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## GRANTS AND DONATION APPLICATION FORM

Bledlow-cum-Saunderton Parish Council welcome applications from local organisations. Please refer to the guidance notes and criteria before submitting your application. If you need any assistance please contact the clerk on <a href="mailto:clerk@bcspc.org.uk">clerk@bcspc.org.uk</a>

If you need to provide further information please include a separate sheet.

Name of Group / Organisation:	Bledlow Ridge School Association
Is the Organisation a Registered Charity?	Yes / No
If yes please provide Registered Charity Number:	
Main Contact Name:	
Contact Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	
Are you a newly formed group? (less than 1 year)	Yes / No
How long has your group been operating?	20 years
Does your group have an annual record of accounts?	Yes / No
	Please include a copy of your most recent accounts or the latest 3 months bank statements with your application.



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Please describe your groups main activities:	Bledlow Ridge School Association raise money for the school. Activities are held throughout the year: Summer Fayre Christmas Bazaar Children's hot dog day Children's Film nights Colour Run
Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary	
Project for which grant is required:	Fund the installation of an all-weather running track in the school field
Total cost of project:	£23,000
Amount being requested from Bledlow-cum-Saunderton Parish Council:	£2000
If the total cost of the project is more than the grant / donation, how will the balance be financed?	N/A
Have you applied for a grant / donation for the same project to another organisation, if so whom and for how much?	The school has applied to the Community Board for funding
Who will benefit from the project / approx. how many of these who will benefit are parishioners?	All pupils in the school: 180  Population sourced from census website 2021, therefore, I believe these figures will be higher, particularly with new housing developments in the surrounding area. Population of Bledlow-Cum-Suanderton: 2,721  Community from outside the area will also benefit: Princes Risborough population: 7,535  Longwick-Cum-Ilmer: 1,761  The above are examples of how many people would benefit from this project, however, this is not an exhaustive list.



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	<ol> <li>Having a track for the community to use will indirectly benefit many families. Having this facility for parents to bring their children to will support them indirectly, as they will have an opportunity to bring their children to a place to run around safety, learn new skills and keep active.</li> <li>This will give opportunity for new friendships to be formed.</li> <li>Loneliness is a great concern within our communities – 7.1% of people in Great Britain experience chronic loneliness and in 2022 a study showed 49.63% of adults (25.99 million people) in the UK reported feeling lonely occasionally, sometimes, often or always (https://www.campaigntoendloneliness.org/facts-and-statistics/)         Having a track available for members of the community to use will allow people to connect with others.</li> <li>Sport enables lifelong friendships and fosters a deep connection with people, particularly for those living on their own.</li> <li>Family and carers will use this track to further connect with their family, having a fun and accessible activity that they can use throughout the year in all weathers.</li> </ol>
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	<ol> <li>Having the track will enable the school to start a         Bledlow Ridge adults running club, open to all of         the community in Bledlow and the surrounding         areas.</li> </ol>
When are the funds required?	ASAP
Should your application be successful please provide the name of the organisation which the cheque should be made payable too.	Bledlow Ridge School Association

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