

**Action in rural Sussex has £1 million available to spend across ALL of East Sussex, West Sussex and Brighton and Hove and with only a year left for grants to be spent we are encouraging groups to apply to the **Local Network Fund** while they still can!**

The **Local Network Fund** is aimed at projects benefiting children, young people and/or their parents and carers. Locally managed, voluntary, community or self-help groups can all apply for **up to £7000 to run projects or activities** which promote new opportunities. The fund is particularly aimed at young people who would not otherwise be able to take part in an activity or event. This may be for a number of reasons, including, a disability, financial circumstances, language or cultural issues or because they live in a rural area.

**We have also made some changes!! If you are a group who has received 2 lots of funding you are now able to apply for a 3<sup>rd</sup> amount!**

Application packs and grant guidelines are available from the Local Network Fund call centre: 0845113 0161. RNID Tynetalk number: 18001 0845 1130161

Advice and support can be obtained by telephoning Action in rural Sussex on 01273 407305 or 01273 473422.

You can also call this number if you would like someone from the fund to come to your area and talk about what the fund is doing and how groups can apply or if you would like some additional information to give to groups.