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Submitted on Fri, 04/03/2026 - 4:20pm

Submitted by: Anonymous

Submitted values are:

Part A – First Stage Evaluation

Eligibility

- The organization is a non-profit organization and/or charitable organization
- The organization operates within the City of Clarence-Rockland.
- This grant application pertains to a future initiative. (Retrospective funding is not considered).
- The grant will be spent during the current fiscal year and must be used for the sole purpose for which it was approved.
- This proposed initiative/activity will benefit the entire community of the City of Clarence-Rockland in an inclusive manner.
- We understand that the available amount in a calendar year is \$5,000 (monetary and in material and technical support, as determined by the Committee).
- We understand the reporting requirements that must be fulfilled by the last Friday of October in the year the grant was approved.
- We have liability insurance.
- We understand that additional documents may be requested (see list of documents in Financial Aid Section).

Confirmation

Yes

Part B - General Information

Contact name :

Audrey Bourgeois

Organization name :

Club optimiste de Bourget

Event name :

Soccer

Mailing Address (including Apt/Unit)

3549 Labelle Road
Bourget, Ontario. K0A 1E0
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optimistebourget@gmail.com

Is the initiative/activity for which you are applying emerging? (Existing for 3 years or less)

No

How many volunteers support your organization? Does this number of volunteers fulfill

your organizations needs?

Depending on activity 20-40

How many members does your organization currently have?

19

What is the mission and primary objective of your organization?

To organize activities for the children and teens in our community that are free. To offer support and to help the community and it's families.

How does/will the Clarence-Rockland community benefit from your organization's presence in the community?

The children have been benefiting and will continue to benefit from free activities that the optimism club organize such as our Halloween carnival, our winter carnival and our Christmas parade. The also benefit from our volunteer opportunities at our brunches and our grants offered to graduates. We also help our community schools with activities and offer snacks. We help the church, the snowsuit fund, the food bank and the library with donations.

Programs offered by your organization are primarily serving which demographic?

Children (below the age of 13), Youth (between the ages of 13-24)

What are the targets you wish to achieve through this initiative?

We would like to be able to offer the children of the community the opportunity to participate in activities otherwise not available.

How will you evaluate and measure these targets and outcomes? (check all that apply)

Participant survey, Feedback from social media site, Track increase/decrease in membership, Track increase/decrease in participation, Track increase/decrease in volunteerism

Please indicate what other sources of funding have been obtained or for which a request has been submitted:

Fundraising Events, Donations

Please provide details and amounts.

We organize brunches for Easter and Christmas that the people in the community attend. They are fundraising for our free activities. We also get donations from different businesses and organizations such as the Leisure committee of Bourget. The amounts vary according to attendance.

Do the goals and activities of the organization fall within at least one of the four charitable objectives categories? If so, which category is it?

Any other charitable purpose beneficial to the community

Has the organization been providing community charitable services consistent with its primary objectives for at least one year?

Yes

Has the organization been in existence for at least one year and can it demonstrate that it has engaged in charitable activities throughout the year?

Yes

Does the organization have an establishment in Ontario?

Yes

PART C – Financial Aid

Are you requesting Financial Funding?

Yes

Total amount of requested funding

5000

How will your organization be affected if the grant is not approved or if a reduced amount is granted?

We are looking to install soccer nets for the children of the community in the city of Clarence Rockland Park in Bourget for our soccer the is offered every summer by the optimism club of Bourget.

Is the allocation of administrative costs limited to more than 30% of our expenses? (No more than 30% of your expenses can be allocated to administrative costs.)

There are no administrative costs

This grant application is considered the primary source of funding for our organization:

No, it is not considered the primary source of funding.

Describe what you are seeking funding for and how you would specifically use the grant. If this initiative is related to an event(s) please provide the date(s) of the event(s).

We are looking to install soccer nets in the city of Clarence Rockland Park in Bourget. The soccer field is not currently being used since it do s not have nets. The optimism club would like to install nets and rent the field for our summer soccer league so the children of the community can profit from physical activity.

Who will directly benefit from this grant request? (include the estimated number of beneficiaries)

At least 150 kids every Tuesday not counting the rest of the community every other day of the week.

How will this grant funding aid your organization and the intended beneficiaries? (What changes or improvements will members, participants, or volunteers experience?)

The nets will aid in keeping the soccer league alive and thriving for the kids of our community. They no longer have access to the school yard for the league since the school is adding a nature section. The kids need a place to play the sport they enjoy. The city of Clarence Rockland have a beautiful soccer field that the club would live to rent but the nets are needed.

Please indicate what other sources of funding have been obtained or for which a request has been submitted:

Donations

Please provide details and amounts.

The Leisure club has donated 5000\$ for our soccer league. We are looking for funding of the same amount to install permanent soccer nets that we would be happy to maintain and take care of.

Please provide a report showing how the money will be used (e.g. activity budget, expense report, etc.).

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Part D – In-Kind Assistance

Are you requesting In-Kind Assistance?

No

Invitation to Mayor :

No

Mayor's Speech :

No

Invitation to Municipal Council Members :

No

Employees present during activity :

No

Part E - Confirmation of authorized representative(s).

Authorization

I have reviewed the entire request, and all information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and understanding., I am authorized to sign on behalf of this organization.

Name and title of the signing representative submitting this request for the Municipal Grants Program on behalf of your organization.

Audrey Bourgeois