

**COASTAL COMMUNITIES FUND**

**2024/2025**

The closing date for applications is 11<sup>th</sup> September 2025.

Please note late applications will not be accepted

Please refer to the associated guidance when completing this application form.

All projects must be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026.

This is an application form for the Coastal Communities Fund managed by South Ayrshire Council. Please complete all parts of the form. If you require any clarification or additional information then please contact [grants@south-ayrshire.gov.uk](mailto:grants@south-ayrshire.gov.uk)

**Amount of grant requested**

TYPE OF GRANT	AMOUNT	PURPOSE	SELECT ONE
*Small grant	Up to £1000	To support small grass roots groups and organisations.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
*Development grant	Up to £4,950	The Development Grant will assist groups to plan & develop small scale projects that will link into one of the priorities of the Coastal Communities Grant Fund. Projects will essentially make communities a more attractive place to live & work.	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section 1: Organisation Details**

Organisation Name	<b>Maybole juniors fc</b>
Organisation Address	<b>Ladywell stadium</b>  <b>Daily road</b>  <b>Maybole</b>
Type of organisation (voluntary organisation, charity, CIC, Ltd. by	<b>Voluntary organisation</b>

guarantee, SCIO, unincorporated association etc. or private sector)	
If a charity or Limited Company please include your number	
Does your group/organisation have a bank account?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> In progress <input type="checkbox"/>

## Section 2: Contact details

Contacts	Lead Contact
Name	Margaret mcewan
Position in Organisation	Fundraising

## Section 3: Project Details

### Project Title

Park lining machine
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### About your project/what are you seeking funding for?

<p>A new lining machine</p> <p>-</p>
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### What community will this project be delivered in and what communities will benefit?

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This project will be delivered in Maybole, South Ayrshire, through Maybole Juniors Football Club. The club is a well-established part of the town and provides football opportunities for players, volunteers, and supporters of all ages.

The primary community to benefit will be the people of Maybole, including local youth and adult players who rely on well-maintained pitches for training and matches. In addition, surrounding communities across North Carrick and South Ayrshire will also benefit, as our facilities are regularly used by visiting teams, supporters, and community groups.

By investing in a new lining machine, we will ensure our pitches remain safe, well-maintained, and welcoming—not only for the club but also for the wider community who attend matches, take part in training, or use the grounds for community events.

**Please provide information you have about the need and support for the project, eg community consultation**

Evidence of Support

Club membership and participation: Maybole Juniors FC supports players across senior and youth levels, as well as volunteers, coaches, and committee members.

Youth engagement: Many young people from Maybole and surrounding villages regularly train and play at the grounds, giving them a safe and healthy environment to stay active.

Community consultation: Informal consultation with players, parents, and supporters during training and match days has shown strong support for this project, with common feedback highlighting the need for better pitch maintenance.

Volunteer support: The club's volunteers have endorsed the project, recognising that a new lining machine will reduce time and physical effort in maintaining the pitches.

Wider community benefit: Local families, visiting clubs, and supporters from across South Ayrshire will benefit from improved facilities and a better match-day experience.

Local pride: The club is a key part of Maybole's identity, and investment in this equipment has been welcomed as a step towards ensuring long-term sustainability and professionalism.

**Which of the following Council plan priorities most aligns with your proposed project:**

Priority 1 – Spaces & Places ☐

Priority 2 – Live, Work, learn ☒

Priority 3 – Civic & Community Pride ☒

**Please select the grant you are applying for and the relevant priority (you can select more than one priority, if applicable)**

**For small grant only:**

- To assist with barriers to sustain the group ☒
- To develop new projects/ideas ☒

**For development grant only:**

- Deliver improvements to public places that will increase the number of visitors ☐
- make coastal communities more attractive places to live and work ☐
- demonstrate a strong link to local strategies and local place plans ☐

If linking into a place plan or a community action plan, please details which priority it will be achieving:

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Estimated start date:	1/12/25
Estimated completion date:	31/1/26

#### **Section 4: Project Costs**

How much funding are you requesting from the Coastal Communities Fund?

**£839.94**

Are you applying for Revenue or Capital costs, or both?

Revenue ☐ £

Capital ☒ £

Please provide a full break down of costs for your project.

If applying for both revenue and capital, then please detail costs separately.

Item/Activity	Cost
Lining machine	£839.94
<b>Total</b>	<b>£839.94</b>

**For development grant only:**

Individual item costs over £1000, 3 quotes need to be provided – if relevant quotes are not provided when submitting application, it will not be considered.

**Section 5: Checklist**

**Please confirm you have the following documents:**

Constitution/Memorandum & Articles ☒

Audited or independently verified accounts ☒

Last 3 months bank statements ☒

**Section 6: Declaration & Conditions**

I, on behalf of, (organisation name):

- Certify that to the best of my knowledge the information contained in this application is true and accurate and will adhere to the following terms and conditions;
- Understand that making this application does not entitle the organisation to funding as a right;
- Will not commence or commit any expenditure before receiving approval of the funding;
- Confirm that the quotations are bona fide competitive quotes;
- Will provide the External Funding officer with digital colour photos of the work, both before and after the work has been completed. I understand that these images will be kept on record and used for future publicity;
- Understand that this funding award does not cover retrospective work;
- Understand that to make any misleading statement in relation to this application could make the application invalid, or may mean the organisation has to repay the funding;
- Understand that this application is subject to appropriate checks and meets appropriate conditions such as planning, procurement guidelines, and other statutory consents; and
- I Have read the associated guidance before completing and submitting this application form.

- Understands that if I do not provide satisfactory evidence of spend then the council may request I repay the grant

Failure to return or complete and return any evaluations requested then I may not receive any future funding from South Ayrshire Council. I may be asked to repay the funds if I cannot provide evidence that they were used for the purpose intended.

Name of Person Completing Application: Margaret mcewan

On behalf of: (Organisation name) :maybole charity shop

Date: 8/9/25

Completed application only should be saved as a PDF document and uploaded to the

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Supporting documents should be e-mailed to [grants@south-ayrshire.gov.uk](mailto:grants@south-ayrshire.gov.uk)

These include:

- Constitution
- Last 3 months bank statements
- Independently verified accounts
- Quotes (where required)