



February 1, 2013

Erin Bell

KPGA Foundation

Golf House Kentucky

1116 Elmore Just Drive

Louisville, KY 40245

Dear Ms. Bell,

Enclosed is the 2013 KPGA Foundation Assistance Application for Special Olympics Kentucky. Thank you for the opportunity to apply for this important grant.

Special Olympics Kentucky receives no government assistance and all our programs are financed by special event monies and private and corporate contributions. We strengthen the lives of over 6,000 children and adults with intellectual disabilities from around the state of Kentucky through the power of sports.

We appreciate your help in this endeavor.

Thank you again for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Camille Allen". The script is fluid and cursive.

Camille Allen

Program Director for Individual Sports

Special Olympics Kentucky

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KPGA Foundation Assistance Application

Each year funds from the KPGA Foundation are granted to deserving programs across the state of Kentucky, which offer scholarships, provide clubs for kids, educate individuals about the game of golf, promote the development of golf for seniors, juniors and women and provide opportunities for golf instruction. **The Assistance Application deadline is February 15, 2013.** Each program that is granted funds is required to complete a Grant Report Form and return it along with any supporting materials (i.e. curriculum, applications, media coverage, photos, etc.). Failure to return a completed Grant Report Form by October 1, 2013 may result in the denial of all future requests for assistance, as well as, reporting the failure to the KPGA Membership.

Date: February 1, 2013 Phone: 502-695-8222

Email: callen@soky.org

Program Name: Special Olympics Kentucky

Contact Name: Camille Allen Title: Program Director

Mailing Address: 105 Lakeview Ct. Frankfort, KY 40601

Amount Requested: \$2,000 Date Funds Needed: July 1, 2013

1) How will the funds be utilized?

The funds will help finance the Special Olympics golf program including but not limited to, clinic and
tournament costs, facility usage fess, equipment, supplies, and awards for the participants.

2) Please describe the nature and mission of the program.

Special Olympics provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-
type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to
develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills
and friendship with their families, other athletes and the community.

3) How is the program structured (i.e. classes, clinics, tournaments) and what is the length of the program?

The Special Olympics golf season runs from June to August. Two 5-class clinics are offered to golfers in
Lexington and Louisville. There are two regional and one state competition during the season.

4) Where is the program held?

Participants in the SOKY golf program come from across the state. However, most of our events are held in Louisville, Lexington, and Northern Kentucky due to the high number of golfers from those areas.

5) How many participants does the program have or how many do you anticipate?

In 2012, the SOKY program had 76 athlete participants and 24 unified partner participants. We expect these numbers to grow as they do every year.

6) Describe the composition and background of participants (age, socio-economic background, gender, golf skill).

Participants in SOKY come from all socioeconomic backgrounds. Most golfers are between the ages of 8-55 but we have a few unified partners in their 60's. We offer events for low ability golfers in our skills competitions and we offer course play to our more seasoned individual golfers and team golfers. Last year, we had 26 female participants and 74 male participants.

7) Please list two references we may contact about your application. Please include full name, address, phone number and relationship to the program.

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Clinic and tournament held at Shawnee	state tournament held at Lindsey Golf Course

8) Give a suggested date for a KPGA Foundation representative to visit the program:

A rep can visit the state office any day M-F. The golf tournament dates are still TBD but will be in July/August.

Please return to: KPGA Foundation
Attn: Erin Bell, Director Communications-Membership
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