



<b>Subject:</b>	Request for temporary use of Ballysillan Bowling Pavilion by Ballysillan Swifts FC
<b>Date:</b>	6 February 2018
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<b>Restricted Reports</b>	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, when will the report become unrestricted?	
After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Call-in</b>	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report or Summary of main Issues</b>
1.1	This paper seeks approval to grant temporary access to Ballysillan Bowling Pavilion for use by Ballysillan Swifts Football Club to deliver a programme of engagement with younger people in the area. They are a locally based team which serves the community around Ballysillan Playing Fields and they wish to avail of the facility for the purposes of delivering the programme. There will be no proposed charge for the use of the pavilion or the utilities.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Recommendations</b>
2.1	It is recommended that Committee approves the request from Ballysillan Swifts to have temporary free use of Ballysillan Bowling Pavilion, to provide a programme of events for younger people, which will help build capacity in relation to sporting activities and help tackle

	the issue of Anti-Social Behaviour in the area.
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main report</b>
	<u>Key Issues</u>
3.1	The Council has been approached by Ballysillan Swifts FC, to grant them permission for temporary use of Ballysillan Bowling Pavilion to deliver a programme of events for younger people. This is subject to the proposed programme being agreed and approved by the Sports Development Unit which will be aimed at Building Capacity, ASB intervention with the benefit of being based in the local community. Currently the bowling pavilion is not being used either by the community or any other group or stakeholder but had previously been used by the Education Authority to deliver a programme on ASB intervention. The facilities include toilets, meeting room and fully functional kitchen.
3.2	Access to the pavilion will be required for evenings and weekends on a temporary basis and a key holding agreement will be drawn up between the club and the Council subject to the proposal being agreed and the club being able to meet the requirements of the agreement.
3.3	Members will be aware of the Urban Villages project at Ballysillan Playing Fields which is due to go out to consultation in the near future with proposed plans that would encompass the bowling green area. In the interim the facility is unused.
	<u>Financial &amp; Resource Implications</u>
3.4	There are no staff costs as key holding is part of the proposal and the programme is to be delivered directly by Ballysillan Swifts. There is no proposed charge for use of the facility and the minimal utility costs will be covered through existing site revenue budgets.
	<u>Equality or Good Relations Implications</u>
3.5	It is anticipated that the programme will be delivered to all members of the local community.
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Appendices – Documents Attached</b>
	None.