

TD SECURITIES 2018 COMMUNITY SUPPORT



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Throughout 2017 TD Securities raised a total of £63,681 to support four charities in the UK tackling a variety of issues. The charities who received donations in early 2018 focused on positively engaging children and young people, delivering employability support and providing vital equipment for children and their families affected by serious illness.

Donations were made to the following organisations;



Breaking Barriers Breaking Barriers enables refugees in London to acquire the knowledge, confidence and experience they need to secure stable and fulfilling jobs.



Down's Syndrome Association aims to help all with Down's syndrome to live a full and rewarding life through specialist advice on benefits, education, health and social care, advising new parents and advising on employment.



Friends of Shelby Newstead was established in 1996 when, at 9-months old, Shelby was diagnosed with Neuroblastoma, a particularly aggressive form of cancer. She was treated at Great Ormond Street Hospital. Later that year a charity evening was held to raise money to support children and families affected by serious illness and Friends of Shelby Newstead was founded.



Newham Giving is an initiative established by East End Community Foundation. The programme distributes funds to support positive holiday activities for children and young people in the London borough of Newham,

Breaking Barriers



The donation from TD Securities was used to support the ongoing running costs of Breaking Barriers, enabling the organisation to grow and develop their offer of support to refugees in London.

Breaking Barriers has been going through an exciting period of growth and the funding has enabled them to increase their capacity to support more refugees by employing a new Caseworker, who is the essential linchpin in offering advice and guidance to refugees. Support ranges from identifying career goals, managing job searches and being successful in interviews, to support with longer-term career progression and integrating into UK working culture.

85%

OF CLIENTS SECURED
WORK OR FURTHER
TRAINING

44

REFUGEES WERE
SUPPORTED

15

CLIENTS SECURED A
WORK PLACEMENT

"With the help of Breaking Barriers, I went to English classes, I took part in English language discussions and learnt how to speak to m managers in interviews. My caseworkers helped me create my CV, practice for interviews and start volunteering at a community cafe. I now have a job as a barista at a coffee shop. I had nothing when I arrived in the UK - getting a job has changed my life. Having somebody that believes in you changes everything."

- Sam, aged 21

Down's Syndrome Association



The Down's Syndrome Association has been able to further its employment programme, WorkFit, with the generous support of TD Securities. WorkFit is a bespoke programme that offers training and support to both employers and employees.

Adults aged 18+ with Down's Syndrome can register for the programme across the UK and they receive individual support and development to prepare them for a smooth transition directly into work. In 2018, Down's Syndrome Association also worked directly with employers to have a greater knowledge of the syndrome, and how to support a person with Down's Syndrome in the workplace.

20

PEOPLE SECURED
WORK OPPORTUNITIES

21

BUSINESSES AND
EMPLOYERS ATTENDED
TRAINING

6

CLIENTS SECURED A
PERMANENT JOB

"Thank you to everyone who nominated me. A special thank you to WorkFit who helped me find my job at the Environment Agency. I like working, it's a good experience and I want to make my colleagues and family proud."

**- Tom, WorkFit client and
Significant Achievement Award
Winner**



Friends of Shelby Newstead



The donation from TD Securities supported Friends of Shelby Newstead's fundraising efforts in 2018, enabling them to provide a number of awards to children and families facing serious illness. As a voluntary organisation, 100% of donations received go directly towards helping children. Below are some of their stories;

Tallula

Tallula was only 6 when she was diagnosed with a rare genetic condition called Meta Chromatic Leukasdysterophy. This confined Tallula to a basic NHS resources wheelchair. When Tallula and her family was introduced to Friends of Shelby Newstead they were able to help her with a new electronic wheelchair. She is now much more independent and is able to drive herself and play with her friends at school.

Sam

At the point Sam was referred for support, he'd been sent home with no medical plan and was given an extremely short life expectancy. With the support of Friends of Shelby Newstead the family were put in touch with a specialist who was able to task a laboratory to formulate specialist products purely for Sam's needs. These supplements are keeping Sam alive today and he recently celebrated his 15th birthday.

Kyanninga Child Development Centre

"We couldn't have managed without your kind donation, and we've purchased the car today! Our new centre is growing much faster than expected and we now have over 100 children registered. At our recent early intervention event we had doctors, nurses, health workers and parents all finding out more about how to support children with disabilities."

- Steve and Fiona, Kyanning Child Development Centre

Newham Giving



The donation from TD Securities enabled Newham Giving, managed by East End Community Foundation, to support 11 summer holiday projects and three October half term projects in 2018. It was a fantastic year with a wide variety of activities taking place to support children and young people.

Newham has a higher than average youth population and youth violence has risen sharply. A knife attack on someone under-25 happens every three days. Newham Giving is vital in supporting positive, diversionary activities and educating young people about personal safety and the importance of education and employment.

1,389

CHILDREN AND YOUNG
PEOPLE SUPPORTED

88%

OF ATTENDEES LEARNT
SOMETHING NEW

53

YOUNG PEOPLE GAINED
A QUALIFICATION

1,889

HOURS OF ACTIVITY
DELIVERED

"I stopped carrying a knife and I've got a new groups of friends. I want to keep making the right choices."

- Ben aged 15

"You only really know what it's like to be excluded when you're included."

- Rahul aged 13

APPENDIX A: 2018 FUNDED PROJECTS

Organisation	Project Summary	Amount Awarded
Breaking Barriers	A contribution towards the ongoing activities of the organisation, to provide employability support to refugees in London	£15,681
Down's Syndrome Association	A contribution towards the organisations ongoing activities, particularly the WorkFit programme which supports employers with training and employees with Down's Syndrome	£15,681
Friends of Shelby Newstead	A contribution towards the organisations fundraising efforts, which supports children and their families facing serious illness	£15,681
Newham Giving	A contribution towards the 2018 Newham Giving programme, which supports 12 summer holiday activities for children and young people	£15,681
	EECF administration and management contribution	£955
	Total Donation	£63,681

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