

Holiday Funders List

The organisations and services listed below have been compiled as a guide for people looking for help to fund their visit to Calvert Kielder. The information and links are correct as of the 17/1/2020, but you should check before applying to ensure that criteria or services are still available. The list is not exhaustive and is for information only. **The services offered are not endorsed by Calvert Kielder, its staff or subsidiaries.**

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3H Helping Hand for Holidays	Grants to assist disabled people and their families on low income to organise a UK holiday for themselves.	www.3hfund.org.uk/grants/
MS Research & Relief Fund	Will consider requests for services which may make a significant improvement to the quality of life for someone with MS, e.g. respite care.	www.ms-researchandrelief.org/grants/
MS Society	Health and Wellbeing Grants are there for items and activities that will have a significant positive impact on your life. That means everything from holidays and car adaptations to wheelchairs and exercise equipment. Carer's grants can help fund activities that give unpaid carers a chance to relax or learn new skills.	www.mssociety.org.uk/apply-ms-society-grant
The Carers Trust	Grant fund open for individual adult carers, aged 16+. Carers can apply for grants of up to £300 for items or activities that will benefit them in their caring role.	carers.org/article/grants-available-carers-trust
The Disability Aid Trust	Welcomes applications from those who would like to take a break but cannot afford to pay the extra expenses of essential helpers. To qualify your application must be supported by a bona fide organisation, doctor or social worker, willing to verify that you meet the scheme's requirements. Applications are reviewed, and funds allocated twice a year so be sure to apply by 1 February for summer holidays and by 1 August for winter holidays.	www.disabilityaidtrust.org.uk/hat-new/Support.html

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Edward Gostling Foundation	Funding available to support individuals on a low income with a disability and/or serious long-term illness.	Contact Calvert Kielder on 01434 250232 to discuss availability and eligibility.
Bruce Wake Charitable Trust	Considers applications for grant funding from organisations and individuals which support the aims of the trust which is – to encourage and assist the provision of leisure activities for the disabled.	www.brucewaketrust.co.uk
Happy Days Children's Charity	Their aim is to help as many people as we can by funding trips, experiences, respite breaks and group activity holidays for those who need them most.	www.happydayscharity.org/applications
Make a Wish	Their wishes give seriously ill children the chance to do something extraordinary. For many children, it's an opportunity to do something they never thought possible	www.make-a-wish.org.uk
React	React helps families caring for a child with an illness which is life-threatening or has the potential to shorten their lifespan. Our purpose is to provide assistance in situations where none is available elsewhere.	reactcharity.org/applications
Roald Dahl Foundation	Marvellous Family Grants are for families facing financial hardship while caring for a child with a serious illness. They provide support to help families cope.	www.roalddahlfoundation.org
The Holywood Trust	Give grants to young people (aged 15 – 25) living in Dumfries and Galloway to support personal development. Available to both individuals and organisations.	www.hollywood-trust.org.uk
The Margaret Champney Rest and Holiday Fund	Grants are made to support respite holidays for carers. The primary aim is to give a complete break to a carer while the person cared for is receiving respite care. In exceptional circumstances, we may assist where the carer and cared for wish to holiday together, provided they are husband and wife or partners, or an adult child caring for an aged parent or vice versa.	www.ogilviecharities.org.uk/Grants/Rest-and-holiday-fund/Funding-for-Holidays-for-Carers.html

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Away From It All (AFIA) Mothers Union Holiday Scheme	Provide grants to families to spend time together away from their stressful situations at home, engage in activities together and have fun.	www.mothersunion.org/projects/away-it-all
Shared Care Scotland Short Breaks Fund	The Short Breaks Fund provides grants to third sector organisations that support unpaid carers to take a break from their caring role.	www.sharedcarescotland.org.uk/shortbreaksfund/
Starlight	They grant personalised wishes for children who are suffering from a life-threatening or life-shortening illness.	www.starlight.org.uk/what-we-do/starlight-wishes/
Take A Break Scotland	Provide grants for short breaks for the carers of disabled children, young people and their families in Scotland. Applications open May/June.	www.takeabreakscotland.org.uk
The Children's Foundation Regional Small Grants Programme (North East England)	This was established to give children and young people the best health and wellbeing through grants to support community projects. Grants awarded are up to a maximum of £1,000.	www.thechildrensfoundation.co.uk/we-help/regional-small-grants/
The Elifar Foundation	Welcome applications by, or on behalf of, individual children or young adults (up to 28) with any form of physical or learning disability.	www.elifarfoundation.org.uk/how-we-help/apply-for-a-grant/
The Family Fund	Provide grants to families across the UK who are raising a disabled or seriously ill child or young person aged 17 or under.	www.familyfund.org.uk
The Henry Smith Charity Holiday Grants	Grants of £500-£2,500 to provide recreational trips and holidays for groups of children aged 13 and under in the UK who are disabled or disadvantaged.	www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/explore-our-grants-and-apply/holiday-grants-for-children/holiday-grants-for-children-overview/
Trefoil	Offer holiday grants to individuals, families or small groups who meet our criteria for development needs. In addition, applicants for holiday grants should be under 18 years of age.	www.trefoil.org.uk/applications/lili-as-finlay-holiday-fund/
When You Wish Upon A Star	They aim to grant the Wishes of children between 2 and 16 years of age living with a terminal illness who have not previously had a Wish granted by another charity.	www.whenyowishuponastar.org.uk/wishes/apply

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Family Holiday Association	<p>Provide breaks for UK families struggling with issues such as disability, severe and sudden illness, bereavement, mental health issues and domestic violence.</p> <p>All families must be referred by someone working with them in a supporting role.</p>	www.familyholidayassociation.org.uk/apply-for-a-break/
Greggs Foundation	<p>Award grants of up to £2,000 to enable not for profit organisations (with a turnover less than £300,000) to do something they otherwise couldn't afford to. Interested in projects that improve resilience within your community. This can include sessional activities/respite support, equipment for sessional activities, trips and residential breaks.</p>	www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants/local-community-projects-fund
ILF Scotland Transition Fund	<p>Offer grants of up to £7,500 funding for 16-21 years old living with a disability in Scotland, to try new activities and experiences that will enhance your independence, confidence and help you</p>	ilf.scot/transition-fund/
John Watson's Trust	<p>Awards grants to individuals and organisations for educational purposes to children and young people under the age of 21 who have a physical or learning disability or who are socially disadvantaged. The Trust operates primarily within Edinburgh and the Lothians but grants may be awarded Scotland-wide depending on each individual case.</p>	www.wssociety.co.uk/charities/jwt
Mary Macarthur Holiday Trust	<p>The Trust aims to help qualifying applicants with some financial assistance towards holidays for women who are in need of a period of rest or holiday by reason of age, poverty, infirmity, disablement or social or economic circumstances.</p>	mmht.org.uk/How_to_apply.html
Peoples Health Trust	<p>Welcomes applications from organisations who support people to create or shape local projects that will help their community or neighbourhood to become even better.</p>	www.peopleshealthtrust.org.uk/apply-for-funding

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Cystic Fibrosis Trust	Holiday or break grants are available to people with cystic fibrosis (CF) who are aged 18 and over, to help towards the costs of a holiday, short trip or break.	www.cysticfibrosis.org.uk/the-work-we-do/support-available/financial-support/holiday-grants
Florence Nightingale Aid in Sickness Trust	Provides life-enhancing grants where funding is not readily available from other sources, towards medical items and services. Adults and children whose lives are impaired by severe health problems and are resident in the UK.	www.fnaist.org.uk email: ann.griffiths@fnaist.org.uk
Motor Neurone Disease Association (MNDA)	Offer some financial support to help with funding equipment and services that people with MND have been assessed as needing, funding for children and young people living with someone with	www.mndassociation.org/getting-support/financial-support-information-for-people-with-mnd/
The Alan Bott Charity	York based charity set up to help people with MS and similar neurological conditions to have a short break.	www.alanbottcharity.org/index.php/holiday-locations

Useful Links

<https://grants-search.turn2us.org.uk/>