

WARWICK DISTRICT COMMUNITY FORUM GRANT FUND APPLICATION FORM

2017/2018

Please identify the community forum you are applying to:						
Kenilworth	North Leamington	South Leamington	Rural East	Rural West *****	Warwick	Whitnash
Name of applying group			Barford Sports Club			
Name of contact person, and postal address						
Email address						
Phone number						
Describe what you want the money for. When do you anticipate you will have spent it all?			To purchase 5 new portable LED battery powered training lights. We would like to buy them immediately so end of March 2018.			
How much money are you asking for, and what will you use it for? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you have to pay VAT you must include VAT in your total Will you have the correct level insurance in place (please confirm if appropriate) 			TOTAL COST OF PROJECT = £2,595 (£519.00 each) TOTAL SUM REQUESTED = £2,595			
			ITEMISED LIST OF COSTS Each portable light is £519.00 . These will be insured under our existing policy.			
Describe how much of your organisation's own money or resources you are putting in. (If none, please say why.)			The lights will be used for weekly sports coaching sessions for netball and football. Coaches are unpaid and are local volunteers committed to help wider take up of sport and activities of all ages in Barford.			
If you have applied for other grants for this work, tell us: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> how much where from if the grant has been awarded 			We trialled the use of temporary lights with 4 second hand ones last September costing £600. We received a £350 grant from WDC Sports Grant Fund in September 2017. This helped us trial the use of these lights for small groups over winter. Those lights were old , not that bright and we need new more powerful ones to add to existing to cover a much larger playing area. The other £250 was raised by volunteers as part of the trial. The existing lights are in need of replacement for next winter but they have been a great way of trialling the use of lights across part of the courts. They have also created local demand for evening use.			
If you have had any grants from any community forum in the last 12 months, please tell us what for, and how much.			Purpose of previous award from community forum grant fund, and name of forum		Amount	
			N/A		N/A	

<p>Describe the target group that will benefit.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many people will benefit? • Who do you aim to benefit? • How will you let people know about your activity? 	<p>We have 40 junior football members plus coaches There are 16 adults playing evening football We have a growing group of netball players from 10 years of age up to 45 playing weekly. Total 66 players PLUS parents. In addition we aim to use the lights for community fundraising events in our village where we can light areas light toilets and car park areas in the dark. This makes evening events much safer with our portable lighting being made available to light dark public areas at community events. This would benefit all ages coming to these events. We know of three annual events where these lights would be used every year. This would benefit over 500 people per year in our community (3 villages of Barford, Sherbourne and Wasperton). We are publishing a quarterly free magazine which goes to 1200 houses , businesses and school children. We promote all sports and recreational sessions all year via this magazine.</p>
<p>Which geographical area will you focus on? (e.g. a neighbourhood or parish.)</p>	<p>Barford, Sherbourne & Wasperton</p>
<p>If you are going to operate from a building, please tell us where it is.</p>	<p>They would be used at King George's Field, Church Lane , Barford .</p>
<p>Which community forum priority or local need will this grant address?</p>	<p>This grant will improve safety for users and encourage recreational activity amongst all ages in our village. It will also reduce travelling as people can walk to our Field in Barford rather than drive to other floodlight facilities.</p>
<p>How do you know there is a need for the work covered by your bid?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the evidence you have got and where you got it from (e.g. survey, petition, statistical data, press cuttings, etc.) 	<p>Yes , very strong current evidence. We trialled the use of temporary training lights from September 2017 – February 2018 with 4 second hand lights. These helped light part of the tennis courts or netball courts or MUGA pitch . They have been used virtually every week throughout the winter by these groups who otherwise would not have played on the field sports facility in the darker nights. We communicated their availability via door to door newsletters, residents letters and social media/ e mail campaigns to raise awareness of availability with huge success. The groups have grown in number attracting new residents to Barford who can walk to the floodlight sessions and leave their cars at home.</p>
<p>Name any groups or agencies working with you on this. (Solo and partnership bids are both welcomed.)</p>	<p>Barford Sports Club is a section under Barford, Sherbourne and Wasperton Joint Parish Council</p>
<p>Describe how you will prove that the work has been done, and demonstrate the impact it has had.</p> <p>After the money is spent we will need to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • receipts • evidence of delivery of the work • numbers of people benefiting 	<p>We track the number of attendees every week. Without 5 new LED lights the sessions will have to be limited in numbers in future as our current lights are not powerful enough to light all the laying areas. We have trialled an extra new LED light over last 4 weeks (financed by donations) and it has made a huge difference. We know that 5 more LED lights will mean more people can participate in sport over darker nights. The areas around courts will be far safer to use and will encourage wider</p>

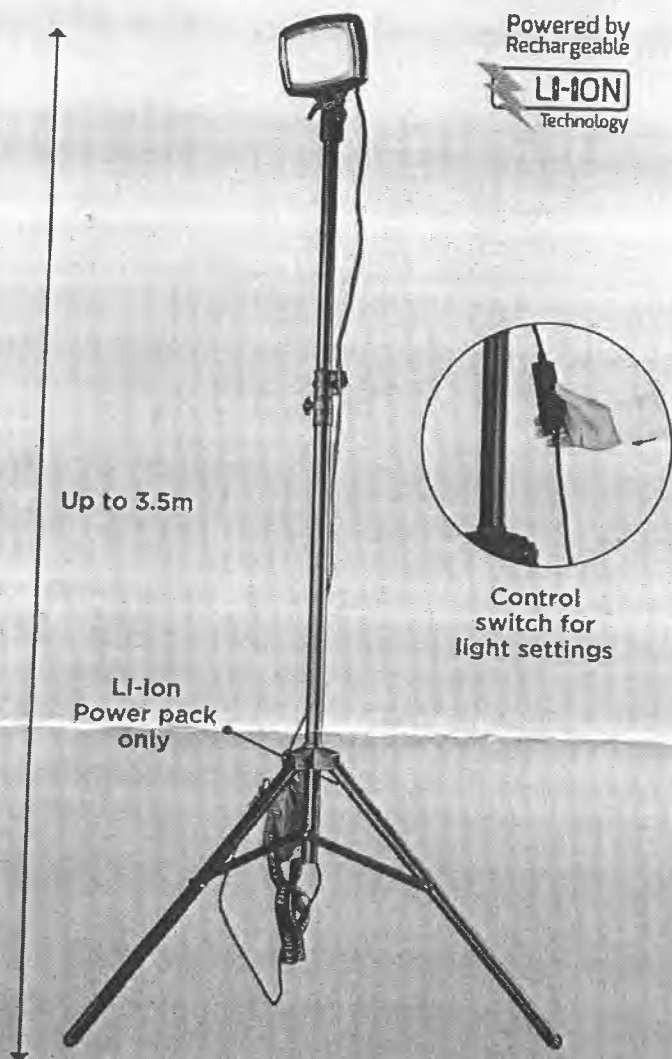
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • evaluation of the work 	<p>range of sessions to be organised by volunteers.</p> <p>The social benefits of adults and children playing sport this winter has been fantastic. Adults and children have played together in netball and that has seen the sessions get stronger with a total of 22 netballers now in the group. Our junior football teams have grown from 12 – 40 in 6 months and we want to continue to encourage and support more people playing sport locally in Barford. All facilities are free so we have no way of funding new lights from income in such a short timeframe.</p>	
Does your group have its own bank account? (This cannot be an individual's account.)	Yes	
If 'No' to the above, give the name of the group or organisation that has agreed to administer the money for you		
Date form submitted	20 th February 2018	
Supporting Warwickshire County Councillor and Warwick District Councillor	Warwickshire County Cllr E mail attached	Warwick District Cllr E mail attached

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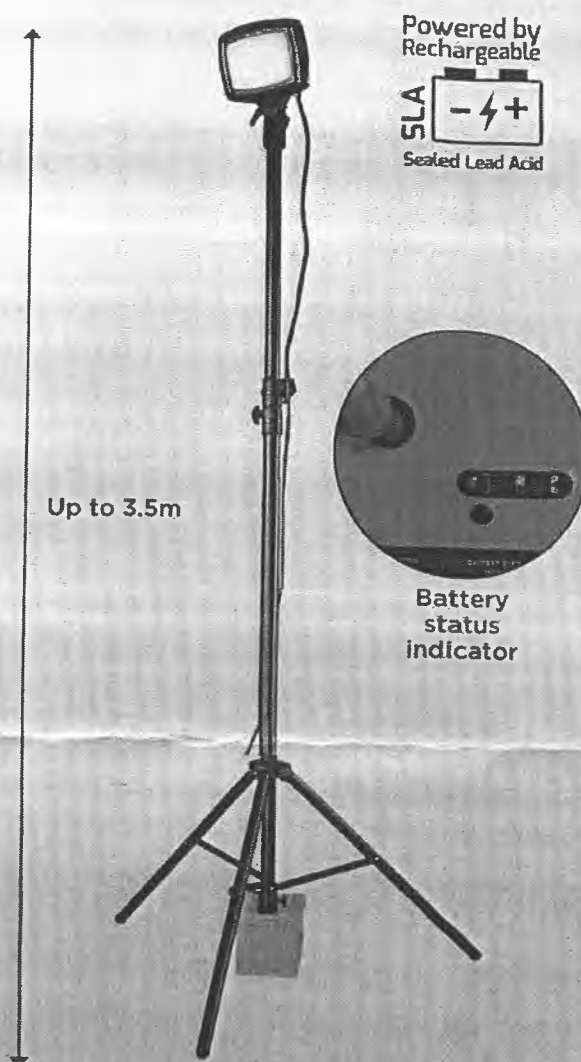
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