

Intelligent Energy Charitable Trust

Living Without Abuse



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Intelligent Energy's Charitable Trust first launched in January 2019 with the aim to make a positive impact on the local community it operates within. The Charitable Trust supports charitable and voluntary organisations, local to Intelligent Energy's headquarters in Loughborough, which support and aid amongst others; community groups, young people, sport and lifelong learning.

The Trust currently distributes £100,000 per annum and several organisations have already benefited from funding awards, including the Loughborough arm of Living Without Abuse which received £5,000.

The charity supports men and women experiencing domestic abuse and sexual violence across Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland. Domestic abuse affects 1 in 4 women and 1 in 6 men in their lifetimes and the charity helps over 2,000 men, women and children every year.

Living Without Abuse specialises in helping local younger people affected by abuse in addition to supporting domestic violence victims and survivors. The charity also works with perpetrators to help them change their behaviour.

Verity Mitchell, Head of Fundraising at Living Without Abuse, said: *"The Intelligent Energy Charitable Trust funds we were awarded, will be used to hold various fundraising and awareness raising events throughout the year, such as the Charity Ball, Loughborough Half Marathon and Loughborough Colour Run. These events are vital to help us raise the funds we need to continue providing these services to local people who are living with domestic abuse and sexual violence."*

"We couldn't do the work we do without the amazing support of companies like Intelligent Energy!"

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