

Green Mountain Junior Football Association Scholarship Program

Application Information and Instructions

Green Mountain Junior Football Association is a non-profit organization with limited funding for scholarship athletes. However, the Green Mountain Junior Football Association Board of Directors will try their best to provide assistance to qualified applicants. There will be a deadline of 30 days prior to the first game for application submission. All applications must be submitted by the deadline.

******IN ORDER TO PROVIDE AS MANY SCHOLARSHIPS TO FAMILIES IN NEED IN OUR COMMUNITY, AN ATHLETE/FAMILY MAY NOT RECEIVE MORE THAN TWO CONSECUTIVE FULL SCHOLARSHIPS. ******

Requirements for Eligibility:

- o Athlete **MUST** be eligible to participate in Green Mountain Junior Football Association Football.
- o Parents/Guardians of the athlete commit that the athlete will attend a minimum of 80% of all scheduled practices and games. If this commitment is not met, the scholarship will be revoked and the athlete will become **INELIGIBLE** to practice or play in games with his/her team.
- o Parents/Guardians/Athlete will volunteer time at **TWO** Green Mountain Junior Football Association Events (office work, game monitor, or any other area that Green Mountain Junior Football Association might require volunteer help in).
- o Athlete's family account with Green Mountain Junior Football Association must be in good standing and have no past due balances.
- o Athlete's family **DOES NOT** need to be receiving government assistance in order to submit an application. The required Statement of Financial Hardship should state the reason why a family/athlete is applying for a scholarship.

Documentation Required:

- o Statement of Financial Hardship written by athlete's parent/guardian.
- o Written recommendation by school representatives, social workers, community center youth workers, or other Social Services workers. (NOT REQUIRED, BUT HELPFUL)
- o If applicable, proof of receipt of assistance from government programs such as Food Stamps, Medicaid, SSI, Foster Care, WIC, Free/Reduced School Lunch, etc....
- o The parent/guardian of the athlete **MUST** read and sign the **TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATEMENT**.

How to Apply:

- o Applications must be submitted to the Green Mountain Junior Football Association office by the deadline. **LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. ****** Applications must be mailed or physically handed to the President of the GMJBA Board of Directors. We must have original signatures. Emailed/Scanned copies will not be accepted.

o The application must be 100% completed and contain the Statement of Financial Hardship, supporting documentation if applicable, and the signed Terms and Conditions Statement. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

o Approval/Denial of all scholarship applications and the dollar amount awarded is at the sole discretion of the Green Mountain Junior Football Association Board of Directors. ****If a partial scholarship is awarded to an athlete's family, and a payment plan is offered to help with the completion of the payment of the remaining balance, the family must adhere to the approved payment plan. If payments are not made ON TIME and for the AGREED UPON AMOUNT, the scholarship will be revoked and the athlete will become INELIGIBLE to practice or play in games with his/her team. ****

If you have any questions please email the president @ president@gmjfa.net. Our mailing address is PO Box 151246 Lakewood, Colorado 80215.

Green Mountain Junior Football Association does not discriminate on the basis of color, age, sex, sexual orientation, or race.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATEMENT

"I", "me", and "my" refer to Adult Parent/Guardian of the athlete.

1. I certify that the information provided in the accompanying Scholarship application and supporting documentation is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
2. I understand that Green Mountain Junior Football Association, through the awarding of a scholarship, shall not be liable for any damage or injury occurring to the athlete, the facility, or other participants in the sport for which the scholarship is being used.
3. I understand that I and/or other family members must volunteer my time at TWO Green Mountain Junior Football Association sponsored events. (Tournaments, Office Work, or any other area that Green Mountain Junior Football Association might require volunteer help in.)
4. I understand that each scholarship recipient is responsible for his/her own transportation to and from practices and games.
5. I understand I am responsible for any equipment and/or uniforms required for my child's participation.
6. I understand that awarded scholarships will not be paid directly to me, but will be applied to my family account. There will be no monetary exchange between Green Mountain Junior Football Association and myself. I understand that no money will be refundable to me.
7. I understand that if any written statements or documents, submitted by myself or others regarding this scholarship application, are found to be intentionally false, misleading, or inaccurate, the athlete's scholarship will be immediately revoked and the full value of that scholarship will be payable immediately to Green Mountain Junior Football Association.
8. I understand that if the athlete quits playing the sport that the scholarship was awarded for, or fails to attend 80% of practices and games, the scholarship will be revoked and the athlete will become INELIGIBLE to practice or play in games with his/her team.

9. I understand that all scholarship requests and subsequent dollar amounts will be evaluated and awarded at the sole discretion of the Green Mountain Junior Football Association Board of Directors.

10. I understand that this scholarship application is private and will not be shared with anyone other than the Green Mountain Junior Football Association Board of Directors.

11. I understand that I must provide a true and complete W-9 Form and any other applicable tax obligations to the IRS that may result from this scholarship.

12. I understand that this scholarship application must be 100% complete and contain a Statement of Financial Hardship, and any required documentation or letters. If this application is incomplete in any way, I understand it will be immediately denied.

13. I understand that my complete application must be mailed or physically handed to the Green Mountain Junior Football Association President and must contain original signatures. I understand that no emailed/scanned copies will be accepted.

14. I understand that in order to be approved for a Green Mountain Junior Football Association athletic scholarship, my family account with Green Mountain Junior Football Association must be in good standing, and it may not contain any past due balances.

15. I understand that my athlete(s)/family may not receive more than two consecutive full scholarships.

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian Signature

Name of Scholarship Athlete

GREEN MOUNTAIN JUNIOR FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Athlete's Name: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Street City State Zip Code

School Athlete Attends: _____ Grade: _____

Teacher's Name: _____ School Phone Number: _____

Athlete Lives with: Both Parents ___ Mother ___ Father ___ Other
(Names) _____

Amount of Scholarship Requested: _____ Full ___ Partial \$ _____

Total Household Income: \$ _____ Number of Dependents in Household Last Tax Year: _____

Father/Guardian Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Mother/Guardian Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Do you currently receive State or Federal Assistance: ___ Yes ___ No

If yes, what type?

Is this your only source of income? ___ Yes ___ No **Other Income? _____

Have ANY member of your family received an Athletic Scholarship from Green Mountain Junior Football Association or any other

Sports Association in the past?

___ Yes (From which Association?) _____

___ No

PLEASE PROVIDE ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION FOR YOUR APPLICATION. SEE APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR A LIST OF ALL RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS.

CONSENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

I understand that my signature authorizes Green Mountain Junior Football Association to obtain verification of all information on this application. I certify that all of the information on this application, and all information provided in conjunction with this application are true and correct.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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