



The Dan Maskell Tennis Trust

**Grant Application Form
plus criteria/guidance notes**
UPDATED 2016



CRITERIA/GUIDANCE NOTES FOR APPLICATIONS TO THE DAN MASKELL TENNIS TRUST

If you are applying for a wheelchair:

Individual applications:

If you are playing wheelchair tennis you may apply for your own sports wheelchair. There are two types of chair currently available – one is the Matchpoint Quickie Aluminium* tennis specific wheelchair which is suitable for the more-experienced player who is playing competitively. For this each applicant is required to raise a deposit of £800 and the Trust will offer a grant of £1,465 (£2,265 in total). The second chair is an Invacare Pro2 Sport Wheelchair* suitable for those beginning to play and those who play more recreational and social tennis. For this each applicant is required to raise a deposit of £400 with the Trust offering a grant of £544 (£944 in total). In both cases the chairs are to a set specification* and any additional features or changes to this specification required will be at the applicant's cost. Each applicant will also be required to pay the cost of delivery unless collected from our supplier – EPC (Equipment for the Physically Challenged). (*subject to change).

Group, club or project applications: You may apply for one or more tennis wheelchairs designed for general use at grass roots level. A deposit of £250 per chair is required and the Dan Maskell Tennis Trust will offer a grant for the remaining cost. There will also be a delivery charge to be met by the applicant.

If you are applying for an equipment package:

This package will be ordered and paid for by The Dan Maskell Tennis Trust and delivered direct to a specified address. Package will include, rackets, balls, mini net, and coaching aids such as cones and throw down marker lines. This equipment is suitable for groups, clubs and disability programmes.

If you are applying for a grant:

Individual applications: examples of items that will be considered include tennis rackets, coaching lessons with an LTA Licensed coach; course fees for official LTA Development/Coaching courses.

Group, club or project applications: If you are starting a disability group, a club programme or a project or need help for an existing project or programme. Examples of items that will be considered under this scheme are help towards court hire, (e.g. for indoor provision) coaching fees, equipment (if not applying for an equipment package as above). All programmes and projects should aim towards self-financing and sustainability. Whether individual or group - items considered as luxury items such as electrical equipment e.g. videos, clothing or individual transport costs will not be considered. Please give as much information as possible and specify what costs are associated with each item, e.g. if you are applying for help with indoor court fees, please specify how many sessions and the cost per hour per court. Likewise if you are applying for coaching fees, please specify how many hours and at what cost.

Before applying for assistance, you are advised to consult The Tennis Foundation and/or your local County Tennis Association.

General

Maximum grant per application is £1,500 for a group, club or project and £500 for an individual. In all cases, the Dan Maskell Tennis Trust will consider each application on merit. If alternative funding opportunities exist, The Trust will either suggest these or explore them on your behalf. Please give as much information as possible about your tennis activities. If you are successful in your application for a wheelchair or tennis equipment bag, you will be expected to keep this in good condition. Guidance on maintenance of wheelchairs will be provided.

Eligibility

All applicants must be UK citizens and resident in the UK.

Applications will be considered by the Trustees of The Dan Maskell Tennis Trust which meets 3/4 times a year. Applications should be received by the closing date specified.

Dates in 2014 are:

6th June (closing date for applications 9th May)
27th September (closing date for applications 30th August)
6th December (closing date for applications 8th November)

Contact details:

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THE DAN MASKELL TENNIS TRUST APPLICATION FORM

FROM 2016

Please read the notes accompanying this form before beginning your application

Name of Applicant: (please print) _____

Contact Name: (please print) _____

Address for Correspondence: (please print) _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Tel No (incl STD): Mobile: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Age if under 25: _____ Age (Optional): _____

SECTION A - Individual Application *If group application then please go to section B overleaf:

Are you applying for: (please tick one box)

1) A tennis wheelchair

2) An equipment package

3) A grant

Please state disability: _____

Please state case for support including how much you currently play; where do you play; do you have coaching and if so who is your coach; do you play tournaments; have you or do you intend to attend any wheelchair tennis camps (Give as much information as possible).

If applying for a grant please state what you are applying for i.e. court hire, coaching fees - please list each item separately:

e.g. Coaching session - 10 x 1 hr weekly sessions @ £20 per hour Cost £200

1: _____ Cost: _____

2: _____ Cost: _____

3: _____ Cost: _____

Do you have other sources of funding? YES NO (please tick)

If yes, please give details i.e. own contribution, other grant aid and the amounts - please list separately:

e.g. personal contribution

1: _____ Amount: _____

2: _____ Amount: _____

3: _____ Amount: _____

Please specify which type of chair you wish to apply for by ticking one of the boxes:

Matchpoint Quickie

Invacare Pro2 Sport

If applying for a wheelchair, do you have either £800 or £400 as the required deposit, depending on wheelchair selected YES NO (please delete as applicable)

If no, please indicate when you expect this to be in place

SECTION B - Group/Project Application

Are you applying for: (please tick one box)

1) Tennis wheelchair(s)

Please state number

2) An equipment package

3) A grant

Please state disability: _____

Please state case for support: _____

Please briefly explain the history of your scheme/project or if you wish to initiate a new scheme or project, please give details of what this will consist of:

How many players will be involved in the scheme or project? _____

How often does the group meet? _____

Do players pay a membership fee? YES NO (please tick). If so, please state the amount £ _____

Do players contribute to coaching/court hire, if so how much? £ _____

Have you discussed your project/application with The Tennis Foundation YES NO

If applying for a grant please state what you are applying for i.e. court hire, coaching fees - please list each item separately stating full costs of each item

e.g. Court hire - 10 x 2 hr weekly session on 2 courts @ £10 per hour per court Cost £400

1: _____ Cost: _____

2: _____ Cost: _____

3: _____ Cost: _____

4: _____ Cost: _____

Do you have other sources of funding? YES NO (please tick)

If yes, please give details i.e. own contribution, other grant aid and the amounts - please list separately:

e.g. Club funds, personal contribution

1: _____ Amount: _____

2: _____ Amount: _____

3: _____ Amount: _____

If applying for a wheelchair, do you have £250 as the required deposit (per chair) YES NO (please tick)

If no, please indicate when you expect this to be in place.

I understand a charge for delivery will be made.

TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Please return completed application form to:

The Dan Maskell Tennis Trust

c/o Sport Wins

PO Box 238

Tadworth

KT20 5WT

SUBMIT

Your details will be passed to The Tennis Foundation in order for you to receive information about Disability Tennis relevant to you. Please tick the box if you prefer not to be contacted.