## George A. McCoy Financial Assistance Program

The Channahon Park District Financial Assistance Program is made available through various funding resources to provide financial assistance to residents of the Channahon Park District in need of them to participate in Channahon Park District programs.

## **Procedures and Guidelines**

- 1. Financial assistance is available to residents of the Channahon Park District.
- **2.** The financial assistance application must be filled out completely and returned with the registration form to be considered.
- **3.** Applications will be reviewed, and decisions will be based on the gross income of all family members within the household.
- 4. Approval will be based on income guidelines set forth by the US Department of Agriculture.
- 5. To verify eligibility please provide:
  - a. Proof of income for all adults in the household including two paycheck stubs from each member
  - **b.** A copy of any other aid you qualify for
  - c. Copy of most recent tax return yearly
  - d. Proof of residency i.e. utility bill
- **6**. Financial Assistance is based on need and availability of funds and will be awarded on a first come first served basis in any budget year.
- **7.** All submitted information is kept confidential. Only those employees involved in the registration process will have access to information.
- **8.** All information must be true and accurate. Financial assistance awarded based on false information supplied by applicant will be revoked.
- **9.** Financial Assistance awarded to those who qualify for the free meal program according to USDA Guidelines will not normally exceed.

\$75/person/season with a cap of \$225/family/season.

**10.** Financial Assistance awarded to those who qualify for the reduced-price meal program according to USDA Guidelines will not normally exceed

\$50/person/season with a cap of \$150/family/season.

- **11.** Financial assistance is not able to be applied towards any private lessons (swim, basketball, volleyball, golf, etc.), personal training or ticketed programs (Six Flags).
- **12.** Anyone applying for and qualifying for a seasonal pool pass or fitness membership will pay a discounted rate of 50%. Fitness memberships will be good for 3 months at a time; at which time you must reapply for the assistance program.
- **13.** Families who receive approval for financial assistance will need to re- apply with each seasonal brochure fall, winter/spring, and summer.
- 14. The Channahon Park District Financial Assistance Program is subject to change.
- 15. Financial Assistance payments awarded are never refunded to the participant in any case.
- **16.** Contact the Director of Recreation: Lauren Koszola at 815-521-3114 or email at lkoszola@channahonpark.org for additional information.

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## **Channahon Park District George A. McCoy Financial Assistance Program Application**

This form must be fully completed to be considered for financial assistance.

Date:

Name of Parent/Guardian re	equesting financial Assistance	:	
Name of all other adults and	d birthdates in household:		
1)	2)		-
3)	4)		-
5)	6)		-
**All adult household membe	ers must provide proof of income	e as part of the application prod	cess with each brochure season.
Frist and last names of child	Iren with birthdates:		
1)	2)		-
3)	4)		-
5)	6)		-
Phone (Home)	Phone (Cell)		
Address:			
City:	Zip:		
**Please provide a copy of a c	current utility bill to show proof c	of residency**	
Are your child/children eligi	ble for reduced-price or free m	neals at their school?	
Which programs/membersh	nips are you seeking financial a	essistance?	
Please list all sources of inc	ome:		
Please indicate other aid red	ceived and attach copies for do	ocumentation:	
Please submit a cover letter	with any additional information	on that you would like to have	taken into consideration.