

October 2022 to March 2023

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Make your organisation stronger with free **training** for staff and trustees, **network meetings** and **meet the funder** sessions

Training and events

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Enfield Voluntary Action organises a range of training courses throughout the year. We also organise network and forum meetings to bring together groups with shared interests, and other events such as our popular meet the funder sessions.

Our training and events are free to voluntary and community groups that provide at least 80% of their services to Enfield residents, with the exception of our finance and accounting courses, for which there is a small charge.

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EVA annual conference 2022: Tackling the cost of living crisis in Enfield – plus EVA AGM

Thursday 6 October | 9.30am – 1pm | Community House, 311 Fore Street, Enfield N9 0PZ

With a guest speaker from City Bridge Trust and speed presentations from Citizens Advice Enfield, North London Credit Union, Enfield Disability Action, Hearts and Helpers, Enfield Council's welfare advice and debt support team, Direct Community Support CIC and Enfield Food Alliance. Plus discussion, networking time, EVA's AGM and lunch.

One-to-one meet the funder session

Wednesday 12 October | various time slots | Community House, 311 Fore Street, London N9 0PZ

Have an individual discussion and get advice on funding for your project from the National Lottery Community Fund.

Become a trustee - the what, why and how

Thursday 13 October | 5.30pm - 7.30pm | Online

Find out what it means to become a trustee. Provided by Reach Volunteering and supported by the Mayor of London.

Enfield Health Champions Network

Thursday 20 October | 10am – 12.30pm | Online For trained Health Champions based in Enfield.

Mental Health Network: Making successful funding applications Tuesday 25 October | 10am – 12pm | Online

For members of the Enfield VCS Mental Health Network. If you are a member of the network or would like to get involved, please email Chris on c.scutt@enfieldva.org.uk.

Cyber security for charities and voluntary groups

Thursday 10 November | 10am – 12.30pm | Online How to identify and protect against security threats to your organisation and its data.

Enfield Volunteer Recruitment Fair

Thursday 17 November | 10am – 1pm | Community House, 311 Fore Street, Enfield N9 0PZ

A chance to set out your stall and recruit volunteers for your group.



Enfield VCS Mental Health Network

Tuesday 29 November | 3pm – 4.30pm | Online

For Enfield groups whose work touches on mental health or wellbeing – you don't have to be a specialist mental health organisation to join! With guest speaker and opportunities for networking.

Enfield Cost of Living Crisis Network

December | *date and time tbc*

For local voluntary and community groups whose clients are affected by or whose work touches on the cost of living crisis, poverty, homelessness or related issues. The December meeting will include an information exchange about what local groups are providing over the festive and new year period. If you would like further details or to get involved, please contact Chris on **c.scutt@enfieldva.org.uk**.



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Enfield Volunteer Organisers' Network (EVON)

Wednesday 7 December | *10am* – *12pm* | *Online* EVON meetings have a guest speaker or hands-on training session, plus time for networking.

Bookkeeping using Excel

Thursday 8 December | 10am – 2.30pm | Community House, 311 Fore Street, Enfield N9 0PZ

For treasurers or finance officers. Introduction to Excel, constructing petty cash and cash books, analysing income and expenditure types, bank reconciliations. Participants are expected to have basic computer skills and a basic knowledge of Microsoft Excel functions. **Cost**: £20 per delegate.

Making successful funding applications

Thursday 19 January 2023 | *10am* – *12pm* | *Online* Training and advice to help your group secure funding.

One-to-one meet the funder session

Wednesday 25 January 2023 | various time slots | Community House, 311 Fore Street, London N9 0PZ

Discuss your planned project and get advice on funding criteria and requirements from the National Lottery Community Fund.

Enfield Health Champions Network

Thursday 26 January 2023 | *10am – 12.30pm* | *Online* For trained Health Champions based in Enfield.

Budgeting and full cost recovery

Wednesday 8 February 2023 | 10am – 2.30pm | Community House, 311 Fore Street, Enfield N9 0PZ This course is for those who are not finance specialists but who need to be able to understand and deal with the financial aspects of running an organisation. Participants will not be expected to have much previous knowledge of accounting and budgeting. Training covers budgeting and costing techniques, monitoring, variance analysis and the basics of full cost recovery. **Cost**: £15 per delegate.

Enfield Cost of Living Crisis Network

February 2023 | date and time tbc

For local voluntary and community groups whose clients are affected by or whose work touches on the cost of living crisis, poverty, homelessness or related issues. If you would like further details or to be involved, please contact Chris on **c.scutt@enfieldva.org.uk**.

Enfield Volunteer Organisers' Network (EVON)

Tuesday 14 March 2023 | *10am – 12pm* | *Online* With a guest speaker or hands-on training session, plus time for networking.

Mental Health Network - meet the funder

Wednesday 15 March 2023 | *10am – 12pm* | *Venue tbc* Get advice on funding for your mental health or wellbeing project.

Cyber security for charities and voluntary groups

Thursday 16 March 2023 | *10am – 12.30pm* | *Online* How to identify and protect against cyber threats to your organisation and its data.

One-to-one meet the funder session

Wednesday 22 March 2023 | various time slots | Community House, 311 Fore Street, London N9 0PZ

Discuss your planned project and get advice on funding criteria and requirements from the National Lottery Community Fund.

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Latest funding opportunities

Aviva Community Fund

Grants of up to £50,000 for small charities and community groups supporting financial inclusion.

Deadline: Rolling, next deadline 19 July 2022.

The Hedley Foundation

Grants of between £250 and £5,000 to improve the quality of life of vulnerable and disadvantaged people.

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