

## Financial Assistance Program City of Pearland Parks & Recreation Department

The Pearland Parks & Recreation Department offers financial assistance for families and foster children who reside in the City of Pearland or Pearland Independent School District.

As funding is available financial assistance is provided for most recreation courses and youth leagues. Programs under \$10, events and adult leagues are not eligible for discounts. **To receive the subsidy, you must be approved for the program before signing up for classes.** Those approved to receive financial assistance will be required to pay at least 50% of the regular program fee and the minimum for class registration must be met before subsidized clients can register. Fees for supplies or contractual obligations are not discounted.

To apply for financial assistance, complete the attached application, sign it, and drop off/mail it along with tax return and W2 form(s) to

**DROP OFF:**  
Recreation Superintendent/FAP  
2947 E. Broadway  
Pearland, TX 77581  
281-652-1694

**MAIL TO:**  
Pearland Parks & Recreation Department  
Recreation Superintendent/FAP  
3519 Liberty Drive  
Pearland, TX 77581

### Application procedure

- A. Please complete the following information as indicated on the application including:
  1. Names and ages of all individuals who live in your household
  2. Social security numbers of each family member
  3. Total monthly gross income for all household members, before all deductions for taxes, social security, etc.
  4. Signature of the applicant with their home address and phone number.
- B. Completed application must be filed with the Parks & Recreation Department for consideration
- C. Applicants will be notified of approval or denial no more than 14 business days from the time the application is received, providing all required information is included.
- D. Approved applicants may register for classes during regular registration times. But the minimum number of registrants must be met before subsidized clients can enroll.
- E. Households with incomes not exceeding the family size and income specified below are eligible for financial assistance.

### Eligibility for 2006-2007

Family Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice per month	Every 2 weeks	Weekly
1	17,224	1,436	718	663	332
2	23,107	1,926	963	889	445
3	28,990	2,416	1,208	1,115	558
4	34,873	2,907	1,454	1,342	671
For each add'l member add	5,883	491	246	227	114

- F. All reported income information may be checked by Pearland Parks & Recreation Department or other officials at any time. All applicants must submit a current signed tax return statement along with the more recent W2 form/and or forms.
- G. If applicants are not eligible but later have a decrease in household income or have an increase in family size, applicants may apply at that time.
- H. It is solely the responsibility of the applicant to satisfactorily demonstrate financial need.
- I. No applicant will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, or disabilities.
- J. All information provided will be handled confidentially and will be used only for eligibility determination and data verification.
- K. Approved applicants must re-file their application annually. All Financial Assistance Program approvals will expire April 30<sup>th</sup> of each year.

