

Annual Report

Charity registered under section 39 or section 40 of the Charities Act 2009

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Charity Details

Charity Number	20165314
Charity Name	Lifes2good Foundation

Activities

Annual Return for Period	01/01/2019 to 31/12/2019
Due Date	31/10/2020
Activities	Youth development Provision of accommodation/housing to those in need Overseas aid/famine relief Advancement of Arts, culture, heritage and science Promotion of community

Description of Activities

The foundation has 5 strategic priorities in its 4-year plan 2018 – 2022. Progress was made on all 5 priorities in 2019:

1. We support the education of girls:

a. L2GF supported the secondary school education of 1,900 marginalised girls in Malawi with a grant of €253,000 to CAMFED. 1,900 marginalised girls were recruited and supported to attend secondary school.

b. L2GF supported CRS Afghanistan with a grant of €105,000 to support the creation of eight community-based education classrooms in Bamiyan in Afghanistan. 8 community-based education classes were established in Yakawlang District, with a total enrollment of 109 students (56 male and 53 Female).

2. We influence attitudes in Ireland to domestic & sexual based violence & consent:

a. L2GF supported NUI Galway "Active Consent" programme with a grant of €229,000. NUI Galway established partnerships with other higher educational institutions and the programme is now in 18 out of 23 colleges nationwide in the University / Institute of Technology sector. NUI Galway was able to leverage the L2GF grant commitment and secure additional funding of €481,508, from the Social Innovation Fund Ireland

3. We help protect and support women and children who are currently in situations of vulnerability:

a. L2GF continued to support the Galway Rape Crisis Centre (GRCC) to deliver timely and consistent adolescent counselling to survivors of rape and sexual assault in Galway with a grant of €78,000. 96 young people attended the adolescent clinic services.

b. L2GF provided final tranche funding of €95,000, to COPE Galway to help complete the refurbishment of their "Modh Eile" House - a new state of the art, and fit for purpose, domestic abuse service and refuge.

4. We support imaginative people to nurture exciting ideas to impact on current social issues:

a. L2GF supported Social Entrepreneurs Ireland (SEI) to run a Connacht Academy for budding social entrepreneurs in the west of Ireland. 96% of participants indicated that their knowledge of the traits and skills associated with being a successful social enterprise had increased.

b. L2GF supported CyberSafe Ireland (CSI), with a grant of €42,000. Between June and Nov. CSI delivered talks to 2,326 children and 608 parents. 85% of Parents and 72% of teachers felt their knowledge was significantly enhanced.

5. We widen access and participation in sport and music, particularly for women & girls:

a. L2GF produced 3 videos focused on Galway's participation in 3 women's All Ireland finals. Over 6% of the total population of County Galway engaged with the videos. Actual attendance at the football final (56,140) & the camogie final (24,730) broke all previous records.

b. In 2019 L2GF established a partnership with Connacht Rugby & UL in Limerick to conduct a Masters study on Connacht Rugby Player Retention. In Nov. 2019 the recruitment process to select the Masters student was completed.

c. In 2019 L2GF established a partnership with Maoin Cheoil na Gaillimhe to help create a Galway School of Music for all, by 2023. In 2019 L2GF provided €13,000 to employ an administrator on a part time basis to facilitate office reorg & planning for the project to start in 2020.

Beneficiaries	Women's services Arts & culture Community foundations Education services Overseas aid Research Services to adolescents University, graduate schools and technology institutes
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Provides Direct Service to Individuals	No
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Fees Charged for Direct Service	No
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Fee Structure & consideration/selection process	
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Beneficiary Selection Process	
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Average No. Employees / Paid Officers	NONE
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No. of Volunteers	NONE
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Commenced implementation of the Charities Governance Code	Yes
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Request to be contacted by the Charities Register	Yes
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Financials

Gross Income	€0.00
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From Government/ Local Authorities	€0.00
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From Other Public Bodies	€0.00
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From Philanthropic organisations	€0.00
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From Donations	€0.00
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From trading and commercial activities	€0.00
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From Other Sources	€0.00
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Description of Other Sources

Donation Income Types

Gross Expenditure	€1,335,867.00
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Salary Expenditure	€0.00
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Attachments

Type	Description	Barcode
		BC119443 BC119443
Set of Audited Accounts	L2GFD LIFES2GOOD FS 2019 Final Signed.pdf	BC119443
Annual Report	Note on Ann Return L2GF 2019.pdf	BC119449

Declaration

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Filer Declaration Made:

Yes
