**Middlesex Tennis High Performance Player Grant Scheme 2019**

On January 14th 2019 Middlesex Tennis opens applications for its High Performance Player Grant Scheme which is aimed towards junior players who continue to demonstrate commitment in representing the County within Junior and Senior Team Competition and who follow a national/international competition Programme.

**Please note applications will close on February 14th 2019, after which date NO further applications will be considered.**

**IMPORTANT: Special considerations for 2019 Application**

* If you do not intend to make yourself available for team selection for County Cups, please do NOT apply for a grant.
* Applications which are not signed by the players lead coach will not be considered – please ensure your coach is aware of your application and signs the hard copy of the form.

**Application Process**

Players can apply for a grant of up to £1000 (maximum award) pa and will be required to complete the application form below.

This application form will be discussed by a Middlesex Tennis High Performance Player Grant funding sub-committee (John Love, Andrew Lewandowski, Louise Hutchinson plus relevant county cup captain). A decision of awarding grant funding will be based on the following:

1. Players must be competing second year 12&U and older (up to 18&U)

2. Players must have held a **top 100** national ranking at 1st January 2019

3. Players must demonstrate, commitment, quality and attention to a high quality Programme including tennis and fitness. (hours and balance)

4. Players must demonstrate a track record of supporting the county in team events previously and demonstrable commitment to do so in the future.

**On completion of this application form, please send to:**

**Andrew Lewandowski – (on behalf of Middlesex Management Committee)**

**andrew.lewandowski@middlesextennis.org.uk**

**Application for funding support**

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| Name: | Date of Birth: | Address: |
| Age-group National ranking as of 1st January 2018:Age-group:Ranking: | TE or ITF ranking as of January 2018:TE:ITF: | Current club (main training centre):Individual coach: |

Your proposed weekly programme for January 2018 onwards. In each box please specify times and duration.

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| Day | Individual lesson | Squads | Self-organised | S & C Squad | S & C Individual | Other/other sport | Daily cost |
| Monday |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tuesday |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wed |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thurs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Friday |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saturday |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sunday |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Totals |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total weekly spend: |

**Projected annual cost of training programme**

To arrive at this figure, please take total weekly spend above, multiply by 36 weeks (average 'term-time training'). Then add a further 10% of that figure to account for holiday time training.

So for example: Total weekly spend of £180 x 36 weeks = £6480.00 + £648 = £7128.00

**Projected other costs**

Travel – both domestic and international:

Entry fees:

Equipment and stringing:

Total projected annual cost:

**For the player to complete:**

(please use attached extra sheet as required)

What are your key objectives for the coming year – what will you be 'celebrating' in September 2018? (outcome objectives such as ranking goals, key tournament results, selection for Middlesex Tennis/GB teams etc)

What key areas of 'you' and 'your game' do you need to develop over the coming year to meet the above objectives?

How do you see yourself contributing to Middlesex Tennis Team in the coming year?

Please give details of your playing 'highlights' (club, county, nation) over the past three years:

(Include all representation in County Team events/county training etc.)

Signed/dated player: Parent/guardian: Coach: