

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

18 OCTOBER 2010

S.137 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 - APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

1. The Town Council has received a letter from the Cape Cornwall Pilot Gig Club regarding a request for financial assistance towards the cost of purchasing a new training boat and all the relevant safety equipment for which the club is currently fundraising.
2. The new boat will be used for training purposes and for teaching and coaching local children within the community. The club wishes to encourage more young people into the sport and are working with Cape Cornwall School on the indoor rowing machines with a view to entering the county indoor rowing championships.
3. A new plastic training boat will enable the club to train all year round as the club is currently losing members to other clubs as they do not have this facility. A new plastic boat will enable the club to be based in Newlyn during the winter months and hopefully expand interest in the club as it will be able to offer year round training.
4. The Town Council has awarded the following grants:-
 - April 2003 £100
 - April 2001 £25
5. The club has provided a copy of its most recent audited accounts and accompanying bank statements.
6. The Council's instructions are sought.

Elaine Baker
Town Clerk

Background papers: Letter from Cape Cornwall Pilot Gig Club dated 28 September 2010.