Attachment Four: Sports Equipment 2023/24 Evaluation Summaries (Round One)

Sports Equipment Grants Applications – Recommended

1. Project details and panel scoring are outlined in the table below:

Applicant	Funding requested What will the Sport equipment grant be used for?	Panel score Total (x/80)	Requested funding
Swordfish Fencing Club	Scoring Systems for Growth	56	\$6,000.00

Swordfish Fencing Club are growing as a club and as such need more scoring boxes/displays sets to accommodate that growth.

Training involves having bouts which are scored, using scoring systems. The club does not have enough scoring systems for the number of people they have fencing.

They are wireless display sets and they intent to purchase four scoring systems with some support from the Town to pay for one of them.

Panel Assessment:

- The Club has identified the need for additional scoring system which is due to the increase in members numbers.
- The grant is to pay for one scoring box, of which the club will be purchasing four scoring boxes.
- The Club is proactive in securing grants and new members. It appears to be inclusive. It is currently sustainable and viable given their ability to pay for venues and still be in the 'black'.
- There are some members of the Club that are based in the Town of Victoria Park. The club is growing, especially through Curtin University in Bentley.

The panel recommends project funding of \$1,500.00 (25% of cost)

2. Project details and panel scoring are outlined in the table below:

Applicant	Funding requested What will the Sport equipment grant be used for?	Panel score Total (x/80)	Requested funding
West Australian Marathon Club Inc.	LED Race Clock Update	64	\$5,790.00

The requested funding is for LED Race Clock – Double sided, six-digit, double sided LED display clock which can be used to display time of day, stopwatch, count down timer and count up timer.

Being able to display time to their runners and supporters is particularly important to the club. The runners benefit from the finish line satisfaction of seeing their personal best displayed.

Panel Assessment:

- The applicant gave a good explanation of why it is important to be able to see the race times for the runners, spectators, and the general crowds. Running in races is not just about beating others, it is about beating your own personal best times.
- This is a particularly good spend of our grant funds.
- Good details on costs involved for two units. Club is paying majority.
- This equipment would be of great benefit to the Club to display race times at Club events.
- Highly recommend this grant approval as it will provide the Club with necessary equipment that benefits the club but also participants in events/race.

The panel recommends project funding of \$1,447.50 (25% of the cost)

3. Project details and panel scoring are outlined in the table below:

Applicant	Funding requested What will the Sport equipment grant be used for?	Panel score Total (x/80)	Requested funding
Perth Cricket Club	Cricket Ball Fees – 2023-24	62	\$8,000.00

The requested funding is for cricket balls and without the number of balls required, it will impact on their ability to train, play, and expand their youth and women's training and development programs.

They run specialised training programs alongside their standard required training sessions and the need for more equipment is a constant challenge for them. By having the equipment required they will be able to continue to draw players from within the Town of Victoria Park and provide them with unique opportunities to further their cricket careers.

Panel Assessment:

- The funding will ensure that their junior teams are playing with good quality cricket balls.
- The Perth Cricket Club is proactively seeking some women players. It is inclusive of Town of Victoria Park community and has teams for females, males, and juniors.
- Would recommend grant to be approved as these funds will assist in subsiding costs for the club related to equipment and thus keep member fees at a sustainable level.

- Clearly demonstrated the grant funding would assist with the supply of cricket balls necessary for match play, training, and expansion of programs.
- I like how the club talked about inclusivity and safe spaces, something we are always striving for.

The panel recommends funding of \$2,000 (25% of cost)

4. Project details and panel scoring are outlined in the table below:

Applicant	Funding requested What will the Sport equipment grant be used for?	Panel score Total (x/80)	Requested funding
Curtin Victoria Park Cricket Club	CVPCC Equipment Costs	62	\$8,000.00 (25% of cost)

The requested funding is for the following:

- New cricket balls
- New uniforms and cricket caps
- Stumps, cones, and markers required for the new season

New members of the club require the appropriate equipment, such as uniforms and caps of the club. This will give them a sense of belonging at the club. New cricket balls are required for each match played throughout the season.

Stumps, cones, and markers routinely need replacing by the club, given the size of the club (six senior teams, four plus 20 teams). This is a frequent occurrence for the club.

Panel Assessment:

- I would like to recommend this application. Information is clearly presented.
- What they are asking for equipment and uniforms for their club use fits the grant criteria.
- Assisting to promote potential members.
- Detailed breakdown of item costs
- Recommend funding be granted as it will allow the Club to supply equipment to new members and replacement of existing equipment.

The panel recommends funding of \$2,000 (25% of cost)