



The Friends of Coconino County Parks Program Financial Assistance Guidelines

Coconino County Parks & Recreation and the Friends of Coconino County Parks are proud to offer financial assistance for individuals looking to enroll in recreation programs. Program Financial Assistance is currently offered, **based on available funds**, to residents within Coconino County and offers, at most, a **50% reduction** in price for a majority of our recreation programs. Facility rentals, out of area trips, overnight trips, and league registrations are ineligible. Due to limited funds, households have a **\$140 cap** on assistance per year.

Eligibility Criteria

- Food Stamps (SNAP – Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program)
- Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS)
- Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)
- General Assistance (GA)
- Gross annual income meeting the United States Department of Health & Human Services Poverty Guidelines (see below)

Annual Income Guideline								
Number of Persons in Family/Household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
50% Financial Assistance	\$11,670	\$15,730	\$19,790	\$23,850	\$27,910	\$31,970	\$36,030	\$40,090
25% Financial Assistance	\$15,521	\$20,921	\$26,321	\$31,721	\$37,120	\$42,520	\$47,920	\$53,320

- The program is restricted to Coconino County residents only.
- Only eligible members living within the same household are eligible for the discount.
- Approved applications are valid for one year after approval date.
- Applicant must be over the age of 18. Eligible members living within the same household may be any age.

You Are Required to Show:

- A copy of a driver’s license or picture ID.
- A current utility bill or other identification that shows Coconino County residency.
- Proof of gross financial information.
 - Most recent tax return; **or**
 - 4 most recent paychecks from each employer for all persons in the household. Any receipts must show gross wages.

Plus any one (1) of the following

- A copy of the applicant's Food Stamp eligibility letter (listing the monthly household allotment) from the State of Arizona Department of Economic Security. A copy of the Food Stamp Quest Card is **not** an acceptable form of verification.
- A copy of the applicant's AHCCCS eligibility letter (listing all eligible household members) from the State of Arizona Department of Economic Security. A copy of the Annual Health Plan Enrollment form and AHCCCS cards are **not** acceptable forms of verification.
- A copy of the applicant's TANF eligibility letter (listing all eligible household members) from the State of Arizona Department of Economic Security.
- A copy of the applicant's GA eligibility letter (listing all eligible household members) from the State of Arizona Department of Economic Security.

Processing

- Applications are processed on a first come, first served basis.
- Parks & Recreation Staff will review applications. **All information is handled confidentially.**
- Applications will be processed within 5 business days after all the necessary documentation is provided and verified.
- Applicants will receive notification through mail or e-mail that their application has been processed and their status for the upcoming year.
- **Due to limited funds, households have a \$140 cap on assistance per year, from the date the application has been processed.**