



# Athens United Soccer Association

## Financial Assistance Application

Name

Phone

Address

Email Address

Child

Team

Amount you can pay\*

Payment Dates

\*(Minimum fee payment Rec \$15; Select/ Academy \$61 plus uniform fees)

Present Annual Income    Family size

\$8000-\$15,000

\$15,001-\$30,000

\$30,001-\$60,000

\$60,001 or more

Any Special Financial Obligations

It is the desire of Athens United Soccer Association that any child who wishes to play soccer be allowed to participate, regardless of ability to pay. However, no matter what your financial situation, we strongly believe everyone can contribute in some way. Our organization is run mainly by volunteers. Please indicate which of the following ways you would prefer to help the club:

Coach

Field Set Up (painting lines, moving goals)

Team

Spanish Interpreter/Translator

Concessions Committee

Other (please specify)

In addition, Athens United hosts 2 tournaments per year. These tournaments are the main source of income to cover sponsored players. The tournaments are in August and December. We will be contacting you to serve as Field Marshall during both tournaments. We will ask that you work a 3-hour shift sometime during that weekend. Failure to fulfill these volunteer obligations or pay sponsored fees will invalidate consideration for future sponsorships.

Official Use Only

Season Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Letter Received

YES

NO Amount Approved \_\_\_\_\_



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## Financial Assistance Information

Thank you for your interest in playing with Athens United Soccer. Attached is the application to apply for financial assistance. Sponsorships are limited. In order to be considered for a sponsorship, please comply with the following:

- Return the application along with a personal letter of reference that is written by someone outside your family (clergy member, teacher, school counselor, employer, etc...). This letter should state the person's relationship to you, how long they have known you, that you will be responsible to transport your child to games and practices, and that the full fees would be a hardship for your family. The letter should also include the writer's address and phone number.
- Both the application and the reference letter must be received before the deadline to be considered for a sponsorship. The deadline is 10 days after the registration deadline. Sent to AUSA, P.O. Box 1053, Athens, GA 30603-1053. Attend: Annette Poulsen sponsorship chair or email to: [apoulsen@terry.uga.edu](mailto:apoulsen@terry.uga.edu) stating sponsorship application in the subject line.
- Players with unpaid balances from previous seasons cannot be considered for sponsorship.
- Players 16 and older will not be considered for sponsorship.

All information received on the application will be treated with confidentiality. Only the members of the sponsorship committee will review the application. The committee will meet after the application deadline to review all applications and you will receive notice of your approval within 2 weeks.

Families requesting sponsorships for more than one child should submit a separate application for each child.

All sponsored families are expected to fulfill volunteer obligations in exchange for your sponsorship. Failure to fulfill your obligations as a volunteer will disqualify you from future sponsorships. If you have more than one sponsored player, volunteer obligations will be expected for each child sponsored. Full information regarding volunteer opportunities is on the application.

Sponsorship approvals are good for one season only. Should you need to continue on the sponsorship program, a new application must be submitted at the beginning of the next season.

Any questions regarding the application process can be directed to your registrar:

Select or Academy: Tami Chiu	<a href="mailto:tamichiu@bellsouth.net">tamichiu@bellsouth.net</a>	706-310-9020
Recreational: Bonnie Welch	<a href="mailto:ausaregistrar@yahoo.com">ausaregistrar@yahoo.com</a>	706-425-9843

Signature

Date

Your signature indicates that you have read and understood the application process and your obligations as a sponsored family.