

Fencing Ireland Member Support Grants

Policy Overview

Introduction

Fencing Ireland gets multiple requests annually for financial help for various purposes (e.g. an individual looking to attend a training course). We have at times over the years given support in response to some requests. It is a positive thing to be able to support our members, but transparency and equality of access are key considerations.

To better support projects/requests for our members and to do so transparently, applications for support will now be open in a more structured and transparent manner. They will be open to all full members of Fencing Ireland and funds awarded will be announced publicly.

This project has been signed off by the board of Fencing Ireland in December 2025.

Grants

Fencing Ireland to designate a certain amount of money to this project each year, initially €2,000 in 2025/26. Funding available to be split in two and two separate application windows to be offered each season, ideally once each in January and August.

Fencing Ireland will run application processes which are publicised, open to all affiliated members, and with clear guidelines for awards.

Applications

Applications will be accepted via an online form.

Terms & Conditions

A separate Terms and Conditions document, which the applicants must agree with in their application, will be available on the Fencing Ireland website and linked in the application form.