



Broadstairs & St Peter's Town Council

APPLICATION FORM FOR FUNDING FOR GROUPS AND ORGANISATIONS

PLEASE READ THESE NOTES BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM

- a) Please complete the form carefully in readable CAPITALS in black ink, or typed. The application needs to contain ALL the information requested and is required to be completed and returned with all relevant documentation. The grant-making criteria is on the Town Council's website at www.broadstairs.gov.uk.
- b) Please enclose an up-to-date copy of the Constitution/Rules of your organisation.
- c) Please enclose a copy of the latest accounts for your organisation. Please be accurate about your budget and finances. If your funding application is approved we may ask for evidence of quotes to back up your budget statement.
- d) Public sector funds are limited so we are seeking a clear account of how you meet the Council's priorities in putting on your event. Please ensure that you consider your answers carefully as the Panel of Councillors will have a scoring sheet and be assessing your application in accordance with the Grant Criteria as set out on our website.
- e) If appropriate, the Council may require that a member of the organisation attend a meeting of the appropriate Committee to give a presentation about the request.
- f) If appropriate, the Council may require that a Member of the Town Council be appointed to the organisation requesting financial assistance.
- g) Should your organisation be successful in its grant application, the Town Council requires that you acknowledge its financial assistance in ALL publicity, publications and social media posts by using the Town Council crest, with text "Broadstairs & St. Peter's Town Council" under the crest. Please contact the office for a high-resolution copy of this.
- h) Any financial assistance is given on the understanding that your organisation complies with current legislation on Equalities and Diversity and Unlawful Discrimination.

Your Details

Name of Organisation:

Broadstairs Cricket Club

Grant amount requested:

£2000

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Date form received

28/4/25

Accounts Enclosed

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Copy of Constitution

Grant Approved / Declined

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Of TREASURER**

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**8. If your organisation has a management committee, how is it appointed?
If not, how is your organisation managed? Does your group/organisation have constitutional
rules?**

Yes, appointments made at AGM
Yes, constitution in place. Copy enclosed.

9. What are the aims / objectives of your organisation?

To provide an opportunity for children and adults throughout East Kent, and Thanet in particular, to participate in recreational cricket at all levels.

10. How does your organisation benefit the local community of Broadstairs & St. Peter's?

It is the only club in the Thanet area offering youth coaching on a consistent basis for children of ages ranging from 5-15 and providing a sustainable route into the sport. The club also hosts a pétanque club and through its recently-upgraded clubhouse, a venue for social events and a home for Cliftonville Hockey Club during the winter months.

11. Approximately how many people benefit from the activities of your organisation?

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| Members: 50 | Non-members: 300 | Broadstairs & St. Peter's 300 Residents: | Visitors: 200 |
| 850 | | | |
| Approximate overall TOTAL: | | | |

12. Amount of grant being requested
An amount must be stated

£ £2000

13. For what purpose will the grant be used? Please be specific.

Following on from the successful schools programme that ran during the Spring of 2025, thanks to the generous grant from Broadstairs and St Peters Town Council, the club would like to capitalise on the increased engagement in youth cricket that this has generated. In particular, we would like to direct this follow-on funding request towards our Autumn/Winter indoor coaching programme. As with the previous grant, the major objective, over the mid- to long-term, is to introduce a wide range of local children to the sport through expert coaching and in this specific instance, to provide an opportunity for those who engaged in the Spring programme to continue with the sport in the Autumn and Winter. In so doing, it will provide a continuous, high quality pathway into the sport and ensure the sustainability of youth cricket in Thanet. The Autumn/Winter coaching programme is currently run by the club as a loss-making activity. The sessions are each Tuesday and Thursday evening, 6.30-7.30pm and we have kept the charge at a relatively low level to ensure it is as inclusive as possible. The current numbers attending mean that the club is unable to cover its costs associated with hire of the indoor hall at St Lawrence College and we are unable to pay costs/expenses for the coaches that run the programme. Nonetheless, the club is committed to running this programme and the through the networks established with the previous grant, the club is hopeful it can promote this coaching programme more widely to maximise participation across the region. Access to these funds will help ensure the viability of the Autumn/Winter coaching programme, enabling a wider group of children to participate and attract them into the sport; this will further help to ensure the future sustainability of youth cricket in Broadstairs/St Peters and beyond.

14. Please explain how the project links to at least one of the Council's 'Cleaner, Safer, Kinder' initiatives:

This project will enable children to participate in a sport with expert guidance so that they can be confident they are in a safe and supportive environment. The team aspects of the sport engenders a greater sense of mutual respect and children's involvement will help to build better community cohesion. As a result, participants in the activity will play their role in making the area of Thanet a kinder a safer environment for children.

15. Has your organisation previously received a grant from the Town Council? YES / ☒ NO
If YES, how much during the past financial year and when ?

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| £ | 1800 | Date(s) | March 2025 |
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16. How was this money spent?

The grant was used to run a highly successful schools cricket programme in eight local schools with additional schools requesting coaching that went beyond the scope of the grant. The money paid for coaches to deliver the programme so the coaching could be delivered with no cost to the school.
Previous grants have been used to upgrade our playing/training facilities, in particular, a new surface for the net practice area

Please provide a breakdown of your project's costs. Please note that this should be a breakdown of your total project costs

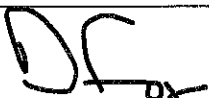
| Expenditure (eg Equipment, Transport etc) | £ |
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| 16 week indoor coaching programme at St Lawrence College October 2025 through to March 2026. | £ |
| 2 hours per week hiring cost for hall of £55 per hour over 16 weeks. | £ 1760 |
| Time and cost for coaches to travel to each of the 32 sessions to deliver the coaching. 32 x £7.50 | £ 240 |
| The coaching will be delivered by qualified coaches Chris Kidd, George Kidd and members of the wider coach team at Broadstairs CC -details here https://www.broadstairscricketclub.co.uk/blog/broadstairs-cc-2024-junior-programme | £ |
| Total Project Costs This should match the Total funding required for your project | £ 2000 |

| Please provide the following details from your most recent annual accounts. | |
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| Total Income | £ 29407 |
| Less Total Expenditure | £ 43439 |
| Surplus / Loss | £ 14032 |
| Savings (Reserves, Cash, Investments) | £ 27107 |

You should also enclose the most recent set of accounts. (See checklist on front page)

Your Declaration

Please complete the section below as the final part of your application.
Failure to complete this declaration could result in a delay to your application.

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| Have you read and do you agree to comply with the Broadstairs and St. Peter's Town Council Criteria for the Awarding of Grants? | |
| Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Are you an employee of the Town Council or Thanet District Council? Are you related to an employee or a Councillor at the Town Council or Thanet District Council? | |
| No | |
| I am an Employee: Please record your job title, department and line-manager. | |
| | N/A |
| My relative is: Please provide their name, your relationship to them, and the role/job that they play at the Council. | |
| | N/A |
| I certify that the information given on this form is correct, and understand that the form will provide the basis on which the grant application is considered. I enclose an up to date copy of the constitution or rules of the organisation and the latest accounts. | |
| SIGNED:  | DATE: 27/04/2025 |

Please return the completed form – together with all appropriate attachments:

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