

To Whom It May Concern:

Thank you for contacting the Nashua Elks Crusaders in regards to applying for financial assistance for the 2018 season. Attached is this season's Financial Assistance Application. In addition to completing this application, you must also include the required documentation for the Crusaders Board of Directors to review. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed or considered for approval for any financial assistance. Completed applications are to be mailed to:

Alexis Bouley
Treasurer
Nashua Crusaders
PO Box 7248
Nashua, NH 03063

The Crusaders Board of Directors will be reviewing and considering completed applications in accordance with the Prior Fiscal Year Income Limits for the City of Nashua. We will be approving only those with the greatest need. NEC has limited scholarship funds available, and regretfully will not be able to provide assistance to everyone who applies. NEC will, to the best of our ability provide either 100% or 50% scholarships for the registration fee. This year's registration fee is \$75 from March 1st to March 31st, \$99 from April 1st to May 31st and \$125 after June 1st.

In addition to the fundraising requirements for all participants, as a condition to accepting any financial assistance, all scholarship recipients will be required to sell an **additional five (5) on top of the required 10 Cash Calendars for the 1st child and an additional 5 items on top of the required (5)** for each additional child. Any participant that has not met all fundraising requirements by the second game of the season will be required to sit out of all practices and games until this obligation has been fulfilled.

****NEW 2018 – ANY Scholarship recipient that does NOT fulfill the mandatory fundraising for the 2018 season, (post season included) will NOT be eligible for a scholarship for the 2019 season and may be responsible for reimbursement of the 2018 season registration fee. ****

It is still the responsibility of any scholarship recipient to give a \$200 uniform deposit per child either by check or a debit/credit card. This deposit and registration fees (if applicable) will be due on the date of registration.

Any athlete that secures a 2018 Sponsor (any level) by date TBD will be exempt from 2018 regular season fundraising. – See sponsorship levels on our website

*Any registrations after **August 13th** will be required to buyout with the registration and uniform deposit. (scholarship included)*

Once it has been determined that you qualify for financial assistance, you will be notified by email or mail. After being deemed eligible you will then be responsible to pay the registration fee (if any) and required uniform deposit.

If you have any questions, please contact me at treasurernecl7@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Alexis Bouley

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Financial Aid Application

A. Personal Information

Parent/Guardian Name	
Complete Address	
Phone Number	Cell Phone Number
Email address	
1 st Participants Name	1 st Participant Age
2 nd Participants Name	2 nd Participant Age
3 rd Participants Name	3 rd Participant Age
4 th Participants Name	4 th Participant Age
Reason for Assistance:	

B. Please list all individuals living in your household and their income

Name	Date of Birth	Relationship	Income



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C. Required Income Documentation for all household income

Prior Year Federal Income Tax Return OR Four most recent income statements, including those from employer, unemployment, SSI, SSDI, NH DHHS, etc.

Please Initial:

_____ I certify that I have reviewed this information and it is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

_____ I also certify that, in addition to the fundraising requirements for all participants, I will also be required to sell an additional 5 Calendars, for the 1st child and an additional 5 items for each additional child, as a condition of accepting this assistance.

_____ In the event the additional fundraising commitments are not met, I understand that my child(ren) will not be allowed to continue to participate until I pay the additional registration fees.

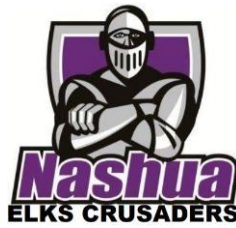
_____ I certify that if the mandatory numbers of 10 Discount cards for each athlete, and 10 calendars for the first and 5 additional for any sibling are not met I will not be eligible for a scholarship for the 2019 season and may have to pay the registration fee for 2018.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Executive Board Member Signature Title

Date



Financial Assistance Fundraising Agreement

Registration fees pay for approximately 1/3 of the per player expenses for each season. In order to keep registration costs down and keep the program functioning we require fundraising. There are two (2) MANDATORY fundraisers for the regular season and one (1) MANDATORY **post season fundraiser.

1. **Discount Cards** – Each Scholarship participants will sell a min of 10 with **no buy out option for scholarships** – prizes for 15&30 sold!

Will run August 2nd-23rd Money will be due on the 23rd -

Any non-scholarship registrations after August 1st will be required to buyout with the registration and uniform deposit.

2. **Cash Calendars** – Each scholarship participant will be required to sell 15 calendars

Siblings: 1st child is 15 calendars each additional child is 5.

Starts September 1st Money and calendars due September 23rd

3. TBD – Each Spirit and Tackle Football participant moving forward to regionals MUST participate in post season fundraising. This fundraiser will be determined on number of teams moving forward to regionals. ** Post season fundraising is only for the teams (football and spirit) forward to regionals. There is no “Buy Out” option for this fundraiser due to the fact that we cannot foresee which team/teams, if any will move forward to regionals.

Any participant that has not met all fundraising requirements will not be allowed to participate in any regional and/or national competition/game until the obligation has been fulfilled. They will not be eligible for a scholarship for the 2019 season and may have to pay the 2018 registration fee.

I, _____, parent/guardian of _____ understand and agree to the financial assistance fundraising terms. I, also understand and agree that if for any reason I/my child fail(s) to adhere to the terms of this agreement my child will not be able allowed to participant in any Nashua Crusaders practices, games, competitions and/or events until the fundraising terms are met. For more information, in regards to fundraising/financial aid please contact

Tony Paladino fundraising.crusaders@gmail.com or Alexis Bouley treasurerne17@gmail.com