



## Kick starting social value partnership

Hartpury University and Hartpury College are among the UK's leading specialist education providers in agriculture, animal, equine, sport and veterinary nursing.

Hartpury creates an inclusive and accessible environment that promotes respect for our students, staff, and the wider community. Inclusivity underpins our organisation; we respect and celebrate equality and diversity. We seek to create a community in which all of our staff, students and partners thrive and feel proud to belong.

# DREAM NURTURE ACHIEVE

Award-winning law firm, Harrison Clark Rickerbys (HCR) has partnered with Hartpury University and Hartpury College to support the next generation of sport and farming talent.

The partnership will benefit the Agri-Tech Centre for smart farming, the agriculture rugby team, and the Gloucester-Hartpury Women's RFC team.



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**A recognition of our shared agendas and in particular our commitment to social value is what brought this progressive partnership together. As a result of this partnership and commitment to support Hartpury University and Hartpury College Sports Academy Kick Start campaign we will create significant, demonstrable impact for the next generation of young talent.**

**Specifically we are delighted to be able to help in the following ways:**

- Shining a light on exceptional local talent and the next generation of youngster who have been significantly impacted during Covid but have shown resilience to continue their studies and sporting passions
- Provide income to support the purchase of new kit, equipment and coaching so that students can maintain their outstanding programmes
- Promote diversity and sport for all

Social value is a core pillar of our business and we are delighted to be able to invest in local communities above and beyond any commercial commitments.

"Hartpury University and Hartpury College are delighted to collaborate with Harrison Clark Rickerbys. What's particularly exciting is how this partnership goes beyond purely commercial interests. It's about community development, nurturing talent and investing in facilities for the next generation of talent to thrive."

// Stuart Emmerson, Director of Business Development, Hartpury University and Hartpury College.



We have a passion for people and the innovative, high-performing and supportive environment that Hartpury offers its students, giving them the best possible experience, perfectly aligns with our values. We have deep roots in the local community and are delighted to be able to get behind such a successful local educational programme. The proof is in the pudding – you only have to see where the women's rugby team is in the league currently to understand the hard work and dedication that goes into the students to make them a success.

Agri-tech is improving farming globally, from food production to sustainability and efficiency - the level of talent in the region's future farming community that Hartpury nurtures through education is fantastic.

// Kristine Scott, Partner at Harrison Clark Rickerbys and Head of Cheltenham Office

