Women's Athletic Association (WAA Trust) Application

Contact Information

Team/Program: Girl's Quidditch Rec League

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Project Information

Project Name: Equipment for Girl's Quidditch Rec League

Description of Project:

There are very few opportunities at Hogwarts for girls to engage in physical activity. The official house quidditch teams have limited spots, which means that only a small proportion of Hogwarts students have an opportunity to play and it's difficult to get one of those sports without previous training and experience. Furthermore, a disproportionate number of quidditch players are male, which makes joining a house team very intimidating for girls. This has series implications for the physical health and confidence of the witches of Hogwarts.

The Girl's Quidditch Rec League seeks to fill this gap by offering a fun, safe and welcoming atmosphere for girls to practice their flying skills and learn the game of quidditch. The club will provide an outlet for witches who want to bond with their fellow students and get a workout in. It will also give those who want an opportunity to hone their skills with the eventual goal of trying out for a house team.

The club will meet once a week. We have been approved to use the quidditch pitch Monday afternoons and flying instruction will be provided by Madam Hooch and Ginny Weasley (who plays for the Gryffindor team.)

Requested Amount: \$4,890

Preliminary Budget:

Funds awarded by the WAA Trust will be used for start-up costs for the club. Many witches do not have their own equipment or brooms and we want the club to be as accessible to as many students as possible. Ideally we would like to order enough equipment for 2 teams of 7 players each so we could scrimmage. We have asked anyone who already has their own quidditch equipment to bring it so that we can provide equipment to as many people as possible.

There will be a small cost to join the club and these funds will be used for repairs and to purchase new equipment on an annual basis. Receiving funding form the WAA Trust will help our club become self-sufficient and take the financial burden of purchasing equipment or paying high dues off our members.

Proposed Equipment Spending

14 Cleansweep flying brooms – 14 x \$200 = \$2,800

14 sets of quidditch robes – 14 x \$80 = \$1,120

14 sets of quidditch gloves $-14 \times 40 = 560$

4 beater's bats $-4 \times 50 = 200

1 set of balls (one quaffle, two bludgers, one golden snitch) – 1 x \$180

First aid kit - \$30

TOTAL - \$4,890

Did the team/program or project receive funding for the previous year?

No

Will the funding be spent prior to the end of the next fiscal year?

Yes

Please indicate the CC and CFC for the project:

CC 10962 CFC 102080

If the application is successful, I agree to provide an impact report to the Hogwarts Advancement Office prior to the end of the fiscal year:

Yes

Name of manager responsible for program budget:

Madam Rolanda Hooch, Flying Instructor and Quidditch Referee

I am authorized to submit this application on behalf of this team or program:

Yes