



## **Ayrshire Sportsability Members Individual Grant Award System Application**

**Please note that only members of Ayrshire Sportsability are eligible to apply for a grant. For membership details please visit our website: [www.ayrshiresportsability.org.uk](http://www.ayrshiresportsability.org.uk)**

### **Introduction**

ASA are keen to support participation/performance levels of people with a physical, learning or sensory disability in Ayrshire and Arran.

### **Individual Development Award**

- For talented athletes/players competing in a local or National event.
- For talented athletes/players identified by Scottish Disability Sports (SDS) Regional Manager, who require a United Kingdom Sports Association for People with Learning Disabilities (UKSA)/International Sports Federation (INAS-FID) classification in order to compete at a National/International event.

### **Criteria**

All athletes/players will need to meet the following criteria:

- Applicants must live within the Ayrshire area.
- Priority will be given to individuals who participate in ASA priority sports: swimming, gymnastics, wheelchair curling, boccia, football, shinty and athletics; although other sports may be considered

## Process for application

Applicants have the opportunity to apply for a **non-recurring** grant of **up to £200**. Please complete and return the attached proposal form, which will be used to judge each submission. Please note that Ayrshire Sportsability will only fund projects on a Partnership /Match funding basis ie funding needs to be sought from elsewhere before applying. Applicants can only apply once in any year (up to a maximum of 3 applications) to assist in their progress in disability sport.

## **ASA Individual Grant application**

### Personal Information

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Age of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Grant Information

1 What will this grant be used for?

2 What is the sport(s) involved?

3 Where has the athlete competed before?

\_\_\_\_\_

4 What is their disability?

\_\_\_\_\_

5 Where will it take place?

Leisure Centre

School

Private facility

Other

6 How often will the activity take place?

One off event  Monthly  Weekly  More than once a week

7 When would this initiative start? \_\_\_\_\_

8 What is your own contribution? £ \_\_\_\_\_

How was this money raised? \_\_\_\_\_

9 Have you applied to anyone else for funding? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

(Please note that Ayrshire Sportsability will only fund projects on a Partnership/Match Funding basis i.e. funding needs to be sought from elsewhere before applying)

Please state where from and how much:

Funding Body	Date application made	Amount	Progress

10 How will the grant be used? Please provide a full breakdown of the budget required to run the proposed initiative including lets, coach fees, volunteer expenses, equipment etc

<b><i>Items of expenditure</i></b>	<b>£</b>

11 Total amount of grant being applied for: \_\_\_\_\_

12 Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

13 Date of application: \_\_\_\_\_

Reference in support of your application (please note applications will not be accepted without a reference)

Please provide details of a referee. \_\_\_\_\_

Referee must be able to confirm that they have known the organisation and its work for at least a year. Referee must not be part of your group or related to you. Please ensure to get a reference from the coach of your national governing body if this is not possible the examples of suitable referees include: sports development officer, Local Authority Officer, school teacher, youth worker, police officer.

Please provide a reference of no more than 200 words:

Referees signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Board of ASA will not consider anyone who:

- Has an unspent conviction for dishonesty or an offence under the Act
- An un-discharged bankrupt
- Is or has ever been on the Sex Offenders Register.

Grant Conditions Contract

- The committee meet quarterly and will decide whether or not to award the grant and you will be notified within 2 months.
- A photograph will be done at the cheque presentation and will be used for publicity purposes.

- Any publicity that the applicant is involved in must make reference to Ayrshire Sportsability for funding. If ASA is not referenced in publicity the grant will be asked to be returned.
- If the event does not take place all monies must be returned in full to Ayrshire Sportsability.
- The Grant must be spent within a twelve month period. ASA will require copies of receipts/invoices for expenditure within 6 months of the grant being spent.
- Please note that Committee decisions are final.

I/We accept the above Grant Conditions

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to:

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