

**COMHAIRLE CONTAE FHINE GALL
FINGAL COUNTY COUNCIL**

**BALBRIGGAN/RUSH-LUSK/SWORDS AREA COMMITTEE MEETING
[SERVICES A – OPERATIONAL MATTERS]**

THURSDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2026

MOTION NO. 40

**DEVELOPMENT OF CROQUET CLUB - NEWBRIDGE HOUSE -
AI109859**

Motion: Councillor D. Butler

“That the Chief Executive considers a submission from the Newbridge House Croquet Club requesting the development of two new croquet lawns at Newbridge House and if this is something that the Council could consider as a joint application with the club when the next Government Sports Capital Grants open up later this year.”

Report:

A further meeting will be arranged with Newbridge Croquet Club to gather additional information on requirements. As discussed at the previous initial site meeting, the existing site at Newbridge Demesne has limitations for expansion due to the historic footprint of the site and the heritage obligations to comply with the Conservation Management Plan for Newbridge Demesne. The request will be discussed further with the Planning and Strategic Infrastructure team to see if space can be found within another nearby site and an update will be issued as soon as possible. It would be premature to apply to any funding at this stage until the requirements of the club are fully understood and a suitable location agreed.

Source of Report: Aileen O'Connor Senior Executive Parks and Landscape Officer, Operations Department.