

# 2011 INSIGHTS



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2011 saw the achievement of a remarkable milestone, when cumulative grant-making by The Community Foundation for Ireland surpassed €10m since its establishment in 2000. This level of grant-making (over €1.7m in 2011 alone and over €5m in the past three years) has been achieved through the ongoing growth of our endowment and the ever increasing group of donors who choose The Community Foundation for Ireland as their preferred channel of giving. The Community Foundation for Ireland is now believed to be the largest endowed independent grant making organisation in Ireland.

Unfortunately, economic recession continued unabated in Ireland in 2011 and in an environment of declining public resources, community and voluntary groups remained under severe pressure to make ends meet. Through the generosity of donors and The Foundation's own suite of grants, we supported over 650 projects, providing much needed assistance to many valuable projects and initiatives throughout Ireland and overseas.

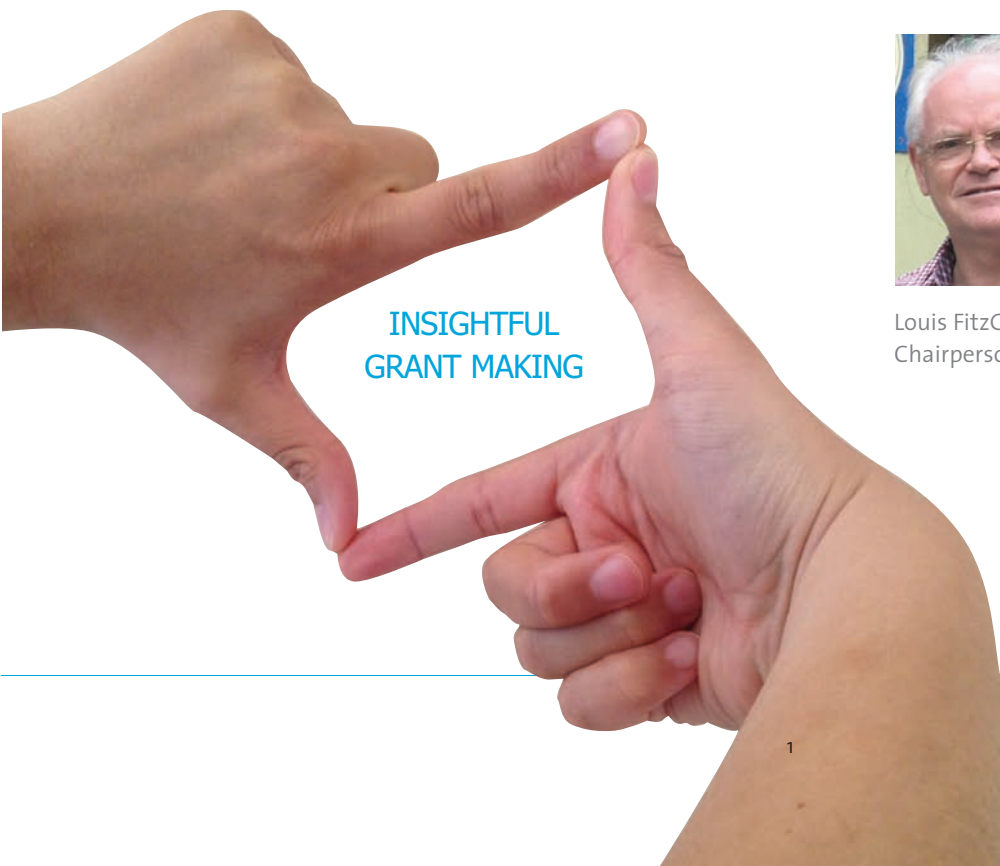
Three new funds came on board during 2011, two of which were family funds; a strategic priority for The Foundation. Following another challenging year in the financial markets, The Community Foundation for Ireland's Endowment Fund was valued at almost €27m at the year end.

Highlights of the year included a 10 year celebration hosted by The Community Foundation for Ireland in May, a number of inspiring Women's Fund events and ongoing engagement with wealth advisors. In October, Dame Stephanie Shirley made thought provoking addresses to The Women's Fund and an audience of wealth advisors co-hosted by the Institute of Certified Public Accountants, The Community Foundation for Ireland and The Institute of Taxation.

Towards the end of the year, change was in the air when our Patron Mary McAleese completed her second term as President of Ireland having provided invaluable support to The Community Foundation for Ireland over the past 14 years. Our Chairman Brian Wilson signalled his intention to step down as Chair early in 2012. To both we owe a debt of gratitude for their inspirational and unstinting support of The Foundation. Louis FitzGerald has taken over as Chairperson of The Foundation and we are delighted that President Higgins is The Foundation's new Patron.

Having reflected on our first decade in last year's report, this annual report gives insights into a number of grant-making stories – demonstrating the great impact that even relatively modest sums of money can make. In line with its growth over the past 11 years, The Community Foundation for Ireland has a growing number of donors and an expanding suite of grants – ranging from its core Grassroots Grants to larger Impact Grants and donations by individual donors. At the root of this activity is that The Foundation connects people who care with causes that matter.

The Foundation continues to play its part in promoting greater philanthropy in Ireland through its work with professional advisors, publications and events, including the Philanthropist of the Year Awards. It was encouraging to see a re-energised Forum on Philanthropy and Fundraising in 2011, chaired by Frank Flannery, and The Community Foundation for Ireland looks forward to supporting a variety of initiatives to encourage greater, and much needed, philanthropy in Ireland in the years to come.



INSIGHTFUL  
GRANT MAKING



Louis FitzGerald,  
Chairperson



Tina Roche,  
Chief Executive

## ABOUT THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR IRELAND

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**The Community Foundation for Ireland was established in 2000 and makes grants on behalf of donors. We connect individuals, families, companies and other organisations to the most deserving and effective local grassroot causes. The Foundation aims to strengthen communities throughout Ireland through:**

Investing in people, ideas and activities that strengthen our communities through *insightful grantmaking*

*Thoughtfully caring* for the assets entrusted to us and building a long term endowed fund; and

*Demonstrating effective community leadership*

There are almost 1700 community foundations in more than 50 countries across the world, managing over €40 billion in assets and proving that the community foundation model works.

**What makes a community foundation special?**

*It takes a long-term view* – by building permanent endowments, community foundations can tackle long-term community challenges, as well as immediate needs

*It offers a personalised and informed donor service* – uniquely equipped to help donors on an individual basis, community foundations provide an easily accessible and personalised service

*It is committed to community service and leadership* – by providing the opportunity for collaborative leadership that transcends “special interests” and reflects the interest of the community at large

*It offers prudent financial management and stewardship* – as well as striving for transparent governance and best in class leadership practices.

## LEADERSHIP

The Board of Directors is comprised of volunteers representing the rich diversity and broad interests of our community. They provide the requisite leadership to conduct the business affairs of The Foundation. They are all community leaders chosen for their experience and knowledge of Ireland's needs as a society.

**Chairperson:** Louis FitzGerald

**Directors:**

Harry Byrne  
Barry Connolly  
Adrian Crawford  
Mike Gaffney  
Brian Geoghegan  
Richard George  
Sister Marian Harte  
Eamon Heffernan  
Sister Stanislaus Kennedy  
Dr Brian Keogh  
Anna Lee  
Maire O'Connor  
John Rockett

**Goodwill Ambassadors:**

John Gallagher  
Chris Horn

**Patron:** His Excellency, Michael D. Higgins,  
President of Ireland

The Community Foundation for Ireland has four important sub-committees, each focused on a clear agenda.

**Finance, Administration, Investment and Governance Committee (FAIG)**

Harry Byrne (Chair), Board Member, The Community Foundation

Eamonn Heffernan, Board Member, The Community Foundation  
Richard George, Partner, KPMG

**Grants Assessment Panel**

Anna Lee (Chair), Board Member, The Community Foundation

Lorraine Dorgan, Age Action Ireland  
Issah Huseini, New Communities Partnership  
Dr. Brian Keogh, Board Member  
Ciaran McKinney, Age and Opportunity  
Davin Roche, GLEN  
Patrick Stoakes, LGBT Diversity

**Professional Advisors Advisory Group**

John Rockett (Chair), Board Member, The Community Foundation

Nora Lillis/Elaine Rogers, William Fry Solicitors  
Rory Quinlan/Marian McNamara/ Aidan Quinlan, HSBC Private Banking  
Fionnán O'Dwyer, Wealth Management  
Anne Corrigan/Philip Smith, Arthur Cox  
Eddie Murphy, Crowleys DFK  
Fiona O'Regan/Pat McCormack, Barclays Wealth  
Aidan McLoughlin/Jeremy Mitchell, Astons  
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Catherine Corcoran/Julie Herlihy, Baker Tilly Ryan Glennon  
Brian Weber/Ciara Hurley, Quilter  
Marc Westlake/Frank Mulcahy, Goldcore  
Frances Feeney, Social Capital Ireland  
Evelyn Fitzpatrick, Evelyn Fitzpatrick Consulting

**Fund Development**

Barry Connolly, Board Member, The Community Foundation for Ireland  
Louis FitzGerald, Chairperson, The Community Foundation for Ireland

## 2011 HIGHLIGHTS

**The Community Foundation for Ireland's Strategic Plan (2010-2012) identifies six priority areas. The following is a synopsis of key developments in each area in 2011:**

### 1: Developing a culture of philanthropy in Ireland

The Community Foundation for Ireland continued to play its part in helping to develop a culture of philanthropy in Ireland throughout 2011. The Foundation welcomed the refocusing of the Forum on Philanthropy and Fundraising by the new Government (of which The Foundation's Chief Executive is a member) and the appointment of Frank Flannery as its chair in June 2011. The Foundation looks forward to the implementation of many of the recommendations made by the Forum to Government as an early priority.



Pictured at the launch of the Better Together Campaign, Deirdre Garvey, The Wheel and Niall O'Sullivan, The Community Foundation for Ireland

During the year, The Foundation hosted a number of events including two inspirational 'Women and Philanthropy Breakfasts' in May and December respectively – which included thought-provoking contributions by philanthropists Marcelle Speller, Norma Smurfit and Eileen Monahan and wealth advisors Maya Prabhu, Coutts & Co. and Emma Turner, Barclay's Wealth. The Foundation was honoured that Dame Stephanie Shirley made a return visit to Dublin in the space of 18 months and addressed audiences drawn from the Women's Fund and wealth advisors (in association with the



Marcelle Speller

Institute of Taxation and the Institute of Certified Public Accountants) in October 2011. The Women's Fund also hosted its first Seeing is Believing Tour in the same month, visiting a number of projects which have been supported by the Women's Fund.

The Community Foundation for Ireland continued to foster strategic partnerships with a number of other organisations including The Atlantic Philanthropies, the One Foundation, Business in the Community Ireland, Community Foundation Network – UK, The Community Foundation for Northern Ireland, Philanthropy Ireland, The Transatlantic Community Foundation Network, Trans Giving Europe, Business to Arts, Katharine Howard Foundation and The Bewley Foundation.

### 2: Generating new donor funds

The Foundation's Endowment Fund remained at almost €27million by the end of 2011, which was another difficult year for global financial markets. By the year end, there were over 50 donor advised funds, representing a broad mix of individuals, families, companies and charitable organisations who have chosen to entrust The Community Foundation for Ireland with their charitable giving. 2011 was a quieter year than 2010 in terms of new funds. The promotion of greater family philanthropy in Ireland remained a central priority. Two family funds were established in 2011, one with significant future grant-making potential. Dress for Success also established a fund.

Following its high profile launch in 2010, the Women's Fund continued to grow in 2011 and by the year end had secured €250k endowment and almost €100k in flow through funding. Work also continued around the feasibility of establishing additional thematic funds which we hope will bear fruit in future years.

The County Monaghan Fund continued its grant making in 2011 and supported a number of strategic initiatives including a Scholarship Fund and a Training Fund for the use of defibrillators in the county. Its successful Monaghan DVD continued to be distributed during 2011 to help generate revenue and publicity for the fund. The Fund has also distributed a document promoting legacy giving to the County Monaghan Fund to all solicitors and accountants throughout the county.

**3: Providing excellent services for donors**

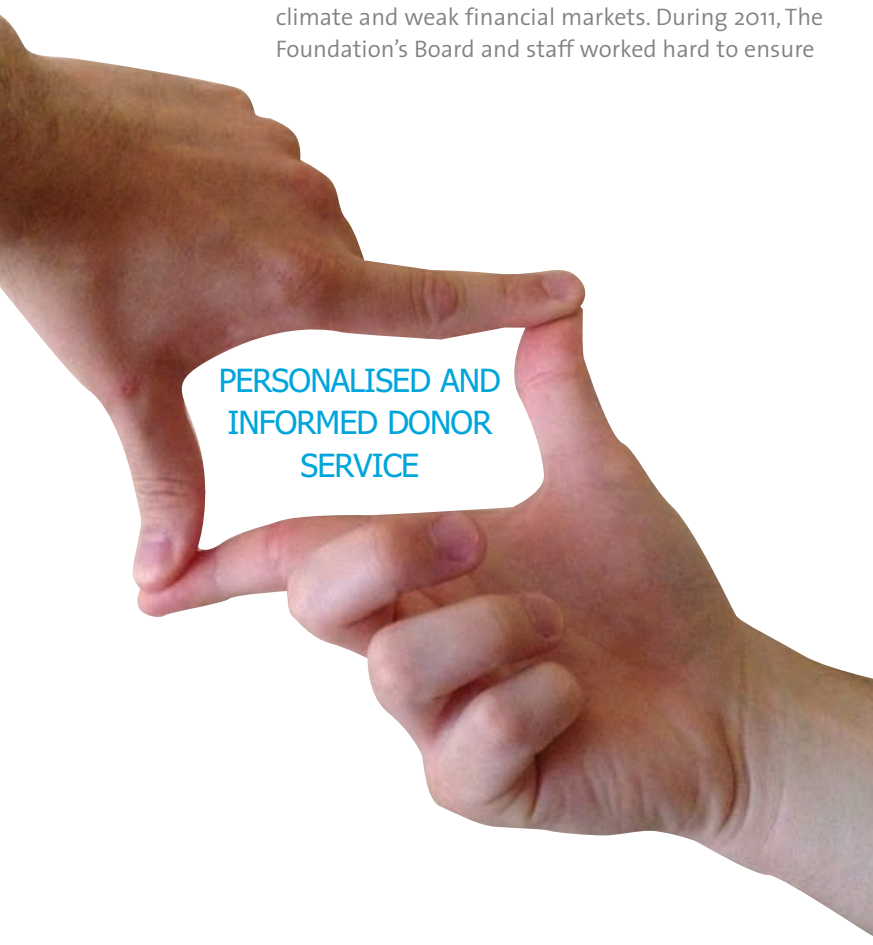
The Foundation takes its stewardship role of donors and funds very seriously and since its inception in 2000, the Foundation has adopted prudent investing and spending policies. The Foundation's endowment and donor base continues to grow notwithstanding the very difficult economic climate and weak financial markets. During 2011, The Foundation's Board and staff worked hard to ensure

high satisfaction levels on the part of fund holders and donors and to provide opportunities for them to link with other donors and 3rd parties. Towards the year end a survey of donors provided encouraging feedback. The growth in donors in recent years has demonstrated the need for a Donor Care Programme and this is a key priority for The Foundation in 2012.

**4: The partner of choice for professional advisors**

Community Foundations around the world work closely with professional advisors including lawyers, tax advisors, accountants and wealth managers. In 2011, The Community Foundation for Ireland continued to prioritise this area, greatly assisted by its Professional Advisors Advisory Group which welcomed a number of new members. Four meetings of the group took place. The Community Foundation formed a strong alliance with the accounting body, The Institute of Certified Public Accountants. This included a superb event with former UK Philanthropy Ambassador Dame Stephanie Shirley specifically for professional advisors. Successful meetings with The Irish Tax Institute focussed on the future introduction of philanthropy onto their training modules. 2011 also saw a series of meetings with professional advisors on a one to one basis, as well as presentations to departments within firms. For example a presentation was made to the tax staff in Grant Thornton. NCB also featured philanthropy and The Community Foundation in its summer 2011 client newsletter.

Dame Stephanie Shirley is pictured with (l to r) Martin Phelan, Irish Taxation Institute, Tina Roche, The Community Foundation for Ireland and Eamonn Siggins, CPA.



## 2011 HIGHLIGHTS

### 5: Impacting on social issues through effective grant-making

Grant-making is at the heart of The Community Foundation for Ireland's activities and is inextricably linked to the sterling work of local community groups and charities throughout Ireland, many of whom are struggling during these recessionary times. Over 650 grants totalling in excess of €1.7m were made in support of community groups and charitable organisations in 2011.

The Foundation continued to operate its successful Grassroots Grants addressing issues such as families at risk, older people, ethnic minorities, carers and mental health and towards the year end it was decided to increase the eligibility threshold for organisations applying for such grants with a turnover from €250,000 to €1m. The second grant round of the Women's Fund was eight times over-subscribed in August 2011, demonstrating the case for a strong Women's Fund to support areas such as the prevention of domestic violence and empowering women to take leadership roles in their communities. During 2011, The LGBT Communities Fund and the Community Growers Fund each supported over 30 individual projects through the support of their grants rounds and The Foundation also made a number of larger impact grants, which included supporting the work of Inner City Enterprise and MarriagEquality.



Participants in Dublin Men's League, Care Local, Dublin

### 6: Maintaining operational excellence and being self-sustaining

Integrity is a core value of The Community Foundation for Ireland in terms of being accountable for what we do and transparent in how we do it, with strong governance for those who entrust their funds to our stewardship. During 2011 the Foundation continued to strive to demonstrate value for money and best practice in all our areas of activity.

Launch of a new Community Benefit Fund at the ESB/Galetech Windfarm near Cootehill, Co. Cavan

## GRANT INSIGHT: CHESS FOR ALL

“A NEW use has been found for The Irish Times Game of the Year chess perpetual trophy, recently found in the polishing room at Weirs Jewellers on Dublin’s Grafton Street. A small silver trophy, it had been left in for engraving 50 years ago but was never picked up. It used to be awarded to the best Irish chess player, or a chess player in Ireland, with the last winner inscribed on it in 1962. Following reports of the trophy’s discovery at Weirs, it was agreed to make it available to a group called Chess For All, which runs free nationwide chess-education programmes for schoolchildren as a perpetual prize.” *Irish Times, 16th October 2011.*



Chess For All was set up in 2011 to conduct chess lectures over six week periods in schools across the State, with an emphasis on disadvantaged areas. Funded by a donor to The Community Foundation for Ireland with a life long love of chess, the first Chess For All national finals took place in Dublin. Winners were children from St Patrick’s National School in Castlebar, Co Mayo. Their prize was €300, four chess clocks and four chess sets. Their names will be inscribed on the perpetual trophy. As many as 50 schools took part in the finals, involving an estimated 180 children.

Chess has been shown to help children and young people in acquiring skills such as focusing, visualising, thinking ahead, weighing options and juggling multiple considerations simultaneously. In schools, chess helps build individual friendships and also school spirit when children compete together as teams against other schools.

### Donor View

“ In my case there was a man who gave up most of his weekends to drive kids around to competitions. Like most kids I took this completely for granted and only began to realise more than thirty years later how unselfish the man was, and that he neither expected nor got any thanks. I don’t know where he is or even if he’s still alive. The only practical way to acknowledge him and people like him is to try to achieve something similar.”

Chess for All Community Foundation for Ireland  
Donor

EFFECTIVE  
COMMUNITY SERVICE  
AND LEADERSHIP

## FUND INSIGHT: DUBLIN COMMUNITY GROWERS FUND

In recent years there has been a surge in interest in the development of community gardens and allotments. The Community Growers Fund was established by the Mount Street Club Trust at The Community Foundation for Ireland. Applications are accepted from groups wishing to engage unemployed people in a Community Garden or Allotments project within Dublin city or County. Indeed, Dublin as a county (in particular North County Dublin) has a longstanding association with horticulture.

### Donor View

“In supporting community employment and the growing of vegetables and food in the Dublin area, the Community Growers Fund has turned out to be very much in line with the original ethos and activity of the Mount Street Club Trust (in its early days as the Mount Street Club). A great spin off benefit, which the Trust didn't really foresee, has been the spur that the Community Growers Fund, through G.I.Y. (Grow it Yourself), has been able to make to local community development in the areas where we have supported community gardens and allotments. And all of this came about as a result of our collaboration with our partners, including, crucially, the Community Foundation for Ireland.”

Charles Delap, Mount Street Club Trust



“We want to ensure that our garden is as inclusive as possible and having raised beds will help us greatly as it means people of limited mobility will be able to come and garden with us using these beds. It is a very exciting project and marks another step forward for our garden which I am pleased to report is going from strength to strength.... we will work hard to ensure every penny is spent productively”.

Donna Callan, Chairperson,  
The Santry Community Garden.

In 2011 over 30 communities benefitted from grants from The Community Growers Fund. Over €100k was distributed to community gardens and allotments throughout Dublin including Santry, Rathmines, Cherry Orchard, the city centre, Shanganagh, Inchicore and Tallaght.



## GRANT INSIGHT: KIDS CLASSICS

BUILDING A  
LONG TERM  
ENDOWED FUND

Three children's hospitals were singing the praises of an anonymous Dublin family whose generous donation will bring music to seriously ill children. Young patients at Our Lady's Children's Hospital in Crumlin, Temple Street Children's University Hospital and the National Children's Hospital in Tallaght will all benefit from the €60,000 donation which will fund the 'Kids Classics' music programme for the next 3 years.

Sunday Business Post, July 31 2011

Following the successful pilot of Kids Classics in 2009 and with the support of a donor to the Community Foundation for Ireland, in 2011 the National Concert Hall commenced an annual outreach programme in three of Ireland's main children's hospitals through monthly classroom workshops and ward visits. During the visits the musicians interact with children and their families through specially tailored workshops which introduce the instruments of the orchestra, give children the opportunity to conduct as well as playing cartoon and film favourites to those children in isolation and intensive care wards that cannot join in for classroom workshops.



### Donor View

My desire to become involved with Kids Classics stems from my love of music and also my own personal experience with Crumlin Children's Hospital. Having spent a significant part of my childhood there as a patient, I know how important it is for the children and their parents, to have activities to keep them busy while in hospital. When I heard of Kids Classics, I thought it was a great opportunity both to have an activity for the children to enjoy as a group and for them to engage with music they might not otherwise have heard. I am delighted how successful it has been and hope that it continues in the future. ]

Kids Classics Community Foundation for Ireland  
Donor

## FUND INSIGHT: THE WOMEN'S FUND – INSPIRING WOMEN, SUPPORTING WOMEN

### Donor View

“It is in a woman’s nature to love and nurture. We are the glue which holds families together. And society is really only one big family. As we care for our loved ones, so we can extend our concern beyond the family circle and reach out to those who need us.”

Chantal McCabe, Women’s Fund Donor and 2009 Philanthropist of the Year

The Women’s Fund for Ireland is a long-term philanthropic fund. Established by The Community Foundation for Ireland in 2010, it acts as a bridge:

- linking women who feel fortunate in their lives and would like to lend other women a helping hand;
- bridging the generations and providing a resource for girls and women in Ireland throughout their lives;
- connecting women who care with causes that matter – supporting activists and grassroots organisations in the areas where they want to help; and
- spanning present and future – through pooling and carefully investing donations, the income generated is used to fund worthy projects now and in years to come.

When women and girls prosper, entire communities succeed. The mission of the Women’s Fund is to encourage philanthropy among women, improve the lives of women through social change grant making, and educate the entire community about the benefits to society when the potential of women is realised.

Women’s funds globally seek out initiatives that offer the greatest potential for lasting impact on issues from poverty to women’s representation in business or politics. Two initial priorities have been identified by the Women’s Fund in Ireland – the prevention of



violence against women and the empowerment of women to take leadership roles in their communities. Through three grant rounds to date, the Women’s Fund has committed over €70,000 in grant support but has received applications for support of almost €1m, demonstrating the huge need for greater investment and philanthropic funding in the future.

“The key outcome is increased safety and support for women from minority ethnic communities who are experiencing domestic violence, through greater accessibility of the Women’s Aid National Freephone/ Helpline. An example of the lifeline that this service provides is that, following a call to the service, a Chinese woman who had married an Irish man six months previously and come to Ireland knowing no-one and speaking no English, disclosed experiencing extreme physical and sexual abuse that was very high risk. She went on to access refuge accommodation where she found safety and support”. Women’s Aid Outcome Report (*A Women’s Fund Grant supported A Women’s Aid project to ensure greater accessibility to their Freephone Helpline for women from minority ethnic communities*).

“It is extremely beneficial to have the support of the Women’s Fund as an overarching benefactor which actively supports these local initiatives which can have such far reaching effects”. Longford Women’s Link Outcome Report (*A Women’s Fund Grant provided training for Longford Women’s Manifesto Group which was set up to ensure women’s voices and perspectives are heard with regard to local decision making*).

## GRANTS INSIGHTS: GRASSROOTS GRANTS



The Community Foundation for Ireland works with community and voluntary groups throughout Ireland. Through its Grassroots Grants Scheme, The Foundation aims to support the disadvantaged in our communities by providing small grants for specific projects that will contribute to alleviating isolation and disadvantage. During 2011 alone, over 350 projects were supported through the Scheme. Since 2000 the Grassroots Grants Scheme has allowed The Community Foundation for Ireland to build links and forge relationships with those working at grassroots level in Irish society giving The Foundation a bank of knowledge and a unique perspective on the issues of greatest concern within the sector. Grassroots Grants are currently allocated to groups working in a number of specific areas namely carers, ethnic minorities, families at risk, mental health and older people. This report gives feedback on two of these areas – Carers and Older People.

### Carers

Through its collaboration with the Carer's Association of Ireland, The Foundation has been able to provide practical support to carers throughout Ireland through the provision of in home respite for family carers on waiting lists or who may need emergency or short term help. This help has been provided throughout Ireland, including to a number of offshore island communities.

"These hours enabled one carer to attend her only son's wedding in Cambridge, England while we looked after her husband who has Alzheimers and is too ill to travel. Another carer was able to take her children out for the day while our staff minded her mother. These are a couple of the benefits from the Emergency Respite Hours and they would be sorely missed if we could no longer fund them." **The Carer's Association, Limerick and North Tipperary**

**“ Carers are so reluctant to seek help; they feel they have the responsibility of caring for their loved ones in the home. When the help is forthcoming from us, we can see the relief in their expressions and then afterwards to get such gracious thanks from these wonderful people makes us all feel very humbled. ”**

**The Carer's Association, Tullamore**

### Older People

Each year, The Community Foundation supports many projects to the benefit of older people in communities throughout Ireland. In 2011 alone, over 120 such projects received Grassroots Grants from The Foundation ranging from support for social outings and Christmas parties to activity based programmes and initiatives to engage older people in their communities and avoid isolation.

"The Mervue Sonas Song Book is a collection of songs, old and new, that were chosen by a group of older people who came together with a shared love of singing. We hope that this song book will be enjoyed by other community groups and that these songs will be passed on to younger people thus providing an opportunity for singing and sharing". **COPE Sonas Day Centre, Galway Outcome Report**

"Fifty older men living in Cabra, Summerhill, East Wall, Booterstown, Ringsend and Stoneybatter, representing eight sheltered housing complexes and community centres benefitted from this funding. We learned that older men thrive on competition. Once we started bringing them out of their neighbourhood into other men's centres, their enthusiasm grew. Not only has their social isolation been significantly decreased, the men are also considering other activities because of this successful model". **Care Local Outcome Report**

## 2011 DONOR FUNDS

		Amount Awarded
<b>ARDIFF FAMILY FUND</b>		
Cheeverstown House	In support of the Bright Horizon Garden	€300
<b>AXA PAYROLL GIVING</b>		
Barnardos	General support	€534
Concern	Overseas development	€355
Make a Wish	General support	€131
RNLI	General support	€77
Threshold	Homelessness	€144
UNICEF	Overseas development	€229
		<b>€1,471</b>
<b>BALLYNEW FUND</b>		
Oxfam Ireland	For the Ethiopia/ East Africa appeal	€2,500
Concern	For the Ethiopia/ East Africa appeal	€2,500
Inner City Enterprise (ICE)	Seed capital towards enabling ICE to enhance its ongoing sustainability (co-funding with The Community Foundation for Ireland)	€3,000
		<b>€8,000</b>
<b>BT IRELAND FUND</b>		
ALONE	Support for older people	€2,375
Aoibhneas Women and Children's Refuge Coolock	General support	€500
Capuchin Day Centre	General support	€500
Concern	Overseas development	€1,000
Enable Ireland	For the Assistive Technology Service	€2,000
Focus Ireland	For "Sponsor a Star"	€2,375
Irish Cancer Society	Awarded to "Action Prostate Cancer"	€475
Irish Youth Foundation	For "Childrens Hour"	€475
James's Street Secondary	Education support	€10,000
Oxfam Ireland	Overseas development	€300
Simon Communities of Ireland	Homelessness	€2,375
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€2,375
		<b>€24,750</b>
<b>CALLERY FAMILY FUND</b>		
Strokestown Poetry Festival	General support	€3,000
Strokestown Agriculture and Industrial Show Society	General support	€1,000
St Vincent De Paul Strokestown	Families at Risk	€2,000
		<b>€6,000</b>
<b>COUNTY MONAGHAN FUND</b>		
Carrick CPR	Defibrillator training of trainers project for Co Monaghan Community Defibrillator Teams	€5,450
DCU Educational Trust	Access programme costs for three students	€6,000
		<b>€11,450</b>

**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded****DR ALISON BYRNE FUND**

Iveagh Trust	Homelessness	€2,000
Walser's Tanzanian Charity	Overseas development	€446
		<b>€2,446</b>

**DRESS FOR SUCCESS**

Dress for Success	Women's Empowerment	€6,360
		<b>€6,360</b>

**EBAY FOUNDATION**

ALONE	To support a renovation project for insulation in one of the ALONE homes	€5,000
Arc Cancer Support	Upgrading of the centre's carpet and re-upholstering of arm chairs	€2,212
Cardiac Risk in the Young (CRY)	To provide timely evaluation of families where SCD may have occurred	€4,000
Cheeverstown House	To support the adaptation of a vehicle so that it is wheelchair accessible for clients	€5,000
Children's Medical and Research Foundation	Research into children's diseases and ailments and to assist their care by providing support to Our Lady's Children's Hospital, Crumlin	€2,000
Children's Sunshine Home	To replace four suction machines, a device designed to remove fluid, clear the airways, and help control infection	€3,000
Diabetes and Endocrinology Centre, Crumlin Children's Hospital	To support the Diabetes and Endocrinology Centre at Our Lady's Children's Hospital Crumlin	€2,000
Down Syndrome Ireland	To provide care packs to parents who have just had a baby and further support for language and motor skills development	€4,000
Irish Cancer Society	General support	€4,000
The Jack and Jill Children's Foundation	To help alleviate the pressures on families of babies and children with severe neurological developmental delay and life limiting conditions	€4,000
		<b>€38,800</b>

**FARRELLY FAMILY FUND**

Clann Mor Residential & Respite Ltd	Donation to respite services	€2,000
Coolmine Therapeutic Community	To train key staff members in 'Mindfulness Based Relapse Prevention Programmes'	€10,000
Focus Ireland	Support for Caretakers' Hostel	€33,000
Hope Foundation	Primary Healthcare Programme	€33,000
Irish Hospice Foundation	Outreach Liaison Nurses' Expenses	€25,000
Meath Autism Network	Activities for the families involved in the network	€5,000
Peter McVerry Trust	To sponsor one place on the Residential Community Detox Service	€10,000
St Agnes Violin Project	Replacement of instruments	€5,000
St Paul's Hospital Special School	To run the summer programme of activities	€15,000
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€25,000
Teen Challenge Ireland	To complete the refurbishment of the bedrooms in the women's centre	€10,000
The Carers Association	To provide 526 hours of respite in Meath	€10,000
		<b>€183,000</b>

**FEDEX IRELAND FUND**

DALES Centre	"Stay Safe" programme	€2,041
Scoil Bhríde Junior National School - Autism Unit	Build a small playground in school yard to provide structured play for children with autism	€2,056
		<b>€4,097</b>

**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded****FORMER OFFENDERS' EDUCATION FUND**

Andrew Doyle Consultants	Training Course for Linkage client	€95
Chevron Training and Development	Training Course for Linkage client	€695
Driver Theory Test	Training Course for Linkage client	€59
European Lift Trucks Training Services Ltd	Training Course for Linkage client	€150
Glen Resource Centre	Training Course for Linkage client	€150
IICP Education and Training Ltd	Training Course for Linkage client	€350
Irish Ambulance Training Institute	Training Course for Linkage client	€400
Knight's Barbers	Training Course for Linkage client	€1,000
Learning Curve Institute Ltd	Training Course for Linkage client	€200
Liberties College	Training Course for Linkage client	€150
Litton Lane	Training Course for Linkage client	€400
National Training Centre	Training Courses for Linkage client	€921
Portobello Institute	Training Course for Linkage client	€489
Private Security Authority	Training Course for Linkage client	€170
Road Safety Authority	Training Course for Linkage client	€50
Safety Solutions Swift Ltd	Training Courses for Linkage client	€1,000
Star Products International Ltd	Training Course for Linkage client	€65
Virtu Studios	Training Course for Linkage client	€450
		<b>€6,794</b>

**KILI SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Kili Project Tanzania	Education support	€943
		<b>€943</b>

**RENEWABLE WORLD FUND**

Renewable World	Environment support	€138,880
		<b>€138,880</b>

**LFG FAMILY FUND**

Bray Lakers	For the 'Buy a Brick' campaign - to build a new premises for the Centre	€10,000
Capuchin Day Centre	Homelessness	€10,000
Crosscare	Homelessness	€10,000
Dublin Simon Community	Homelessness	€10,000
Federation of Irish Sports	Volunteers in Sports Awards	€4,000
Focus Ireland	Homelessness	€10,000
Hope Foundation	Overseas development	€15,000
Irish Autism Action	Blue Skies Appeal	€5,000
National Concert Hall	Kids Classics Programme providing music education activities to children in hospitals	€20,000
St Agatha's Food Centre	Homelessness	€10,000
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€25,000
St Vincent's Foundation	To cover the cost of 'consumables' associated with breast cancer research programmes	€10,000
Vita	Women Fighting Hunger & Climate Change in Gash Barka, Eritrea	€5,000
		<b>€144,000</b>

**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded****MARTIN FAMILY FUND**

Beechill Summer Project	For activities associated with the summer project	€1,000
Donnybrook Youth Club	To pay for a teacher for the homework club which caters for children between 3rd and 6th class	€1,000
Jobstown 6 to 12 Programme	Fund educational activities and outings as part of the Summer Programme	€5,000
		<b>€7,000</b>

**MERCHANT'S QUAY SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Dublin City University	Training course for MQI staff/client	€1,000
Dublin Gestalt Centre	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€1,000
Eden College	Training course for MQI staff/client	€640
English Language Dublin	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€5,120
Fitzwilliam Institute	Training course for MQI staff/client	€1,000
Griffith College Dublin	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€2,195
Kylemore College	Training course for MQI staff/client	€145
Merchant's Quay	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€13,818
Open University	Training course for MQI staff/client	€1,000
Ulearn	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€3,475
University of Limerick	Training course for MQI staff/client	€1,000
William Glasser Institute	Training courses for MQI staff/client	€1,040
		<b>€31,433</b>

**MOUNT STREET CLUB TRUST INCORPORATING THE COMMUNITY GROWERS FUND**

First Step	Outreach work	€33,000
Grow It Yourself	GIY Ireland for Community Growers Fund project management	€15,000
Ballyfermot Travellers Action Project	To add value to existing community garden and develop allotments project for all residents	€9,500
Blanchardstown Traveller Development Group	To introduce the wider traveller community to the concept of allotment working through Open Days events	€3,000
Blarney Park Community Garden	To create a community garden with edible/ornamental plants involving unemployed residents	€3,300
Broadmeadow Community Garden	To create a community garden for residents, schools and groups	€5,650
Broadmeadow Community Garden	To continue the work to create a horticulture educational programme for members and local community	€1,500
Brookfield Environmental Group	To develop a community garden involving the unemployed	€5,258
Cabra Community Development Project	To expand an existing gardening project	€2,000
Cherry Orchard Community Garden	To develop the garden, implement new features and perform repairs	€500
Cherry Orchard Family Resource Centre	Continue to run gardening club and engage a tutor to advise and support local unemployed people	€2,000
Clondalkin Travellers Development Group	To develop a rockery with herb garden, bushy plants and fruit trees in traveller-specific community garden project	€1,500
CPLN Area Partnership	Development of community gardens and allotments on three sites	€5,000
Dolcain Community Development Project	To engage young unemployed men to take an active positive role in their community by creating a garden	€5,000
Dolphin House Community Development Association	Support for second phase of project; construct and plant ground level/raised beds and secure site	€500

**2011 DONOR FUNDS**

		<b>Amount Awarded</b>
Dublin Community Growers	To hold a series of educational workshops which will assist groups to develop community gardens	€2,000
Fettercairn Junior Estate Management	The provision of a rainwater harvesting system for use in the Centre garden	€2,000
Fettercairn Residents Association	To develop a community garden involving 20-30 unemployed people	€10,000
Great Western Square and District Community Garden	Provide sustainable water supply, poly greenhouse and tiger wormery and plant a live willow fence	€5,000
Knockmitten Youth and Community Centre	Establish a new community garden for use by over 55s, unemployed and residents and build an enclosed area open to the public with flower beds, allotments and seating	€12,550
Lindisfarne Gardening and Environment Group	Convert a laneway into a plot for growing vegetables, plants and flowers for use locally	€1,000
Mud Island Community Garden	Establish a community garden on a derelict site on North Strand. 50% of people involved will be unemployed	€3,688
Newtown Co-operative Housing Society Ltd	Establish a community garden on unused land and increase ownership of communal space	€3,250
North East Central Community Garden Project	Establish a community vegetable/flower garden in Sean McDermott/Rutland St. Area	€5,005
Rathmines Avenue Residents Rehab Care	To provide new sheds, fencing and tools for use in reclaimed waste ground To develop an existing community allotment to continue social and community integration	€500 €1,000
Robert Emmet Community Development Project	To give each unemployed and/or homeless participant a plot with tutor, poly tunnel, tools, seeds etc	€500
Santry Community Garden	To engage unemployed people to help develop the garden to its full potential	€3,000
Shanganagh Community Garden Project	To expand and develop existing garden and acquire additional land	€500
Sitric Compost Community Garden	Review knowledge gained and apply findings to an educational project for on-site composting solutions	€4,000
St Michael's Parish Youth Project	To offer horticulture training to unemployed persons and help them develop a community garden	€8,900
St. Dominic's Community Garden	To develop a community garden by engaging unemployed people and their families	€900
		<b>€156,501</b>

**MOUNTAINLODGE COMMUNITY FUND (funded by ESB and Gaitech)**

Baillieborough Community Association Ltd	Installation of public lighting at Tunnyduff Cross	€1,000
Baillieborough Mental Health Association	Follow-up conference entitled "Suicide - a Community Response"	€1,500
Canningstown Development Association	Create a roadside garden with seating for visitors and locals	€1,800
Clifferna Community Centre Council	To refurbish and upgrade the hall so that it can be more widely used	€1,000
Cootehill Angling Club	To clean up lakes and rivers, erect fishing pegs for easy access for disabled and fishing gear for juniors	€1,500
Cootehill Badminton Club	Improve community cohesion and prevent anti-social behaviour through sport	€500
Cootehill Community Cancer Support Group (CCCSG)	To help cancer sufferers and provide transport for them to and from hospital for treatment	€1,000

**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded**

		<b>Amount Awarded</b>
Cootehill Kelts	To provide training and new safety equipment for members	€500
Cootehill Senior Citizens	Help senior citizens to get out and socialise and maintain meals on wheels service	€1,000
Cootehill Tae Kwon Do Club	To provide training and protective equipment for the club	€500
Cootehill Youth Café	To purchase games and music equipment for learning activities	€1,000
Drumgoon Eire Óg Juvenile GAA Club & Dernakesh National School	To enhance positive healthy lifestyles among children in the community	€500
Drumneveil Residents Association	To purchase equipment and upgrade common areas	€500
Drung G.F.C.	Erection of fencing around football pitch with high netting behind goal posts	€500
Drung Senior Social Club	To take the elderly on outings	€1,000
Holy Family Special School	To provide transport and equipment for pupils taking part in specialised classes outside school	€2,590
Irish Country Women's Association	Project to teach members skills they will then pass on to others	€500
Kill Camogie Club	Project to improve training methods	€500
Kill Community ALERT	To organise regular social outings for elderly in rural community	€1,000
Kill GAA Football Club	Purchase gym equipment for the local community for use during the winter months	€500
Kill Juveniles	Install a solar powered score board	€900
Kill National School	To erect a wire fence along boundary wall at roadside to prevent footballs causing accidents	€1,000
Kill Parents Association	To provide outside school hours activities for children aged between 4 -12 years	€1,000
Kilmount Presbyterian Church	Convert and upgrade facilities to enable disabled and attract tourists	€500
Knockbride Macra na Feirme	Training activities for the club which caters for those aged 17 - 35	€500
Knockbride Positive Age	To open a day care centre for elderly and provide family support	€1,000
Laragh Angling Club	Re-stocking lakes and rivers, planting surrounding area and upgrading spawning beds	€1,500
Laragh Area Development Group Ltd	To enhance and maintain community property and purchase computer for unemployed	€500
Laragh Camogie Club	For hurleys, sliothars and other training equipment	€500
Laragh Foroige Club	Overnight trip for club members to participate in outdoor adventure activities	€500
Laragh National School BOM	To upgrade the lighting by energy efficient methods thus reducing the carbon footprint	€3,500
Laragh United GAA	To upgrade carparking facilities and provide designated area for disabled	€500
Maudabawn Community Alert	Day trips for senior citizens	€1,000
Mountainlodge Group Water Scheme	Installing telemetry meter on all branchlines to reduce electricity and chemicals used	€2,000
Naomh Mhaodhog National School	To teach children about farm animals, their care and importance	€400
St Aidan's Comprehensive School	Setting up a 6-12 weeks horticulture module	€2,000
St Finbarr's Ladies GAA	To purchase equipment for training and to employ a professional coach	€500
St Marys Conference	To have phones and alarms, panic buttons and security locks supplied and fitted for people living on their own	€510
St Vincent De Paul		
Tunnyduff Hall Committee	Insulation of walls in the hall and instillation of efficient water heater	€2,500
		<b>€39,700</b>

**NOREEN DEMPSEY AGE & ART FUND**

Doorway Gallery	To purchase art for display in nursing homes	€2,450
		<b>€2,450</b>

**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded****OLC IRELAND TRUST FUND**

Aisling Group	Develop a dedicated and targeted response to young women dealing with or affected by addiction(s)	€1,250
Bandon Family Support Group	Work with eight men choosing to address anger management and violence towards women	€1,850
Bray Women's Refuge	Deliver training programme for young men with a focus on reducing domestic violence and abuse	€3,500
Cuan Mhuire	The creation of a curative environment in a secluded outdoor space	€5,000
Domestic Violence Advocacy Service	To support participants to become an autonomous group for black and other minority ethnic women in Sligo	€3,000
Donegal Women's Domestic Violence Service	Course for women who have accessed DWDVS services	€2,200
Inchicore Community Drugs Team	A facilitator to work with clients with addiction issues to include practical living skills and conflict resolution	€500
Lifeline Inishowen	Training for volunteers	€1,500
Limerick Women's Network	Leadership training course delivered to locally based women's groups in disadvantaged/ regeneration areas	€1,200
Longford Women's Link	"Moving beyond the Violence" – a series of targeted supports for women experiencing domestic violence	€5,000
Mercy Law Resource Centre	Expand provision of advice clinics in homeless hostels (two new legal volunteers)	€5,400
North Tipperary Community Services	General support	€50
Ruhama	To help fund direct services	€9,000
		<b>€39,450</b>

**O'SULLIVAN FAMILY FUND**

The Irish Seal Sanctuary	Environment support	€193
		<b>€193</b>

**PENGUIN FUND**

Cancer Care West	Support for the Annual Galway Bay Swim	€500
Chess for All	Support for Chess for All tournament in schools	€40,000
Epilepsy Care Foundation	General support	€500
		<b>€41,000</b>

**RAY MURPHY FUND**

Centre for Progressive Change	To offer the Leadership for Progressive Change Programme to a group of six emerging leaders in the community and voluntary sector	€3,000
Common Purpose (Ireland) Limited	To provide a bursary to allow two leaders from the community take part and benefit from the 2011 programme	€5,000
		<b>€8,000</b>

**ROSE OF SHARON ORPHANAGE FUND**

Rose of Sharon Welfare Organisation	General support	€5,018
		<b>€5,018</b>

**SAP FUND**

Ábalta School	Education support	€3,000
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**2011 DONOR FUNDS****Amount Awarded**

Bray Coast Care Group	To cover the costs associated with SAP volunteering day in May 2011	€750
Canal Communities Regional Youth Service	Education support	€6,000
Citywise	Education support	€5,000
Cope Galway	Support for Waterside House Childcare Unit	€3,700
Deansrath Community College	Education support	€15,000
Deansrath Family Centre	Education support	€7,500
Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	Animal welfare	€750
FIT Ltd	Education support	€10,000
Junior Achievement Ireland	General support	€8,000
Nutgrove Youth Service	General support	€5,000
St Catherine's Association	General support	€1,828
St Louise's Senior School	General support	€5,000
St Vincent De Paul Resource Centre	Families at Risk	€900
Stepping Stones School	Education support	€2,500
		<b>€74,928</b>

**SODEXO FUND**

Barnardos	Children	€10,000
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€12,000
		<b>€22,000</b>

**SPPD FUND**

Society for Poor People Development	Overseas development	€10,801
		<b>€10,801</b>

**TARMON FUND**

Clongowes Wood College Foundation	General support	€500
The Jack and Jill Children's Foundation	General support	€880
		<b>€1,380</b>

**ULSTER BANK GAYE FUND**

Bothar	Overseas development	€1,200
Childline	General support	€240
Children's Medical and Research Foundation	General support	€1,104
Concern	Overseas development	€552
Enable Ireland	General support	€120
Focus Ireland	Homelessness	€300
GOAL Ireland	Overseas development	€264
Irish Cancer Society	General support	€1,644
Irish Heart Foundation	General support	€180
Irish Hospice Foundation	General support	€480
ISPCA	Animal welfare	€2,376
Laura Lynn Children's Hospice Foundation	General support	€252

<b>2011 DONOR FUNDS</b>		<b>Amount Awarded</b>
National Council for the Blind of Ireland	General support	€240
Oxfam Ireland	Overseas development	€144
Simon Communities of Ireland	Homelessness	€300
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€480
		<b>€9,876</b>
<b>XILINX COMMUNITY FUND</b>		
Arás Chronáin	Ecosystem partner to Deansrath Community College	€900
Ashwood Football Club	Ecosystem partner to Talbot SNS	€550
Association Emmaus	General support	€750
Barnardos UK	General support	€750
Barretstown	To provide the entertainments during Barretstown's summer programme	€7,000
(Centre for the Advancement of Learning of Maths, Science & Technology) C.A.L.M.A.S.T.	Support for Maths Week Ireland	€3,000
Cancer Research UK	Donation to Cancer Research UK via JustGiving.com for Snell Charity Bike Ride	€700
Children's Medical and Research Foundation	Arts initiatives in hospital plus arts and crafts supplies for each hospital ward	€5,000
Clondalkin Youth Service	Ecosystem partner to Talbot Senior National School	€550
Cystic Fibrosis Association of Ireland	Matching fund of money raised from XIR employees	€560
DCU Educational Trust	Support for the next academic year for three students in the DCU access programme	€6,000
DCU Educational Trust	General support	€1,300
Deansrath Community College	EMEA Ecosystem grant to secondary level school	€19,900
Dublin Rape Crisis Centre	To support the ongoing services of the Centre	€800
Dublin Simon Community	Supported housing - Sean McDermott Street	€5,000
Freshstart (UK)	General support	€1,500
Friends of St Lukes	Development of the new bluebell garden	€5,000
Institute of Technology Tallaght	Sponsorship of ITT annual awards to engineering students	€1,000
Junior Achievement Ireland	To continue Xilinx Ireland's membership of JAI	€8,000
Kinderhaus Atemreich	General support	€1,500
Kummit - The Association of Friends of the University Children's Hospitals	General support	€1,500
Les Restos du Coeur	General support	€750
Make a wish Israel	General support	€1,500
Medicins San Frontieres/ Lakare Utan Granser	General support	€1,500
Salesian Sisters	Ecosystem partner to both primary and secondary level schools	€1,450
Talbot Senior National School	EMEA ecosystem grant to primary level school	€9,250
Woking and Sam Beare Hospices	General support	€750
Youth Horizons	General support	€500
		<b>€86,960</b>
<b>DONATIONS VIA TRANSNATIONAL GIVING EUROPE</b>		
Educo	General support	€855
Educo	General support	€309
Educo	TGE - from Fondation de France	€143

**2011 DONOR FUNDS**

		Amount Awarded
Foundation Thierry Latran		€4,750
Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford	General support	€238
Oxford University Development Office	Scholarship funding	€61,750
Skellig Foundation	General support	€1,235
		<b>€69,279</b>

**ANONYMOUS**

Belvedere Benevolent Association	General support	€15,000
Crosscare	For Crosscare Drug Awareness	€5,000
Family Support Network	Families at Risk	€20,000
Focus Ireland	Homelessness	€10,000
Ireland Funds	For French Chapter	€5,000
IRFU Charitable Trust	General support	€1,000
Irish Cancer Society	General support	€1,000
Peter McVerry Trust	Bedroom furniture for its new premises for under 18 clients	€5,000
Ronald McDonald House Charities Ireland	Grant from McAfee Endowment Fund at Silicon Valley Community Foundation	€3,434
St Patricks Church	Resoration of church	€1,000
St Vincent de Paul	Families at Risk	€1,000
The Jack and Jill Children's Foundation	General support	€10,000
Waterville Fisheries Development Group	Supporting a community initiative to keep the lake and associated waterways pollution free	€14,750
		<b>€92,184</b>

**Total 2011 Donor Funds****€1,271,855**

## 2011 GRANT-MAKING

### IMPACT GRANTS

			Amount Awarded
Inner City Enterprise (ICE)	Dublin	Impact grant; Seed capital towards enabling ICE to enhance its ongoing sustainability	€15,000
Irish Red Cross	Dublin	Community Based Health & First Aid in Action, National Prisons Project	€8,100
MarriageEquality	Dublin	To cover the costs for activities under the Mobilisation Strategy for the next 2 years 2012-2013	€20,000
The Wheel	Dublin	To help fund Better Together 2011	€5,000
One Family	Dublin	To support Family Day on 15 May 2011, UN International Day of the Family	€5,000
Community After Schools Project	Dublin	Provide a Music Education Programme for 68 children (three schools) as part of the after school curriculum	€2,500
			<b>€55,600</b>

### THEMATIC GRANTS

#### LGBT Communities Fund (in partnership with The Atlantic Philanthropies)

County Carlow Development Partnership	Carlow	To organise and deliver an evening Information Seminar on "Rights and Entitlements for Same Sex Marriages and Civil Partnerships"	€500
Cork Gay Community Development Company Ltd	Cork	Project support for young people to make informed decisions	€1,000
L.Inc.	Cork	To provide a programme of peer support and activities specifically for LB families	€700
The Other Place LGBT Resource Centre	Cork	Provide a series of team building and organisational trainings, a newsletter and campaign to involve more rural groups	€1,000
University College Cork LGBT Society	Cork	Foster greater level of support among members and extension of the "Buddy System"	€1,000
Donegal Youth Service Ltd	Donegal	To provide LGBT awareness training throughout schools in Donegal	€3,000
LGBTSynergy	Dublin	Technology training for older LGBT people in Skype, mobile phone and internet	€1,000
Belong To Dublin	Dublin	National residential programme for youth to develop capacity in advocacy and activism	€2,500
Clondalkin Travellers Development Group	Dublin	Research to explore the health of LGBT Travellers and their experiences of using health services	€2,000
First Out	Dublin	To raise the profile of First Out as a support service with LGBT and create two (minimum) new groups outside Dublin	€1,000
Gay Doctors Ireland	Dublin	Two online surveys dealing with patients and identifying training and education deficiencies of doctors treating them	€1,500
Gemini	Dublin	To promote club as venue that encourages closet and isolated TVS TSS to discuss and explore their alter ego	€1,500
National Gay and Lesbian Federation	Dublin	Organise the first national conference to highlight and tackle poverty and social exclusion amongst LGBT people	€1,000
Outhouse Limited	Dublin	One day seminar 'Addressing the Needs' of the older LGBT community	€1,000
The Irish Council For Civil Liberties	Dublin	Document "Know Your Rights Guide to the Civil Partnership Act"	€1,500
Transgender Equality Network Ireland	Dublin	Working with six transgender peer support groups to provide a Personal Development Course open to transgender people across Ireland	€1,500

**2011 GRANT-MAKING**

			Amount Awarded
Amach LGBT Galway Ltd	Galway	To develop a three-year strategic plan for the development of LGBT supports	€2,000
Shout Youth Work Ireland Galway	Galway	To provide well-being workshops for young LGBT people that will enhance life skills	€1,000
Kerry LGBT Project Ciarrai Amach	Kerry	Second LGBT conference and extend invitation to Co Clare; build capacity of Kerry LGBT Project	€800
LGBT Pride Northwest	Leitrim	To increase genuine accessibility and participation in local LGBT events	€1,000
North Leitrim Women's Centre	Leitrim	To establish an LGBT support/social group for the North Leitrim Area	€800
Limerick Pride Committee	Limerick	To mark Limerick Pride's decade of LGBT visibility and awareness raising in the Mid-West	€500
Rainbow Support Services Ltd	Limerick	Provide support to Trans Support Group to provide information, assistance and support to gender questioning people	€500
Dundalk Outcomers	Louth	To develop and deliver a Regional Development Plan engaging LGBT and mainstream services in unified action and to run a series of themed discussions between LGBT young people	€2,000
GoBLet LGBT Ballina	Mayo	To develop and strengthen better networks for the inclusion of new members	€1,500
Tost	Mayo	To initiate 'drop-in' project and work with schools using LGBT-themed books	€700
Youth Work Ireland Monaghan	Monaghan	Deliver a personal development programme for young LGBT people in the County Monaghan area	€1,000
Over the Rainbow Theatre Group	Sligo	To facilitate personal development for participants and develop more LGBT drama groups in Ireland	€600
Tipperary Regional Youth Service	Tipperary	To host workshops aimed at supporting parents, siblings and friends of young people who identify as LGBT	€1,500
LGBT Parents Waterford	Waterford	To reach out to parents in the LGBT community and provide support and information on LGBT issues	€1,500
Waterford Pride	Waterford	Week long events on LGBT history and culture	€1,700
			<b>€38,800</b>

**WOMEN'S FUND**

County Carlow Women's Network	Carlow	Run an 8-week course on gender roles in society, to be offered in a number of locations in Carlow	€1,300
Clare Womens Network	Clare	For continuation of two projects dealing with women's cancer support and women's indoor football	€1,000
Obair Newmarket-On-Fergus Ltd	Clare	Outreach support service for children with experience of domestic violence with focus on prevention	€1,000
Cois Tine	Cork	Training for twenty adults of many nationalities to explore and analyse their own attitudes towards gender norms	€1,000
Family Resource Centre CDP Inchicore	Dublin	To develop a network of local voluntary violence against women advocates	€2,000
Immigrant Council of Ireland	Dublin	Build a coalition of locally based groups to advocate for legal/policy change for women experiencing domestic violence	€1,000
Quarryvale Family Resource Centre	Dublin	Womens Studies programme to empower local women to take leadership roles	€500

**2011 GRANT-MAKING**

				Amount Awarded
Ronanstown Women's Community Development Project Ltd	Dublin	Women and Leadership: an Introduction"	twenty-week course	€1,000
Saoirse Women's Refuge	Dublin	To provide a non intrusive/non judgmental parenting support programme to mothers in the refuge		€2,000
Clann Resource Centre	Galway	Pre-development course		€1,000
Domestic Violence Response Ltd	Galway	Hold a networking day to target ethnic minorities		€550
Knockmay Community & Family Resource Centre Ltd	Laois	Peer education programme for young adolescent girls/young mothers		€1,000
North Leitrim Women's Centre	Leitrim	Training course to develop the skill of writing, to become community advocates and work co-operatively with the local media		€600
Rape Crisis Midwest	Limerick	Begin a Pilot Programme in schools in Limerick, Clare and Tipperary to raise awareness of sexual violence in society		€2,000
Longford Women's Link	Longford	Women's Manifesto Movement - strengthen women's political and critical voice in local politics		€3,000
Mayo Intercultural Action	Mayo	Programme on Protective Behaviours		€2,000
Edmund Rice International Heritage Centre Ltd	Waterford	To conduct a PILOT Civic Engagement Programme		€1,000
Ferns Diocesan Youth Service Ltd	Wexford	Build the capacity of traveller women to speak about key issues such as health/mental health and the lack of employment opportunities		€1,000
				<b>€22,950</b>

**GRASSROOTS GRANTS****Carers**

The Carers Association	Cork	Emergency respite for carers in Cork		€1,500
Inishowen Childrens Autism Related Education (I.C.A.R.E)	Donegal	The provision of respite during school summer holidays for families with members with autism		€2,000
Buncrana Carers Group	Donegal	To provide cover for carers when they attend training in manual handling and stress management		€1,000
The Carers Association	Dublin	Emergency short-term respite for carers		€4,500
Aonad Resource Centre	Galway	Out of hours respite care for three full time Carers to allow them to attend support group meetings and a weekend away		€1,800
Hand in Hand Ltd	Galway	To develop a trial social network for parents/carers of children with cancer		€1,500
The Carers Association	Laois	To provide four hour breaks to family carers on waiting lists		€1,500
The Carers Association	Limerick	Emergency respite for carers in Limerick City and County and North Tipperary		€3,000
Cavan Monaghan Carers	Monaghan	The provision of 100 hours of Emergency Out-of-Hours respite for family carers		€1,000
The Carers Association	Offaly	To provide 240 hours of emergency respite to family carers and emergency in-home respite on a short term basis for carers		€3,000
The Carers Association	Tipperary	Emergency respite for carers in South Tipperary		€1,500
The Carers Association	Waterford	Provisions for emergency respite home care for family carers		€1,500
The Carers Association	Westmeath	Emergency respite for Carers in Longford/Westmeath		€1,500
The Carers Association	Wexford	To provide 240 hours of emergency respite to family carers		€1,500
				<b>€26,800</b>

## 2011 GRANT-MAKING

			Amount Awarded
<b>Ethnic Minorities</b>			
Kilnaleck International Together (KIT)	Cavan	To organise the training of eight volunteers to become teachers of English to immigrant community	€1,000
Clare Intercultural Network	Clare	Develop a National Conference as part of existing project on young school-going people	€2,000
Friends of the Environment Global Initiative	Clare	A six month intercultural educational outreach programme for schools in Co Clare and Co Limerick	€2,000
Minceirs Whiden	Clare	Organising and hosting regional ethnicity seminars	€2,000
Cobh Family Resource Centre	Cork	To facilitate the African Women's Group explore issues of cultural identity and fund excursions and pampering evening	€500
Congolese Association in Cork	Cork	To enable six asylum seekers participate in FETAC courses for one year	€2,000
Ghanaians Association Cork	Cork	Irish language quiz for 50 ethnic minority primary age children	€1,500
Somali Irish Friendship Association	Cork	Cultural Awareness Workshop	€600
Donegal Town Asylum Seekers and Refugee Support Group	Donegal	Five interactive cookery sessions putting food into cultural context	€800
AkiDwA	Dublin	Celebrate 10 year anniversary with activities at seven different locations and cover childcare costs for Door to Work Programme	€2,500
Bearna	Dublin	To organise a twelve-week youth workshops for youths aged 12-18	€1,500
Finglas For Diversity	Dublin	Promotion, expenses and awards to celebrate diversity and support integration	€1,000
The Irish Refugee Council	Dublin	The project involves mapping integration and support services for child asylum seekers living in direct provision	€3,450
BCASEP/West Dublin Access Radio	Dublin	To train a group of 15 migrants in making their own radio programme on issues that affect them	€3,260
Cara Park/Close Community Committee	Dublin	Artist to work with children on an environmental theme	€750
Congolese Anti Poverty Network	Dublin	Projects promoting cooperation and interaction between schools and members of ethnic minority groups	€1,000
(Nigerian Association Network Ireland) NANI	Dublin	Showing films from Nigeria to Irish audiences will challenge stereotypes and prejudice	€2,000
New Communities Partnership	Dublin	Support for three initiatives: Training programme to establish a support system for asylum seekers residing in accommodation centres; Provide information about the needs, barriers and challenges facing migrant artists; Writing course for young people from an ethnic minority background.	€4,950
Oromo Community Ireland	Dublin	Training for management Committee/leadership role in organisation	€750
Show Racism the Red Card	Dublin	Intercultural Summer Camp for young people aged 11-15 years of age	€1,000
Six Steps Together Parenting Programme	Dublin	Development of Traveller Specific Groups	€1,000
Southern Sudanese Community Association in Ireland (SSACI)	Dublin	Eight positive mental health seminars which will include 3 stress management workshops to support and educated families on how to develop positive mental health and manage stress.	€600
Galway Rape Crisis Centre	Galway	To support and build self-help skills for asylum seekers/refugees who have experienced sexual violence	€2,000
His&Hers Recreation Co-operative Society	Galway	An intercultural training for children 8 - 13 years	€1,000
The Kaleidoscope Project	Kildare	A series of integrational cross-cultural drama workshops in Newbridge and Athy	€1,000

<b>2011 GRANT-MAKING</b>			
			<b>Amount Awarded</b>
Gateway Youth Project	Kilkenny	An integrated summer and Halloween camp for Sudanese and Irish children to build links within their communities	€1,000
Abbeyfeale Parish Community Garden	Limerick	To plant a native wildflower garden to encourage birds, bees, butterflies and other insects	€500
Russky Dom	Limerick	Joint language programme and cross cultural activities involving Irish and Russian children	€1,000
South African Women Group	Limerick	To create a Céilí and Zulu band for women for perform during intercultural events	€1,000
Longford Multicultural Youth Group	Longford	Organise events for culturally diverse groups	€2,000
Longford Street Soccer League	Longford	To run a Street Soccer League for ethnic minorities, travellers and the Irish community over 40 weeks	€3,000
Culture Connect, Drogheda	Louth	To provide information in Polish, Latvian, Lituanian, Russian and Afrikaans languages three mornings per week and to provide interpreting and mediation best practice training	€3,000
Migrant Integration and Social Inclusion Project (MISIP)	Louth	Support for a number of initiatives: to run a week-long 'Friendship wins Summer Camp' for ethnic minority and Irish teenagers; to raise awareness of how domestic violence is affecting African/migrant families; to educate refugees and other vulnerable migrant communities on all aspects of suicide and English language training for migrants	€4,655
Mayo Intercultural Action	Mayo	Project will assist the Ballina Migrant Health Forum organise practical workshops	€1,000
Africa Caribbean Forum	Meath	To learn how to use the social media tools to promote/market themselves and their businesses	€1,000
Lismullin Hospitality Services Centre	Meath	Project proposes three lifestyle/healthy food programmes aimed at combating poverty and unemployment	€500
Integrate Carrick	Tipperary	Exercise Programme to help integration	€1,000
Spafield Family Resource Centre	Tipperary	To help Traveller mothers' group to train in basic first aid and learn a craft	€500
Waterford Traveller Youth Project	Waterford	To engage young Traveller men in activities such as woodwork and computers	€1,500
			<b>€61,815</b>
<b>Families at Risk</b>			
Kilnaleck Parents Support Group	Cavan	To provide a parenting support programme to parents of teenagers in a disadvantaged rural community	€750
Knockalisheen Womens Group	Clare	Using martial arts as a learning approach to help reduce the perception of racial differences among young children and support for workshops to create a themed performance for the entrance to St Patrick's Day parade	€4,500
Bandon Family Support Group	Cork	Support for identified children at extreme risk within the community through social/educational activities	€1,000
Carrigaline Youth Initiative	Cork	Help a group of young people affected by peer group addiction problems	€500
Local Education Committee Literacy Forum	Cork	To buy "Dog Lost" book for 400 families of children attending the local DEIS schools	€750

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Teen Parents Support Programme	Cork	To provide training in Emergency Paediatric First Aid for teenage parents so that they will be able to respond appropriately should an accident or emergency arise	€750
Teen Parents Support Programme	Cork	To provide a basic cookery and family nutrition programme for 10-12 teenage parents	€900
Spraoi agus Spórt	Donegal	Provide the Special Needs Club with a structured programme of activities for children and their families	€1,050
The Dawnbreakers Community	Donegal	To become a structured organisation	€2,000
Young People at Risk Initiative (YPAR)	Dublin	Proposal to run a Strengthening Families Programme in the North Inner City	€1,000
Ballybough Youth Project	Dublin	To run a 12-week cookery course and provide equipment and ingredients on a weekly basis	€1,000
DALES Centre	Dublin	“Stay Safe” programme to help in a variety of physical and emotional circumstances	€1,500
Dorset Street After Schools/ Homework Club	Dublin	To establish a lending library for the children and then the adults of the group to raise their literacy levels	€1,000
Irish Olympic Handball Association	Dublin	Street handball coaching course coinciding with tournament for children	€1,500
Meningitis Research Foundation	Dublin	To carry out meningitis awareness campaign for Travellers nationwide	€1,000
The Irish Motor Neurone Disease Association	Dublin	To establish an Association Visitor Program whereby community volunteers will be recruited and trained country-wide to support people with MND	€2,000
Turkish Irish Educational and Cultural Society - T I E C S	Dublin	Seminars for mixed marriage couples	€2,000
Abbeylea & District Initiative	Limerick	Educating the family together fosters healthy lifestyles with transition year students and adults	€1,200
Cox’s Demsene Youth and Community Project Ltd	Louth	To run the Strengthening Families Programme to help parents and children build positive relationships	€1,000
Claremorris Family Resource Centre Ltd	Mayo	Produce and distribute DVDs in workshops during Alcohol and Drugs Awareness week and family communication course	€1,500
Acorn Project	Offaly	Step Over to Second Level; target 6th class students in seven schools to ensure education for at-risk young people	€2,000
Kilbrook Residents Association Management Group	Offaly	To facilitate the set-up stage of an afternoon activities club on the estate for 54 identified children in need	€1,000
Children’s Group Link	Waterford	Involve youths in creative work that allows group to express empathy and awareness	€750
F.A.C.T.	Waterford	Six day, level 4 courses in Family and Child Law	€2,500
Foroige Gateway Project & Youth Cafe Services	Westmeath	To pilot an eight-week summer programme which will integrate young people with disabilities with mainstream youth	€1,000
Meningitis Trust	Westmeath	To develop a meningitis module for Aistear educational programme for children up to six years, involving the development of a range of activities and teacher training	€2,500
Temporary Emergency Accommodation Mullingar	Westmeath	To run therapeutic and educational extra curricular activities for at risk children	€1,500
			<b>€38,150</b>

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			Amount Awarded
<b>Mental Health and Integration</b>			
Living Links Cavan	Cavan	To run a half day conference on the subject of Suicide Awareness in the Local Community	€500
Bandon Family Support Group	Cork	Support for transition of clients towards community engagement and for reserach on mental health needs of the community	€500
Hillgrove Outreach Project	Cork	Provide an education programme for families who live with addiction in their household	€1,000
Support and Integration Centre "Together-Razem"	Cork	Series of workshops for alcohol-dependants/codependants, support for Polish people with addictions	€1,000
Early Bird's Women's Group	Donegal	A course in positive mental health awareness to teaching women how to deal with loss and other issues	€600
Self Harm Ireland	Donegal	Train teachers and A&E staff around self harm in order to give them a better understanding of the subject	€2,500
Serenity House Community Centre	Donegal	Programme of activities to enhance lives of older people	€1,000
Nurture Post Natal Depression Support Services	Dublin	Course for families to provide coping skills and support with educational information	€3,000
The Red Door (trading name of Learning Centre for Autistic Children Ltd).	Dublin	Set up after-school project for local school transition year students and The Red Door school teenage students	€2,000
Ballyfermot Community Association	Dublin	Intervention cheese collection and distribution	€1,000
North Dublin Befriending Service Limited	Dublin	To set up a social club for people with mental health difficulties	€1,500
Ala	Galway	To run 15 Theatre of the Oppressed workshops and contract an experienced facilitator	€1,200
Kerry Network for People with Disabilities	Kerry	An Ambassador Training Course on behalf of people with disabilities	€3,000
South West Kerry Family Resource Centre Ltd	Kerry	Events to reduce stigma surrounding mental illness and raise awareness of suicide	€1,500
Newbridge Family Resource Centre	Kildare	To support a men's group to continue to meet and further develop their gardening skills	€1,000
The Watergarden	Kilkenny	Materials and tutoring for therapeutic workshops in pottery and Art and Crafts	€500
North Leitrim Women's Centre	Leitrim	To organise an information seminar for women and engage in positive mental health workshops	€500
Hearing Voices Ireland	Limerick	To establish and run a weekly self help group in Dublin for people who hear voices	€1,500
Lus na Gréine Family Resource Centre Ltd	Longford	To provide supports for people who have had recent mental health difficulties	€1,000
Abhaile Autism Support	Louth	Summer programme for teens	€2,000
Migrant Integration and Social	Louth	To provide training for 30 members from ethnic minority community on mental health issues	€1,500
Claremorris Family Resource Centre Ltd	Mayo	To run a men's wellbeing programme	€800
Mayo Mental Health Association	Mayo	Support for a social befriending scheme and a WRAP education programme	€2,000
North Offaly Community Development Network	Offaly	To facilitate a programme promoting positive mental health and building resilience together in the community	€660

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			Amount Awarded
Monsignor McCarthy Family Resource Centre Ltd.	Westmeath	Support for men by promoting health and wellbeing through being productive in their community	€2,000
Cottage Autism Network	Wexford	Support for a social thinking programme for teens	€3,000
Leap Traveller Men's Project	Wicklow	To purchase equipment, plants/seeds and cover participation costs for allotment	€1,000
			<b>€37,760</b>
<b>Older People</b>			
Live Music Now	Antrim	Concert tour to centres and nursing homes in Limerick and Dublin to interact with sufferers of Alzheimers and dementia	€1,000
Bagenalstown Family Resource Centre	Carlow	Fifteen week beginners computer club	€600
Drumgoon Community Centre Co - op Society	Cavan	A social club for older people	€2,000
Kilnaleck Social Services	Cavan	An overnight break for members to help promote their health and social gain	€3,000
South West Cavan CDP	Cavan	Small Farmers Group: provide a course in manual and computerised farm accounting to ten older farmers	€1,300
Cuimhneamh an Chlair: The Oral History and Folklore Group	Clare	Digital Recording Project on the changing lives and roles of women in Clare, 1900 - 1980. Publish a booklet	€3,000
Killimer Knockerra Social Group	Clare	Take a group of elderly for an outing to North Clare	€500
Killimer Knockerra Social Group	Clare	Social outing	€2,200
Raheen Hospital Day Care Centre	Clare	Hire musician and a music therapist to undertake a 12-week residency working with groups and individuals	€1,000
Bandon Family Support Group	Cork	To facilitate a Care Ring for the Elderly which is a voluntary group with growing telephone bills	€2,000
Blackwater Community Connect	Cork	Encouraging more men to become involved in community events	€700
Dunmanway Family Resource Centre	Cork	To set up a Care and Repair service for older people and to supply tools to the volunteers	€1,500
Lotamore Family Resource Centre	Cork	Eldercare Programme	€500
Mahon Community Development Project	Cork	To bring older and younger people together to develop a joint digital photography project and public exhibition of their work	€2,000
MFG Meitheal Mhuscraí	Cork	To carry out home visitations on a regular basis	€1,000
Artlink Visual Art Organisation	Donegal	ArtLink, with artist Leonie Tang, will work with older people to create an archive of ordinary life in Buncrana	€1,000
Convoy and District Development Association	Donegal	Plans to bridge the gap between older and younger people and try to lessen isolation for older rural men	€2,000
Gleann Fhinne Teoranta	Donegal	Basic computer course for those living in rural parish	€1,000
Inishowen Community Radio	Donegal	Intergenerational radio project to record memories and stories	€1,500
Inishowen Community Radio	Donegal	Training course to develop practical IT skills to promote social inclusion	€1,000
Lettermacaward and Doochary Active Seniors	Donegal	Weekly nutritious meal for older people and transport	€500
Raphoe Community In Action Ltd	Donegal	Project will develop the capacity of young and older people and encourage the transfers and skills between generations	€1,000
The Forge Family Resource Centre	Donegal	Intergenerational project involving young people working with older men on a gardening project	€1,000

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Ballyfermot Community Association	Dublin	Provision of warm clothing for senior citizens anxious about heating bills	€600
Care Local	Dublin	Organise the Dublin Men's League through which socially excluded men will participate in monthly competitions in pool, snooker and darts	€2,000
Clonliffe Community Centre	Dublin	To fund healthy ageing workshops, creative arts classes and social outings	€400
Community Enterprise Society Ltd	Dublin	To run an ICT Training pilot scheme in home care	€800
MAIN- Men Alone In No Man's Land	Dublin	To seek out 'hard to reach' men and engage with and provide them with information on MAIN's services	€1,000
Rosemount Community Development Group	Dublin	To provide a venue and tutor for exercise activity and an outing	€1,900
Rowlagh Women's Group	Dublin	To encourage older men to interact and socialise more in our community	€800
South Dublin Senior Citizens Club Ltd	Dublin	To extend the services to four more centres in Dublin	€1,500
Ballyfermot Community Association	Dublin	The provision of an annual Christmas dinner for 600 senior citizens	€1,250
Clareville Centre Ltd	Dublin	Provision of an "In case of emergency 365" response service	€1,000
Community Enterprise Society Ltd	Dublin	Eight week course in personal and digital media skills	€1,000
Craobhin Resource Group	Dublin	Weekly courses for widows and incapacitated persons in crafts, knitting/sewing and gentle exercises	€500
Darndale Belcamp Village Centre Ltd	Dublin	A site has been indentified for a senior centre. DCC require an initial outline plan of the project plus a feasibility study conducted	€2,500
Dollardstown Cottage for Elderly Inner City People	Dublin	Breaks for isolated elderly	€2,500
Hillview Community Resource Centre	Dublin	Afternoon celebration of International Day for Older Persons	€1,300
Making Connections	Dublin	To develop and pilot a half-day induction training programme and produce manual	€800
Millwood Court Environmental Group	Dublin	To fund the engagement of older men in community garden through information sessions and social gatherings	€500
All Ireland Open Dancing Championships	Galway	Bring socially disadvantaged men to the All Ireland Dancing Championships - late October.	€2,000
Aonad Resource Centre	Galway	To develop a Friendly Call service to reach out to the most isolated in the community	€2,000
BRB Senior Citizens Group	Galway	Ten-week evening course in crafts for isolated seniors	€2,000
Clann Resource Centre	Galway	Launch the Care and Repair programme and grow our services	€500
COPE - Sonas Day Centre	Galway	Two social outings for older people to local heritage sites and areas of interest and support for gardening and mosaic project	€900
Cups and Crowns Educational Theatre Company	Galway	To facilitate an fourteen week series of drama workshops with the elderly	€500
Generations In Action	Galway	Create and exhibit plaque to represent co-operation between older and young generations	€650
Moycullen Active Retired Association	Galway	Facilitate a Keep Fit instructor to teach older members physical fitness	€900
Portumna Active Retirement Association	Galway	Activities for older people, especially men, to maintain and improve their mental and physical health	€700
Sonas Senior Citizens	Galway	Art classes for members	€400

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St Joseph's Court Residents Association	Galway	Drama project aims to encourage and develop the residents' drama and music skills	€500
St. Jarlath's Court Residents Association	Galway	Professional training for the defibrillator. Christmas dinner and entertainment during the winter evenings	€3,000
Ballybunion Active Retirement Group	Kerry	To organise monthly day trips to network with other groups in an area with no public transport	€1,000
Coiste Forbartha Ceann Tra, Club na Sinsear	Kerry	Trips for older isolated people and project to network with similar community groups within a twenty mile radius	€3,850
Irish Lupus Support Group	Kerry	To encourage the group to continue meeting, providing a space to discuss difficulties as they arise thus minimising long-term problems	€500
Kerryhead Ballyheigue Family Resource Centre	Kerry	Annual Christmas dinner for elderly people of the community, dinner, drinks and music plus a bus provided. Social outlet and inclusive celebration for elderly persons	€1,250
Kerrykeel Senior Citizens	Kerry	Christmas meal and party for senior citizens, to include meal, raffle and music	€500
Woman 2000	Kerry	To continue the work of the women's group in combating loneliness and isolation	€1,000
Older Voices Kildare	Kildare	To help two groups in Celbridge and Newbridge to develop into a community men's shed in Co Kildare. Funding required to convert a building to meet the needs of men's shed	€2,500
Carrigallen/ Drumeela Active Age	Leitrim	To provide a Christmas party for older people	€1,940
Leitrim Calling	Leitrim	To train five volunteers to expand a friendly call service for older people to address isolation and link clients with social groups and networks	€1,500
North West Simon Community	Leitrim	Provision of life skills course for 30 isolated men over 10 weeks	€2,000
Abbeyfeale Wednesday Club	Limerick	To undertake a course on Tiffany glass, which involves making various items with cut, stained glass	€500
Friars' Gate Theatre	Limerick	Weekly two hour drama workshop to encourage physical movement and voice skills of older people culminating with a performance	€1,000
Limerick City Care & Repair	Limerick	Provide volunteers to visit homes and complete DIY improvements	€2,500
St Ita's Voluntary Housing Association and Daycare Ltd	Limerick	Training costs for new Friendly Call service to older isolated people	€1,000
The Mid Western Stroke Support Club	Limerick	Pilot a Stroke Support programme to a group of eight to ten stroke survivors	€1,500
Domus Servcies	Louth	Extend Programme for a group of elderly people to improve their coordination, mobility and wellbeing	€700
Active Retirement Club Swinford	Mayo	Outings for retirement group and a number of community events targeted at isolated older men	€400
Ballyhaunis Social Housing Ltd.	Mayo	Day trips for residents to socialise and encourage them to be more active	€300
Castlebar Social Services	Mayo	Art classes and day trips	€2,200
Claremorris Community Radio	Mayo	To produce a three-part radio programme of reminiscence	€1,000
Claremorris Family Resource Centre Ltd	Mayo	Support for a number of initiatives: Support group for carers and isolated older people; Production of 1000 local information brochures on services and support for older people in the area and Environment project	€3,950
Cois Timpeall/Bowling Green Residents Association	Mayo	IT and computer classes, outings and activities and create a bi-annual newsletter	€400

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Comharchumann Forbartha Cill tSeandna Teo	Mayo	Pottery and print making classes at Lismarraine Art Centre, Swinford	€400	
Comharchumann Forbartha Cill tSeandna Teo	Mayo	To obtain proper bingo books along with an electronic bingo machine	€300	
Comharchumann Forbartha Cill tSeandna Teo	Mayo	To try activities members have never done before	€300	
Crossmolina Community Council	Mayo	Provision of outings and social activities for seniors	€1,250	
Erris Men's Shed	Mayo	A six-week computer class for beginners aimed at men	€500	
Kenny/ Naughton Society	Mayo	Literary Society; Meetings with elderly people to discuss 'En Route' Public Art project and add to bank of knowledge	€500	
Kilmaine Active Retirement	Mayo	Hire of tutor for wood and other crafts such as glass painting and card making	€500	
Le Cheile Community and Family Resource Centre	Mayo	Social project to encourage elderly men to participate in community, through the medium of chess	€1,000	
Men's Community Initiative	Mayo	Programme of activities for men over winter period	€1,200	
Westport Family and Community Resource Centre	Mayo	Older People's Supports ie a befriending telephone service; weekly social event with transport provided; IT tuition etc	€1,500	
Trim Family Resource Centre	Meath	To establish a men's group for older men who experience isolation because of unemployment or retirement	€1,000	
Clones Community Forum Ltd.	Monaghan	Internet classes designed for elderly people (3 per class) with issues such as arthritis and speed	€120	
Offaly Dyslexia Group (Offaly Branch of DAI)	Offaly	To provide support and workshops for adults with Dyslexia to enable them to learn to read and write	€500	
Elphin Day Care Centre	Roscommon	Yoga class designed for older people	€500	
North West Roscommon Care & Repair Service	Roscommon	Maintain this free service - the client only pays for the cost of materials used	€1,500	
Monday Club Gleann Active Retirement	Sligo	To purchase an electronic bingo set	€250	
Sligo Lend-A-Hand Service	Sligo	Start-up costs for care and repair service	€1,000	
Tubbercurry Family and Childcare Resource Centre	Sligo	Pilot a Men's Shed Programme for Tubbercurry and outlying villages	€500	
Aherlow Community Council/ Senior Citizens	Tipperary	To run community activities and a Christmas party for the elderly and those living alone	€500	
Ballyporeen Community Council	Tipperary	Senior Citizens New Years Party	€2,350	
Burncourt Community Council Ltd	Tipperary	Annual Senior Citizens Christmas Party for 100 - 120 people	€400	
Carrick on Suir Active Retirement Group	Tipperary	Two bus trips during the summer	€2,000	
Good Morning South Tipperary	Tipperary	Running costs for work of the GMST	€1,000	
Littleton Development Association	Tipperary	Annual Christmas party for older people	€1,500	
Muintir Na Tire Newcastle Community Council	Tipperary	Christmas Dinner and party for older people in the community	€400	
Solohead Senior Citizens Committee	Tipperary	Annual outing and Christmas party	€2,000	
St Paul's Community Council	Tipperary	Christmas Party for elderly and people living alone	€400	
Assisi House Day Centre	Waterford	Annual Day Trips for members and carers.	€400	
Cappoquin Day Care Centre	Waterford	Tutor and materials for weekly art and craft classes	€2,000	
Waterford Area Stroke Support Group	Waterford	To support stroke survivors, their family, friends and carers	€1,500	

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			Amount Awarded
1428 Active Retirement Club Ltd	Westmeath	Encouraging retired men to participate in social interaction	€1,000
ATK Community Centre Ltd	Westmeath	To purchase and construct a polytunnel	€1,000
Westmeath Volunteer Centre	Westmeath	Equipment and clothing to supply volunteers with a "Handyman bag" for the Service - approx 50 bags	€2,850
Westmeath Older Peoples Forum	Westmeath	To set up Older People's Telephone, Befriending & Information Service to reduce feelings of isolation	€2,000
Clonard Area Development Association (CADA)	Wexford	Provide social and recreational opportunities for older men and women living in the area	€400
Club 55 Screen	Wexford	An arts and craft project	€850
FAB Community Development Project	Wexford	To address set up a visitation service and odd jobs/maintenance service	€900
Friends of St John's Hospital	Wexford	To bring wheelchair bound patients on a monthly outing with volunteers	€1,000
Kilmore SCOPE Ltd.	Wexford	To provide lunch and refreshments at monthly social events for senior citizens	€400
Raheen Community Development Group Ltd	Wexford	Cookery classes with information on healthy eating, for older isolated men living alone	€500
St Columba's Old Folks Club	Wexford	To expand on existing activities	€1,250
Talbot Green Women's Group	Wexford	An arts and craft project for older people	€500
The Sunshine Club – St. Josephs	Wexford	To provide a range of healthy activities that will encourage older people to meet	€500
County Wicklow Network for Older People	Wicklow	To pilot the idea of 'social ambassadors' to isolated older people; to recruit/train volunteers, evaluate and report	€2,000
Greystones People Project	Wicklow	Monthly lunch and bingo, rent for hall, Christmas lunch and entertainment	€1,580
Klawitter Theatre Group Ltd	Wicklow	Using stories and songs collected from seniors in Dublin and LA to put on a show (Bealtaine Tour) for seniors in care	€1,000
Klawitter Theatre Group Ltd	Wicklow	A music and storytelling project with performers and residents in two nursing homes	€1,074
			<b>€143,264</b>
<b>VARIOUS</b>			
An Cosan	Dublin	General support	€500
Brookfield Addiction Support Group	Dublin	General support	€500
MarriageEquality	Dublin	To make a viral video to raise awareness of importance of equal marriage rights	€2,500
Saoirse Women's Refuge	Dublin	General support	€500
Drogheda Town FC	Louth	To clear, level and change leased land to football pitches	€3,000
			<b>€7,000</b>
<b>Total Grant-Making 2011</b>			<b>€432,139</b>

## FUND MANAGEMENT 2011

The total value of the assets held by the Manager on behalf of the Fund at 31st December 2011 was, almost €27m. the Fund is a tax-exempt fund and is held in trust by the Board of Directors of The Community Foundation for Ireland. The primary long term performance objective of the fund is to maximise its overall return having regard to the performance of stock markets and taking due cognisance of the Fund's income requirements. Careful financial management has been a hallmark of The Community Foundation since its inception. The Community Foundation for Ireland also complies with the Statement of Guiding Principles for Fundraising.

At 1st January 2011, the total value of the assets held by the Investment Manager on behalf of the Fund was €26,832,765. During the year a further €430,665 was received, representing donations received from donors for investment in the Fund. The Fund also received investment income during the year (including tax reclaimed) of €1,047,730. A total amount of €980,116 was made available to the Foundation to meet its grant making requirements and to cover its administrative costs. A further €108,108 was deducted to meet the Manager's fees and other investment expenses. During the year, the fund realised gains of €33,985 but this was more than offset by unrealised losses of €439,397, resulting in a total capital depreciation of €405,412 during the year.

During the year The Foundation's Finance Audit Investment and Governance (FAIG) Committee reviewed the appointment of the Fund's Investment Managers. Proposals were invited from a number of Investment Managers whom the Committee believed had the capabilities to manage the Fund within the criteria which had been set for the Fund. Following a detailed process, the FAIG Committee unanimously recommended to the Board of Directors of the Foundation that AIB Investment Managers be reappointed to manage the Fund for a further 3 year term and this recommendation was endorsed by the Board at its meeting on 7th December 2011 and implemented with effect from 1st January 2012.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2011

Balance Sheet as at 31st December			Income & Expenditure for the Year Ended		
	2011	2010		2011	2010
	€	€		€	€
<b>Tangible Fixed Assets</b>			<b>Grant-making Income</b>		
Fixed Assets	2,422	2,427	Private Donations Received	1,160,745	1,248,653
Investments (Endowment Funds)	<u>26,587,195</u>	<u>26,587,190</u>	Endowment Fund Income	<u>543,249</u>	<u>959,490</u>
Income Due on Endowments	235,329	175,700		<u>1,703,994</u>	<u>2,208,142</u>
	<u>26,824,946</u>	<u>26,832,760</u>	<b>Grant-making Expenditure</b>	<u>1,703,994</u>	<u>2,208,142</u>
<b>Current Assets</b>			<b>Operational Income</b>		
Cash at Bank	2,902,257	2,957,569	Bank Interest Received	87,048	80,068
Debtors and Prepayments	8,072	8,731	Management Fees*	<u>309,603</u>	<u>285,456</u>
	<u>2,910,329</u>	<u>2,966,300</u>		<u>396,651</u>	<u>365,524</u>
<b>Creditors (amounts falling due within one year) including deferred endowment/private fund income</b>			<b>Operational Expenditure</b>		
	186,890	112,377	Fundraising and Asset Development Costs	199,434	164,504
<b>Net Current Assets</b>	<u>2,723,439</u>	<u>2,853,923</u>	Grant Administration Costs	96,959	68,846
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>29,548,384</u>	<u>29,548,385</u>	Support Costs and Overheads	<u>75,468</u>	<u>99,488</u>
<b>Financed by:</b>				<u>371,861</u>	<u>332,838</u>
Unrestricted Funds	645,839	621,051	<b>Excess income over expenditure</b>	<u>24,789</u>	<u>32,686</u>
Restricted Funds	2,080,085	2,080,022	<b>Notes*</b>		
Endowments	<u>26,822,460</u>	<u>26,822,524</u>	Grant Admin Fees – Flow through grants (5%)	60,912	48,442
	<u>29,548,384</u>	<u>29,548,385</u>	Endowment income 1% of market value	<u>248,691</u>	<u>237,014</u>
				<u>309,603</u>	<u>285,456</u>

These are draft financial statements.

Our audited financial statements are presented in accordance with "Accounting and Reporting for Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice" (SORP)

Audit figures in the SORP format are available on our website or by request from the Development Office.

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