

7. APPLICATION TO HAGLEY/FERRYMEAD COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – HAMISH DANIEL MITCHELL

General Manager responsible:	General Manager Community Services, DDI 941-8534
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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to present an application for funding from the Board's 2007/08 Youth Development Funding Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. Funding is being sought by the applicant, Hamish Daniel Mitchell, a 12 year old of Jollie Street, Linwood. Hamish is in Year 7 at Linwood Intermediate and has been selected in the Australasian DalPonte Vikings International Futsal Team to tour Brazil between 23 November and 11 December 2007. Selection into this team was gained through being identified by a Vikings Futsal Association regional representative during Futsal performances and Hamish is one of only two New Zealanders selected to attend from Australasia.
3. Hamish's application for funding aligns with two of the five Youth Development Scheme categories that are eligible for consideration. These are: representation at events and recreation development. This is the first time the applicant has approached the Board for Funding support.
4. Hamish's application is supported by his family, school, soccer coach and the Vikings Futsal Association.
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FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

6. The cost of this tour is \$7,500(NZD) with the following breakdown of costs. In addition the family have budgeted \$1,100 for return airfares to Auckland and spending money.

EXPENSES FOR EACH APPLICANT	Cost (NZ\$)
Return airfares to Auckland and spending money	1,100
Accommodation	750
Insurance	120
Airfares ex Auckland	2,940
Transfers	450
Gear	440
Meals	400
Games/Training	600
Administration	330
Officials	220
Tourist	150
Total	\$7,500
Fundraising No team fundraising has been undertaken as players come from all over Australasia and consequently it is the responsibility of individual families to provide financial support. There are few sources of funding for individuals to apply for international events. The family has extended their mortgage to cover the cost and taken on part time work.	
Amount requested from Community Board	\$500

Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2006-16 LTCCP budgets?

7. Yes.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

8. There are no legal issues to be considered.

Have you considered the legal implications of the issue under consideration?

9. Not applicable.

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

10. Yes, relates to 2007/08 Community Board Funding Allocations.

Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2006-16 LTCCP?

11. Yes, as mentioned above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

12. Physical Recreation and Sport Strategy.

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

13. Yes.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

14. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve the report and allocate \$300 from the Hagley Ferrymead Youth Development Fund to Hamish Daniel Mitchell for the Australasian DalPonte Vikings International Futsal Team to tour Brazil.

CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION

That the staff recommendation be adopted.