## Seend Fund

The trustees of the Seend Fund are pleased to say that our ethical investment fund continues to supply us with healthy dividends that we can use to help local people in need of some extra money. In 2024 we had seven requests and were able to donate a total of £2,210 from our dividends of £3,471. These were contributions towards a wide variety of requests from domestic bills and appliances to work training and a charitable school expedition.

In some years we donate more than that year's dividends because we have a reserve of over £17,000 spendable money. We need to keep a reserve never knowing what the future may bring. We cannot solve long term financial problems but it is very gratifying being in a position to help a little which is always much appreciated.