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Get Community Youth Grant

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Current Status: Application Submitted

1. Project title? (Max. 8 words Eg. Tinkleton Village Youth Transport Project)

***required field**

Swindon Storm North Wiltshire League Expansion

2. Project summary: (100 words) *required field

Our Clubs constituted goals are to develop the of American Football in Wiltshire. We are the only NGB accredited club in the county. With help from Wiltshires county sports partnership the club now has a dedicated and fast growing youth development programme. This Project will allow us to dramatically expand our reach into Wiltshire. It will assist us in setting up a grassroots American Football league in North Wiltshire which will be competing by May 2016. Players will then have the option to graduate into our existing regional and national teams or stay local if they wish.

3. Amount of funding required: *required field

- £0 - £1000
 £1001 - £5000
 Over £5000 (Please note - our grants will not normally exceed £5,000)

4. Which Area Board are you applying to? Not sure? -[check on a map](#) *required field

Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade

5. What is the Post Code of where the project is taking place?(If the application is for something that will move around to different locations please insert the post code for where it will be based for the majority of the time.) *required field

SN48AY

6. Please tell us which theme(s) your project supports: *required field

- Informal education
 Youth work/development
 Sport/Leisure

- Residential
- Arts/Culture
- Employment or training
- 1:1/group work
- Community Project
- Community Safety
- Volunteering
- Environment
- Health
- Other

If Other (please specify)

7. About your project

Please tell us about your project (a strong application will address all of the following):

***required field**

- How does your project support local needs and priorities?
- How have young people been involved in your project so far?
- How many young people do you expect to benefit?
- How will your project be accessible and affordable?
- How will you encourage volunteering and community involvement?
- How will you ensure your project is accessible to everyone (Disabled, low incomes, vulnerable, etc.)
- How will ensure your project is inclusive?
- How will you work with other community partners?

Our project is designed to offer young people the chance to be involved in an exciting alternative sport that isn't offered by anyone else in the county. We have a coach development programme and we encourage young participants to be engaged in both coaching and decision making within the club. We expect to engage over 60 young people in the area with approximately 20 taking part in regular instructor led sessions over a 12 month period. We own a club vehicle and have equipment for practice sessions. This means over-heads are very low which will keep the cost to a minimum for young people. We will run taster sessions at community venues and will offer in school sessions for free to Schools in the area. We will encourage our young participants to plan fund raising events developing their planning and management abilities while at the same time keeping the cost down for those with low incomes. The project is suitable for both boys and girls with girls participating in the Flag non contact versions of the sport. We have already worked with other sports clubs in Wootton Bassett to offer the sport with great success

8. Safeguarding

Please tell us about how you will protect and safeguard young people in your project

(You must address all of the following): *required field

- Please evidence your commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.
- How do you make sure staff and volunteers understand their safeguarding responsibilities?

- Are staff and volunteers Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checked and do you hold a central record of this as well as details of staff references.
- Who in your organisation is ultimately responsible for safeguarding?
- How do you ensure that young people are kept safe online when accessing your services?

Safeguarding commitment We have a robust constituted child Safeguarding policy. This policy demands that all members of staff complete an enhanced DBS check on joining the club and 3 yearly intervals and also complete a Sport England registered child safeguarding workshop every 3 years. All members of staff read and sign the safeguarding policy. We hold scanned copies of DBS checks and safeguarding certificates. The club welfare officer is Chairman Steven Bennett and he is registered with the British American Football Association the only Sport England registered NGB for American Football activities in the UK. Our safeguarding policy makes reference to the contact of under 18s and under 16s using digital media and social media. We ensure that 2 DBS checked members of the club are always involved in conversations. We also require all members of the club who have contact with under 18s have separate social media Coach accounts where they keep a strict separation of personal and coaching life. A pass-worded spreadsheet of social media coach logins and passwords are kept and are available for auditing by the club welfare officer or any other body at all times.

9. Monitoring your project

How will you know if your project has been successful? *required field

Recorded Outcomes All members complete a club registration form. Participants complete an attendee form each session. This is used for our accounting purposes and monitoring participation trend. It is also a reliable method to record our outcomes Accredited outcomes We keep a record of all qualifications for insurance purposes. this will be an ideal method to record our accredited outcomes

10. Finance: *required field, if you are a new organisation and don't have accounts leave blank and tick box below

10a. Your Organisation's Finance:

Your latest accounts:

Month Year

Total Income:

£ Please enter in money format **with pence** but no pound sign or comma or p. Eg 15000.00

Total Expenditure:

£

Surplus/Deficit for the year:

£

Free reserves currently held:

£

Why can't you fund this project from your reserves:

Our reserves are ringfenced for upgrades to our home facility in 2017

We are a newly formed group and do not yet have published accounts:

10b. Project Finance:

Part One: *required

Total Project cost Please enter in money format **with pence** but no pound sign or comma or p. Eg 15000.00
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Total required from Area Board

Part Two: Please itemise your project expenditure and project income *required

Quick tips:

- List **ALL** expenditure in a general format eg. Materials 10.00, Tools 5.00
- List **ALL** income **except the amount required from the Area Board** eg. Donations 20.00 [help](#)
- Please enter in money format **with pence** but no pound sign or comma or p. Eg 15000.00
- If your organisation reclaims VAT you should exclude VAT from the expenditure
- Please ensure you **TOTAL** both columns correctly.
 - Expenditure column should equal Total project cost in Part One.
 - Income column should equal Total project cost **minus** Total required from the Area Board.
- Here is an example layout, including how to display in kind contributions [help](#)

Itemised Expenditure eg Materials help	£	Itemised Income eg Our reserves	£	Tick if income confirmed
6 small american footb	<input type="text" value="£ 660.00"/>	Club funds	<input type="text" value="£ 330.00"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20 extra game jerseys	<input type="text" value="£ 700.00"/>	Club funds	<input type="text" value="£ 350.00"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
travel expenses for vol	<input type="text" value="£ 180.00"/>	Club funds	<input type="text" value="£ 90.00"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
marketing and website	<input type="text" value="£ 250.00"/>	Club Funds	<input type="text" value="£ 125.00"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Total	<input type="text"/>	Total	<input type="text"/>	

(please ensure you total these columns even if values are 0.00)

11. Have you or do you intend to apply for a grant for this project from another area board within this financial year? *required field

- Yes
 No

12. Tick all the Area Boards to which you are intending to apply, including this one (You can apply to a maximum of 3 Area Boards for the same project in a financial year) *required field, if Yes to Q11.

- Amesbury
- Bradford on Avon
- Calne
- Chippenham
- Corsham
- Devizes
- Malmesbury
- Marlborough
- Melksham
- Pewsey
- Salisbury
- Southern Wiltshire
- South West Wiltshire
- Tidworth
- Trowbridge
- Warminster
- Westbury
- Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade

13. DECLARATION

Supporting information - Please confirm that the following documents will be available to inspect upon request (You DO NOT need to send these documents to us):

Do you have the following (please tick any that apply):

- Child Protection Policy
- Safeguarding Children
- Procedure for dealing with an allegation against a member of staff or a volunteer
- Complaints Procedure
- Public Liability Insurance
- Health & Safety
- Whistle blowing policy
- Internet use policy
- Constitution
- Annual Accounts
- Business/Project Plan (For projects where total project cost is over £50,000)

Legal declaration *required field

The information