

Information Session dlr Grants Scheme 2024



## DLR Grants Scheme

#### **Grants are issued by**

Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council to support achievement of our

**Corporate Goals** 

Each year the dlr Grants Scheme supports local clubs, community groups, individuals and organisations through providing funding for a variety of initiatives.

Grant funding is available for

- art projects
- community-led initiatives
- local business area promotion
- sports development
- local heritage



# Applying - DLR Grants Scheme

- On Line Applications submitted through www.dlrcoco.submit.com
- YouTube videos Search DLR Grants
- Telephone O1 2054700 and ask for the relevant section i.e. Community; Sports etc.

Sports & Events	Barry Dempsey
Community	Sandra Kelly
Heritage	Deirdre Black
Arts	Maire Davey
Business	Róisín Cronin



Types of Community Grants – IAD 80% Non IAD 70%

Community Development Grants	Community Facilities Grants	Community Activity Grants	Age Friendly Grants
Start Up Max €800	Feasability Study Max €5,000	Community Activity Grants Max €1,000	Age Friendly Grants
Running Costs Max €1,000	Upgrading Community Facilities Max €5,000	Summer Projects €800 per week to Max €2,400	
Training €1,000			
Comm Dev Initiative €3,000			
Equipment Grants –			



# DLR Public Participation Network (PPN)

Community Groups should be registered or in the process of registering with dlr PPN.

DIr PPN may not issue you with a PPN number until you are 6 months in existence.

It is free to join

Log onto www.dlrppn.ie





# Points to remember

- Grant applications from Sports Clubs should be submitted under Sports Development Grants, except in the case of applications for a Community Facilities Grant
- Community Grants awarded are based on a percentage of the cost, your organisation will be required to fund the 20% or 30% depending on grant and/or IAD
- IAD **I**dentified **A**rea of **D**isadvantage based on POBAL's HP Deprivation Index



## Points to remember

- Universal Grants 2024: Closing date: 1p.m, Wednesday 25th October 2023
- Groups can apply for more than one grant provided each application relates to a different activity, event or initiative and applied for in a separate application form
  - Mobile Digital Devices may be considered for funding
  - Summer Projects must meet all Garda vetting requirements & all policies & procedures in line with Children First: National Guidelines for the Protection and Welfare of Children
- 2024 available on

  www.dlrcoco.submit.com Click into



#### Frequently Asked Questions

#### When will the group receive funding:

- 1. You will receive your letter of notification in January 2024.
- 2. Once notified of approval you can purchase the items awarded in the grant any items purchased before the approval will not qualify.
- 3. Submit your receipts you can post your receipts or scan and email to <a href="mailto:community@dlrcoco.ie">community@dlrcoco.ie</a>
- 4. Funds will be electronically transferred to your account once valid receipts are received (please note this may take up to 2 weeks).

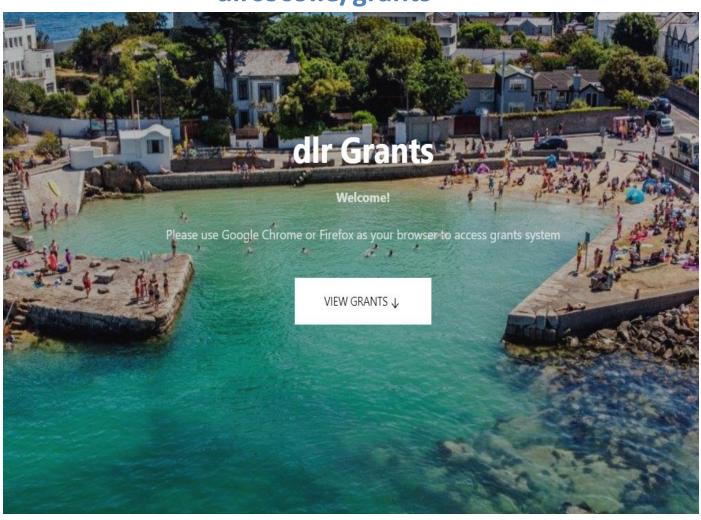


#### Frequently Asked Questions

#### What are the main reasons for refusal:

- The groups does not demonstrate the ability to match fund the project.
- The group is not a constituted community / voluntary group.
- The expenditure items do not meet with grant criteria ie personal items, perishable items.
- The application is **incomplete**, too vague or contains **insufficient information**
- The group **applied for the same funding/project** under another
  grant application with a different
  department within DLR.

#### DLR Grants Scheme 2024: How to Apply for a Grant dlrcoco.ie/grants





What is heritage? – DLR Heritage includes

historic buildings, places and structures; archaeology; documents and genealogy; flora and fauna; wildlife habitats; landscapes and seascapes; wrecks; geology; stories and folklore

Who can apply? - groups and societies who have an idea for a heritage **event**, **publication or exhibition** (including digital)

How much? - the maximum grant for any single project is €5,000 (70% of project cost)

 What is not covered - general operating expenses; advertising; hospitality; prize money; or the hire of Council premises.



Business Organisations and Business Representative Groups can apply for **Business Area Promotion Grants** 

Up to 75% funding is available for schemes that attract customers or promote business in an area

Type of activities that can be funded includes:

- Website content and update
- Business Awards
- Placemaking





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