

**8. APPLICATION TO THE FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – ANNA RADOVONICH**

<b>General Manager responsible:</b>	General Manager Community Services, DDI 941-8607
<b>Officer responsible:</b>	Unit Manager, Recreation and Sports
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**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for an application for funding from the Board's 2010/11 Youth Development Scheme.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

2. The applicant is Anna Radovonich, a 15 year old Rangī Ruru High School student living in Merivale.
3. Anna has been selected in the Under 15 Canterbury Girls Hockey team to compete in the 2010 National Under 15 Tournament being held in Napier in July this year.
4. This application meets the criteria for the Fendalton/Waimari Youth Development Scheme under Representation at Regional, National and International Sporting Events.
5. Anna is a very talented young sportswomen having also represented New Zealand in Under 16 basketball and she is in the school touch team that will be competing in the High School Nationals in Palmerston North later in the year.
6. Anna coaches junior basketball at Pioneer Stadium, however she is taking a break from basketball to focus on hockey.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

7. The costs for airfares, rental van hire, accommodation, turf hire and uniform are equalised over the team and officials. With the Canterbury Hockey Association providing significant funding, the cost per player has been set at \$540. Anna has been fundraising selling raffles and assisting with a food and drink stall at the recent Queens birthday tournament.
8. This is the first time the applicant has applied to the Board for financial support.

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

9. This application is seeking funding from the Board's 2010/11 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the Board's 2010/11 Board Discretionary Response Fund.

**LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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

10. There are no legal implications in regards to this application.

**ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS**

11. Aligns with page 170 LTCCP, regarding Community Board Project funding.

**Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2009-19 LTCCP?**

12. As above.

**ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES**

13. Application aligns with the Council's Youth Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

**Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?**

14 As above.

**CONSULTATION FULFILMENT**

15. Not applicable.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Community Services Committee recommend that the Board make a grant of \$100 to Anna Radovonich to compete in the 2010 Under 15 Hockey Nationals.