



Giving Back.

Sure are extremely proud to be part of island life and we recognise that many charities and local community groups rely solely on donations and unpaid volunteers so we try and support as many of them as we can through both the Sure Community Foundation and other CSR initiatives.

Our assistance sometimes comes in the form of a sponsorship deal, a one-off donation or assisting with specific telecommunications needs. So far this year we have contributed to our island community in various ways, from sponsorship of the World Powerboat Championships to the provision of 4G routers for the Saffery Rotary Walk to record walkers' progress at each checkpoint. And of course the Sure Big Screen returned this summer to entertain locals and visitors at Cobo.



Youth Commission at the Sure Big Screen

In association with the Sure Community Foundation, we invited the Youth Commission to have their own 'VIP' area for the afternoon of the final day of the Sure Big Screen, as well as providing ice-creams for all the children.

The Sure Community Foundation supports a variety of community and charitable programmes and in 2019 passed the £180k mark for donations.

Headway

Headway Guernsey is a local charity supporting islanders and their families who are living with the long-term effects of a brain injury. They provide a range of services that bring people together in a supportive environment helping them on their road to recovery to a life back into the community.

The Sure Community Foundation have been huge supporters for Headway over the past few years, helping them to develop and deliver their services - the most recent of which was providing some funding for their art sessions.

Philippa Stahelin, executive director of the charity, said: "The art sessions are really important as they allow our members to gain a greater insight into their disabilities in a creative way, through painting and drawing. The sessions teach new skills

and encourage and foster wellbeing and confidence within an environment which is confidential and where their brain injury is understood."

Headway receives no States funding and relies entirely on the generosity of islanders and the local business community. If you're interested in supporting this fantastic charity then you can donate here: <http://www.headwayguernsey.com/donate/>



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Rovers FC

This season Sure really wanted to provide something fun for the sporting community so we contributed £2,500 to Rovers FC. This went towards new (larger) dugouts for pitch one at Rovers' pitch at Port Soif, which are due to arrive in September 2019 - so keep an eye out for them at your next match. The existing Perspex dugouts will be relocated to pitch two so (don't worry!) they're not going to waste! Support Rovers FC this season by heading @downthesoif

Le Rondin School and Centre

Le Rondin is a special needs school for primary-age children and home to the island's Child Development Centre. When the school opened in 2005 it

included three interactive sensory rooms and a hydrotherapy pool area, but in 2019 this equipment needed an update. Unfortunately the replacement costs fell outside of the States of Guernsey Education budget, so the school had to rely on donations and support from the local community.

Sure fully supports the use of technology in learning and was really pleased to be able to donate £2,000 towards the sensory project. The generous donation went towards helping to provide light and sound equipment for three new sensory rooms and a hydrotherapy pool.

Anyone wishing to become a friend or to donate towards the Sensory Project fund can contact the school by phone on 268300 or by email at office@lerondin.sch.gg

It can accommodate up to 150 students with moderate learning difficulties, severe learning difficulties and more profound disabilities.

St John's Ambulance

Who hasn't heard of St John's Ambulance?! They have been in the Bailiwick since the 1930s and Sure regards St John's Ambulance as an essential and trusted local charity dedicated to helping islanders by providing first aid, emergency and community care. We're sure most of you agree that St John's work is vital.

This is a service the island really could not do without so Sure was thrilled to be able to present them with a cheque for £1,000 to go towards the purchase of a brand-new ambulance.

St John does not receive States funding to support all of their services so they rely on regular donations.

They say that without the tremendous support of islanders and the local business community, the continuation of many of St John's services would not be possible. Show your support for this amazing service at: <https://stjohn.gg/support/donate>



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If you would like to get in touch with us about a charitable or community project, contact CommunityFoundation@sure.com

