

GRANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

YOUTH SPORTS AND RECREATION GRANTS

Rosemont Community Association (RCA) recognizes that the rising cost of youth sports leagues, classes and other organized recreational activities has left some families behind. Through funding from the Rosemont Community Foundation (RCF), RCA provides grants to families who lack the resources to pay for these activities. Grants are available to qualifying families with children in grades K-12 on a need and first-come, first served basis as funds are available. Individual grants can be used for uniforms, equipment, and registration fees for sports classes, recreational leagues, and other organized activities.

Grant restrictions specify that only families who <u>reside</u> within the boundaries of Rosemont are eligible to apply. The boundaries are: South of Folsom Blvd., North of Jackson Rd., East of S. Watt Ave., and West of Bradshaw Rd. However, the activities may take place outside of the Rosemont neighborhood.

Grants are disbursed as a reimbursement. In other words, applicants must submit receipts along with their application. Determination of the grant amount may be up to 75% of the total amount of the receipts.

FAQS

What are the qualifications for an individual grant?

RCA is focused on families who live within the boundaries of Rosemont that lack sufficient resources to pay for youth sports and recreation. Eligibility criteria includes, but is not limited to, following the most recent 2021 Federal Poverty Levels/Guidelines for Medicaid Eligibility to determine qualification for a grant. (See page 2.) You may contact us at rcfgrantsca@gmail.com for assistance in determining if you qualify. RCF reserves the right to make exceptions to eligibility guidelines for reasonable extenuating circumstances.

What types of expenses qualify for a grant?

Expenses may include:

- Fees for parks, recreation, and school classes; youth sports league registration
- · Uniforms, footwear, sports equipment not covered by registration fees

Expenses for gym/club dues, transportation and food will not be covered by the grant.

Examples of activities include soccer, baseball, football, softball, basketball, volleyball, golf, tennis, swimming, track and field, gymnastics, dance, cheer, martial arts, archery. This grant does not permit funding for activities involving weapons, with the exception of archery using traditional, non-mechanical bows and arrows. Requests involving archery are subject to additional documentation.

Are there grant limitations?

- A family may apply up to two times per year for each child for organized recreational activities (capped at \$150 per activity per session)
- A family can apply for only one activity at a time per child. RCF reserves the right to evaluate overlapping grant applications and approve at its discretion, since sports seasons/sessions may have some overlap.
- RCF reserves the right to cap total annual grant distributions to \$300 per child per family. <u>An application is</u> required for each grant and for each child.
- Grant applications are confidential and addressed on a needs and first-come, first-served basis as funds become available.

What is the process to apply for a grant?

- 1. Complete the grant application. A separate application is required for each child for each grant.
- 2. Email the application along with an image of the receipt(s) to rcfgrantsca@gmail.com.

 Receipt(s) must be dated between May 1, 2021 and April 30, 2022.
- 3. Your application will be reviewed. We make every effort to review applications in a timely manner.

If your application is accepted, you will be notified, and we will disburse a check within 10 days of acceptance.

Please send inquiries about the grant application process, qualifications, and expenses to: rcfgrantsca@gmail.com

Income Criteria for Grant Eligibility

2021 Federal Poverty Level (FPL) for the 48 Contiguous States (Annual Income)

# of Persons in the Household	300% of FPL
1	\$32,200
2	\$43,550
3	\$54,900
4	\$62,250
5	\$77,600
6	\$88,950
7	\$100,300
8	\$111,650

Your family is eligible for grants if your income level is at or below 300% of FPL based on the number of persons in your household.



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*Required		
Parent or Guardian First Name*		Parent or Guardian Last Name*
Email*		Primary Phone*
Street Address of Residence*		ZIP Code*
Child's First Name*		Child's Last Name*
Child's Age*	Child's Grade in School*	Child's Gender (how the child identifies)
Sport/Activity*		Program/Organization Name*
Season/Class Session Start Date*		Season/Class Session End Date*
Please tell us ab	out your child, the program,	and why you are requesting a grant.*
List items and a	mounts on receints if they ar	re not legible or not spelled out *
List items and amounts on receipts if they are not legible or not spelled out.*		
By signing belo	w, I certify that the above	information is true and correct. I also verify
that my family meets the eligibility requirements as shown on the Income Criteria fo		
Grant Eligibility	y chart on page 2.	
Signature		Date
Print name:		

Email the completed application, along with an image (JPG or PDF) of the receipt(s) to: rcfgrantsca@gmail.com. You may also mail applications and receipts to: RCF Grants, 3913 Lutheran Circle, Sacramento, CA 95826. Applications are reviewed on a first come, first served basis.