills and talents to create lasting solutions to the problems local people face and, working in partnership with others, improve residents' experience of living in their area. They organise regular social activities and meetings to bring them together, have developed a gardening group to improve green spaces, held craft activities and collect residents' views about what matters to them to influence decision makers.

Helping local people

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Live Laugh Lache will be able to set up - a social supermarket for residents living on a low income to regularly access good quality food at low cost without being stigmatised. It will do this by redistributing perfectly usable surplus food from supermarkets and producers avoiding it becoming waste.

And a welcoming café where people can build their personal networks and get peer support to build their confidence and resilience.



Sponsor

Louise Teesdale
Eurovia

- **Charity**
Live Laugh Lache
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- **Amount of funding**
£4,400
- **Project**
Solving significant problems faced by local residents, opening a social supermarket, and a welcoming café
- **Involvement of the sponsor**
Help with marketing and fundraising aspects. Joint press releases at local papers and radio



Playground for children well being

3 heaven places

Manchester Young Lives (MYL) is a children's charity providing after school clubs, playschemes, evening and weekend youth provision all year round. The organisation's guiding principal is that all young people can learn, make progress and achieve given the right support and opportunities. Last year the charity worked with 4068 young people, the majority being 5 - 18 years old and from deprived neighbourhoods. The charity provides advice and support to young people on training, education and health and supports further learning opportunities through their partnerships

with schools and training providers, in 3 sites Wythenshawe, Ardwick and Moss Side.

for children well being

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Manchester Young Lives will be able to provide 2 new pieces of equipment which will replace structures. There are 2 x swing units, 1 x cantilever swing to be located at Moss Side Adventure playground and a four-seater wooden swing to be located at The Addy Young People's Centre, Wythenshawe. Outdoor self-directed play is recognised by all the leading health organisations as one of the best forms of activity for children.



Sponsor

Daniel Freneyhough
Eurovia

Charity

Manchester Young Lives

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Amount of funding

£9,396

Project

Purchase new equipment for their adventure playgrounds

Involvement of the sponsor

Help through his Civil Engineering expertise and offer future volunteering opportunities



Complementary therapies

A unique service

The aim of The Olive Tree Cancer Support Centre has always been to provide a range of services that will support cancer patients and those caring for them, from the point of diagnosis, through treatment and beyond for as long as they need them. The Olive Tree Cancer Support centre which is attached to Crawley Hospital has been supporting people with cancer for over 25 years. They offer a unique service and long-term engagement and support to their members.

with specific need equipment

The Olive Tree Group offers a wide range of complementary therapies to support people affected by cancer. Complementary therapies are used alongside conventional treatments and are not an alternative. The therapy sessions they offer where they use the electric beds include Acupuncture, Massage, Indian head massage, Reiki, Reflexology, Cranio sacral therapy. With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Olive Tree Cancer Support Group will be able to purchase two new electric therapy beds and equipment at Crawley.



Sponsor
Bruce Smith
Eurovia

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The Olive Tree Cancer Support Group
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- Amount of funding**
£12,000
- Project**
Purchasing 2 new electric therapy beds equipment
- Involvement of the sponsor**
Help with installing the new beds and with general fundraising activities



By the community. For the community

Set up by the community

PPP is an award-winning community enterprise, developed by the community for the community. They secured £3.8 million to build and develop their community centre, and have a raft of complimentary services for the community within the building including; Post Office, men's shed, pensioners' lunch club, hobbies group, acupuncture and SMART classes for mental health,

meeting space, office space and childcare facility for 0 – 12yr olds and pre-school daily programme of activities, along with a café providing nutritional meals made from local produce as well as offering external catering.

and expanding further

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, they want to develop their existing registered childcare facility within the Pulteney Centre into a registered nursery. This involves improving the play

space to meet the current requirements for registration. This includes painting and remodelling our inside play area to include inquisitive 'stations' using 'loose parts'.



Sponsor

David Craig
NUVIA

Charity

Pulteneytown People's
Project

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Amount of funding

£5,500

Project

Refurbishment of the structure

Involvement of the sponsor

Coordinate volunteering days,
organise STEAM engagement,
help organise events and
provide support



Promote work

An open RAW Workshop

The employees of RAW run a fully equipped wood workshop, wood recycling and retail enterprise. Their mission is to engage, support and employ people who face challenges, prejudice and barriers to mainstream work and help people feel and 'Be Exceptional rather than the exception'. They supply high-quality products and services to a range of national and local clients including retailers, corporations, private customers, educational establishments and local authorities.

with training for everybody

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, they purchase a new vehicle, which has enabled them to win more business and, for them, that also means creating more opportunities for lives to change.

The Grounds Maintenance Service Project will provide employment and training opportunities for people who are overcoming a variety of disadvantages, disabilities, learning difficulties and mental health conditions, engaging with people of all ages. The project will provide a professional grounds maintenance service including mowing lawns, hedge and boundary upkeep, simple landscaping, sweeping up leaves and other services to clients in Oxfordshire.



Sponsor

Ron Smith
NUVIA

Charity

RAW Workshop

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Amount of funding

£15,000

Project

Training for people who have overcome various disadvantages

Involvement of the sponsor

Help with the development of the necessary marketing collateral



Coaching ecological house building

Building more

RUSS is a volunteer-led Community Land Trust in south-east London, whose aim is to create a sustainable neighbourhood with genuinely affordable homes for residents of Lewisham. The organisation has signed a development agreement with Lewisham council and is developing its first tranche of 33 affordable homes. As part of their broader message of low-environmental impact and delivering sustainable neighbourhoods within London, the RUSS School of Community-led housing hosts workshops and organises field-trips throughout the year for other community groups, industry

professionals and students wanting to learn about alternative models of affordable homes and co-housing.

... ecological houses

With the help of the foundation, RUSS will be able to complete the 33 affordable houses to a high standard finished off by External Cladding & Internal Finishes. During the construction phase, volunteers will be mentored by RUSS members, industry professionals and partner organisations that RUSS will work alongside.



Sponsor

Jackson Muganyizi
Bachy Soletanche

Charity

Rural Urban Synthesis Society

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Amount of funding

£6,000

Project

RUSS Ladywell Self-Build
Community Space

Involvement of the sponsors

To offer onsite support during the build



An approving glance

Welcoming children

Springboard Opportunity Group is a specialist centre which supports pre-school children with additional needs and their families. They are value led and succeed in providing a caring, high quality learning environment.

with a good communication staff

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Springboard will be able to purchase IT equipment. Having reliable, efficient, compatible equipment will enable them to communicate better with their families, maintaining the valuable link and to communicate useful information, regarding planned events, activities and changes to appropriate legislation. Springboard currently use web based programmes including Tapestry and Nursery in a Box, to manage information (including child's photos, observations and progress) and to communicate with parents.



Sponsor
Simon Ellis
Eurovia

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Springboard

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■ **Amount of funding**
£4,972

■ **Project**
Purchase new IT items

■ **Involvement of the sponsor**
Help with fundraising events and dedicate his skills to the project and the charity itself



Recycling saves lives

Reused furnitures

Furniture Bank recycles and restores unwanted furniture, to achieve 3 core goals: providing full, paid employment to people excluded from the mainstream jobs market (especially people who are Not in Education, Employment or Training-NEET)

Providing heavily discounted furniture to local families in crisis through a referral process.

Providing a way to reduce landfill through the recycling of old furniture

as opposed to the statutory policy of landfilling all waste furniture.

Another van to extend

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, Stroud District Furniture Bank will be able to provide another Luton Van to grow their work and the area they are operating across. They want to operate in the Cotswold District and into Wiltshire.



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VINCI Energies

Charity

Stroud District Furniture Bank

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Amount of funding

£9,400

Project

Going regional

Involvement of the sponsor

Help them planning and creating compelling pitches



Taking care of children wellbeing

Therapy work

Telford Young Carers Service has been supporting young carers aged from 5-18 since 2006. The organisation is in place to help young carers while they care for family members. This is achieved through providing lots of advice and information, encouraging young carers to take part in lots of great activities, discover new interests and make friends with other young carers.

Activities all around them

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the charity will be able to organise activities.

A programme of activities has been planned to include visits to Cadbury's World, Water World Stoke, Harry Potters World, Alton Towers, Birmingham Art Gallery and Workshop at Wyldewood craft and activity centre.

This would enhance the lives of around 150 young carers and is an ambitious target for 2019. It would also include providing the transport for the visits.



Sponsor

Graham Standford
Freyssinet

Charity

Telford & Wrekin Young Carers Service

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Amount of funding

£9,699

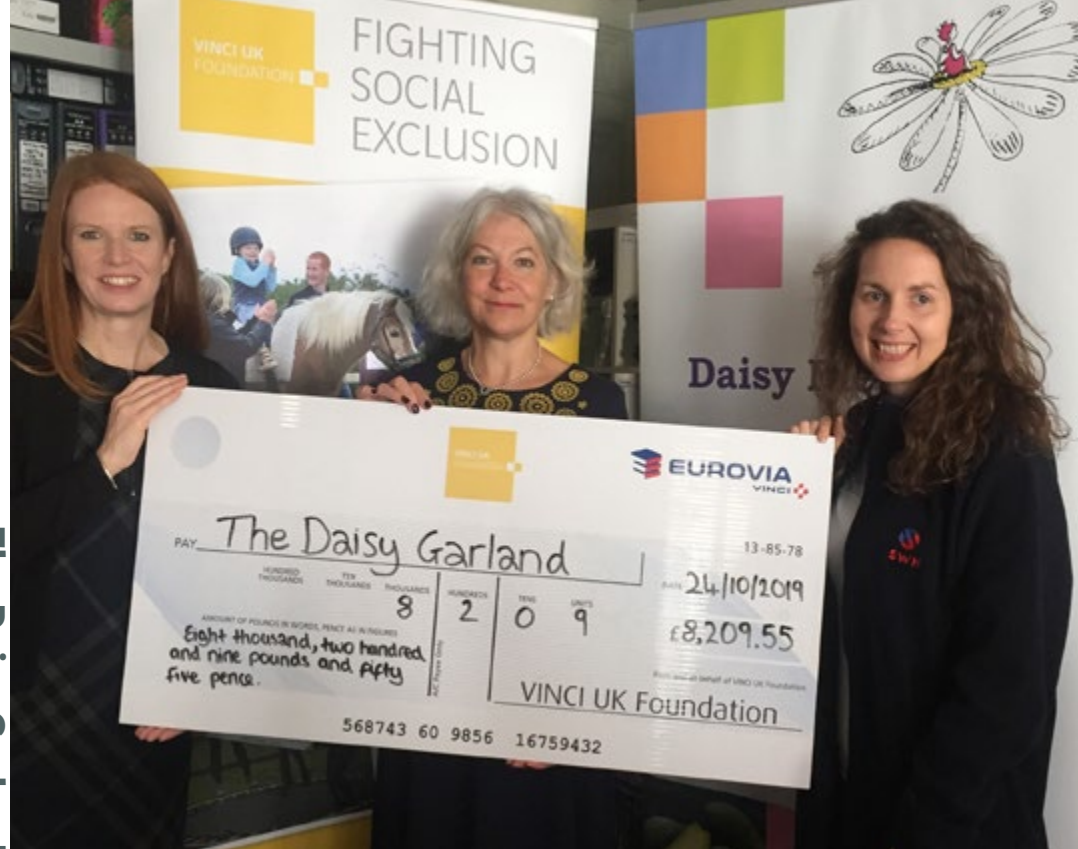
Project

Access to Life Project - establishing a programme of activities

Involvement of the sponsor

Volunteering at the centre, help with grants applications

The Daisy Garland

**Sponsor**

Helen Douglas
Eurovia

New epilepsy monitors

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the charity will be able to provide 20 'epilepsy monitors'. Every day in the UK, 87 people are diagnosed with epilepsy - around 5 people in every 100 will have an epileptic seizure at some time in their life. Epilepsy can start at any age but is most commonly diagnosed in people under 20 as a result of difficulties at birth, childhood infections or accidents.

**Secure the area****Equipping families to take a break**

The Daisy Garland is a family-run, national registered charity providing active support to some of the 18,000 children in the UK who suffer from drug-resistant epilepsy - a condition that shortens and destroys lives. Without proper seizure monitoring in place immeasurable pressure is placed on the entire family unit 24/7.

Charity

The Daisy Garland

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Amount of funding

£8,209

Project

Reducing the Risk of Sudden Unexpected Death in Epilepsy

Involvement of the sponsor

Help by mentoring and fundraising for this project



Medical assistance bus

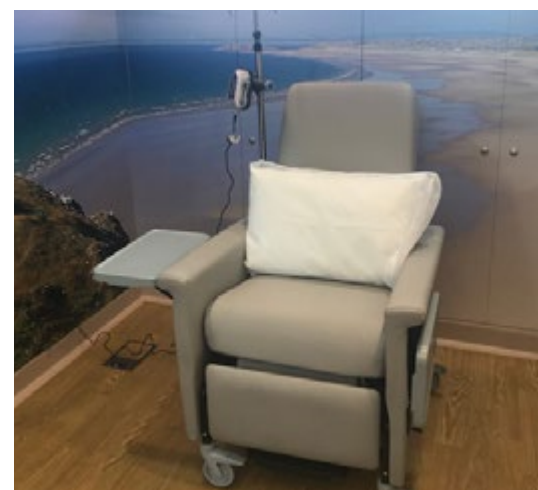
Treating more patients

The Fountain Centre is an independent charity based within St Luke's Cancer Centre (SLCC) within The Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (RSCH). The service provides information, support, complementary therapies and emotional support in a calming and relaxed atmosphere, for cancer patients, their families and carers from all over Surrey. The Fountain Centre has two dedicated areas in oncology outpatients and radiotherapy with a total of 7 therapy rooms. There is a creative arts room for groups, an enclosed garden, specialist

children's counselling cabin and a space on the oncology ward set up for families to stay.

Thanks to a Chemotherapy bus

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Fountain Centre will be able to fit out therapy/counselling room in mobile cancer treatment bus in Surrey. They have been allocated an area within the bus to offer and deliver a range of services including emotional support, information and therapies. The aim is to provide information, support and complementary therapies to patients receiving their cancer care on the bus.



Sponsor

Phil Hines
Bachy Soletanche

Charity

The Fountain Centre

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Amount of funding

£5,000

Project

Community chemotherapy bus

Involvement of the sponsor

Help with the setting up of the equipment in the bus and bring assistance where appropriate



Developing skills

The Titan Partnership works as a broker between employers and schools supporting young people from nursery through to secondary and further education stages. They help students to develop soft skills and industrial awareness. They aim to transform young lives by unlocking individual potential and raising career aspirations, in order to gain meaningful sustainable employment. They provide training and support to help adapt to the working world.

Same opportunities

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Titan Partnership Centre will be able to purchase STEM kits. These kits will be used to enable the delivery of a series of STEM workshops to 2000 key stage 2, 3, 4 and 5 students to encourage the take up of STEM subjects and Careers. This project aims to contribute to addressing the skills gap in STEM through encouraging young people from disadvantaged backgrounds to access opportunities.



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The Titan Partnership Centre

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■ **Amount of funding**
£4,200

■ **Project**
Encouraging young people from disadvantaged backgrounds to access opportunities

■ **Involvement of the sponsor**
Get involved with volunteers, and act as a role model for students

A partnership to help students



A café to spend time together

A Community centre & Café

This small community centre and café situated in the Longridge and Shaw Heath estate on the outskirts of Knutsford offers affordable, home cooked food Monday to Friday as well as a place for the community to meet and socialise. The café is supported by a team of dedicated volunteers many of which were previously very isolated in the community. Adjacent to the café is a community room used to run weekly activities for all ages including an over 60's luncheon club, art classes, a parent and toddler group, craft club, knit and natter sessions, youth club, adult education and a carer meet up.

in a better shape

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the Welcome Ltd will be able to improve the café facilities so their charity is even brighter. The seating area is the key to success in engaging the community and linking them in to the support they can provide.



Sponsor
Julie Cartwright
Eurovia

Charity

The Welcome Ltd

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Amount of funding

£5,640

Project

Improving the café facilities

Involvement of the sponsor

Help with training staff and volunteers



Young situation ...

Youth & Community Connexions is a North London based youth organisation that was set up in 2016 in response to the state of youth violence and in particular the murders that took place in and around Enfield and Haringey. Their activities are aimed at re-connecting young people back into their communities, helping them to build their self-esteem, confidence and raising awareness of important issues that affect them in their day to day lives and develop new skills.

... in improvement

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the charity will be able to provide a range of pro-active & re-active services to marginalised or 'at risk' young people, who engage in risky, criminal, or negative behaviours.



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Youth & Community Connexions

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■ **Amount of funding**
£4,000

■ **Project**
Gang Intervention Program

■ **Involvement of the sponsors**
Help with the purchase of goods and participate in some events

Better future



An open place

Extra-curricular activities

Youth on the Move was established in February 2016 to meet the growing need of disadvantaged young people in the deprived areas of Hackney and Haringey. Soon after, in February 2017 they registered as a charity to maximise the scope of their charitable work. The charity runs after-school clubs and other extra-curricular programs for 270 disadvantaged young people aged 11-16 years, from Hackney and Haringey, of the most deprived boroughs in London. Their aim is to fill the gaps in educational, therapeutic and extracurricular activities formed by their social and economic deprivation, to ensure that they can

maximise their potential and develop to mature and capable young adults.

Refilled

With the help of the VINCI UK Foundation, the charity will be able to redo and re-equip their administration office so that it will be suitable to accommodate the provision of employment and volunteering placement. The programme includes workshops, skill enhancing activities and career guidance. This will help them explore suitable avenues of work and create strong links to substantial employment.



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Charity

Youth on the Move

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Amount of funding

£3,000

Project

Engaging the disengaged

Involvement of the sponsors

Help with participating in activities personally, promoting and improving their PR and website



Sponsor Day 2019



About the 2019 Edition

The last Sponsor Day was held on the 20th of November 2019 to celebrate the VINCI UK Foundation operating for three years. Sponsors, charities, staff, directors, future sponsors and other people that are involved in the VINCI UK Foundation came together to share their experiences with the Foundation, to help, inspire and motivate each other. Presentations were given by many charities and a workshop engaged the Sponsors and organisations.

This day was about exchanging experiences with others and to thank all the Sponsors, who are at the core of the Foundation and essential to the success of the projects. Certificates have been awarded to the Sponsors of 2018 and 2019.



Sponsors shared experiences and received certificates for their input

26

Charity attended

14

Charity presentation

5

How to get involved



1. Find an organisation to support

Look for an organisation fighting social exclusion near the place you live/work



2. Meeting the organisation

Design a project meeting all the Foundation's criteria and define your role as a sponsor

You want to get involved in a project but you do not know any organisation?

You may enrol as a volunteer by contacting a Local Coordinator of the Foundation, or sending an email to contact@vinci-uk-foundation.co.uk

The Foundation will contact you to offer a project to sponsor in your region.

You want to dedicate some time to a charitable project?

Complete the request for support forms with your charity, available on our website (www.vinci-uk-foundation.co.uk) and send them to the Foundation.

A meeting with the organisation takes place to define the sponsor's role and the objectives of the financial support.

The project is submitted to the Foundation Selection Committee.

If the support of the project is validated by the Board of Directors, a partnership agreement is signed between the Foundation, the organisation and the sponsor.



3. Submit the project

Send the Application Form to the Foundation from January to March 2020



4. Let the Selection Committee decide

Results will be communicated in July/August 2020

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