

## WHERE HAS THE FUNDING COME FROM?

In the early years BACO relied on members' subscriptions. In the late 1990s and early 2000s applications for funding were made to various trusts and organisations.

**The Rivendell Trust** made two donations of £2,000 and the **Bucks Community Foundation** awarded European Social Funding to BACO for two years, and for the last two years have given funding towards running costs.

In 2004, **The Triangle Trust 1949 Fund** gave £5,000 to establish the BACO Hardship Fund. This Fund gives grants to help prisoners and ex-offenders back into work or education.

Since 2004 **The Triangle Trust 1949 Fund** has continued its generous support of BACO with an annual grant of £5,000.

Members continue to be generous in their support and the annual membership now stands at £10, having remained at £5 for many years.

An appeal was made to the membership in 2009, and also to the Triangle Trust 1949 Fund.

This resulted in increased membership donations, a further donation of £5,000 from the Triangle Trust 1949 Fund to help the Prisoner Support Service being developed in AYOI and HMP Woodhill, and a donation from the **McAndrew Trust**.

