



Lloyd Cowan Bursary **Coach Application** Guidance Notes

The Lloyd Cowan Bursary

This is a charitable fund administered by a selection panel to bequest grants of up to £500 to coaches, to enable them to participate in athletics.

Who is Eligible?

Applications are invited from UK based coaches who coach athletes eligible to represent Great Britain & Northern Ireland and for whom cost is a barrier to accessing developmental opportunities.

How will you use the grant?

The application should demonstrate clearly the difference that the grant will make and how it will contribute to progression towards excellence. For example, the grant could be used to fund additional costs of accommodation or travel to competition opportunities, warm weather training, courses or towards specialised equipment for athletes.

- A breakdown of how much you are requesting (we typically award grants of between £100 - £500)
- How the proposed funding would benefit you and help you achieve your coaching goals

We ask that successful applicants use the various social media platforms available to them to thank and promote the 'Lloyd Cowan' Bursary.

When to apply and when decisions are made?

Grants will be awarded twice per year in March and September. The closing dates for applications will be the 1st of March and the 21st of September, respectively. Applications must be submitted online by 5pm on the closing day. Late applications will not be accepted but can be submitted to the next round.

Decisions will be made by the selection panel and communicated within four weeks of closing date of application. All applicants will be notified of the outcome via the contact details submitted on the application form. Decisions are final and there will be no system of appeal.

It is important that the applicant provides clear and concise information to enable the panel to make a thorough and fair review of the application.

Where applications should be sent?

Applications should be submitted electronically via the application form.

If you have any queries please email: lloydcowanbursary@youthcharter.org