



Dacorum Sports Network – Funding

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More People More Active More Often

Herts Sport & Physical Activity Partnership

Vision: More People, More Active, More Often

- Established in 2003
- One of 43 Active Partnerships in the Active Partnership Network
- Work with a wide range of stakeholders, partners and organisations
- Core funding received from Sport England and Local Authorities
- Based at the University of Hertfordshire
- Approximately 40 staff and board



Sport England's Movement Fund

- Supports projects that match our goal of getting more people active, reducing the number of inactive people and tackling long-standing inequalities.
- Awards of £300 – £15,000 are available to not-for-profit organisation
- 8–10 week turnaround
- No deadline
- Now funds capital and projects linked to Environmental Sustainability

The Four Ambitions

- Encouraging positive experiences of sport and physical activity
- Involving the community in planning and delivery
- Prioritising environmental sustainability
- A good use of public money

Target Groups

- people living on low incomes
- disabled people or those with long-term health conditions
- older people
- people from culturally diverse communities
- pregnant women and parents with very young children
- girls aged 5-16
- LGBTQ+ people
- people who are in foster care
- people who provide care without pay

Sport England Help Line: 08458 508 508

Email: funding@sportengland.org

Website: <https://www.sportengland.org/funding-and-campaigns/our-funding/funding-guidance>

National Lottery's Awards for All

Amount you can apply for: £300 – £20,000

4 to 10 weeks turnaround of your application. No deadline

Funding Priorities

- Bring people together and build strong relationships in and across communities
- Improve the places and spaces that matter to communities
- Enable more people to fulfil their potential by working to address issues at the earliest possible stage

What will be funded?

- Coach and Assistant Coach
- Small unfixed equipment
- Coach Education
- Young leader Awards
- Healthy Living training and resources
- Costs towards a community event
- First Aid, Safeguarding
- Building and refurbishment work
- Sessional workers
- Training
- Volunteer expenses
- Transport costs
- Venue hire
- Marketing and Promotion

What won't they fund?

- Routine repairs and maintenance
- Existing activities and repeat or regular events
- Salaries of permanent or fixed term staff
- Day-to-day running costs
- Larger equipment
- Political or religious activities
- Fundraising activities
- Items that mainly benefit an individual

Stronger applications are those that:

- 1) Focus on the benefits of the community rather than the club or sport**
- 2) Clearly highlight the wider issues the community are facing**
- 3) Show the project is people led e.g. how the local community or target beneficiaries have influenced your project and why they think it is needed e.g. consultations surveys, talking to people, meetings etc.**

Awards for All Advice Line: 0345 4102 30

Email:

general.enquiries@tnlcommunityfund.org.uk

Website:

www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england

Funding 4 Sport

Funding 4 Sport is a sports funding consultancy which provides a range of services to support those seeking sports funding.

The main areas funding support we offer include;

- Free Funding Advice – 1.1 over the phone or groups via Zoom/Microsoft Teams
- Looking over written bids for free
- Funding Bid Writing Service – ‘No Win, No Fee’
- Funding 4 Sport Website – www.funding4sport.co.uk

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Richard has over 15 years' experience across the sporting, physical activity and leisure sectors with significant knowledge within the areas of sports funding, sports development and sports business.

Funding 4 Sport was established in February 2008, the main specialisms of the consultancy service is delivering workshops, advising clients on sport and physical activity funding, supporting groups and organisations to write successful funding bids, supporting groups and organisation obtain sponsorship, supporting groups to write Business plan, tenders and sports development plans, providing a range of templates and document that will support organisations with implementing policies and procedures.

Thank you

