



BINGHAM TOWN COUNCIL

APPLICATION FOR CAPITAL GRANT AID

Name of Association, Club, etc: SOUTH NOTTS HOCKEY CLUB

Is the Association, Club, etc. affiliated to a National Organisation? England Hockey

Name and office of person making application: Gary Pickering, Treasurer
Address: Frome House, Chapel Walk, Whatton, Nottingham NG13 9EH

Number of Members:	Under 18 years	69
	Over 18 years	81
	From Bingham	37
	Outside Bingham	113

Main Objects of Association, Club, etc: To provide hockey for the local community. Our chief objective is to make hockey fun at the same time as being somewhere to make new friends and an opportunity to play competitive hockey if desired. We have a thriving junior academy and a successful 'back to hockey' outreach programme encouraging adults to return to hockey.

State purpose for which finance is sought, together with details of costs, etc:

Junior Coaching

We provide free coaching to Juniors on a Sunday morning; 10:30am - 11:30am. Coaching is provided by MT 13 - cost £36.40 plus pitch hire £33.

Provision for 2020/2021 estimated at £69.40 x 26 weeks =£1804.40

These coaching sessions have been invaluable to the club in driving membership numbers and making the community aware that our local hockey club exists and getting children to participate in a sport that might be unavailable to them at school. Our junior training sessions on Sunday mornings attract between 25 and 35 players each week, many of whom filter into our adult training and teams once 13 years old.

Continue to support members with financial aid to allow them to take part in playing hockey at the club. We expect that members that have struggled financially with the impact of COVID-19 will not be able to justify membership fees for the 2020/2021 season. We make a provision for this sum at the start of the season from our fundraising account. The club maintains a hardship clause in our club constitution and cases are handled on a case by case basis. **Hardship provision for 2020/2021 estimated at £500**