

GHYC Junior Sail Scholarship Fund Guidelines for Financial Assistance



GHYC Junior Sail will provide services for any youth ages 6 to 18, who desires to participate and meets the qualifying financial need criteria, within available resources of the GHYC Junior Sail Scholarship Fund. Financial Assistance may be used for Sail Camp tuition at GHYC Junior Sail, TYC Junior Sail and for the Narrows Race Team. Being a not-for-profit organization, we depend on program fees and donations as well as volunteers to sustain the program. We urge all applicants to be honest on application paperwork in order to help us distribute scholarship funds to as many qualifying youth as possible.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please send the attached form and all needed documentation to sailingdirector@ghycjuniorsail.org. Our scholarship committee will review your application and respond within 5 business days. All applications are confidential and information will only be shared within the committee.

ELIGIBILITY - SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED BASED UPON FINANCIAL NEED AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

1. Applicants will submit a completed financial assistance application form and all requested information and documentation needed for their application. Full disclosure on income verification is required
2. Assistance will be granted on the basis of demonstrated financial need. Need is determined through household size, total household income, and any extenuating circumstances disclosed in the application

HOUSEHOLD SIZE

To determine household size, IRS guidelines will be used. Family members included in household size will include 1) a legally married spouse, or 2) a qualified dependent. A person qualifies as a dependent if all of the following apply:

- Dependent is related to primary applicant (includes, related through marriage, member of household, legally adopted or long term foster child).
- Dependent is financially supported by primary applicant (furnishes more than half the dependents support during calendar year). Support includes child support payments paid by a divorced or separated spouse.

EXPECTATIONS - CAMP PROGRAMS

1. If financial assistance is awarded, please submit a thank you note after participating: GHYC Junior Sail, 8209 Stinson Ave, Gig Harbor, WA 98332. We use these to encourage our wonderful donors and secure scholarship funds.
2. A financial assistance application does not reserve a space in a camp session. A space is reserved only after registration has been completed through Active Network
3. Financial assistance participants have the same privileges as a full paying participant, and are expected to abide by the same policies and rules every participant accepts when using the facility or participating in programs.
4. Financial assistance is TEMPORARY and registration must be completed within two weeks of financial assistance approval. At that time, funds will be released to other applicants and may not be available.
5. Funds for classes or programs may be requested, but approval will depend on the status of the scholarship fund.
6. Scholarship applications will remain on file until December 31st, of the calendar year. If financial assistance recipients choose to enroll in additional programs, an additional application is not necessary unless circumstances have changed. Aid recipients will be awarded additional funds if available.

GHYC Junior Sail Scholarship Fund
Application for GHYC Junior Sail, TYC Junior
Sail & Narrows Race Team Financial Assistance



Please submit scholarship applications any time. We provide scholarship assistance with summer camps and after school camps facilitated by GHYC Junior Sail and TYC Junior Sail, and Narrows Race Team participation. Availability of camps is on a first come first served basis—so we encourage you to apply early. Although we are a not-for-profit agency, we depend upon program fees and donations as well as volunteers to help maintain our services. We are committed to serve everyone regardless of their income, and are happy to provide full or partial scholarships depending upon eligibility. Financial assistance will be awarded to applicants based upon the available resources of the scholarship fund.

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Date: _____

Contact Number: _____ Contact E-Mail: _____

Household Size

To determine household size, IRS guidelines will be used. Family members included in household size will include 1) a legally married spouse, or 2) a qualified dependent. A person qualifies as a dependent if all of the following apply:

- Dependent is related to primary member (includes, related through marriage, member of household, legally adopted or long term foster child).
- Dependent is financially supported by primary member (furnishes more than half the dependents support during calendar year). Support includes child support payments paid by a divorced or separated spouse.

Please list all family members / persons financially dependent on you –INCLUDE YOURSELF

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____ Scholarship Requested: Y / N

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How do you file your Income Tax? Single Joint Other: _____

Are you currently employed? Yes No

Is your spouse (if applicable) currently employed? Yes No

Are dependents in your household employed? Yes No

