

Purpose

The Chris Christiansen Youth Scholarship Fund of the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation was established in 1988. It assures that monies will always be available for youth. Only interest generated from the fund is used for scholarships. The fund was established for the purpose of providing youth with special financial needs the means to participate in activities sponsored by the Northwest Ottawa Recreation Authority (NORA).



Hector "Chris" Christiansen (1926-1993)

Chris Christiansen was the Director of Recreation for the Area Wide Recreation Department from 1954 to 1987. In 1989, the Grand Haven Area Wide Recreation Board (now Northwest Ottawa Recreation Authority - NORA) recognized Mr. Christiansen for his long time service, dedication, and development of many

youth activities in the Grand Haven Area and named the fund after him.

Amount of Scholarship

Financial assistance is provided to all youth that qualify for free or reduced lunch based on eligibility requirements through the Grand Haven Area Public Schools. Generally, the scholarship fund will cover half the cost of each activity. However, 100% of an activity may be covered. Also, youth with special financial needs, whether they qualify for free/reduced lunch or not, can use scholarship funds.

Additional Information

To donate to the Chris Christiansen Scholarship Fund, or for further information on available classes, contact the Northwest Ottawa Recreation Authority (NORA) at 616.850.5125 or stop by the Recreation Office, located at 1415 S. Beechtree Street in Grand Haven.



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Hector "Chris" Christiansen Youth Scholarship Application
NORTHWEST OTTAWA RECREATION AUTHORITY

Grand Haven Area Public Schools, 1415 S Beechtree Street, Grand Haven, MI 49417
Phone: 616/850.5125 Fax: 616/850.5127 Web: www.ghaps.org/nora

Child's Name _____ Age _____ Birthdate ____/____/____ School _____
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Parent(s) Name _____ (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ email _____

Approved for free or reduced lunch program thru GHAPS Check one Free lunch Reduced lunch
Approved for free or reduced lunch program from another: District Name _____

Copy of documentation enclosed: Yes No

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE RESIDENCE BOX

GH City GH Twp City Frsbkg Rob Twp Port Shldn Twp GHAPS (Other) SL (GH Schools) SL Twp(NR) SL Village(NR) Other (NR)

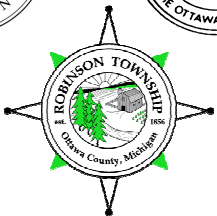


“No child shall ever be denied participation due to financial needs.”

The Northwest Ottawa Recreation Authority is a cooperative effort sponsored by the City of Grand Haven, Grand Haven Charter Township, Grand Haven Area Public Schools, City of Ferrysburg, and Robinson Township to provide quality recreation and leisure activities for our community. The program is administered by the Grand Haven Area Public Schools.



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Hector “Chris” Christiansen Youth Scholarship Donation Form
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- \$25-\$75 Donor
 - \$75-\$149 Sustaining
 - \$150-\$299 Youth Builder
 - \$300-\$499 Patron of Youth
 - \$500-\$999 Gold Triangle
 - \$1000-up President's Club
 - Other \$ _____
- Cash
- Check # _____
- Visa or Mastercard # _____ exp ____/____
- Signature _____
- Print Name _____
- Address _____ Phone _____
- Amount of Contribution \$ _____ enclosed

None Contribution is Tax Deductible. “No child shall ever be denied participation due to financial needs.”