

Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grants Program Guidelines and Applicant Information

I. PRAIRIE MEADOWS YOUTH SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL GRANT PROGRAM OVERVIEW AND APPLICATION DEADLINE

Through the Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant Program, Prairie Meadows seeks to benefit as many qualified organizations as possible with the funds available. Youth Sports and Recreational Grant requests can be in the range of \$1,000 \$50,000.

Because funds are limited, Prairie Meadows is unable to act favorably on all applications received. Each application is carefully evaluated on overall community impact, compliance with Prairie Meadows guidelines, and availability of funds.

Prairie Meadows does not always provide the entire amount requested by grant applicants. Prairie Meadows reserves the right to partially fund requests in order to provide funding to more organizations and projects.

The deadline to submit a Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant Application is Thursday, February 29, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. All applications must be submitted via the Prairie Meadows Online Application and Reporting System. No exceptions will be made. Any application received after 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 29, 2024 will not be considered.

II. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be non-profit, tax-exempt organizations located in the state of lowa and meet one of the following criteria:

VI. HOW TO APPLY FOR A PRAIRIE MEADOWS YOUTH SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL GRANT

- A. Thoroughly review the Youth Sports and Recreational Grant Program Guidelines and Applicant Information packet in its entirety before you begin your application.
- B. Determine if your organization and proposed project are eligible to apply for a Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant. If you have questions, contact Prairie Meadows at (515) 967-8636, or <u>cbettermentgrants@prairiemeadows.com</u>.

If your organization and project are eligible to apply for a Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant, go to <u>https://www.prairiemeadows.com/about-us/grant-programs</u> and Youth Sports and Recreational Grant

C. Create a username and password if this is your first time accessing the Prairie Meadows Online

Completing the Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant Application online is the only way to submit an application to be considered for funding. If you need assistance, please contact Prairie Meadows at (515) 967-8636, or <u>cbettermentgrants@prairiemeadows.com</u>.

GRANT PROJECT BUDGET WORKSHEET

The Prairie Meadows Youth Sports and Recreational Grant Project Budget Worksheet must be completed and submitted with your Grant Application. Your organization will need to include an itemized project budget with items, or descriptions, and prices, funding secured, and from who, as well as funds your organization is planning to secure. Lastly, your organization will need to provide a listing of the items and prices for which your organization would use the requested grant funds for.

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