



### Canada Soccer Grassroots Soccer Fests



Provincially affiliated soccer clubs may apply by filling out the online application form that will open in late-February.

Once your application has been received it is reviewed and your club then must be approved by your provincial Member Association prior to confirming your participation in the program.

If your application has successfully been granted you will receive a notice, via email, from Canada Soccer detailing your grant and the conditions, you will be required to sign this and email or fax it back.

In addition to this, a conference call will be arranged to review your application and the program, we will also address any questions you may have during this call.

Approximately two weeks from your festival date we will ship your festival kit to you.

Your festival kit includes a set of banners, which are to be returned as soon as your festival is completed, your first installment of your grant, participation certificates as well as other items provided by our partners. In order to receive your second grant installment, you are required to return the complete set of banners, fill out an evaluation form which can be found online and submit at least 10 event photos that clearly display our partners' banners.

#### FAQ

**Q:** Who can apply to host a Canada Soccer Grassroots Soccer Fest?

**A:** All soccer clubs that are in good standing with their provincial Member Association may apply.

**Q:** When will I be notified if my application has been approved?

**A:** You will receive an email notifying you your application has been approved.

**Q:** How much will my grant be?

**A:** Grants vary based on factors outlined in your application.

**Q:** Are there specific requirements on how my grant must be used?

**A:** No, however we suggest that your grant be put towards items that add value to your festival.

**Q:** What is included in the festival kit?



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**A:** A complete banner set (which must be returned), participation certificates, as well as other premiums provided by our partners.

**Q:** How do I receive my full grant?

**A:** You will receive your grant in two installments. The first half will be sent to you prior your festival. The second half will be issued once the banners have been returned and a festival evaluation has been completed, which includes uploading at least 10 photos. We encourage clubs to receive their grant payments through an electronic funds transfer (EFT). Cheque payments are still available for clubs who do not have EFT set up.



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