



**Robison Fund for Junior Programs**  
**Grant Application**  
**2021-22 Season**  
 Application for Juniors TRAVEL

The Richmond Volleyball Club (RVC) provides financial assistance (for registration fee, team fee, and travel expense) to help eligible youth participate in our volleyball programs.

**Eligibility**

To be eligible for assistance, a child must:

Qualify for or be currently receiving assistance from one or more of the programs listed below:	AND	Meet each of the criteria below:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Free or reduced school lunch</li> <li>• Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)</li> <li>• Aid for Dependent Children</li> <li>• Foster Care</li> <li>• Medicaid</li> <li>• Certain other extenuating circumstances</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be enrolled in school (kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade)</li> <li>• Commit to attending all practices and tournaments unless excused</li> <li>• RVC account must remain in good standing</li> </ul>

Priority may be given to eligible youth having played with RVC in the previous season.

**To Apply**

1. Applications will be accepted until all grants are dispersed.
2. **Parent or Guardian:** Complete the application on the reverse page. Ensure that the application has been signed by applicant. Attach official documents verifying the child is receiving aid. If such documents are not available, a school employee, social worker, or case worker must sign the form to verify eligibility.
3. If you have more than one child applying, please complete a separate application form for each child.

After eligible applicants are confirmed, selected applicants will be notified before their tryout session.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (804) 358-3000 or [rvc@rvc.net](mailto:rvc@rvc.net).

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Athlete's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Athlete's Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Number of siblings at RVC \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (First, Last) \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

RVC team played on last season (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION NECESSARY TO EVALUATE FINANCIAL NEED

**Status (circle one):** Single Married Divorced/Separated **Rent/Own?** Rent Own

**Monthly mortgage or rent payment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Annual Household Income** 2020: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 2021: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (estimated)

How much can your family afford to pay per month from October 2021 – September 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 to play for Richmond Volleyball Club this season? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe any material differences in the expected income of the family in 2019/2020 as compared to the previous two years (e.g., loss of job, any additional expenditures for siblings, medical bills, etc.):

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Athletes and/or their families receiving financial assistance are expected to provide community service to RVC during the season in which they receive assistance. RVC is a 501(c)3 nonprofit and service may meet school requirements as well. Service may consist of assistance in the concession area, grounds maintenance, referee responsibilities, RVC special event staff, etc. What availability (hours/days of the week) does the athlete have and/or what availability do the parents/guardians have?

## INFORMATION NECESSARY TO EVALUATE ELIGIBILITY

Please attach 1 reference letter (teacher, former coach, etc.) attesting to the character of the athlete.

Please attach essay of 500 words or less describing why playing volleyball in general and at the Richmond Volleyball Club in particular are important to you. After the essay, please include any extracurricular activities you do outside of Richmond Volleyball Club. The essay should be completed by the athlete applying for financial aid.

Please attach documentation currently available, if any, demonstrating financial need.

**PLEASE MAIL OR BRING ALL APPLICATIONS IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO THE ADDRESS BELOW**

Athlete Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_