

Applications Due: December 20th



VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY: Gemstone Community Funds from United Way

Gemstone community users may be eligible for scholarship funding to help with up to 100% of their gym fees. To verify your eligibility, please attach the following:

_____ A complete copy of parent/guardian(s) last income tax return and the last two months of check stubs for parent(s).

_____ Medical Diagnosis Forms/Doctor documentation/note

_____ Climbers and/or parent/guardian(s) are recommended to write a letter explaining reason for need and indicate:

(For ease of processing, please provide a complete packet for each participant, even if information is duplicated for siblings.)

1. What do you love about this program at Gemstone?
2. How will this scholarship impact your life?
3. Would you be willing to volunteer to belay other climbers for the Gemstone Adaptive Program or aid any other program at Gemstone?
4. Any extenuating circumstances that have made this program unaffordable?
5. What funds are you applying for? List amount and what program(s) you will utilize.

Families who meet financial eligibility guidelines (based on the Idaho Federal Poverty Level) may be considered eligible for scholarship funding (up to 100% of the fees). Families that do not meet financial eligibility guidelines but demonstrate extenuating circumstances may be considered secondarily for scholarship funding up to half of the fees. To be considered, a brief written description of the extenuation circumstances must be attached to this application.

Completed scholarship application and verification forms must be submitted before services are provided. You will be notified mid-January of your awards.

Parent Signature _____ Date: _____

Gaurdian Signature _____ Date: _____

Participant's Signature _____ Date: _____