

PROJECT	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION & AMOUNT OF FUNDING : Please note that all parts have ACTIONS to complete which will be done in the first instance through the Expression of Interest form accompanying this detail
<b>PLAYER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION</b>	
Give students/University staff/Club players/Club committee/CSP/Other local Education - an opportunity to work in partnership to provide a Pathway into local club rugby, and the Rugby club access to extra facilities when needed. To promote an active Partnership between - Students - University - Club - Local Education institutions.	4 grants of £250 will be available to Local Area Rugby Partnerships (LARFS) who build a stronger relationship and working partnership between Clubs, Uni's, Schools and Colleges, with a clear local pathway for players at the weekend. This would be best done as a Club Forum – a Local Area Rugby Forum (LARF) <b>Action:</b> The names of clubs in the LARF plus A brief action plan must be provided
Promote local club rugby to University and college students to support the local club to put out their bottom team weekly	3 grants of £200 to get more students playing club rugby (@W/E) - Clubs getting the extra or @ risk team's out weekly (During term time) <b>Action:</b> A brief action plan must be provided which must include a named “game finder” from both club and institution to match students with a club’s playing opportunity Names of students joining clubs, which institution and number of games played must be submitted at the end of the Autumn and spring terms
To aid the transition of University players (ONLY) from a planned programme which engages non- BUCS players in weekend club rugby	5 grants of £400 to assist in transport (receipts to be provided) costs to and from match days ,purchase of club socks/shorts for <b>new students</b> , appropriate club “stash” for appointed game finders in the club and matched institution. <b>Action :</b> Names of students joining clubs ,which institution and number of games played must be submitted at the end of the Autumn and Spring terms
<b>COACHING, REFEREEING VOLUNTEERING AND MEDICAL</b>	
VOLUNTEERING: Volunteer recruitment grant – to assist with succession planning	£900 provided in a series of small grants. Action – a brief outline of where identified volunteering gaps are and actions taken to sort .Please add a budget.
Volunteer recognition – recognising and rewarding worthy volunteers	2 pairs of tickets awarded to 10 volunteers <b>Action :</b> nominated by clubs to their county Volunteer Coordinator
Services to Rugby award – in recognition of a club volunteer who has gone above and beyond service to the game	2 awards per county – <b>Action</b> nominations by club to their county Volunteer Coordinator

Volunteer of the quarter – to encourage further volunteer involvement	Quarterly award – November, February, May August – 1 quarterly award per county and 1 quarterly award for NLD <b>Action</b> – nomination to your county Volunteer Coordinator
The level of current first aid provision in NLD is low. NLD RFU would like to support any club intent on improving its 1 <sup>st</sup> aid provision	NLD RFU will support Clubs who return a First Aid Audit to the CB, and who wish to increase the number and quality of First Aiders /First aid treatment available at <b>all levels</b> levels of the club. <b>Action</b> : The club will ensure the appropriate qualification is gained added to GMS and copied to NLDRFU through the First aid audit and will then be reimbursed for a max. of 4 First aiders at 12 clubs whose names must be supplied when reimbursement is requested
Retain more players in the game by developing more confident and competent Coaches and Match Officials	Support Club coaches and match officials to gain RFU Coach and Referee Qualifications with a maximum grant of £500. <b>Action</b> : The club will ensure an application is made through the form available on the NLD website. Applications will be reviewed by the NLD Game Development Committee. When the qualification is gained and coaches /referees added to GMS and copied to NLDRFU clubs will then be reimbursed on the basis of the number of coaches (£175 per coach) and referees (£75 per referee ) qualified to a maximum of £500 to 7 clubs
Support of coaches in the U7-U13 age groups through the RFU CPD programme available locally	2 courses per county with 20 fully funded Places. <b>Action:</b> Clubs must work together to produce viable course numbers and contact their local RDO/CRC. Contact to be made through a nominated CCC (Club Coach Coordinator)

<b>FACILITY DEVELOPMENT</b>	
Identify and replace Goalposts at Clubs and Colleges/Uni's/Club-Schools linked to identified clubs which are unsafe or deemed in poor condition and in need of replacement	Grant : A maximum of £400 from the CB and £400 from Area 4 Legacy group. £800 in total. This is a £400 matched grant to a total of £1600 <b>Action:</b> Photographs of the current state of the posts that requiring replacing to be submitted with the Expression of Interest form and confirmed by the RFU Delivery team, Refs Society or Board members of the CB. Photographs of new posts " in situ" should be forwarded to the NLDRFU office

<p>Help improve the playing surfaces at rugby clubs to improve the quality of experience or sustain fixture list</p>	<p>Grant :A maximum of £1000 at 2 clubs  <b>Action</b> this is a £4£ matched grant  A pitch maintenance plan must be included in this application</p>
<p>To raise awareness of the club within the local community and beyond through better signage internal &amp; external.</p>	<p>Grant : 8 grants Of £250  <b>Action</b> : this is a £4£ matched grant. The club must submit a signage plan and photographs of the completed project</p>
<p>To offer a light touch grant scheme that can be easily accessed by NLD clubs at level 7 and below for Facility Improvement</p>	<p>Grant : A maximum of £1000 to 5 clubs.  <b>Action</b> : Clubs to submit a brief description on how this money will be spent on an improved facility that encourages player retention at all levels</p>
<p>Defibrillator funding</p>	<p>Grant a maximum of £1000 to 2 clubs  <b>Action</b> : a brief outline of where the defib. Will be sited. How it will be accessed and an indication of where the nearest defib is currently situated.</p>