



APPLICATION TO REQUEST FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Please complete and submit the 'Confidential Request for Financial Assistance Application' and required documents to your UBGC Club Director.

The United Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Barbara County understands the challenges our families might face. Your family may qualify for Financial Assistance that will help with program and/or membership fees.

In order for your family to qualify for financial assistance you must submit the Confidential Request for Financial Assistance Application. The Confidential Request for Financial Assistance Applications are available to all families. To apply for free or reduce membership or/and program fees, households must complete an application and return it to their local Club for processing.

Applications may be submitted at any time during the year, all applications expire May 1st of the current year. If awarded, you will be required to help our Club with program supplies or volunteer hours towards your scholarship.

The information households provide on the application will be used to determine eligibility and may be verified at any time during the year by UBGC. If approved, you will be notified as to your family's financial aid status. Your family's status in the Club's Scholarship Program is confidential. Please review the application and be sure to fill in all of the required information based on your family's situation. The Application cannot be approved and may be returned if it contains incomplete eligibility information or insufficient proof of income documentation.

The household size and income criteria identified above will be used to determine eligibility for free, reduced, or full-price of membership/program fees. If awarded you will be granted a discounted percentage that will apply to all program fees, excluding field trips. If a payment is missed based off your scholarship rate all program services will cease. Scholarships for sports and Camp Whittier programming are limited and determined on a needs basis.

QUESTIONS: If you have any questions about the Application or the approval process, please feel free to contact the Club Director. Please turn in your completed 'Confidential Request for Financial Assistance Application' and necessary Financial Assistance required paperwork to your UBGC Club Director.

You must attach the following for Financial Aid consideration:

- Total income for all members of the household. The previous year's tax returns (W-2)
- Proof of most recent form of income- past two statements (Paycheck Stubs, Social Security, Disability, S.S.I., etc.)