



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Southern Rural Committee**2. Date: **28 Mar 2013**3. Summary of application: **Training for 2 squash members**Name of organisation: **Ickleford Squash Club**Sum requested: **£554**Total project cost: **£554**

Brief details:

The funding is required to enable 2 squash members to attend a training course and obtain ESR (England Squash and Racketball) Level 1 coaching qualification at £230 per coach.

The club currently run ladies squash training sessions every Sunday.

These sessions are free of charge and are aimed at encouraging more females to play squash/racketball.

As a direct result of these sessions ladies now represent approximately 12% of the membership and several have now progressed to play in the internal mixed squash leagues.

There are currently no qualified squash coaches in the Club and this training will enable them to improve the quality of coaching that is available to all players.

Matched / linked funding: **£0**

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Comments from Development Officer:

Not only will this training help encourage more players to participate, but the course also includes CRB checks at £18 per coach and a Safeguarding & Protecting Young People in Sport on line training module at £29 per coach, which will help pave the way for the club to offer junior squash training sessions at some point in the future.

All of the training sessions on Sundays are run by volunteers, open to the public and free of charge. It is hoped that more players will participate and benefit from the associated health benefits.

Amount recommended: **£275**

4. Comments from Ward Members:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date:

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