



Bullring & Grand Central Charity Partner Bursary Scheme

Application Form 2025

The Hammerson Charity Partner Bursary Scheme has been set up to support charities that undertake vital work within the local community. Each year, we invite local charities to apply for a bursary where, following a review, shortlisting and vote process, one or two charities will receive funding.

Charities will receive a bursary of £5,000 (one charity) or £2,500 (two charities).

All applicants must have a clear presence in the community local to Bullring & Grand Central, delivering a tangible impact on the lives of people in our area.

To be eligible for a charity bursary, applicants must be a registered charity with a charity registration number. Our colleagues are committed to providing holistic support to our charity bursary partners above and beyond funding. We ask that bursary recipients:

- Have a regular presence at Bullring & Grand Central, whether this is through fundraising or awareness raising activities, work experience/employment/careers education opportunities for beneficiaries or collaborating on community events.
- Where possible, provide a minimum of one volunteering opportunity for Bullring & Grand Central colleagues to provide practical support to the charity.
- Provide a report at the end of the bursary year with an overview of how the funding was spent including outcomes and impacts.
- Support our annual volunteering day. Each year in June Hammerson colleagues and partners celebrate Giving Back Day, when all employees volunteer in their communities. We encourage charity bursary partners to take an active role in supporting this initiative.

As a general rule, we do not support charities with religious or political connections/affiliation unless they address a local need aligned to our strategy.

Charities wishing to apply for a bursary should complete the form below and return it to destinationhosts@bullring.co.uk by Friday 21 March. Charities will be notified of the outcome by Tuesday 1 April.

Please note: due to the high volume of bursary applications received, unfortunately we cannot always provide specific feedback to unsuccessful charities.

Charity Bursary Application Form

Name of charity Name of charity

Charity contact name, address and contact details Charity contact name, address and contact phone number and email address
(phone/email)

Charity website (if applicable) Charity website URL

Charity registration number Insert registered charity number here

Please provide an overview (maximum 250 words) of your charity (who you are and what you do)

Please explain how your charity will benefit from a bursary (what the bursary is for and how will you measure/monitor the impact and report this back to Bullring & Grand Central)

If applicable, please explain how your charity fits with any strategic priorities of the local authority such as employability, education, nature etc.

Please provide clear examples of opportunities for our employees to engage in volunteering and fundraising opportunities during the bursary period (please bullet point and where possible, include specific events and provisional dates)

Please provide any further information you feel is relevant to your application