



Grants Policy

Introduction

In accordance with the Grand Western Archery Society's constitutional objectives: to promote and encourage archery in the Grand Western Region.

The Grand Western Archery Society may provide sponsorship grants to its members who are requested by the appropriate governing bodies to represent England or Great Britain at international competitions.

Policy

Members of the Grand Western Archery Society may be eligible to receive a grant from the Society to cover their out of pocket expenses to represent Great Britain or England at international competitions. For the avoidance of doubt, GWAS does not award grants for the purchase of equipment.

Although the intention of the Society is to support all valid requests, the Grand Western Archery Society reserves the right to refuse a grant, if so decided by a majority vote of the regional council.

Criteria

The criteria for an archer to be eligible to receive a grant are as follows:-

1. The applicant must be a paid up member of Grand Western Archery Society.
2. The applicant must incur extra expense to participate, which is not being covered by the requesting governing body.
3. The applicant must complete their County Association grant application. Once endorsed by the County, the form will be sent by the County onto the Regional Treasurer.
4. The applicant must declare all sponsorship, in value and kind, and funding they are currently receiving. This must include any and all sums raised through crowdfunding and similar methods.
5. The application must be accompanied by;
 - Copy of the request and the requirements on them from the appropriate Governing Body.
 - Copy receipts of expenses incurred.
6. The Grand Western Archery Society reserves the right to refuse a grant if the Regional Council considers it appropriate.