Proposed User Groups

Hanwood Trust consulted widely during completion of their stage one Building Sport application; and the business case consultants held further workshops with the community and user groups to confirm their intention to use the facilities.

The groups located in the Castlereagh Borough Council area include:

- Tullycarnet Young Women's Group
- Down GAA clubs
- Ladies Football Group
- Tullycarnet Young Men's Group
- Tullycarnet Primary School
- Dungoyne FC
- Dundonald High School
- TAGIT
- Brooklands Primary School
- Tullycarnet Football Team
- Community Sports Development Project
- SE Sports Development Committee

The groups listed below were also involved in the consultation process, but are located in Belfast City Council area:

- Brantwood FC, North Belfast Irish league Division Two team (contact Robert Irwin)
- Donegal Celtic FC Senior Irish Premier League club, reserve team and U10-U18 male and female teams (contact Pat McCallister)
- LORAG cross community football competitions between Lower Ormeau and Tullycarnet. Applicant has set up visits from Lower Ormeau to Tullycarnet which would not have happened without the sports related interests of both communities
- Boyland FC, East Belfast U10-U16 teams (contact Francis Gallagher)
- Knocknagony youth groups under Knocknagony and Garnerville Community Association (contact John Hoey)
- Sirocco Works FC have three teams and a youth team. Players come from all over Belfast, including Inner East, Carrickhill, Shankill Road, Ardoyne (contact William Walker)
- Harland and Wolff Welders FC Irish League First Division based in East Belfast (contact Fred Magee)
- East Belfast FC Amateur League, and have three teams (contacts Gary Hillis and Raymond Morrison)
- Dundela FC Irish League First Division (contact Mark Snodden)
- Glentoran FC Irish League Premier Division, youth, women's and senior teams
- IFA development teams select group of players aged 12 to 15 years from areas of Belfast and Down (contact Nigel Best)

- IFA Disability squads teams and individuals from all over Belfast and NI, taking part in training sessions, and competitions (contact Mal Donaghy)
- IFA Women's team use of facilities for training squad of female players from all over NI (contact Alfie Wylie)
- GAA Down County Board running taster programmes in Tullycarnet as part of their development academies. Coach/player development programmes will be run from the Hanwood Centre. (contact Sean Og McAteer)
- Newbridge FC based in East Belfast and comprising of teams from U10-U16 (contact Raymond Lavery)
- Ardcarn estate borders the boundary of the Hanwood facility and residents will have access at several points across the Green Way
- As the Green Way runs from Comber through to Holywood Arches, this is an easily accessible route to travel to Hanwood and use the facilities, particularly on an individual usage basis