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CHARITY

UPDATE

MAY 2021

Even though we have been in lockdown for the last year, the work of our charity has never been more important and has continued where possible to bring help and funding.

Over the last 40 years, the Company's Charitable and Education programmes have been at the heart of what we do.

The Company has several main areas of charitable giving: University Awards, Chartered Surveyors' Bursaries, Schools and various other organisations. The following is some of the current activity and the young people who we are supporting.



CHARTERED SURVEYORS' BURSARIES

The Bursaries was formally launched at the beginning of March and has made a fantastic start. Five students are now being funded £10,000 pa for their three year degree course by five "Champions": M7, Hollis, Dunmoore, Bridge Fund Management, Cushman & Wakefield and James Andrew International.

This Bursary Programme is aimed widening diversity in the profession and offering an opportunity not previously available to young talented people, with a target of offering a further eight bursaries starting the 2021 academic year in September. The scheme also offers mentoring and workplace opportunities.

"I would also like to give thanks to The Worshipful Company of Chartered Surveyors for their generous donation which I have most definitely benefitted from, through the bursary. I appreciate this opportunity and cannot wait for what the future brings."

Nandipha



"I cannot thank the Worshipful Company of Chartered Surveyors enough for providing me with this opportunity. I am very grateful for this and I will continue making the best of this support throughout the rest of my university journey."

NaRoshan





"Alongside receiving the bursary, I have had the privilege to be given a mentoring opportunity. Thank you again for providing me with this bursary"

Roshanna

"The bursary has benefited me a great deal with my time and experience at university. I have been able to buy a good quality laptop. I would like to say a massive thank you to The Worshipful Company of Chartered Surveyors for the financial support that they have given me as it has benefited me a great amount and I am extremely grateful for it."

Dylan

"I would like to emphasise how valued the work of my bursary donors has been. I feel so fortunate to be in this situation where I have so much support, not only financially but also in terms of my personal growth career wise. I am so grateful that The Worshipful Company of Chartered Surveyors has been so generous with their donations. It is truly amazing the efforts that are being made to diversify the real estate industry by allowing those who wouldn't ordinarily consider a career in property."

Sophia



UNIVERSITY AWARDS

The University Awards, as distinct from the Bursary Programme, currently provide the following 18 financial awards:

11 Awards of £2,100 pa to students from the WCCS supported schools and via the **Royal Springboard Children's Foundation**

1 Award of £5,000 pa to a student at the **Guildhall School of Music and Drama**

4 Awards of £2,100 pa to students at the **Central School of Ballet**

2 Scholarships at the **Cambridge Institute of Sustainability Leadership**

The aim is to increase these awards to a more meaningful amount and bring the historic amounts of £2,100 pa up to date and really help these students. The plan is to increase the amounts to £5,000 pa in September 2021.

This increased target of £40,500 and strategy requires a greater focus on fundraising and it is our aim to achieve our target from Livery members through one-off or regular donations.



CURRENT ACTIVITIES

NEW JOINT INITIATIVE LAUNCHED BY WCCS AND LIONHEART

Lionheart is a charity solely focused on supporting RICS members. We have joined their recently launched programme to support surveying students by providing grants to buy a suitable outfit and help with travel costs to attend interviews.

SCHOOLS COMPUTERS

A donation was made to The Aldgate School in the City. This, together with other donations, provided one new iPad, five Chrome Books and 14 second-hand computers/laptops. The school response was: *"It has been overwhelming from your livery. Please do pass on our huge thanks."*

Additionally, further funds have provided more computers and laptops to the Company's four supported schools.

ROYAL SPRINGBOARD CHILDREN'S CHARITY

We are supporting a former beneficiary of this charity that supports talented but disadvantaged children. Our award is assisting this student taking a degree in architecture at the University of Liverpool.

DANIEL SPARGO MABBS FOUNDATION

We continue to support the foundation. The Charity has set itself the challenge of providing support to young people to help them to make safe choices about drugs and alcohol with a view to reducing their harm.

SUSTAINABILITY MASTERS DEGREE

We are pleased to report that two students are now fully engaged in this Masters degree course.



YOUNG ENTERPRISE

Over recent years the Company has supported the Learn to Earn and Employability Masterclass programmes which provide some of the communication, problem solving and creative thinking skills which are both highly valuable to employers and further learning providers.

NEWHAM SEA CADETS

The Company has agreed to provide funds for the purchase of a new mini bus when the current lockdown ends.

BUILDING PEOPLE

The Company's continued support has enabled Building People to create a significant aggregation platform. This is now connecting people with work opportunities, networking resources and events.

CHARTERED SURVEYING TRAINING TRUST (CSTT)

As a founder of CSTT, the Company continues support and is looking to assist in rolling out its education module - My Environment, My Future - to as many schools as possible.

CENTRAL SCHOOL OF BALLET

"I am so excited to be training at Central and am so grateful to the Worshipful Company of Chartered Surveyors for this bursary. [Your bursary] is helping me relax and focus on my training, rather than worrying about finance issues".

"Thank you so much for awarding me a student bursary to help me with my maintenance costs while studying at Central School of Ballet. I am not able to obtain scholarships and it costs a lot to live in London, so it is so helpful".

"I did not lose my hope. My passion for dance is pushing me every day to succeed. You are helping me with my dream and I really appreciate that. Thank you!"



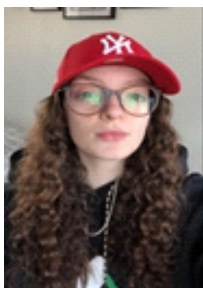
ROYAL SPRINGBOARD

Royal Springboard is a social mobility charity focusing on harnessing the power of educational opportunities at some of the UK's leading schools to benefit young people who need them the most.

Mia is currently studying Architecture.

"The Livery bursary has had a hugely positive impact on my first year at the University of Liverpool. The guidance and professional help that has been put in place, tailored specifically for me, has allowed my ambition to be an architect to thrive even further. This year, I have invested my bursary in technology that has aided the quality of my education and helped me gain my own independence.

Mia

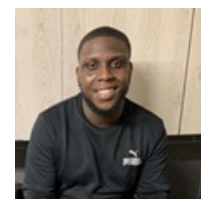


ROBERT CLACK SCHOOL

Robert Clack is one of the schools we support. Afolabi attended this school but is now studying Quantity Surveying at University.

"I would like to again thank your company for your continuous support throughout my studies at university and would continue to update you with any events or milestones that I hope to achieve in the future."

Afolabi



AWARD TO A FORMER NAVY LT COMMANDER IN MEMORY OF HRH THE PRINCE PHILIP

In memory of HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, the WCCS have granted a Bursary to a former Naval officer to attend the Royal Agricultural University at Cirencester. This naval officer has completed a very active 18 years of service to his country and will start a MSc Rural Estate Management in September 2021. The new bursary covers the fees of the course and makes this transitional career change possible.

GUILDHALL SCHOOL OF MUSIC AND DRAMA

The Company continues to support the Guildhall School of Music & Drama, through the awarding of annual Chartered Surveyors Prize. Below we hear from a former student and winner.

"I wanted to express my huge thanks to WCCS for all the support you have given me this year."

Beth





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