

# THE TOM MYERS SPORTSMANS BANQUET sponsored by Great Wisconsin Cheese Festival 2025 GRANT APPLICATION



<u>Sportsmans Banquet / GWCF Donation Guidelines</u> - Please review our mission, values, operating principles, and funding limitations as they appear on this page before considering which of our program areas applies to your organization.

<u>Mission</u> – Give back to the Village of Little Chute and Little Chute Community organizations. Investing the proceeds from The Tom Myers Sportsman Banquet in the Village of Little Chute to enhance the quality of life within the Village.

<u>Values</u> - In carrying out our mission and making choices about how to invest our grant making dollars, we are guided in our selection process by our results-based orientation and by several overarching values. The following values are our priorities; supporting activities that enrich the lives of youth through extracurricular activities, enhance leadership skills, scholarships, civic groups, and non-profits.

#### **Committee's Operating Principals:**

- Seeks to increase meaningful access for Little Chute residents to quality programs, institutions, and resources, both public and private;
- Supports efforts that help Little Chute organizations build and preserve self-sufficiency;
- Encourages innovation and funds programs and organizations that provide high-quality services based on best practices in their field;
- Has an interest in supporting programs that serve vulnerable populations, in particular children and the less fortunate.

#### **Funding Limitations**

While we have limited funds available, if, after reviewing our guidelines and grants lists, you believe that your work and the results you can already document achieving are directly and measurably in line with the Sportsmans Banquet / GWCF priorities, we want to know about what you are doing via a Letter of Inquiry submitted by mail to Sportsman Banquet / GWCF, P.O. Box 221, Little Chute, WI 54140.

#### **General Limitations**

- We do not make grants to individuals for any purpose other than Little Chute area school district scholarships.
- We prefer to grant requests from organizations and programs operated within the Village of Little Chute.
- We do not fund budget deficits.
- Exceptions to this policy can be made through a unanimous vote from the board.

#### **Grant Submittal & Timeline**

Grant requests should be submitted **no later than Tuesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>**. Applicants are required to fill out the application form. If the application form is not submitted, your grant request will not be reviewed. Supplemental information and pictures are allowed. Grant requests can be submitted via mail to Sportsmans Banquet / GWCF, P.O. Box 221, Little Chute, WI 54140. To submit via email, contact Donna at 920-423-3869.

If you are approved for a grant, you will have until April 15 of the following year to submit your proof of project completion and request your funds. If a grant extension is needed, a formal letter of request including the reasoning for your extension must be submitted to the committee by April 15 of the following year. The committee will allow for projects to be extended for up to 1 additional year if the committee deems it appropriate.



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### 2025 Application Form

Applicant Information			
First and Last Name of Applicant:			
Mailing Address:			
City: State:			
Phone Number:			
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Is your organization not for profit?: (Please circle of Street Address:	ne) YES	NO	
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