



Northumberland
County Council

Community Chest
Grant Application Form

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ABOUT YOUR GROUP/ORGANISATION

Applicant	Group/Organisation
Name: Mrs A Stonehouse	Name: New Seaton Senior Bowls Club
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Please give a brief description of your group/organisation.

We are a Bowls Club with 40 Male and Female members aged 16 to 76. We play in five leagues from May until the end of August.

Members compete in County Competitions to go forward to play in National finals in Skegness. We manage and maintain our own bowling greens and pavilion on lease from the County Council (15 years remaining on the current lease).

We are a membership club with annual subscription fees. We also undertake fundraising events throughout the year, such as coffee mornings, raffles, etc. Our income is sufficient to cover our costs but we do not have the resources to invest in new equipment.

What is the status of your group/organisation? (Tick all that apply)

- Registered Charity Charity Number:
 Community Group Voluntary Organisation Tenant Association
 Other, please specify:

ABOUT YOUR PROJECT

Please describe the project/activities that you plan to use your grant for.

We are looking to raise money for a new watering system. Currently, we water manually from a bowser and hose pipe and the members are finding this task increasingly difficult as they advance in years.

We play at many other parks where they have a modern sprinkler system and the Greens are always lovely to play on. We would like to apply for a grant towards a new watering system. It will make the world of difference to our members, the majority of whom are retired. With improved Greens we will be able to hold more open events for the community as we seek to expand our membership in the coming years.

Please tell us how you identified the need for this project/activity?

Our members play on Greens all over the country and we find that our Greens are very substandard by comparison. As we are the current Northern Regional Champions we will be hosting other clubs later in the year and we would like them to come away thinking how wonderful our Greens are in Northumberland.

If your account balances exceed £10,000, please explain why you require external funding.

Not applicable

Please tell us the steps you have taken to generate or attract funding from other sources.

We have been fundraising for two years, holding a bi monthly bottle bingo and an annual fundraising dinner. A small amount of our membership subs has been set aside.

We have also secured a small grant from New Seaton Parish Council.

Who will be the main beneficiaries of the activity/project? Please give numbers, ages.

All 40 of our members (16-76 years of age) will benefit directly, as will other clubs in the East Northumberland Senior League who will play regularly on our pitches. We also plan to hold more open days for the community once the Greens have improved.

Where will the project/activity take place?

The Pavilion, New Seaton.

Estimated Start date

30th August 2019

Estimated end date

14th September 2019

ABOUT YOUR GRANT

Please state how much money you need for your project and what it will be used for. If you can recover the Value Added Tax (VAT) you must only show the net amount. If you are including volunteer time this must be entered in both expenditure and funding.

Items of expenditure (include all costs of the project)	Cost
AquaSmart 2020 Lawn Irrigation System	5,999.00
Total	5,999.00

Please list all contributions towards your costs, including any cash, grants, volunteered time, donations, and your own resources. This must amount to not less than 25% of eligible expenditure (those items eligible for funding). The 75% maximum may be applied item by item.

All sources of funding	Current Status (secured or pending)	Amount
Fundraising	secured	1,000.00
New Seaton Parish Council	secured	500.00
Own resources (subs)	secured	499.00
Total		1,999.00

Amount that you are requesting (must not exceed 75% of eligible costs)	4,000.00
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I confirm that to the best of my knowledge and belief that all the information provided is true and correct. I understand that Northumberland County Council reserves the right to recover all or part of any grant award in the event of non-compliance with the terms of the grant.

I confirm that all relevant documentation has been provided and that the group/organisation is adequately covered for all liabilities from the running of the activity/project.

I accept that Northumberland County Council, its partners, agents or employees are not liable for any costs, losses or damages incurred as a direct result of the activity or project taking place.

SIGNATURE: ...Mrs A Stonehouse..... **NAME** (Please print): Mrs A Stonehouse.

DATE:2nd April 2019.....

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