

Appendix 4. Pirton Sports & Social Club

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Version	Issue Date	Changes
1.0	NA	First Draft (BE)

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Name of Organisation	Pirton Sports & Social Club			
Organisation Type	Club			
Ward	Offa			
Project Type	Purchasing of chairs and chair trolley.			
Green option considered?	None.			
NHC Councillor involvement that may constitute a conflict of interest	None known			
Previous financial support within six years	From the North Herts Prosperity Fund: <ul style="list-style-type: none">£10,660 for new folding tables, stackable chairs, trolley, picnic benches, barbeque and storage shed.			
Documentation reviewed and approved*	Safeguarding	Yes	Accounts	Yes
	Demonstrates clear governance	Yes		
Total applied for	£750	Total project cost	£921	

Officer Summary

Pirton Sports & Social Club (PSSC) provides sporting and social activities and facilities for residents of Pirton and the surrounding area, based at the village's recreation ground.

The recreation ground is a central space for the community, regularly used by residents and visiting sports clubs. This summer, it hosted a number of successful outdoor events, particularly the popular Friday Evening Socials, which have drawn large crowds. With the new pavilion due to open next year, the scale of activities is expected to increase, and having adequate resources will support this growth. The grounds have welcomed at least 1,200 residents this year, with many more attending from surrounding areas.

Earlier this year, the club received a grant from the North Herts Prosperity Fund to replace ageing outdoor furniture, including tables, picnic benches, and a barbecue. Due to a special offer at the time of ordering, they were able to purchase four more large tables than originally planned. However, this left them 24 chairs and a trolley short, and they are now seeking to match the numbers for consistency and practicality.

PSSC is requesting £750 from the forum towards the purchase of 24 identical stackable chairs and a trolley for storage and transport. The total project cost is £921, with PSSC contributing £121 from its own reserves and fundraising efforts. The new chairs will match the existing set, allowing for easy stacking and mobility, and will support the club's expanding programme of outdoor events.

This will help PSSC continue to provide inclusive, well-equipped events that bring the community together and make full use of the village's shared spaces.

*Funding will only be released on receipt and approval of all supporting documentation