

## **THINK THE LIFE RAFT TRUST'S NOT FOR YOU? THINK AGAIN!**

Do you, your group or your venue provide any form of entertainment or any event that the public can enjoy?

For example:

- Performances (music, dance, drama, film, comedy .....)
- Exhibitions (photography, painting, sculpture, historical.....)
- Leisure activities (riding, outdoors, adventure .....)
- Open gardens or studios
- Festivals or fetes
- Craft demonstrations or collectors fairs

## **ARE YOU STRUGGLING BECAUSE OF THE RECESSION?**

- Finding it difficult to get funding?
- Experiencing a fall in visitors?
- Struggling to pay your bills?
- Visitors spending less?
- Cutting back on staff or volunteers?

**IF SO, ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL'S LIFE RAFT TRUST MAY BE ABLE TO HELP YOU.**

**Grants of up to £50,000** are available to public, private, voluntary, charitable and community groups along with support to help you to a brighter future.

To find out more, call Jo Richardson on 01245 244685

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