



LANCASHIRE POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER

APPLICATIONS FOR DECISION 2013/12 – WEDNESDAY 31 JULY 2013

The following Application has been received by LANPAC on behalf of the Commissioner and fulfils the criteria laid out in the Grant Application Form.

The Commissioner is recommended to approve the level of grant funding as detailed for the following Application:

1. NAME:	THE SIR TOM FINNEY SOCCER CENTRE SUMMER CAMP		
AREA:	Preston – Larches, Savick & Ingol	PRIORITY:	ASB + Crime Reduction
AMOUNT:	£2,280 to cover cost of venue hire and equipment	Match Funds:	£6,000 from existing resources to fund coaches and volunteers
PROJECT NAME & COST:	Soccer Summer Camp – 4 weeks summer activities £8,800		
Summary:	<p>The Soccer Centre operates a regular Saturday morning training session for young coaches and the proposed 4 week summer camp is an additional programme for the school holiday period.</p> <p>Previous summer camps have attracted between 50 – 70 young people per day. Sessions operate from 9am – 3pm and provide a diversionary activity for young people from disadvantaged and financially challenged families through football coaching.</p> <p>The sessions are supported by the Neighbourhood Policing Teams with officers and PCSOs often attending some of the sessions.</p>		
Comments:	<p>The Sir Tom Finney Soccer Centre is a well established organisation that has delivered diversionary soccer based activities to hundreds of young people. The location of the Summer Camp allows easy access from areas with high levels of ASB and youth issues such as Ingol, Larches and Savick.</p>		
Recommendation:	<p>1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner</p> <p>2. That a grant of £2,000 is made to the group to contribute to the cost of venue hire – equivalent to about 23% of the overall project costs.</p>		