

### Leisure Careers Foundation Scholarship Application

The Leisure Careers Foundation (LCF) of the Georgia Recreation and Park Association (GRPA), Inc. has established a scholarship program to assist professionals in the advancement of their professional development through nationally recognized Certifications and attendance of workshops, seminars and conferences.

#### Requirements:

- Be a professional member of GRPA in good standing
- Maximum reimbursement is \$200 of registration fee for a training course (workshops, seminars, conferences, etc.). Maximum reimbursement is \$260 of registration fee for nationally recognized certification (CPRP, CPRE, CYSA, CPSI, AFO, etc.)
- **Training course**: Only one LCF approved training course will be awarded per member/agency annually, however two people from the same agency can be approved for one course up to \$200 (i.e. two members from agency "A" apply for \$150 (\$300 total) training course and get approved, maximum reimbursement is \$200 total). **Nationally Recognized Certification**: No limit (per agency) on number of people that can be approved and receive \$260 maximum reimbursement (per guidelines). **No individual can be approved for more than ONE scholarship opportunity per year.**
- All applicants **MUST** be pre-approved before taking a course or certification. Pre-approved applicants have 1 calendar year to complete. Reimbursement will be awarded after receiving copy of registration fee (up to maximum allowance) and proof of attendance/competition. Any reimbursement documents must be received no later than 60 days after course/certification is complete to be eligible.
- Agency Director must sign your application.

The scholarship funding is designed to supplement the cost of training for those who would otherwise be unable to attend.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

GRPA Mbr Since: \_\_\_\_\_

GRPA Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this your first LCF request? \_\_\_\_\_ If no-when was the last: \_\_\_\_\_

Training Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Send application to the LCF Treasure

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