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HLF Funding Opportunities

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What is HLF?

We have £375 million to invest in heritage projects in 2012/13.

In 2012/13 HLF has to distribute in London:

- £15.2million approx in total
- £3million approx for Your Heritage grants
- £122,000 for All Our Stories grants
- £488,000 for Young Roots grants



Heritage could be..

“....everything tangible and intangible that we have inherited from the past, and value enough to want to share and sustain for the future.”

- people’s memories and experiences
- languages and dialects;
- cultural traditions such as stories, festivals, crafts, music, dance and costumes;
- histories of places and events
- historic buildings;
- archaeological sites;
- collections of objects, books or documents in museums, libraries or archives;
- **natural and designed landscapes and gardens;**
- **wildlife, including special habitats and species;** and
- places and objects linked to our industrial, maritime and transport history, such as coal mines, docks and railways.

HLF projects involving meadows

1. RSPB Wild About Hampstead Heath, £440,600: 3 meadows will be created and will contain nectar rich plants to attract invertebrates, which are essential for the survival of house sparrow chicks. The meadows will also be seed-rich for year round feeding of mature birds.
2. LB Bromley Chalking up London's Downs, £50,000: focused on raising awareness and understanding the value of chalk grassland and engaging the public in appropriate management.
3. Combrook Parish Council, £55,000: purchase of 1.8 h of uncultivated grassland, scrub, woodland and a large lake, situated within the village of Combrook, with activity programme.
4. Cumbria Biodiversity Partnership, £423,200: restore flower rich hay meadows in Cumbria, halt the loss of traditional knowledge and skills associated with hay meadow management and reverse the decline in quantity and quality of hay meadows in Cumbria. It will also increase the appreciation, enjoyment and understanding of this important habitat and key component of the county's farming landscape.



A lasting difference for heritage and people

Heritage Lottery Fund Strategic Framework 2013 - 2018

Open programmes



new Sharing Heritage –
grants £3000 - £10,000

Our Heritage – grants
£10,000 - £100,000

Heritage Grants open
programme – grants
£100,000 upwards

Targeted programmes with potential meadows links



Parks for People - grants

£100,000 - £5m

Landscape Partnership - grants

£100,000 - £3m

Townscape Heritage - grants

£100,000 - £2m

Skills for the Future - grants of

£100,000 - £1m

Young Roots - grants

£10,000 - £50,000

Grants for Places of Worship -

grants of £10,000 - £250,000

Heritage Enterprise – grants of

£100,000 - £5 m

Timetable for new application materials and forms

October 2012

- Heritage Grants
- Parks for People
- Skills for the Future



December 2012

- Grants for Places of Worship

Timetable for new application materials and forms

February 2013

- Sharing Heritage
- Our Heritage
- Young Roots
- Landscape Partnerships
- Townscape Heritage Initiative
- Heritage Enterprise



HLF Outcomes

Heritage outcomes. Heritage will be:

- Better managed
- In better condition
- Better interpreted and explained
- Identified/recorded

Outcomes for individuals. People will have:

- Learnt about heritage
- Developed skills
- Changed their attitudes and/or behaviour
- Had an enjoyable experience
- Volunteered time

HLF Outcomes

Outcomes for communities/society

- Environmental impacts will be reduced
- More people and a wider range of people will have engaged with heritage
- Organisations will be more resilient
- Local economies will be boosted
- Local areas/communities will be a better place to live, work, or visit.

£3000- £10,000 minimum one outcome

£10,000 - £100,000 minimum one each heritage and people outcomes

£100,000+ a range of outcomes achieved.


How we assess applications

- What is the heritage focus of the project?
- What is the need or opportunity that the project is responding to?
- Why does the project need to go ahead now and why is Lottery funding required?
- What outcomes will the project achieve?
- Does your project offer value for money?
- Is the project well planned?
- Is the project financially realistic?
- Will the project outcomes be sustained after the project has ended?

HLF pre-application service

- Initial heritage idea (*discuss with local partners and communities*)
- Read HLF's guidance notes, case studies, 'Thinking About...'
- Submit a pre-application form online at www.hlf.org.uk
- Get a written response within 10 working days
- Grant surgery
- Develop idea
- Submit draft budget
- Apply

Version 11 Your Heritage: Pre-Application Enquiry Form



Your Heritage: Pre-Application Enquiry Form

Notes
Your Heritage: Pre-application Enquiry Form

Please use this short form to ask for advice from us before you fill in an application form. It is designed to help us to tell you quickly whether we could consider funding your project and to offer you guidance at an early stage in the development of your project.

Fill in the form as fully as you can but do not worry if you do not have enough information at this stage to answer all the questions.

On receipt of this form we aim to contact you within 10 working days.

We fill in this section:
Date we received your form:
Reference no.:

Section one - Your organisation

Project Title

Title of the project
African music workshops

Your Organisation

Name of your organisation	African Culture Arts and Sport Network
Address of your organisation:	4 Mitchell Close
Address line 1	
Address line 2	
Address line 3	
Town / city	Rainham
County	Essex
Postcode	RM13 0QY

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