

# OVERVIEW OF OUR WORK IN SOMERSET

IN 2017/18

We helped **52** people from the masonic community

That's one person for every **2** lodges



Support for masonic families totalled **£170,552**



This includes:

**£92,846** of grants for daily living expenses

**£70,582** of support for health needs

**£7,124** to cover educational opportunities and quality care



**2** people accessed our counselling careline

We carried out **109** home visits to help complete applications



We also supported **12** of your local charities with **£230,697** in grants



“When my daughter became ill four years ago, we took in our two young grandchildren – we didn’t realise just how much two extra mouths to feed would increase our outgoings and we started to struggle. Thankfully the MCF agreed to help us out, not only with the everyday stuff, but also with grants to help them take part in karate, swimming and gymnastics. They used to be so shy, but it’s really brought them out of their shell. The MCF have been absolutely wonderful.”

*Roy, freemason and grandfather*



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