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## Llangennech & Bryn Sports Association (LBSA)

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Hello there

I write to you on behalf of the LBSA charity organisation (Registered CIO, Charity No. 1183362). We are a community group with the participation of volunteer members who commonly support the aims of the group and its activities. The LBSA has diverse membership from contributors across the community. The LBSA serves to seek potential opportunities to improve the facilities of the under-utilised spaces available to the community, and leave a legacy that following generations will reap the benefits of. We have the following website that has all of our information, targeted projects, timeline of actions, etc. Please visit <https://www.llanbrynsports.org/>.

We have been established and active in communications with a number of trusts and funding bodies since 2018. We have recently seen progress on one project in particular (creation of a mini playing/training pitch to benefit many on wasteland primarily currently used for dog fouling; <https://www.llanbrynsports.org/phase-1-dog-park-mini-training-pitch>), and we have been awarded an offer in principle of £8k from the FAW Trust - accounting 1/3rd of the proposed project cost (£24k). See attached, the written report containing the letter among other information (recently put together for the community council of Llangennech and Bryn). In order to secure the FAWT money, we must meet 4 conditions. We have:

- Attained the 3 quotes for floodlighting
- Secured a 10 year tenure on the land (by way of license as opposed to a lease, which satisfies the FAWT offer)
- In the process of clearing the definition of "protection of the asset"
- In the process of applying to Funding Partners for the remaining £16k required.

We have been aware of your services during our research into various things (Landfill / Coalfields Trusts), and have been advised to contact you by FAW Trust officer Aled Lewis and Sport Wales Principal Grant Officer Ceri Richards. Our intention is to apply to both the Aviva Community Fund (up to £25k) and also the PostCode Lottery Local Trust (up to £20k) in the coming days (both opened their application window today). I was just wondering first and foremost if there was anything you could advise us on specifically for these applications, and secondly in general since we have to satisfy the FAW by February 20th.

Our work thus far has taught us that nothing is done quickly! All the details info are on the site. The mini pitch project is our main focus but we have also had the nod to move the path to create a further play space in another park within the community. This is a much simpler project and we are looking to gain around £6k to complete this. We have made some modest fundraising events / efforts and also gained £250 from Dwr Cymru Community Grant and £1k from Persimmon Homes.

So this £8k is quite a step up and gives us something to work with.

Please feel free to get in touch as I will be looking to get the applications stage 1 process completed very soon. (Lottery closes Feb 4, Aviva Feb 11).

Thanks I look forward to hearing from you!

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Regards

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