FUNDING GUIDE for GAMING TRUSTS and COMMUNITY TRUSTS

Arguably the easiest way to get funds for your Club is to apply for a grant from either Gaming Trusts or Charitable Trusts, both are an amazing financial resource for sport and recreation in New Zealand

Over the past decade over \$1billion has been shared with the communities throughout New Zealand *ARE* **YOU GETTING YOUR SHARE? IF NOT...WHY NOT**

HOW TO ACCESS THESE FUNDS

This **SportNZ** funding link has a search engine. https://sportnz.org.nz/get-into-sport/search-for-funding/search

Generosity NZ is the largest digital search facility for funding information in New Zealand. They have created three search tools that connect people to funding opportunities. givUS offers access to more than 1,200 grants and schemes for communities, volunteer organisations, schools,



groups, sport clubs and Iwi. Find financial assistance for nearly everything, including: Operational costs - Building redevelopment - Project based resources, every organisation has unique goals and needs.

More than 90% of councils subscribe to givUS on behalf of ratepayers, which enables FREE public access via your local library. https://generosity.org.nz/giv-us

Most **Councils** provide funding for Sport and/or Recreation and/or Community GOOD and so google your local Council to see if they can help you...this link is a sample from Wellington City Council; https://wellington.govt.nz/services/community-and-culture/funding/funding-portal-apply-online

GOOD PROCESS GETS GOOD OUTCOMES AND LEADS TO SUCCESS



- 1. Commence by making a wish list of the things you would like grant support for
- 2. Check out the various Grant Agencies, read their criteria and gain an understanding of what they will fund; use the search engines to save time.
- 3. Match your 'wish list' with the appropriate Grant Agencies
- 4. When completing the Grant application, ensure you complete all of the documentation accurately and 'tell a good story', you will want to create a positive impression.
- 5. A letter of commendation from your 'parent body' is advisable
- 6. Remember you will be competing with hundreds of other organisations and so you need your application to be compelling and to stand out. You are building a relationship that hopefully will last a life time, as you will want to go back to these organisations for support year on year........HOW MANY SETS OF BLUE, RED, GREEN and ORANGE bowls would you like????????

