

Sports Council Grant Awards 2004 – 05

The following associations, clubs/organisations & individuals that have received grant aid this year.

Start Up

Tong Recreational Association
Western Isles Heavy Events Association
Western Isles Fisheries Trust

COACH EDUCATION

Stornoway Canoe Club

Allow 2 club members to attend a BCU Level 3 Sea Training Course.

Lewis & Harris Football Association

Provided a Referees Course to recruit new referees to continue excellent success for the Lewis Football Leagues.

Stornoway Squash Club

To establish a pool of squash coaches to further develop the junior section of the club.

Sail Hebrides

Provide a club member with the opportunity to take part in an ocean youth training course and a different member to undertake a dinghy instructors course

Lewis Camanachd

Assist the club to bring a National Shinty Development Officer to the island to deliver an Introductory Shinty Coaching Course.

SPORTS EVENTS

SRAC

To allow club members to participate in local and mainland events.

NLSC

To provide children and young people with the opportunity to take part in a winter sports league at the Lewis Sports Centre.

Stornoway Amateur Swimming Club

To allow the club to send a team of swimmers to compete in a gala against Ullapool

Lewis & Harris Women's Football Association

Allow the Association to hold a number of 7-a-side Football Festivals for club members

Western Isles Pony Club

To organise a Horse & Pony Fair in Stornoway

Donald Riddell (Rally Driving)

To assist him with the costs of taking part in various rallies in Scotland

Lewis & Harris Riding Club

To organise a one-day horse trial in Stornoway

Lewis & Harris Badminton Club

Assist with the costs to send a team of 4 club members to take part in the Skye Open Badminton Competition

Adventure Racing

To enable Tim Pickering to attend an Adventure Race in Edinburgh.

EXCELLENCE

Stornoway Running & Athletic Club

To send club athletes to participate in the following events: North & Inter district Cross Country Championships, Scottish Cross Country Championship, Scottish Indoor & North District Track & Field.

Western Isles Motocross Club

Competing in the British Quad Bike Championship in events in England, Ireland and Europe

DISCRETIONARY

Western Isles Motorcross Club

Assist the Club in creating a set area for Motorcross and quad bikes to practice.

Western Isles Island Games Association

To assist athletes from Lewis & Harris to compete at the Natwest Island Games in Shetland.

Stornoway Running & Athletics Club

To send 4 junior club members to the mainland to attend a training camp with top athletics coaches

SPORTS COACHING DEVELOPMENT GRANT

LHYCA

To allow 4 affiliated club leaders to attend a sports conference

Stornoway Squash Club

To continue to develop the existing level 1 coaches at the club and also introduce the sport to junior squash players through a national coach, Mark Beaumont.

Western Isles Fisheries Trust

To bring a top APGAI Casting Instructor to the island to help members improve their skills

Western Isles Branch of Pony Club

To provide club members with 3 mainland instructors to improve their horse riding skills as part of a 2005 summer camp.

Stornoway Canoe Club

To bring a BCU Level 5 coach to the island to run a 5-star kayak training course for club members

SPORTS EQUIPMENT

Stornoway Rugby Club

Purchase rugby equipment for training sessions and matches.

Western Isles Duke of Edinburgh

Provide much needed equipment for expeditions and training.

Stornoway Angling Association

To purchase a boat to increase boat angling among members and visitors.

Stornoway Golf Club

To purchase new mats for the tee areas for the clubs winter league.