

Youth Athletic Scholarship Application

Offered through: Gwinnett Parks & Recreation and
Gwinnett Parks Foundation



Established 2001 to Support
Gwinnett County Parks & Recreation

Registration Deadlines	
Spring Baseball/Softball/Soccer/Lacrosse	January 15
Football/Cheerleading	May 9
Fall Baseball/Softball/Soccer	August 1
Winter Basketball/Cheerleading	October 3

Gwinnett Parks Foundation Scholarship Information: All scholarships are Gwinnett County residents only and are awarded based on demonstrated need, available funding, and meeting deadline requirements. Youth athletic scholarships are intended to provide one-time recreational opportunities for the economically disadvantaged and **not to sustain participants longer than one season for one sport**. Priority will be given to first time applicants. Participants may not be eligible if scholarship has been awarded in previous year. Scholarships are awarded for youth association registration fees only and do not include uniforms/equipment or select/elite/travel ball.

Participant Scholarship Criteria: Demonstrated need for financial assistance as outlined in document section below; age 17 and under; Gwinnett County resident; application with required documentation completed and submitted by registration deadline; all other GPR eligibility, guidelines and sport requirements met; and has not been placed on scholarship probation.

Application Instructions (*complete one application per participant*): Parent/legal guardian complete the information below
 → Include all required supplemental paperwork as required (No tax return information or pay stubs should be forwarded as documentation)
 → Sign and date the application
 → Forward the application and related documentation by the registration deadline via **email GCPRscholarships@GwinnettCounty.com**; or fax: 770.822.8835; or mail: GCPR Scholarships, 75 Langley Dr., Lawrenceville, GA 30046. Applications will only be accepted via email, fax or mail. **Do not drop off applications at the park, community recreation center or send photographs of application via email.** Incomplete applications and those not meeting the criteria above will not be considered.

Scholarship Award Notification: Recipients will be notified by email no later than five business days after the registration deadline for a specific sport. **If approved, a confirmation email will be sent to use for walk-in registration; online registration is not available for youth athletic scholarship recipients.** The scholarship program is separate from the registration process; application or receipt of a scholarship does not guarantee space on a team or league. Any additional fees must be paid at the time of registration by the participant.

Participant's Name: _____	Date of Birth: _____
Sport Requested: _____	Season: _____
Athletic Association: _____	Location/Park: _____ Cost: \$ _____

Parent/Legal Guardian: _____ Home Phone: (_____) _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email (PRINT): _____

Is anyone else at this address applying? : No Yes If yes, who? _____

Has the participant received a GCPR Scholarship before? No Yes If yes, when? _____

I request a scholarship in the amount of: \$ _____ School Attending: _____

<p>Check all that apply and attach documents to support financial need. Documents must be included to be considered for assistance. No tax returns.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Federal Welfare (TANF) Recipient</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Social Security Benefits</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (identify): _____</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Peach Care</p>
<i>tax returns or pay stubs should not be sent</i>		
<p>I _____ certify that I/my family is receiving the assistance as stated above.</p>		
<p>Parent/ Legal Guardian Signature</p>		

In your own words, briefly explain why this applicant should be considered for scholarship assistance: _____

I, _____, have completed this application on behalf of _____. I understand that this application form does not guarantee an opening or acceptance into the sport requested or a scholarship award. I also attest, to the best of my knowledge, that the information contained herein is accurate and truthful.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date