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<b>Report To:</b>	<b>Education &amp; Communities Committee</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>3 September 2019</b>
<b>Report By:</b>	<b>Corporate Director: Education, Communities &amp; Organisational Development</b>	<b>Report No:</b>	<b>EDUCOM/68/19/HS</b>
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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Under 19s Sports Grants 2019/20</b>		

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## 1.0 PURPOSE

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide the Education and Communities Committee with details of awards approved at the Grants Sub-Committee on 26 June 2019.

## 2.0 SUMMARY

- 2.1 The budget for the Under 19s Sports Grants for 2019/20 is £140,730
- 2.2 At the Sub-Committee, awards were approved to the amount of £134,330, details of which are given in Appendix A. A balance of £6,400 remains.
- 2.3 One award granted has been marked 'Conditional' and this will be followed up by the service prior to funding being released. Grant conditions could be that we are awaiting to view documents or accounts for certain clubs.
- 2.4 The Grants Sub-Committee has requested a review to be carried out on the process of the Under 19's Sports Grants for future years. A further report will be submitted to the Education and Communities Committee in January 2020.

## 3.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Education & Communities Committee:

- notes the awards granted to Under 19's sports groups; and
- agrees that guidance and procedures for Under 19 Sports are fully reviewed for 2020 and that a further report on this matter be considered at a future meeting of the Education and Communities Committee.

**Ruth Binks**  
**Corporate Director: Education, Communities & OD**

#### 4.0 BACKGROUND

None required

#### 5.0 IMPLICATIONS

##### 5.1 Finance

Financial Implications:

One off Costs

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	Budget Years	Proposed Spend this Report £000	Virement From	Other Comments
00474	Waivers	19/20	£134,330.00	n/a	n/a

##### 5.2 Legal

None

##### 5.3 Human Resources

None

##### 5.4 Equalities

Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out?

YES (See attached Appendix)

NO - This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy. Therefore, no Equality Impact Assessment is required.

##### 5.5 Repopulation

The grant will encourage the communities to feel they belong and are important contributors to the future of Inverclyde.

#### 6.0 CONSULTATIONS

6.1 None required

#### 7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 None required

## APPENDIX 1

### Approved Awards: Under 19'S Sports Grants 2019/20 Round 1

Applicant	Details	Requested	Awarded
Ardgowan Football Development	Support towards hire costs of Wemyss Bay Astro turf for club development	£8,500.00	£7,500.00
Ardgowan Tennis Club	Wish to develop work in schools hopefully leading to schools league - this will involve venue, coaching and equipment costs. Also wish support towards ongoing fencing repairs	£7,150.00	£1,500.00
Broomhill Boys Club	Support towards pitch hire costs for training/match game, strips and training equipment and community project with Broomhill Hub on mental health awareness	£7,030.00	£7,000.00 Conditional
Clydeside Athletic	Assistance with training and match day kit for coaches and players and additional equipment	£1,900.60	£1,900.00
East End United Boys Club	Support towards pitch hire costs for the season	£15,000.00	£9,500.00
Greenock Cricket Club	Wish to purchase shock absorbing matting and a Flicx Portable Cricket Wicket – roll out synthetic surface that allows play in all weathers and can be used for matches, training and taking to school to provide a suitable playing surface	£3,538.15	£1,200.00
Greenock Glenpark Harriers	Support towards cost of hiring Ravensraig Stadium and Notre Dame HS for junior training.	£4,753.00	£4,700.00
Greenock Morton Community Trust	Funding towards facility hire for training purposes and coaching	£14,613.28	£12,660.00
Greenock United Football Club	Support to cover cost of pitch hire	£10,000.00	£5,300.00
Greenock Wanderers RFC	Support towards the hire of 3G pitches and sports hall to allow youth rugby training to take place throughout the year. Support also for training for coaches	£8,116.00	£6,750.00
Inverclyde Amateur Swimming Club	Funding towards facility hire costs which are substantive part of club running costs; coaching costs and costs associated with competing at galas	£15,000.00	£15,000.00
Inverclyde Archers	Support towards sports hall provision	£1,500.00	£1,500.00
Inverclyde Athletic Club	Support towards hire of facilities for weekly training sessions and development camps	£14,000.00	£12,000.00
Inverclyde Cricket Club	Extension of Growing Cricket in Inverclyde – develop the playing pathway from school to club, expand	£2,456.00	£1,320.00

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	the existing primary school programme, further develop the club junior coaching programme		
Lady Alice Bowling Club Junior Section	Support towards coaching of junior members	£3,000.00	£1,000.00
Port Glasgow Boys Club	Support towards hire of facilities for weekly training sessions/games, coaching and first aid courses and summer camp	£36,175.33	£12,500.00
Port Glasgow Juniors Community Sports Club	Support towards pitch hire for training and match days	£20,000.00	£12,500.00
St Andrew's Boys Club	Support towards hire of facilities for weekly training sessions/games	£14,000.00	£12,500.00
St Stephen's Boys Club	Support towards hire of facilities for training/games, league registration, coaching and PVG costs	£10,365.00	£8,000.00

**Total Awarded**

**£134,330.00**