

Bucks & MK Sport and Activity Forum:

Sport England Funding Programmes

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- Strategy- 'Towards an Active Nation' and beyond
- How to develop a 'good project'
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Towards An Active Nation



FIVE OUTCOMES FROM SPORTING
FUTURE

THREE TARGETS AGREED
W/GOVERNMENT

OUTCOME BASED PROJECTS MUST STILL
DELIVER NUMBERS

PHYSICAL WELLBEING
MENTAL WELLBEING
INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT
SOCIAL & COMMUNITY
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

AN INCREASE OF 500,000 IN THE
NUMBER OF PEOPLE PHYSICALLY
AN INCREASE OF 250,000 IN THE
NUMBER OF **WOMEN** WHO ARE
PHYSICALLY ACTIVE
NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM **LSEG**
GROUPS MORE ACTIVE

PURSUIT OF NUMBERS MUST NOT NEGLECT
OUTCOMES

Projects to change people and places



Consultation

- Key to understanding the customer
- One approach does not fit all
- What is stopping them being active? What would help?
- Ask them 'what they want' not 'if they want'
- Keep them involved
- Link between the customer and your project!

Small Grants

- Aims to fund projects supporting our Towards an Active Nation Strategy.
- £300 - £10,000 Awards
- Up to three years in duration - New activity or a clear expansion
- Participants must be based in England
- Focus on LSEG and other priority groups (BAME, Women, Children)

What it won't fund...

- Replacement and fixed equipment
- Items which benefit an individual
- Existing salaries
- Projects involving construction or refurbishment
- Costs already paid for
- Existing projects or the continuation of a project

Find out more at: <http://www.sportengland.org/funding/small-grants/>

Community Asset Fund

- Aims to create or improve community spaces, providing everyone with the opportunity to be active.
- £1,000 - £150,000 Awards
- Open to everyone – project idea that counts
- Focus on LSEG and other priority groups (BAME, Women, Children)

What it won't fund...

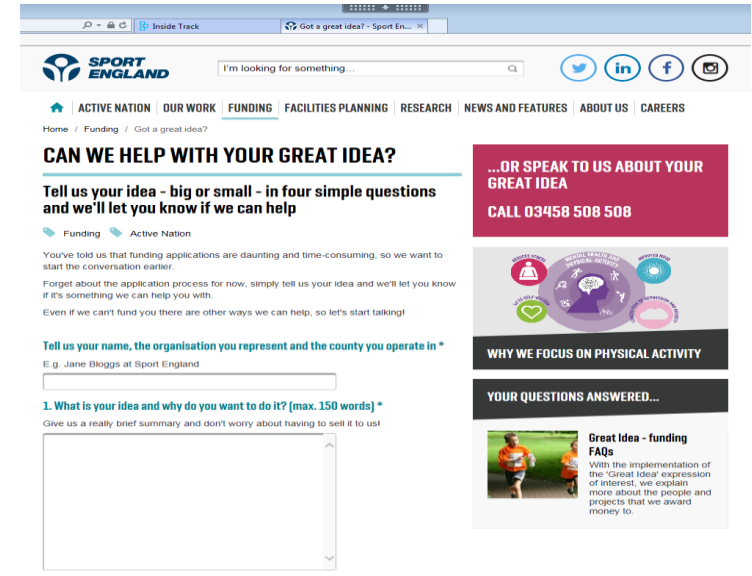
- Revenue-only projects (Equipment, coaching qualifications etc)
- Children's playground and play equipment
- Football only projects
- Costs already paid for
- Routine maintenance and repairs

Find out more:

<http://www.sportengland.org/funding/community-asset-fund/>

'Great Ideas'

- Launched on 1st Oct 2018
- 4 simple questions
- Response within 4 working days
- Tailored responses



New Funding

- **This Girl Can Community Fund**

Deadline: 25th February 2020

<https://www.thisgirlcan.co.uk/community-fund/>

- **The FA Five Euro 2020 Fund**

Deadline: Window 2 is open 15 January until 10 February 2020 (for projects starting after FA FIVES Round One). Decision due 27 March 2020.

<https://www.thefa.com/competitions/the-fa-fives/sport-england-euro-2020-legacy-small-grants-programme>

- **Major Event Volunteer Fund**

Deadline: Rolling Programme

<https://www.sportengland.org/funding/major-event-volunteer-fund/>

- **Toyota Parasport Fund**

Deadline: Currently Closed

<https://www.sportengland.org/our-work/disability/toyota-parasport-fund/>

Eligibility: Governance

- A Code for Sports Governance – introduced April 2017
- <https://www.sportengland.org/about-us/governance/a-code-for-sports-governance/>
- 3 Tier's
- What happens if I don't meet the code now?
- Support from our Funding helpline – staffed by expert advisors (0345 8508 508)

Top Tips

- Read the guidance
- Take your time
- Get help
- Ensure the need and impact are clear
- Be open and honest – every project will not change the world!

Talk to us about your idea....

Funding helpline

- 0345 8508 508

Email

- funding@sportengland.org

Other Forms

- Webchat
- Weekend call-backs
- Longer opening hours (08:00-20:00, Monday-Friday)



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