

## **Teen Challenge Physical Activity Funding Program Overview**

The Teen Challenge Physical Activity Funding Program is designed to support community-based organizations with breaking down barriers that teens face in getting active. By increasing physical activity opportunities for teens ages 13 -19.

### **Application Deadline**

Applicants are invited to apply on an on-going basis throughout the year. However, grants will be reviewed after the grant deadline: **February 7, 2025**

### **Applicants can apply for**

Funding to offset costs for event/program delivery that are designed to encourage teens to participant in physical activity.

- Up to \$250 for one-time teen physical activity event
- Up to \$500 for an on-going teen physical activity program (i.e., 4-week program or longer)

Allowable costs include but are not limited to; equipment, coaching/instruction, nutrition, training, space rental and transportation.

Ineligible costs: awards or prizes, banquets, fundraising support, registration fees.

When preparing to submit your application please ensure it incorporates the following:

- The number of participants the program/event will reach. Specifically, the number of participants age 13 -19.
- How the funding will remove barriers for teens.
- How the program will be inclusive.
- Sustainability of the program beyond the dates submitted– is there a legacy component?
- If teens have a leadership role in the program.
- Identify any community partners
- If snacks will be provided. For Eat Great and Participate nutrition resources please visit <http://www.recreationnl.com/programs-events/eat-great-participate/>

## Who can apply?

Applications will be accepted from the following groups:

- Not-for-profit community groups (recreation and sport groups, Boys and Girls Clubs, Allied Youth NL, Community Youth Network, etc.).
- School Groups (after school programs, lunch time programs, etc.).

Non-eligible groups:

- School teams or for-profit organizations
- Organized sport teams

## How/when will approval be given?

All applicants will be notified of the outcome of their application through a formal letter via email within six weeks after grant deadline dates.

## What are the follow-up requirements?

A follow up 'success story' report form MUST be completed no later than 30 days after the program/event is completed. The success story must be completed in order for the community group/organization to be considered for future funding. Reporting form will be attached to email containing approval letter.

## To apply please submit the application form by February 7, 2025

Application form is available at [Application Form 2025](#)

Recreation NL website - <http://www.recreationnl.com/grant-funding-opportunities/>

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact the Recreation NL Office

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