

# CALF NEWS

## Crispin Aubrey Legacy Fund | Newsletter

### About the Fund

The Crispin Aubrey Legacy Fund was set up in memory of the campaigner and journalist Crispin Aubrey, who died in 2012. Crispin's family founded the fund in 2013 to ensure the spirit of his values lives on. The fund provides scholarship and mentoring support to aspiring journalists championing environmental and/or social issues.

### Memorial Walk 2014

Following the success of the first memorial walk, we will be running a similar event in the Autumn. On Sunday 19 October we will be hosting a fundraising memorial walk around the historic village of Nether Stowey in Somerset.

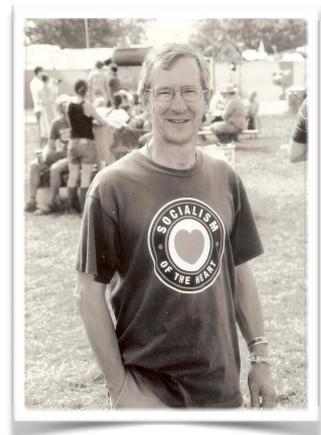
The walk will take in literary sights, including learning about former residents Samuel Taylor Coleridge and William Wordsworth.

If you would like to join the walk or receive further details, please email:  
[legacy@crispinaubrey.org](mailto:legacy@crispinaubrey.org).

### CALF Update

We are pleased to launch the first Crispin Aubrey Legacy Fund's biannual newsletter, CALF News, which will keep supporters up to date with our achievements and opportunities to get involved.

Since establishing the Fund in October 2013, we have already set up a scholarship programme and awarded our first grant! We have registered as a Charitable Fund and started a 3 year pilot partnership programme with the University of the West of England (UWE).



### *First Crispin Aubrey Scholar Announced*

*We are really excited to introduce you to our first 'Crispin Aubrey Scholar' - Summer Brooks. Read more overleaf.*

## Welcome Trustees

We are delighted to introduce our trustees who have been able to support us in setting up the fund. Many thanks to Christopher Hird (Managing Editor, Bureau of Investigative Journalism and Founder of Dartmouth Films), Judy Cooke (former civil servant) and Barbara Goodrich (Founder, Free Form Arts Trust). We really value the hard-work and experience the trustees bring to the Fund.

## How to Donate

We would like to say a special thanks to all those who have donated to date. Through the generous support of family and friends we have already raised over **£4,000** and have a target to raise over **£10,000** by the end of 2014.

To ensure the long term success and sustainability of CALF we would like to encourage you to sign up to a regular standing order. If we can get just 35 regular donors of £10 a month this would enable us to establish a regular scholarship programme. We value the support of anyone who is able to donate or set up a standing order. If you would like to make donation please complete the gift aid form enclosed and return to: Hockpitt Farm, Over Stowey, Somerset TA51EX.

If you would like to be kept in touch with developments, please send your contact details to: [legacy@crispinaubrey.org](mailto:legacy@crispinaubrey.org).

## 2014 Crispin Aubrey Scholar

*Hi my name is Summer! I am a journalism student at the University of the West of England and my dream is to become a magazine journalist in London or New York! I am interested in Marine Conservation and hope to use my writing to raise awareness of this issue.*

*I grew up on the outskirts of London until I moved 300 miles to Cornwall when I was 14. I have always been passionate about writing and using words to express myself and others' ideas. I'm a home girl but I also hope to travel and that my career will take me to beautiful places.*

*Summer Brooks*

## UWE Partnership

We are really delighted to be working with the University of the West of England (UWE) Department of Journalism. In Spring 2014, CALF launched the first Crispin Aubrey Scholarship. This award was open to first year journalism undergraduate students at UWE and will continue for the next three years. The grant will enable the student to pursue opportunities to enhance their career in journalism and environmental/social justice work. They will receive a grant of £3000 over two years and be allocated with a professional mentor who will support the student in finding work experience. We will also be launching a further scholarship to MA students at the University in September 2014.

## Peckham Memorial Walk

On 16th November, CALF came together with CoolTan Arts to host a literary walk of South London dedicated to the memory of Crispin Aubrey.



The guided stigma-busting cultural walk, part of the Cooltan's Largactyl Shuffle series, was designed to encourage mental and physical wellbeing, through art, exercise, humour and history. The walk took in the lesser known literary secrets hidden within Peckham's streets. For more on Cooltan go to : [www.cooltanarts.org.uk](http://www.cooltanarts.org.uk)