

# Colorado International Soccer Academy

## Scholarship Guidelines for Applicants

### General Information:

The Colorado International Soccer Academy (CISA) scholarship program was designed to help CISA families and/or individuals with limited financial resources to participate in CISA recreational and competitive soccer programs. Scholarships may provide a percentage discount for families but will not cover the complete registration cost. Local business, community groups, club fundraising events and individuals contribute annually to the scholarship funds and the available amounts vary each year.

- o Request for scholarships for player registration fees must be submitted at least two weeks prior to the start of the fall or spring soccer season.
- o Need is the primary criterion upon which scholarships are considered. Accepted applicants are expected to pay at least 50% of the registration fee per season. You may be expected to pay the rest of the registration fees for the soccer season. No full scholarships will be awarded.
- o CISA reserves the right to determine the scholarship amount if the demand for scholarships is high. CISA also will take into account scholarship fund availability. No family will be awarded more than 50% of the registration fees in a Colorado Soccer Association (CSA) calendar year.
- o Approval of any scholarship application does not automatically register a player into the program. The family/player is still responsible for completing the CISA registration process. All payments must be received prior to the registration deadlines and team participation.
- o CISA will keep all applicant information confidential.
- o Eligible programs include recreational and competitive team registration fees.
- o Team expenses, tournament expenses, and uniform expenses are separate expenses and are not covered by this scholarship.

### Eligibility Requirements:

- **Proof of income:** All applicants must show proof of income such as most recent tax return, last two pay stubs, or information from an approved social service agency.
- **Free/reduced lunch program:** If the applicant qualifies for free or reduced lunch program at their school district, please provide a copy of the program acceptance letter.

### Application Process:

Complete the Scholarship Application Form (one per person). All information requested must be provided. Incomplete forms will not be considered.

Please mail or email the application to:

**CISA**

**Attn: CISA Scholarship Fund**

**P.O Box 3436**

**Parker, Colorado 801034**

**Email: [scholarship@cisasoccer.org](mailto:scholarship@cisasoccer.org)**

## Soccer Scholarship Application Form

Please read the scholarship guidelines prior to completing this application. Complete a separate application form for each individual applicant. Applications must be submitted at least two weeks in advance of the program start date. You will be notified of the final decision by mail or email. Should you be awarded a scholarship, CISA will provide instructions on how to proceed with redeeming the award.

**Applicant/Child Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone (Daytime):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of household members under 18 years of age \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of household members over 18 years of age \_\_\_\_\_

Attachments: Please be sure to include one of the following information with your application:

- Proof of household income (pay stub, most recent tax return )
- Child Support \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (proof is required)
- Other local, state or federal assistance (child care assistance, free/reduced lunch voucher, food stamps, etc.)

**Please give a brief statement of why you are applying for assistance:**

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\_\_\_\_\_

**Program requested: (Select one)**

Competitive Fall 2018 Season

Competitive Spring 2019 Season

Recreational Fall 2018 Season

Recreational Spring 2019 Season

**Parent/Guardian Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Office Use Only

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Date Reviewed \_\_\_\_\_

Approved/Denied \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Awarded \_\_\_\_\_