

Hanna Community Youth Fund

Serving Hanna & area

The Hanna Community Youth Fund formed as a direct result of the dissolution of the Hearthstone Community Fund and is based upon a similar mandate and function to provide financial support for children and families to participate in local social programs/projects.

The Hanna Community Youth Fund is an attempt to assist individuals and families overcome the financial obstacles that prevent some young people from participating in local social programs / projects. By removing the financial barriers to participation, there will be an opportunity for positive growth and development of the child/children.

The Hanna Community Youth Fund will provide support for Hanna and area, with the primary focus upon residents of Hanna and the immediate area. The fund will be administered by the Town of Hanna but sustained solely through donations. Funding allocation will be made based upon available funds.

Suggested funding areas for the Hanna Community Youth Fund

Dance lessons	Music camps or lessons
Author or writer camps	Encounters Canada
Victor Playschool	Youth group activities
Swimming lessons	Computer camps
Summer fun activities	Guides, brownies, scouts, 4-H program
3-2-1 Playtime	Kiddies Corner playschool

The intent of the program is to provide financial assistance to financially disadvantaged youth who are restricted from participating in social programs/events. Those wishing to participate in recognized sport programs are encouraged to seek assistance through Hanna KidSport.

Guidelines

Maximum funding available per individual applicant will be \$250.00

- Funds will be issued to recognized community organizations only. Under no circumstances will funds be issued to individuals.
- Applicants must provide a copy their Notice of Assessment in order to verify financial barriers to participation.
- Funds are provided for registration fees only.
- Should the successful applicant not be able to participate prior to the start of the program, it is the responsibility of the receiving organization to return the funds for re-distribution of the Hanna Community Youth Fund.
- Only participants ages 18 years and under are eligible for funding consideration.
- Applications will be reviewed on a monthly basis.

Hanna Community Youth Fund - Application Procedure

Administration: Town of Hanna will provide administration of the fund to ensure continuity. The fund will be maintained as a separate account for the sole purpose of this fund. No funds will be released without proper documentation and authorization from the recognized authorities for the fund.

Hanna Community Youth Fund Committee: Applications will be reviewed on a monthly basis with representation from the following services: Hanna FCSS, Central Alberta Child & Family Services, Hanna Family Resource Worker Program, DTHR Mental Health, RCMP, Social Services

Funding Allocations: Successful applications must be submitted to the Town of Hanna with signed approval by a minimum of three representatives from the above organizations.

Applications and inquiries should be directed to:

Hanna Community Youth Fund
c/o Town of Hanna Community Services/FCSS
Box 430, 202 1st St West
Hanna, Alberta T0J 1P0
Phone: 403-854-4433 Fax: 403-854-2772

Before submitting an application, applicants should discuss its suitability with the Family Resource Worker or a Central Alberta Child & Family Services representative.

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Application Form

<i>Child's Name:</i> _____	<i>Date of Birth:</i> _____	
<i>Parent/Guardian Name:</i> _____		
<i>Mailing Address:</i> _____	<i>Town:</i> _____	<i>Postal Code:</i> _____
<i>Telephone (work):</i> _____	<i>Telephone (home):</i> _____	
<i>Email Address:</i> _____		
<i>Alternate contact for this application:</i> _____		
<i>Mailing Address:</i> _____	<i>Town:</i> _____	<i>Postal Code:</i> _____
<i>Telephone (work):</i> _____	<i>Telephone (home):</i> _____	
<i>Email Address:</i> _____		

Brief Description of Community or Organization Registration

Funding requested: _____ *Total Cost of Program:* _____
Program Start Date: _____ *Program End Date:* _____

Declaration/Signature

I agree that the above information to be accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that this information is for the collection of the Hanna Community Youth Fund. This information may only be disclosed as provided for in the Freedom of Information and Privacy Act. I have also included a copy of my most recent NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT to confirm eligibility due to financial limitations.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Applicant

Community Program Information

(To be completed by community program representative)

Community/Organization Club Name: _____
Organization Mailing Address: _____ *City:* _____ *Postal Code:* _____
Program Start Date: _____ *Program End Date:* _____
Registration Fee: _____ *Subsidy/ Discount from Organization:* _____ *Total Fee Requested:* _____
Organization Representative Name (please print name): _____
Signature: _____

For office use only

<i>Application Received:</i> _____	<i>Date Committee Application Review:</i> _____	
<i>Approved Funding:</i> _____	(Authorized signatures required below) <i>Denied Funding:</i> _____	
<i>Name (please print):</i> _____	<i>Signature:</i> _____	<i>Organization:</i> _____
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