

5. APPLICATION TO THE RICCARTON WIGRAM 2010/11 YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME - KEVIN JAGAU

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

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

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The applicant, Kevin Jagau, is a 15 year old Riccarton resident who is seeking Community Board support to travel to Romania to compete in the Division 2 Junior World Ice Hockey Championships. This trip will take place from 19 - 25 March 2011.
3. Kevin began playing ice hockey in Switzerland at the age of five where he played for a Swiss club for four years and during this time Kevin competed in tournaments in Switzerland, Germany, Austria and Japan. Kevin was part of a team which won an international tournament in Switzerland in 2004. In 2005 Kevin's family returned to Christchurch and he joined the Canterbury Ice Hockey Federation.
4. Kevin's achievement's in his sport have been impressive. He has not only represented Canterbury since 2006, but also received the Most Valued Player at each of the age group tournaments he competed in from 2006 – 2010. Kevin gained his first New Zealand selection in 2008 where he was chosen in the U16 team. He was chosen in the same team in 2009 and in 2010 he was chosen in both the U16 and U18 teams.
5. Kevin's aims are to play international hockey for the New Zealand National team, the Ice Blacks and also be a role model for younger ice hockey players in Christchurch.
6. Kevin has raised \$580 to date for his trip by doing odd jobs and working on a paper run and will continue to fundraise until he goes away. Kevin would appreciate any assistance from the Community Board.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

7. The following outlines budgetary requirements for Kevin's trip.

KEVIN JAGAU	
EXPENSES	Cost
Airfares	\$4,248.00
Accommodation	\$727.00
Uniform and supplies	\$93.50
Camp expenses – travel / ice time / food	\$488.60
Tournament fee	\$22.50
Total Cost	\$5,579.60

8. The applicant has applied for funding from the Community Board previously, but his application was retrospective and was not allocated any funding.
9. At the time of writing this report there is \$200 unallocated in the Riccarton/Wigram 2010/11 Youth Development Scheme. During the 2010/11 the Board has allocated \$15,000 to this fund from the Board's Discretionary Fund.

Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2009-19 LTCCP budgets?

10. Yes see page 172, regarding the Board funding.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

11. There are no legal issues to be considered.

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

12. Yes.

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

13. Yes.

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

14. Yes see page 172, regarding the Board funding.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

15. Yes in alignment with the Strengthening Communities Strategy.

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

16. Yes application aligns with Council Youth Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

17. All appropriate consultation has been undertaken.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board decline the application owing to insufficient funding available in the 2010/11 Riccarton/Wigram Youth Development Scheme.