



## **Youth Committee's Travel Grant Program San Diego Imperial Association**



### **History of Grant**

The grant program was established in December 2017 by the Youth Committee. First incorporated into the budget for the 2018 competition year, the program's primary purpose is to provide assistance to athletes to offset travel expenses related to USATF track and field, cross country and multi-event championship competitions. \$3,002.80 was disbursed to 14 athletes, representing 3 clubs in the first year.

### **Information about the Grant Program**

\$3000.00 has been designated for the second year of the program. Allowable expenses include, meet fees, housing, transportation and meals. \$2000.00 and \$1000.00 has been allotted for track and field to include multi-events and cross country respectfully.

- It is anticipated in future years, the amounts will be adjusted to reflect athlete participation numbers for the three sport disciplines noted above.
- The amount of each grant will depend upon the total number of persons applying for travel assistance.
- Grant to be distributed upon competition of a championship meet. Copies of receipts are required.
- In the event, there are limited number of applicants applying for travel assistance to attend a national competition then the Youth Committee will consider athlete's travel application to Region 15 Junior Olympic competitions when the meet is hosted by the Southern California, Nevada or Hawaii Associations

### **Eligibility & Application**

- An athlete must be a member in good standing with USATF (United States of America Track & Field)
- An athlete must be a member of a San Diego-Imperial Club in good standing.
- An athlete must use the grant for one of the four (4) national championships meets (Youth Indoor, Junior Olympic Track & Field, Youth Nationals and Junior Olympic Cross Country (see exceptions listed above).
- All club coaches and administrators must have successfully passed background screening and complied with SafeSport requirements.
- A club must designate a minimum of ten (10) volunteers to the Run, Jump & Throw Meets and Association Junior Olympic Championships to qualify for funds.
- An application must be submitted on behalf of an athlete by a club affiliated with the Youth Committee. Clubs not actively participating with the Youth Committee will not be eligible for consideration. A parent may submit on behalf of their child with the knowledge and permission of the club coach or administrator.





## 2019 Youth Committee's Travel Grant Application San Diego Imperial Association

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mobile  Home Email Address

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach/Club Administrator Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name

Parent Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mobile  Home

Parent Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Event: **(Pick One)**  National Junior Olympic Cross Country Championships  
 Other

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### Statement to Applicant:

I understand in consideration of my application for a travel grant through the Youth Committee of the San Diego Imperial Association verification of information to ensure the applicant has a current USATF membership and the club is in good standing will be conducted. Submission of an application does not guarantee any funds will be disbursed. Funds are subject to availability. Competition results will be verified and copies of receipts will be required before a check is disbursed.

Signed Acknowledgment: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit Application with receipts by 11:59PM, December 30, 2019 to the Youth Chair:  
Youth@sandiego.usatf.org**