

George Timms Trust

Syresham Annual Parish Meeting 2022

12th May 2022

The George Timms Trust was set up over 120 years ago to support any residents of Syresham who fell on hard times or otherwise found themselves in distress. In the 21st century the Trust still operates along the same principles, offering financial assistance to members of our village community at time of need.

During the past year, a number of residents have received significant financial help.

Educational and Vocational Training Grants are also available to people who are aged 16-24 at the time of starting a course or academic year, and who have been residents of Syresham, Pimlico, or Crowfield for at least 2 years.

Applying to the Trust for help is very straightforward. Any resident can send a simple email to info@georgetimmstrust.org.uk without filling out any complex forms. Alternatively, there is a lockable letterbox attached to the Chapel Sunday School wall, and parishioners are encouraged to place a request note in the box either for themselves or on behalf of another resident young or old. Each request is carefully considered and managed with discretion.

Confidentiality is a key component of the work of the Trust. No personal details are recorded by the trustees either in minutes taken or electronic communication.

The main income for the Trust is the rent received from 2 properties in the village. These have both been refurbished in the past 3 years, and are maintained to a high standard.

Will Adams
Chair