

Conditions of Grant

- 1 Athletes must be resident in Perth & Kinross regardless of where they train.
- 2 Coaches, volunteers or officials may be resident outwith Perth & Kinross on the condition they provide their services within the Perth & Kinross area. Applicants resident in Perth & Kinross who do not provide a service in the Perth & Kinross area are not eligible to apply.
- 3 Applicants may apply for one grant or multiple grants amounting to the maximum award in any financial year. The financial year runs from 1 April to 31 March.
- 4 All applications, (except individuals), must be signed by the secretary or chairperson of the club/group. When an application is for a club/group, cheques will be made payable to the club/group and will not be made payable to an individual.
- 5 Applications will be returned if they are not completed satisfactorily and signed by the appropriate person.
- 6 Applications will not be considered retrospectively with the exception of the Start up Grant. Therefore, the application must be received prior to the event/course/training/development/purchase taking place.
- 7 Subject to all criteria being met, notification of the award will be made in writing as soon as possible after submission.
- 8 In the event of a false claim being made or the award no longer being required by the applicant, all monies must be returned in full to Perth & Kinross Disability Sport.
- 9 All applications for grants, awards or sponsorship from any other source must be declared on the application form. If an applicant is receiving financial assistance from other sources, Perth & Kinross Disability Sport may opt to provide a smaller donation. Applications receiving grants from other sources e.g. Lottery are not eligible if the combined awards will exceed the expenses incurred by the applicant.
- 10 Perth & Kinross Disability Sport will consider all grant applications on merit and funds permitting at any given time using the above conditions and are under no obligation to offer a grant to any or all applicants. No discussion or correspondence will be entered into with regard to refusal or of the size of grant award. All grants will be considered at the discretion of the Committee members.

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Grant Aid Guidance Notes



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Perth & Kinross Disability Sport General Information and Guidance Notes

The purpose of this scheme is to provide financial assistance to develop disability sport at all levels. Grants are operated by Perth & Kinross Disability Sport and applications are made through the appropriate Grant Application form. Grants may be awarded for the following purposes:

National Athletes - 50% of total costs up to a maximum £200 per athlete per annum

This grant is designed for local athletes who have been selected to compete or train for Scotland/Great Britain at national/international competitions or national squad training sessions. Can be claimed for both travel and accommodation costs.

Coach Education - 50% of total costs up to a maximum of £100 per coach/volunteer per annum

The aim of this grant is to help improve the standard of coaching and officiating at local, regional and national level. All training must demonstrate a clear benefit to participants in Perth & Kinross. The following types of training are supported if there is clear evidence as to how this will support Disability Sport in Perth & Kinross:

- i) NGB Awards
- ii) Sports Coach UK workshops
- iii) Running Sport workshops
- iv) Local & national Conferences, Workshops, Seminars
- v) Personal development opportunities
- vi) Other relevant courses may be considered on an individual basis

Development Grant - maximum of £100 per annum per club/group

This grant is aimed at enhancing or increasing participation or performance at club and community level. Grants are given for equipment/projects to encourage increased participation and/or to increase standards in their particular sport. Clubs/groups must already be established and be able to indicate the benefits of the equipment/project. Examples of development grants that we can support include open days, come and try events, sports festivals, and expansion of new club sections, schemes or any other activities where increased participation is encouraged. A copy of the club/group constitution must accompany the application for this grant.

Start up Grants - maximum of £100 per new club/group

This grant aims to assist new clubs/groups with start up costs at the initial stage and must be claimed within 6 months of start-up. A copy of the club/group constitution must accompany the application for this grant.

Specialist Equipment - £100 per annum

The aim of this grant will be to award individual applicants with funds towards the purchase of specialist equipment. This will only be awarded where the applicant shows that the equipment is essential to their sporting career and that the piece of equipment will be used for this sole purpose.

Perth & Kinross Disability Sport asks that all clubs, groups, athletes, coaches, volunteers and officials who are successful in receiving a grant recognise the contribution of Perth & Kinross Disability Sport in any publicity or promotional material