



Request for Proposals (RFP)

Frequently Asked Questions

1) Is the North Shore Junior Woman's Club (NSJWC) affiliated with the Junior League?

No. It is part of the Greater Federated Women's Clubs of America and the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs. For general information please read the Web site thoroughly.

2) Is the NSJWC a religious organization?

No. Our group is made up of women of many faith backgrounds and has no religious affiliation.

3) Is this an application for a grant from the NSJWC?

Not exactly. This is an application for a two-year partnership culminating in a co-hosted special benefit for the chosen organization. NSJWC members want the chosen organization to benefit in many ways via its volunteer participation, its service projects as directed by the organization, and materially. Please refer to the RFP document for more information about the purpose of the proposed partnership.

4) What if I have questions about the proposal?

Please send an e-mail to: nsjwc@yahoo.com and someone will do her best to get back to you within 24-48 hours.

5) What if we do not need any volunteers or have no other ways to engage Juniors members?

Then this is probably not a good partnership for your organization. Juniors want to help an organization become stronger and more self-sustaining in the long run in a variety of ways.

6) What kinds of volunteer activities could Juniors do?

Juniors are diverse in their work and life experience backgrounds. They range in age from their 20s to 60s. Their availability for volunteer efforts varies depending on the time of year and other factors. Juniors are looking to make a meaningful volunteer contribution where there is a good

match between the organization's needs, Juniors' skills and availability. The club usually has between 20 and 30 active members at any given time.

7) What is the best way to get the application to NSJWC?

E-mail is the preferred method of delivery. If you must mail it please send it to the address listed in the RFP. If you must send part of your application via e-mail and part of it via US mail, please label all pages carefully so that we may match them correctly.

8) How will we find out if we are chosen?

All applicants will be notified by mail or e-mail of our receipt of your application. We will also notify each organization via US mail of our decision. Please see the timeline on the RFP for more details and dates.

9) How much money will be raised at the special event?

Every event has been different, but in recent years the total has varied between \$5,000 and \$10,000. Every organization has benefited from the publicity, greater name recognition and increased community awareness that the event and its promotion has generated.