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AQW 41522/11-15**

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**ANSWER**

I have arranged for details of Exchequer and Lottery funding awarded by Sport NI to boxing clubs directly and also indirectly through the Irish Amateur Boxing Association from April 2011 to date, to be placed in the Assembly Library. This information includes the names of the individual clubs and the amounts awarded.

To sustain and increase participation, and improve performances in sport, Sport NI, an arms length body of my Department, invests in a range of projects throughout the north of Ireland. Sport NI is a Lottery award distributor and also provides exchequer funding to a number of Sport NI recognised Governing

Bodies of Sport, sports groups and clubs seeking funding in the north, including boxing.

Boxing clubs have benefited from a number of funding streams from both my Department and Sport NI from April 2011 to date. These include:

1. DCAL funded – Sport Matters Community Capital Programme, Equipment Pre Games Training Camps and City of Culture Legacy.
2. Sport NI funded – Boxing Investment Programme, Active Clubs Programme and Awards for Sport Programme.

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In response Minister Carál Ní Chuilín MLA advised that “I have arranged for details of Exchequer and Lottery funding awarded by Sport NI to boxing clubs directly and also indirectly through the Irish Amateur Boxing Association from April 2011 to date, to be placed in the Assembly Library. This information includes the names of the individual clubs and the amounts awarded.”

Details attached –

**Annex A** – Miscellaneous Programmes for the period April 2011 to date

**Annex B** – Boxing Investment Programme - Value of Equipment provided to boxing clubs during 2013/14.

**Annex C** - Boxing Investment Programme – Capital Works - Costs paid to Design Teams for development of boxing club designs during 2014/15.

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## Miscellaneous Programmes for the period April 2011 to date

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Organization Name</b>	<b>Programme</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Grant Amount</b>	<b>Type</b>
2011	Canal Amateur Boxing Academy	Awards For Sport	Canal Boxing Academy Fitness for Women Classes - applying for equipment and coaching	2299.00	Revenue
2011	Derrylin Boxing Club	Awards For Sport	Boxing in the Community Programme - applying for coaching costs and ancillary expenditure.	6000.00	Revenue
2011	Oak Leaf Amateur Boxing Club	Sport Matters: Capital and Equipment Programme	Equipment - Fitness suite, (Reclaim of Saver Naver Equipment)	0.00	Capital
2011	St Brigids Cross Community Boxing Club	Awards For Sport	St. Brigids Boxercise - equipment, coaching and travel	2024.00	Revenue
2011	Saints Amateur Boxing Club	Awards For Sport	'Saints in a Spin' - equipment	4980.00	Revenue
2011	St John Bosco Amateur Boxing Club, Belfast	Awards For Sport	St John Bosco - Bosco Boxercise Equipment and Coaching Costs required	3800.00	Revenue
2012	Banbridge Amateur Boxing Club	Pre-Games Training Camps	Equipment to host the Boxing Pre Games Training Camp	10000.00	Revenue
2012	Glengormley Amateur Boxing Club	Pre-Games Training Camps	Equipment to host PGTC	10000.00	Revenue
2012	Holy Trinity Amateur Boxing Club	Pre-Games Training Camps	Equipment - PGTC	10000.00	Revenue

2012	Irish Amateur Boxing Association	Boxing Investment Programme	Tranche 1: Equipment Allocation - 13/14 - <b>see attached list of clubs who received equipment at Annex B</b>	169935.97	Revenue
2012	Monkstown Amateur Boxing Club	Pre-Games Training Camps	Equipment to deliver boxing PGTC	10000.00	Revenue
2013	Banbridge Amateur Boxing Club	Sport Matters: Community Capital Programme	New build boxing facility	294000.00	Capital
2013	Eglinton Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	11064.00	Capital
2013	Oak Leaf Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	20269.20	Capital
2013	Ring Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	16704.00	Capital
2013	Rochester's Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	10831.20	Capital
2013	Springtown Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	17304.00	Capital
2013	St Joseph's Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	21241.20	Capital
2013	St Mary's Amateur Boxing Club	City of Culture Legacy	Equipment	9408.00	Capital
2014	Glengormley Amateur Boxing Club	Awards For Sport	Older men boxing and assistance programme	5240.00	Revenue
2014	Monkstown Amateur Boxing Club	Boxing Investment Programme	BIP - Stage 2	24750.60	Capital
2014	Star ABC	Awards For Sport	Community Boxing Programme	6659.00	Revenue

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## Boxing Investment Programme

## Value of Equipment provided to boxing clubs during 2013/14.

<b>Club</b>	<b>Total Equipment Cost Equivalent per club (£'s)</b>
Abbey ABC	1,835.34
Albert Foundry ABC	1,413.77
All Saints ABC	2,046.12
Antrim ABC	2,256.91
Ardoyne Holy Cross ABC	2,256.91
Ards ABC	2,256.91
Ballykelly ABC	1,348.97
Ballysillan ABC	1,964.94
Belfast ABC Kronk	1,818.97
Belleck ABC	1,348.97
Bishop Kelly ABC	1,624.57
Braid ABC	1,835.34
Cairn Lodge ABC	2,046.12
Camlough ABC	1,478.57
Canal ABC	1,624.57
Carrickfergus ABC	1,754.17
Carrickmore ABC	1,624.57
Carryduff ABC	1,835.34
Castle ABC	1,513
Churchlands	1,624.57
City of Belfast	1,741.81
Clonard ABC	2,256.91
Clonoe ABC	2,256.91
Coleraine ABC	1,624.57
Cookstown ABC	1,835.34
Corpus Christi	1,689.37
Craigavon ABC	1,932.91
Derrylin ABC	1,754.17
Dockers ABC	1,413.77
Downpatrick ABC	1,624.57
Dungannon ABC	1,624.57
East Down ABC	2,046.12
Eastside ABC	2,256.91
Ederney ABC	1,624.57
Eglinton ABC	2,046.12
Emerald ABC	1,835.34
Ennisikillen ABC	1,835.34
Errigal ABC	1,754.17
Gilford ABC	1,835.34
Gleann ABC	1,964.94

Hillview ABC	1,964.94
<b>Club</b>	<b>Total Equipment Cost Equivalent per club (£'s)</b>
Holy Family Belfast	1,835.34
Immaculata ABC	2,256.91
Immaculata ABC (Strabane)	1,900.14
John McCoy Warrenpoint ABC	1,624.57
Kilmegan ABC	1,494.97
Larne ABC	1,835.34
Ligoneil ABC	2,256.91
Lisburn ABC	1,624.57
Lisnafin ABC	1,624.57
Mark Heagney Kildress ABC	1,689.37
Midland ABC	1,835.34
Moneyglass ABC	2,046.12
Moneymore ABC/Spring Hill	1,478.57
Moote ABC (Donaghadee)	1,835.34
Morne Golden Gloves	1,624.57
Mourne All Blacks ABC	1,624.57
Newington ABC	1,835.34
North Down ABC	2,046.12
Oak Leaf ABC	2,256.91
Oliver Plunkett ABC	1,478.57
Omagh Boys & Girls	2,046.12
Phoenix ABC	1,900.14
Red Triangle ABC	1,672.97
Ring ABC	1,624.57
Rochesters ABC	1,513
Sacred Heart ABC	1,754.17
Sacred Heart Omagh ABC	1,478.57
Saints ABC	1,835.34
Scorpion ABC	1,835.34
Sean Doran Keady ABC	1,689.37
Silverbridge ABC	1,835.34
Spartons ABC	1,835.34
Springtown ABC	1,624.57
St Agnes ABC	2,256.91
St Brigids ABC	1,689.37
St Bronaghs ABC	1,818.97
St Canices ABC	1,624.57
St Georges ABC	1,689.37
St Jarlaths ABC (New)	1,543.37
St John Bosco ABC (Belfast)	2,256.91

St John Bosco ABC (Newry)	1,818.97
<b>Club</b>	<b>Total Equipment Cost Equivalent per club (£'s)</b>
St Johns ABC (Maghera)	1,835.34
St Joseph ABC	2,046.12
St Malachys ABC	1,413.77
St Marys ABC	1,835.34
St Patricks ABC	1,624.57
St Pauls ABC	1,835.34
Star ABC	1,689.37
The Loup ABC	1,413.77
The Skerries	1,835.34
Toome ABC	1,689.37
Townland ABC	1,964.94
Two Castles ABC	1,478.57

Note – Funding awarded to Irish Amateur Boxing Association for equipment for boxing clubs.



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## Boxing Investment Programme - Capital Works

Costs paid to Design Teams for development of boxing club designs during  
2014/15.

**BOXING INVESTMENT PROGRAMME – CAPITAL WORKS**

<b>Region 1</b>	
<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
Immaculata ABC	4,596
Clonard ABC	22,578
Holy Trinity ABC	2,136
Oliver Plunkett ABC	2,838
Cairn Lodge ABC	2,316
St Agnes ABC	1,716
St Pauls ABC	3,276
Corpus Christi ABC	5,472
Saints ABC	3,426
Lisburn ABC	954
<b>Region 2</b>	
<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
City of Belfast ABC	5,280
Albert Foundry ABC	7,800
Star ABC	1,800
Eastside ABC	2,880
Midland ABC	2,640
Belfast Kronk ABC	3,120
Ligoneil ABC	2,160
Glengormley ABC	1,560
Dockers ABC	1,440
Newington ABC	2,160
<b>Region 3</b>	
<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
Loup ABC	4,320
Rochesters ABC	3,840
St Canice's ABC	2,880
Errigal ABC	4,320
<b>Region 4</b>	
<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
Pheonix ABC	18,480
Mourne Golden Gloves ABC	6,420
Sean Doran ABC	3,390

Dungannon ABC	1,920
<b>Region 5</b>	
<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
Braid	48
Coleraine ABC	3,576
Spartans ABC	816
Moneyglass ABC	4,200
Skerries ABC	2,460
Castle ABC	2,280
Hillview ABC	3,120
Antrim ABC	2,856

### **Collaborative Projects with other Partners**

<b>Club</b>	<b>Design Team Cost (£'s)</b>
Ardoyne Holy Cross ABC (with Belfast City Council) and St John Bosco Belfast (with DSD Belfast Regeneration Office)	22,165.00
Springtown ABC (with St Canice's Education Trust) and St Joseph's ABC (with DSD Derry)	29,505.00

Note – Funding awarded to Irish Amateur Boxing Association to appoint design teams and administer associated costs.