

Kishwaukee Sunrise Rotary Community Grant for Children, Youth and Families (Rotary CYF Grant)

CYF Grant Guidelines

Overview

- A Rotary CYF Grant will be awarded for up to a total of \$10,000 annually.
- Grants may be awarded to one or more recipients
- Grants are available to organizations only and they must submit an application by the stated deadline to receive full consideration
- The application window for 2019 is April 1 through April 30, 2019. Award payments will be made no later than July 2019.

Eligibility Checklist

- Funds must benefit a DeKalb County project that positively and directly impacts the lives and well-being of children, youth and/or families
- Organizations applying must meet one of the following criteria:
 - An organization holding a current tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3), (4), (6) or (19) of the Internal Revenue Code;
 - A recognized government entity: state, county, or city agency, including law enforcement or fire departments.

Selection Process

- A Grant Review Committee from the Kishwaukee Sunrise Rotary Club will review all applications between May 1 and May 25.
- Selections will be made at the discretion of the committee, but potential impact on children, youth and/or families of DeKalb County will be a significant factor.
- The committee may award the grant to one organization or multiple organizations, but the available amount available is \$10,000.
- Awardees will be notified in July and must agree to be a part of fundraising marketing efforts to support the grant, which will take place in September.

Funding Exclusions

- Normal operational expenses for the organization
- Organizations that deny service, membership or other involvement on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, age, national origin, ancestry, citizenship, veteran or disability status
- Scholarships to post-secondary institutions
- Third-party giving

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