

Easton Recreation Department Financial Assistance Policy

The Easton Recreation Department has established a financial assistance fund for Easton residents who cannot afford to participate in the department's programs. The sole purpose of this fund is to find ways to give every child and family the opportunity to participate in activities offered by the Easton Recreation Department. Discounted registration fees are available to those who qualify, on a sliding scale, based upon availability of funds and Federal Income Guidelines.

To qualify, please fill out the [Financial Assistance Eligibility Application Form](#). Information on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility for the financial assistance program. This application is kept on file for one year, and a new application must be submitted if financial need continues the following year.

The Financial Assistance Eligibility Application Form is a "request form" only, not a confirmation of registration. The Recreation Department will review all applications and determine the availability of funds prior to the approval of each registration request. Upon approval, the Recreation Department will confirm registration with the applicant.

Eligible individuals and families must follow the regular registration process. Registration deadlines will apply. Registration for many programs is limited and eligibility for financial assistance does not guarantee enrollment in a program.

Services exempt from financial assistance include:

- Blue Hills ski or snowboard season pass
- Equipment Rentals (skis, skates, etc.)
- Daily admissions (town pool)
- Birthday parties at the town pool
- Ticket Sales (group trips, field trips)
- Golf lessons at Easton Country Club *(please contact ECC directly for their discount policy)*

Also, some programs are run by outside contractors. Discounts for these programs will vary and be dependent upon instructor fees.

This list is subject to change at the discretion of the Easton Recreation Department.

