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Speed-dating for donors: an invitation to give

Thursday 17th November 2011, 6.00pm – 9.00pm
Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama, Cardiff

The Community Foundation in Wales is holding its first giving circle: matching donors with 'do-ers'. A bit like a friendly Dragon's Den, this event gives you the chance to hear from, and support, great charities which often fall under the radar. Hosted with London-based charity The Funding Network, this is a new way to give from your 'charity cheque book' and make a real difference. The Funding Network (TFN) has raised over £3million in the last ten years through its unique and collaborative giving circle model. With a membership of four hundred people who want to deliver some, or all, of their charitable giving together in a fun environment, TFN members come from all walks of life with a broad range of experience in donating to causes (from nascent to seasoned, dabbling to dedicated), but all sharing a passion for making a difference with their giving.

Come and hear from five charities, specially selected for their innovative high-impact work, which we know will inspire you to donate on the night. You will also hear the sounds of Kirsten Miller, a cellist and student at the Royal Welsh Collage of Music & Drama who has benefited from one of our bursaries; she will be playing on your arrival.

We're holding our evening at the Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama, Wales' national conservatoire's stunning new centre, a project that benefitted greatly from the generosity of philanthropists in Wales and further afield. Tickets have been priced at £50, **however as part of the Foundation's Philanthropy Week, and thanks to support from RBS, your ticket is complementary to allow you to donate this sum** (or more!) on the night. Wine connoisseurs need not worry as we will be serving Beaujolais and canapés in celebration of Beaujolais Nouveau day.

Whether you are a new donor or a dedicated philanthropist, bring your 'charity cheque book' for an evening of giving focused on helping Welsh charities make a difference in our local communities.

For further information and tickets please e-mail Julie Ashton-Davies at julie@cfiw.org.uk, 02920 536 590.