



## **Zeeland Recreation Youth Scholarship Program**

Zeeland Recreation is proud to offer a youth scholarship program to youth living within the Zeeland Public School District. The program is designed for children who, without financial assistance, would not have the opportunity to participate in youth activities. The program makes activities accessible by partly or completely covering the cost of current registration fees for youth who qualify.

### **What type of assistance will I receive?**

Scholarships are awarded to youth 18 years of age and younger living in the Zeeland Public School District whose family demonstrates financial need. Those families receiving a scholarship may receive financial assistance up to 100% of the cost of the program.

### **What programs are eligible?**

Youth programs offered by Zeeland Recreation are eligible with the exception of private lessons, club teams or auditioned ensembles.

### **Who can apply for a scholarship?**

- Any family residing within the Zeeland Public School District with children old enough to participate in programs.
- All dependent children 18 years old or younger will qualify based qualifying income guidelines.
- A new application is required each fiscal year. Approved applications are valid from July 1 through June 30.
- Each child may receive one scholarship per brochure during each fiscal year.

All scholarships are subject to program availability. Scholarships are awarded on a first come, first serve basis for eligible recipients. Incomplete forms will not be considered.

### **Application Process**

Please allow 10 business days for process, approval and notification once all documentation has been received by Zeeland Recreation.

1. Complete an application form. Forms are available online and at Zeeland Recreation.
2. Please provide all required documentation when submitting application.
3. Deliver or mail all documentation to Zeeland Recreation.  
Zeeland Recreation  
Attn: Office Manager  
320 E. Main  
Zeeland, MI 49464
4. If application is approved, the participant will be registered for their requested program, **if space is available**, and will be notified by mail.





5. Upon approval, remaining payment must be received prior to the start of program. Accepted forms of payment are cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express. If payment is not received prior to the start of the program, participant will be removed.
6. Please call 616-748-3230 for more information or with questions concerning the program.

### **Confidentiality**

Zeeland Recreation will use application information only for approval of a youth scholarship. Strict confidentiality will be maintained at all times during the decision process.

### **Donations**

You can easily contribute to the Zeeland Recreation Youth Scholarship Program. Simply add a \$1 or more in the space indicated on the registration form and add that amount to your payment. Online, you can contribute by selecting 'Donations', entering the amount you would like to give and putting your contribution in your shopping cart. Your contribution will be included in the total amount you pay with your credit card.

### **Thank You**

Scholarship contributions will allow us to continue offering generous scholarships for those who most need them. Thank you to everyone who has contributed.

