

## St. Louis Park Hockey Association (SLPHA) Financial Assistance Program

The St. Louis Park Hockey Association (SLPHA) established a Financial Assistance Program to assist families in meeting their financial commitments for participating in the SLPHA's youth hockey programs. The program provides financial assistance to those who may find themselves in a difficult financial situation, which would otherwise prevent their children from participating in the SLPHA programs.

As part of its annual budget, SLPHA will determine a dollar amount that will be set aside for financial assistance. Funding for this program comes from the general operating fund at the direction of the SLPHA Board of Directors. Financial Assistance is granted on a per season basis and must be reapplied for each year. Financial Assistance is provided in the form of reduced SLPHA registration fees. The player's family is still responsible for any clinic fees, team fees, and volunteer deposits.

Preference will be given to those applicants whose families qualify for public assistance programs such as Food Stamps, EBT, Medical Assistance, School Lunch Subsidies or Unemployment Insurance.

Families receiving financial assistance will be expected to provide additional volunteer hours to SLPHA. These hours, considered Personal Fund-Raising program hours, are based on the amount of financial assistance dollars received. SLPHA has established a guideline that 1 hour of volunteer time is worth \$25.00 in assistance. Volunteer activities may be comprised of established opportunities or other forms of volunteer activities mutually agreed upon by the recipient and SLPHA.

- Concession Stand (October-March)
- Tryouts (October)
- District & Regional Tournaments (February March)

In order to be considered for financial assistance, an application form must be completed and returned to SLPHA Treasurer prior to registration. Each application will be reviewed by the SLPHA Finance Committee. The acceptance of financial assistance will be determined before tryouts begin. Applicants may be asked to provide additional information or documentation during the review process.

ALL APPLICATIONS AND INFORMATION WILL BE HELD IN COMPLETE CONFIDENCE.

Return Sign Application and Proof of Income To:

St. Louis Park Hockey Association Attn: Treasurer 5807 Excelsior Blvd St. Louis Park, MN 55416

Your application **MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO REGISTRATION** and your application will NOT be considered if you have unpaid fees to SLPHA from prior years.



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Father:	Cell Phone	e:	
		one:	
Address:	City:	Zip:	
Mother:	Cell Phone	e:	
		Work Phone:	
Address:	City:	Zip:	
Child/Children for whom assist	tance is being requested:		
Player Name:	Level of Play:	Amount Requested:	
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	ate in off-season hockey programs (AAA, 3	3x3, camps/clinics, etc.)? Yes No	
Have you received Financial As	sistance from SLPHA in prior years? Yes ved:	No	
If you previously received SLPH of hours volunteered:	A Financial Assistance please describe the	volunteer service you performed and number	
Please select volunteer opports	unities and number of hours of service you	v and will be manufarmed for CLDIIA (recommended	
hour for every \$25.00 in assista	•	u are will to perform for SLPHA (recommended	

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needed. It is SLPHA policy to give financial assist	d. Provide as much information as possible, use the back of this form if cance preference to families that are currently receiving public assistance school Lunch Subsidies or Unemployment Insurance.
ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS FORM IS COMMITTEE CONSIDERING FINACIAL ASSISTANC	STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL AND WILL ONLY BE REVIEWED BY THE FINANCE CE APPLICATIONS.
	n is true and correct, and I understand SLPHA may verify the information tion. Providing false information will result in denial of financial
Applicant Signature:	Date:

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