

SPORT IRELAND DORMANT ACCOUNT SPORTS INCLUSION FUND 2019 APPLICATION FORM GUIDELINES

General Introduction

Sport Ireland now invites an application from NGBs for funding under the Dormant Account Sports Inclusion Fund 2019. The Dormant Accounts Fund is a scheme for the disbursement of unclaimed funds from accounts in credit institutions in Ireland. The fund is administered under the 2001 Dormant Accounts Act, together with the Unclaimed Life Assurance Policies Act 2003 and the Dormant Accounts (Amendment) Act 2012 and is under the statutory function of the Minister of the Environment, Community and Local Government with effect from the 1st January 2013.

Outline Fund Criteria

Projects considered

Sport Ireland are seeking innovative applications under Dormant Account funding to support the National Physical Activity Plan

Action 47: 'Continue to support the work of the National Governing Bodies of sport in implementing programmes to promote physical activity'

Action 48: 'Develop Programmes to address transitions and drop out from physical activity and sport'

Action 49: 'Extend existing and developing programmes for physical activity for people with disabilities and their families (to enhance and deliver a comprehensive health and wellbeing programme)'

Programmes will focus on the beneficiaries identified in the Dormant Accounts legislation. Projects demonstrating appropriate partnership working with other NGBs, LSPs or other relevant agencies will be scored higher on evaluation.

Eligibility

Open to NGBs only to apply under this fund measure to develop and deliver innovative sport and physical activity initiatives and projects in 2019/2020.

Target Groups

Projects will only be considered if targeted at engaging with one or more of the following beneficiaries:

1. The personal and social development of persons who are economically or socially disadvantaged;
2. The educational development of persons who are educationally disadvantaged
3. Persons with a disability (within the meaning of the Equal Status Act 2000).

Funding Structure:

Applications will be considered up to a maximum of €50,000 (current funding) for projects in 2019/2020.

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Please note this is a competitive bid process and will be evaluated against the criteria set.

Timescale

All projects must be commenced and completed within 12 months of award of fund.

Sustainability

Projects must demonstrate a legacy potential once the DAF ceases

Section 1 General Organisation Information

1.1 Organisation Name

1.2 Organisation Address

1.3 Current Tax Details

1.4 Primary contact information

Please indicate the person who can be contacted in relation to this application

1.5 Project Start and End Date

Please indicate when your NGB will be ready to implement and complete this project. What is the proposed start date and end date for your project?

1.6 Please insert the amount of funding you are seeking under this Dormant Account fund

Funding applications will be considered for project up to maximum of €50,000.

Section 2 Project Description

2.1 Provide a concise summary of what you are requesting the DAF sports inclusion fund for

NB – maximum of 500 words

To include:

1. Outline of what your NGB proposes to deliver in one year and how it is innovative
2. How does this programme fit with the strategy or policies or priorities of the NGB?
3. Please outline the proposed consultation process and club involvement?

2.2 Aim of the Project

NB – maximum of 250 words

Please highlight the specific outcomes you are looking to achieve, include information on the following:

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What are the key actions of this project and what does your NGB hope to achieve?

How will this project build on / enhance your existing work in increasing participation in sport and physical activity for the following:

- the personal and social development of persons who are economically or socially disadvantaged;
- the educational development of persons who are educationally disadvantaged or
- persons with a disability (within the meaning of the Equal Status Act 2000).

2.3 Outline the need for this project / Understanding the Community Needs

Please include the following in this section

- How will your project address the situation
- How have you identified the need
- Why provide support for your NGB
- Provide evidence that the proposed area / target group is one of disadvantage

2.4 Who is the target group that will benefit from this activity?

Please give approximate numbers (please indicate which target group and if there are multiple target groups)

Section 3 Provide an outline on the specific actions and fund required – action plan with reference to gaps in current provision

Please complete the logic model in line with the objectives of the programme with clear Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) associated.

Section 4 Outcomes

NB – maximum of 500 words

Please highlight the expected outcomes arising from this support. Outcomes refer to the medium to longer term impact i.e. changes which are expected to come about as a result of the funding. Outcomes are usually qualitative, and may relate to beneficiaries and or services, organisations etc.

Please also outline the legacy Potential of Programme:

- Outline the means by which your programme will become sustainable for your organisation. Please submit steps on how this will be achieved
- How is it proposed that the programme will translate into new members and become self sufficient

Section 5 Provide an outline of the partners who will be involved

Please indicate the potential partners for this project. This should include their level of involvement (lead / support etc). The intention here is to identify possible partners and what NGBs expect from them in advance of progressing

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with the action. If there are no possible partners please provide evidence on how the initiative will be sustainable.

Section 6 Marketing and Communications plan

Please outline your marketing and communication plan for this project

Section 7 Evaluation

Outline NGBs proposed evaluation process and how will outputs be monitored?

Section 8 Resources

Provide details of the total costs associated with the project. Please indicate any additional funding (monetary or BIK) from other sources. Examples of cost headings (Facilitator Costs, Needs Analysis / Consultation, Training and Education Development courses, Joint Initiatives / Taster Days etc, Advertising / marketing Costs, Website development, programme evaluation etc)