

# Athlete Support Application

'free training pass scheme'



**Wolverhampton Sport Development**  
In partnership with  
**Wolverhampton Sport Development Trust**

**Wolverhampton**  
City Council



# APPLICATION FOR SPORT ASSISTANCE

The Sport Development Trust has been established to give assistance to Sports Persons (as recognised by their Sports Governing Body) based in Wolverhampton who are at and above County Standard (with the potential to reach National Standard).

Successful applicants will receive a free training pass enabling them to access facilities within Wolverhampton. This will be valid for a maximum of 12 months.

**IMPORTANT:**

The Sport Development Trust meets approximately four times per year. Therefore, it is important that your application is received well in advance of any forthcoming event for which you are requesting assistance.

**THE TRUSTEES DECISION IS FINAL**

**Submit for Date of Next Meeting:** .....

You will be advised of the decision of the trustees within two weeks of the meeting.

**Please return the completed application, including any other supporting documentation to:**

Sport Development Team  
Aldersley Leisure Village  
Aldersley Road  
Wolverhampton  
WV6 9NW

# APPLICATION FOR ATHLETE SUPPORT

## Athletes must satisfy the following criteria:

- Competing at junior level as defined by the National Governing Body (consideration **may** be given to those competing at senior level).
- Be in receipt of a letter/ evidence from their governing body, confirming representation at county or national level in training or competing capacity, or hold a valid British Olympic Association gold/ silver card.

## Conditions

- Athletes will be awarded a pass which will remain valid for the time specified by the respective governing body and will be valued for a maximum of 12 months.
- The free pass will have the name and a photograph of the holder.
- Free pass holders must be accompanied by a coaching representative each time they use the facilities.
- Under 16's using the fitness suites **MUST NOT** be allowed to use heavy weights.
- The coaching representative will be admitted free of charge but will not be able to use the facilities for their own personal gain.
- Athletes are requested to provide two passport photos on submission of application; these will be returned to unsuccessful applicants.
- Athletes are required to update the Sport Development Trust on representation and results on a six monthly basis.
- Athletes may be required to undertake an induction at the facility they choose to train at.
- Only sports recognised by Sport England will be considered

# Athlete Support Scheme

1. State the sport you participate in, for which support is required.

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2. Name and address of the Club or sporting organisation to which you belong.

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3. Name and address of the Governing Body of the Sport.

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4. Is your sport registered with Sport England?

(please tick box). yes  no  don't  know

5. Contact details of applicant.

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Age: ..... Date of Birth .....

Ethnic Origin: .....

Tel: .....

E-mail .....

6. Occupation (if any)

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7. If attending School or College, please state name.

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8. Have you received any financial assistance to cover expenses eg. Club, governing body, sponsorship, trusts, local authorities etc? If yes, please give details.

Source	£
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Total	.....

9. Indicate the details of someone who could provide a reference on your behalf (e.g. club/ international coach or administrator)  
Please note: your referee will be contacted.

Name:.....

Address:.....

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Tel: ..... Position: .....

E-mail .....

10. Indicate the level at which you are competing.

Club  County  National

Other:.....

11. Please list the events you have participated in, your overall rating in your sport and your positions attained within the last 12 months.  
*(Please also provide documentary evidence with your application or web link to information online.)*

Events:	Position:
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Overall Rating:	.....

12. Have you applied for sports assistance previously? If yes, please indicate the date of the application(s) and the decision(s) of the trustees. (including amount(s) approved).

yes  no

Date Of Last Application:.....

Approved:  £.....

Rejected:

Please state reason given:

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**DECLARATION:**

I, the undersigned, declare that the information given in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge and that I have read, understood and accept the conditions of the application.

I understand that if any of the information proves to be incorrect, or there is a breach of any of the conditions, the offer of the assistance may be withdrawn at the discretion of Wolverhampton Sport Development Trust.

I also understand that the Trustees decision is final, and that no further correspondence will be entered into.

Applicants Signature:

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Guardian Name:

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Signature:

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Date:.....

Coach Name:

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Signature:

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Date:.....

**OFFICE USE ONLY:**

Application Despatch Date:

Return Date:.....

Trustees Decision:

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Date of Meeting:

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