1. The Grant Support Programme

The Ludwig Guttmann Sports Foundation has supported small, but important and relevant projects that have benefitted wheelchair athletes and their sporting aims and achievements for the past 36 years since the Foundation’s establishment in 1952 in recognition of the work of Sir Ludwig Guttmann.

It is a relatively small Foundation supporting the work of the International Wheelchair and Amputee Sports Federation (IWAS) and its member nations, sports and athletes, but, as can be seen below, the Foundation has been very material and crucial at times in its support.

Past grants awarded have covered the areas of improvement to classification and training activities in the sports of wheelchair Athletics and Fencing, as well as publications of handbooks for various sports promoting participation and opportunities for athlete development at international level as well as creating a multi-sport games event management system to be used by membership and event managers.

Criteria & Conditions
An application form is published on the LGPSF pages of the IWAS website with a deadline date of April 1st for submission on an annual basis. All applications will be considered at the summer meeting of the Ludwig Guttman Paraplegic Sport Foundation and decision published by the end of the same month.

An itemised budget should be included with the application, as well as the outline of the proposal and its projected outcome.

Applications should be addressed to Chair of the LGPSF and sent by email to the email address on the application form.

Eligibility
Any individual or organisation involved in wheelchair sport internationally can apply for financial support towards training, development or participation in a wheelchair sport. Support for attendance at meetings is not an eligible consideration.

An itemised budget should be included with the application, as well as an outline of the proposal and its projected outcome.

Finances
Up to £750 maximum at Foundation’s discretion will be awarded annually.

The LGPS Foundation will notify the chosen applicant of their success and also outline payment terms. As a condition of any award, a small report and photos should be sent at the conclusion of the project being supported.

Since it is probable that a grant awarded may not meet the full cost of the project, please indicate on your attached budget which of the costs itemised would be expected to be covered by LGPSF’s contribution.
GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Contact details of applicant:

Name:

Address

Telephone: Email:

Name of Project:

Date:

Place:

Outline:

This should include any relevant supporting paperwork.

Please also include any budget for the total project

Send to: lgpsfenquiries@gmail.com