

**KELSO COMMON GOOD FUND
APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

<u>Applicant Details</u> Name and Address of Applicant/Organisation: Telephone No:	Ex-Kelso Laddies Club, Phil Hume, Secretary, Ex-Kelso Laddies Club,
Address to which payment should be made:	
<u>Activities</u> Please supply a brief description of the activities of your organisation and the benefits it brings to the local community:	The Ex-Laddies Club exists to support the Kelso Laddie and Kelso Civic Week and to contribute to the culture and heritage of Kelso and the surrounding area. Events are held to raise funds which are distributed to a wide range of local community groups. Members offer their expertise and manpower to various local organisations within the town.
<u>Assistance Requested</u> Please indicate the sum requested and the purpose for which it will be used:	£2,000 – To mark the 150 th anniversary of the birth at Holefield of Border Poet Will H Ogilvie by landscaping a small area of ground overlooking Holefield farmhouse and erecting a memorial stone and information boards enclosed by a feature wall.
When will the donation be required:	As soon as possible.
If this is a one-off project then please give the following details – Date (s): Estimated total cost: Funds already raised by applicant's own efforts: Funds raised or expected to be raised from other sources (please state sources):	Unveiling of stone on 20 th July 2019 during Kelso Civic Week – Anniversary of the Poet's birth occurs on 21 st August 2019. £12,650 £1,000 Charity Begins at Home - £2,000 – Agreed Fallago Environment Fund - £5,000 – Application submitted

<p><u>Other information</u></p> <p>If you have other information which you feel is relevant to this application please provide details including details of any previous assistance given:</p>	<p>Ogilvie's poems celebrate the Border countryside and the memorial at Holefield will celebrate his birth in the Kelso area. The establishment of the stone will encourage others to visit the site and help promote the poet's work in local schools. By making his work more accessible we hope to contribute significantly to the cultural heritage of the Borders. Kelso Civic Week will celebrate the poet annually by visiting the stone during the Yetholm Ride in July.</p>
<p><u>Equal Opportunities</u></p> <p>State how you take account of equal opportunities legislation by including all sections of the community (include child protection, vulnerable adult legislation if relevant, disability, promotion of equality of access to services irrespective of race, gender, age sexual orientation, religious or political beliefs).</p>	<p>The Ex-Laddies Club plays a vital role during the town's annual Civic Week celebrations in July and throughout the year. The club's role within Civic Week ensures the promotion of equality of opportunities in all its activities ensuring that no-one connected with the club receives less favourable treatment than others.</p>
<p><u>Declaration</u></p> <p>I hereby make application for assistance as set out above and certify that the information I have provided is accurate</p> <p>Signed: Phil Hume</p> <p>Position Held: Secretary, Ex-Kelso Laddies Club</p> <p>Date: 4th September 2018</p>	
<p>Note: All applications from organisations MUST be accompanied by a copy of the latest audited accounts</p>	
<p>This completed form, accounts and any supporting details should be submitted to Fiona Henderson Democratic Services Officer, Scottish Borders Council, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells, TD6 0SA. Telephone 01835 826502 or e-mail: fhenderson@scotborders.gov.uk</p>	

EX-LADDIES FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2017

CHECKED AND SIGNED BY Louise Whittle - 05 February 2018

Signed -

OPENING BALANCE AT 04 FEBRUARY 2017				2,781.10
OUTGOINGS		INCOME		RUNNING TOTAL
Printing, postage etc	£20.00			£2,761.10
		Subscriptions	£860.00	£3,621.10
Cartridges, envelopes etc	£25.18			£3,595.92
Stamps	£28.80			£3,567.12
Card for T.Laing	£2.00			£3,565.12
Wine for G.Meikle (tables for dinner)	£5.85			£3,559.27
Kelso RBL - unpaid dinners, comedian	£223.30			£3,335.97
		Interest	£1.91	£3,337.88
Kelso Border Games	£30.00			£3,307.88
Golf Club Spirits Donation - Civic Week	£16.00			£3,291.88
60th year laddie walking stick	£50.00			£3,241.88
		Subscriptions	£60.00	£3,301.88
K.L Assoc - Declaration Night Wine	£40.00			£3,261.88
Purchase of saddle cloths	£239.88			£3,022.00
Sponsor match ball KRFC v JRFC	£40.00			£2,982.00
Postage	£7.80			£2,974.20
Stamps, stationary, copying etc	£7.74			£2,966.46
CLOSING BALANCE	13.01.18			£2,966.46

Type of account we have had for years no longer available at RBoFS but we were not notified. They changed authorised signatories but didn't advise us of account change. Long process to get changed to current account. This new account does not attract interest. Similar accounts at other banks do not seem to attract interest either so no major benefit to changing.

We could look at other banking options but weigh up any potential benefits against hassle of changing.

Despite repeated attempts to get regular statements throughout 2017 we received one in January to cover period 05/09/2017 to 03/01/2018

