



**KIRKBYMOORSIDE TOWN COUNCIL
GRANT SCHEME APPLICATION FORM**

Name of group:	KIRKBYMOORSIDE BOWLING CLUB		
Main group contact: (full name and title)	MR ALEC YOUNG		
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Provide a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> detailed description of the project evidence of the need for your project, and show who will benefit from it 	<p>See attached 'CONTEXT'</p> <p>The maintenance cost of repairing any structural work will be covered by the Club.</p>		
What are the full costs of the project (including VAT if applicable)	REPLACE 18 EXISTING LIGHTS WITH LED UNITS @ £118 each + VAT £2116.80		
Where is other funding from the project to come from? (Tell us the funder and the amount you expect from them)	<p>Funder <u>KMS BC</u> £ <u>540</u></p> <p>Funder £.....</p> <p>Funder £.....</p>		
Please tell us the stage at which your other applications are at, ie just applied, awaiting outcome of application or funding confirmed.	FUNDING CONFIRMED		

What contribution to these costs would you like from the Town Council?	£ 2116
Is this contribution for a specific element of the project?	
What is the structure of your organisation?	Informal group <input type="checkbox"/> Registered charity <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Please give details below BOWLING CLUB (REGISTERED AS A CASC COMMUNITY AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB)

Supporting information checklist

Where relevant please ensure that the following documents are submitted with your application (accounts and bank statements must always be submitted).

	Tick to confirm enclosure
Group constitution or set of rules	✓
To qualify all applicants must provide a FULL financial disclosure which are as follows:	
i. 3 months copies of statements from ALL Bank accounts and statements of monies held in funds ETC	✓
ii. Must include a statement from the applicant of what applications to other bodies have or had been applied for and awarded to fund this project.	N/A
Copy of the most recent/audited accounts	✓
Evidence of planning permission (if necessary)	-
Quotes for capital items and works over £500	✓
Twelve month forward plan: activities and finance (applications less than £5,000)	✓
Business plan for the next three years (applications over £5,000)	-

Please return to:

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FAO Alec Munro
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18/07/2025

Dear Alec,

Re: External Lighting

Further to Steven's meeting with you at Kirkbymoorside Bowling Club we can confirm the following

Our cost for an engineer to attend site with a suitable access platform and check all connections of all existing flood lights, tighten and repair any bracketing accordingly will be £450.00 including access equipment and materials required.

Any lamps which require replacing will be charged at £40.00 each subject to availability.

At present we are unsure exactly what wattage or type of lamp are currently installed until we access the fittings.

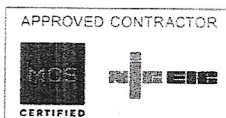
It is Steven's recommendation that all 18 no. of the existing external lights are replaced with LED equivalents. The quantity of fittings will remain the same however, energy consumption will be reduced by almost 50% but also offer an increase in lumens (light levels) at ground level. The cost will be £98.00 per fitting therefore total including all parts and labour will be **£1,764.00.**

Please note, all the above figures are subject to VAT at the current rate.

If you have any questions relating to the above, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Rothery
On behalf of Steven Dresser



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Kirkbymoorside Bowling Club - Outdoor Floodlight Refurbishment/Replacement.

Context

Kirkbymoorside Bowling Club is a long established community sports facility. In common with similar clubs, the day-to-day running costs are funded through a mixture of membership fees and money raised through a series of internal and external competitions held during the bowling season. These competitions include floodlit events where the standard day competition extends into the evening, under floodlights. As well as extending the hours of play, these floodlit events add a different and often challenging dynamic and this is one of the reasons why they are popular with competitors and spectators and why they form a core element of the clubs sporting calendar.

The clubs annual income has to cover planned overheads, including maintenance. However, considerable pressure can result from unplanned expenditure and this situation has occurred with the bowling green floodlighting. Installed over twenty years ago the electrical safety and physical integrity of the system has suffered, particularly over the last few years where severe weather has caused breakage of individual lights fixings and caused water ingress to a number of the lights. The club continues to carry out essential works to protect the general public, for example to ensure the floodlights are electrically and physically safe. Unfortunately, the age and general state of dilapidation of the floodlights means that individual floodlights and the old metal halide lamps [bulbs] within them are now increasingly becoming unserviceable. The principle reasons for this are twofold:

1. Works which require accessing the floodlights i.e. repeated *work at height* is financially unsustainable.... Accessing the lights, which are on top of 9.5m lamp-columns requires the use 'working at height' platforms, often described as cherry-pickers. These platforms can only legally be operated by individuals who hold a prescribed operators licence. This means that the club cannot simply hire the equipment itself and instead, each time a floodlight bracket breaks or the lamp fails, a specialist contractor with a working at height platform has to attend. This costs in the region of £600. [Note: Health and safety legislation prohibits the use of ladders to access floodlights on lamp-posts].

2. The existing metal halide discharge lamps in the floodlights are a redundant and costly technology.... The existing compliment of 18 floodlights mounted on 6 lamp-columns consume around 72Kw of electricity, or the equivalent of 36 kettles running simultaneously. At current electricity usage rates the floodlights costs around £27 an hour to run. In comparison, an equivalent compliment of modern asymmetric LED floodlights would consume 2.7Kw, at a cost of around £1 per hour to run.

General Requirements for Floodlights – Supporting Considerations.

Although metal halide lamps can be replaced [at a unit cost of around £40] they have a potentially very limited lifespan if installed within the existing floodlights due to the state of disrepair of the existing lights. This makes 'repair/refurbishment' of the existing lights a potentially costly option in terms of lifetime maintenance and carbon footprint costs. There are a number of considerations that the club, and to some extent the council, which owns the physical building infrastructure, are mindful of:

- a) *Value for money.* – LED floodlights are considerably cheaper to run and offer significant lifetime savings compared to metal halide floodlights.
- b) *Reduced light pollution, including undesirable light loss and glare.* – The club sits 1.3Km from the North York Moors National Park boundary. In December 2020 the National Park was designated an International Dark Sky Reserve. As part of this the Park is seeking to encourage the implementation of lighting infrastructure that supports the national Dark Skies initiative. Whilst focused principally within the park the use of dark skies friendly LED lighting which prevents or significantly reduces glare and escape of light would be a desirable goal for the club, in order to support the initiative.
- c) *Lighting that is fit for purpose.* – The efficiency of metal halide lamps degrades over time. New asymmetric LED 'sports venue' lighting would enable optimal playing conditions, including compliance with the current guidance outlined in BS EN 12193 and CIBSE LG4. Properly installed lighting enhances visibility, player experience, and club usability, ultimately supporting the use of the club, including potential growth and accessibility of bowling.

KIRKBYMOORSIDE BOWLING CLUB

12 MONTH PLAN

THE GREEN

TO HELP MAINTAIN THE AND IMPROVE THE BOWLING GREEN FOR ITS LONG TERM FUTURE USE, WE HAVE, AFTER TAKING EXPERT ADVICE TO DO THE FOLLOWING:-

1. SCARIFY BY EITHER SOLID OR HOLLOW TINE.
2. OVERSEED
3. TOP DRESS

IT IS PROPOSED TO HAVE THE WORK DONE PROFFESIONALLY AT A COST IN THE REGION OF £1800 +VAT.

THE WORK TO BE COMPLETED IN SEPT.2025. AND COST TO BE MET BY CLUB FUNDS

THE FLOODLIGHTS

THE FLOODLIGHTS WERE INSTALLED ALMOST 40 YEARS AGO. RECENT WINTER STORMS HAVE CAUSED SOME STRUCTURAL DAMAGE TO SOME BRACKETS ON THE PYLONS AND THE ONE ON THE CLUB HOUSE ROOF THE ANCHOR STAYS HAVE BECOME DETACHED.

THE CLUB COMMITTEE HAVE AGREED THAT FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY REASON THEY MUST BE REPAIRED AS A MATTER OF SOME URGENCY.

FOLLOWING A SITE MEETING WITH STEVEN DRESSER OF DRESSERS OF THIRSK, WE HAVE AGREED A PRICE OF £450 FOR THEM TO REPAIR ANY BROKEN FITTINGS AND REPLACE ANY DEAD BULBS WITH A NEW LED FITTINGS AT A COST OF £98 EACH.

SUBJECT TO A GRANT APPLICATION WILL BE THE POSSIBLE REPLACEMENT OF ALL EXISTING LIGHT FITTINGS WITH LED'S AT £98 EXCL OF VAT EACH.

BY BRINGING THE FLOODLIGHTS TO A HIGHER STANDARD, IT WILL ENABLE THE CLUB TO PROMOTE THE POSSIBILITY OF AN END OF SEASON FLOODLIGHT LEAGUE AS WELL AS ITS CURRENT FLOODLIT TOURNAMENT.

CCTV

THERE HAVE BEEN A COUPLE OF RECENT INCIDENTS OF UNINVITED GUESTS ON THE PREMISES INVOLVING THEFT AND WALKING ON THE CLUBHOUSE ROOF WHERE SOLAR PANELS ARE FITTED. BOTH INCIDENTS WERE REPORTED TO THE POLICE.

A PRICE OF £1.100 WAS QUOTED BY DRESSERS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF 3 INFRA RED VANDAL PROOF CAMERA SECURITY SYSTEM ALONG WITH A 22" SCREEN.

INSTALLATION OF CCTV WILL HELP IN MAKING OUR PREMISES MORE SECURE FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY.