



MOYVANE COMMUNITY SPORTS HALL PROJECT



What was the idea

In 1983, the Sports Hall was erected and made available for sporting activities. The committee of Moyvane Community Sports Hall comprises of 11 voluntary members, from the local community. The group work hard to maintain and improve the centre so access is available for all users. They strive to provide the best facility for the youth of the village, sports enthusiasts and elderly social groups. In order to increase comfort and efficiency within the hall the group proposed the installation of an infrared heating system in the sports hall.



Challenges

The hall was often too cold for use during winter months. The upgrades would ensure users have comfort and warmth within the sports hall and may use the kitchen for socialising. This project would propel the hall back into modern times.



How has this funding made a difference?

As a result of the works carried out with the funding provided by the EirGrid Community Sponsorship Fund the patrons of Moyvane Community Sports Hall can now enjoy the hall as a sporting venue with a hugely effective heating system, both in the main hall and ancillary areas such as the kitchen, meeting room, showers areas, disability toilets and changing rooms.

'Typically, this venue was often too cold for both young and old to operate throughout the winter months. The younger children from local schools can now play during PE time for longer periods and older members of the community can host meetings and events in comfort'



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Amount Awarded
€35,000 commitment

Brian Kiely - Secretary



'Both the committee and the community as a whole were delighted to see the front of the building revamped with the new windows and doors and we are especially happy with the heating system which has completely modernised the facility'



Key Users

Moyvane Senior Badminton Club
Moyvane Junior Badminton Club
GAA Clubs
Festival Committee
Active Senior Group
The Primary Schools of Moyvane, Knockanure, and Lenamore.

Linked to Sustainable Development Goals



Project Financing
EIRGRID Community Sponsorship Fund