



New Adult Club Development Grant



Phase I - \$750

1. Initial conference call with all interested parties in city/club, USGAA Games Development Officer (GDO) to discuss New Adult club Development Grant
2. Establish Committee comprising of a minimum of Chairperson, Treasurer, Secretary, Registrar, and PRO*
3. Conference call with all members of the Board/Committee, USGAA Games Development Committee, GDO, and Divisional Chair & Secretary
4. Establish Board/Committee Bank Account*
5. Identify a suitable coach who can attend a USGAA approved Foundation Level coaching course (<https://learning.gaa.ie/Foundation>)*
6. Establish Facebook page which is updated regularly with club activity
7. Establish club logo*
8. New entity should use USGAA Logo and acknowledge support of the USGAA in promotional materials
9. Affiliate with USGAA (<http://usgaa.org/registration/>) registering a minimum of 9 players

Note: Hurling and Camogie clubs who have completed Phase I are eligible to participate in the USGAA Hurling grant program whereby clubs receive a grant up to \$550 for purchasing hurling equipment (Helmets and Hurls only).

Phase II - \$750

1. Attend or host a Referee course, appoint a locally-based referee submitting their information to USGAA Referees Administrator (refereesadministrator.usa@gaa.ie)
2. Host a minimum of two USGAA sanctioned games in your city*
3. Establish a 3-year strategic plan for the Club (strategic plan should include five goals and include the position responsible for achieving each goal and the timeline for completing each goal) *

Phase III - \$500

1. Establish a non-profit corporation and secure 501(c)3 status (USGAA provides an umbrella option – should you chose to avail of it, we will provide information to you)*
2. Engage in inter-city or competitive (Divisional championship, tournaments, etc) games
3. Establish a club website

Note: Upon completion of this phase USGAA Games Development will send Games Development personnel to your club to provide on-field expertise and off-field advice

Phase IV - \$500

1. Have 3 years of continuous USGAA Registration
2. Registered playing membership of 20 players
3. Establish an annual schedule of games, meetings, etc.*
4. Attend the USGAA Annual General Meeting

Additional Resources: Learning and Development Portal containing coaching and other resources: <https://learning.gaa.ie/>

* evidence should be submitted to USGAA Games Development Officer gdo.usa@gaa.ie

**Funding is contingent on the use of official USGAA email address
USGAA reserves the right to amend the above requirements**