## Herts West Badminton Development Group Meeting Documents for 13 October 2021

1 Ryan Watson's Report on Badminton from their Leisure Providers' Perspective, 13 October 2021

I have spoken to Billy in the interim and an update below on Badminton from our leisure provider's perspective is below.

Casual use varies at both sites and day to day, throughout the week. We have various groups and block bookers that use us for badminton at both sites, as well the Active Life sessions which seem to becoming more popular. We don't have any formal clubs/leagues that use at either site currently. Demand for courts has been increasing although still some way off the demand pre-pandemic. We would require funding to support any delivery at either site.

I know Billy has been in conversation with Phil Adams and Frances has offered her support in delivering any potential future programmes. I do not have any proposals for funding to bring to this meeting but will speak with Billy further about potential programmes and bring any requests for grant funding to a future meeting. I'm still not 100% sure on the level of demand for Badminton and would like to do some further research or identify a specific group to work with before applying for funds to ensure they are used appropriately and have sustainability.

**Kind Regards** 

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## 2 Development Applications

- 1 Everyone Active GCSE Crash Courses, St Albans, £360: approved 13Oct21
- 2 Everyone Active and South Hill Church, Dacorum, £414: approved 13Oct21