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**City of Birmingham Rockets Assisted Funding Information**

We recognise that the current economic situation is causing financial challenges for many families. As a result, we have enhanced the City of Birmingham Rockets Basketball Assisted Funding Scheme. The fund, whilst not large, will go some small way to supporting those most in need and ensure they can continue their passion of playing basketball at the club.

We welcome applications via our official process detailed below. Applicants may apply to the fund for support to offset costs of club subscriptions and membership payments.

Priority will be given to participants who meet the following criteria:

- Club members

- Be eligible for free school meals

Meeting these criteria does not guarantee assistance. The fund is limited and unfortunately, we will not be able to grant every application. Each application will be assessed on its individual merits and the decision of the panel will be final. Therefore, no appeals will be heard.

**What we will fund**

For successful applicants, the fund will support a range of costs which are listed below:

Full Annual Performance Programme Fees = £600

50% x Annual Performance Programme Fees = £300

25% x Annual Performance Programme Fees = £150

10% x Annual Performance Programme Fees = £60

Annual Community Membership Fees = £50

Annual Community Fees = £230

**What do we not fund?**

We will not fund any items not listed above. We are unable to support / offset any historical payments and support will only be given towards future costs. We are not able to support any non-club related costs.

**How to Apply**

Please complete the City of Birmingham Rockets Assisted Funding application form below:

Player Name:

Team / Session Attended:

Address:

Date of Birth:

Parent / Applicant Name:

Relationship to Player:

Mobile Number:

Email Address:

Reason for Application – Please detail the support required and reasons for application. Any information provided will be treated sensitively and confidentially. Please attach any information / evidence you feel appropriate and supportive of your application:

Please email to [kirk.dawes@cobrockets.co.uk](mailto:kirk.dawes@cobrockets.co.uk)

Applications will be reviewed panel on a monthly basis.

Applicants will be notified directly if they have been successful.