

RecAssist for Individuals & Families APPLICATION



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

RecAssist is a financial assistance program designed to help provide access to Monmouth County Park System programs and activities for county residents that qualify for a fee discount based on income restrictions.

A wide range of Park System programs and camps are offered to participants at a discount of 25%. Additional subsidies may be available through Friends of the Parks. A limited number of programs are ineligible for discount.

Adult participants are provided with a RecPass ID, enabling individuals and families FREE access to the following activities:

- Seven Presidents Oceanfront entrance
- Cross-country ski and snowshoe rentals
- Open Shoot Archery
- Boat rentals at Thompson Park, Turkey Swamp Park, and Manasquan Reservoir
- Monmouth County Fair

For more information contact: RecAssist@monmouthcountyparks.com

ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

Funds are limited, and therefore guidelines have been established to determine household eligibility.

Applicants must be residents of Monmouth County. Proof of residency is required, for example, a copy of a lease or utility bill.

Residents participating in one or more of the below government assistance programs would be deemed eligible for RecAssist:

- NJ Family Care/Medicaid
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- NJ Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)
- Recommendation from Social Worker/County Human Services Worker

Proof of participation in one or more of the above programs must be provided when application is submitted. Please send copies and do not send originals.

RecAssist eligibility is valid for one (1) calendar year and must be renewed annually.

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QUICK FACTS

Applications will be reviewed confidentially by Park System staff. Supporting documents will be destroyed and not stored once the application process is complete.

Check website for program offerings and important dates: www.monmouthcountyparks.com.

Programs and summer camps led by non-Park System agencies and third-party vendors are not currently eligible for discounts.

To receive your discount, registration must be done in-person or by telephone.

In-person registration can be made Monday-Friday between the hours of 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at:

Monmouth County Park System
805 Newman Springs Road
Lincroft, NJ 07738
(Reservations/Headquarters Building)

Telephone: 732-842-4000, ext. 1

Payment can be made with cash, credit card (Visa/Mastercard/Discover), or by check made out to "Board of Recreation Commissioners".

RecAssist can be used for all members in a household that are listed on the application.

Approved households will also be eligible to register for the Wild Adventure Travel Camp, Camp Academy, and Camp Scholarships. Contact Community Recreation for information: 732-834-9606.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications can be obtained by contacting RecAssist@monmouthcountyparks.com.

Mail application to:

Monmouth County Park System
805 Newman Springs Road
Lincroft, NJ 07738
Attn: RecAssist

Please blackout social security numbers.

Adults (18+), parents, or legal guardians of the household must submit individual applications. Children can be listed on one application with guardian. Household applications can be submitted together with supporting documentation.

Applicants will receive an update by e-mail when the approval process is completed. RecAssist permit numbers will be provided and are required for participant to receive applicable discounts. Please expect up to two (2) weeks for processing.

RecPass IDs are available for those wishing to gain access to free rentals and wave fees for additional activities. Photos required; to schedule an appointment, contact: RecAssist@monmouthcountyparks.com.

We look forward to seeing you in the parks!

RecAssist for Individuals & Families FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION



PLEASE PRINT

Full Name: First _____ Last _____ M.I. _____

Address: Street Address _____ Apartment/Unit # _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

FAMILY MEMBERS

Child 1: _____ Birthdate: _____

Child 2: _____ Birthdate: _____

Child 3: _____ Birthdate: _____

Child 4: _____ Birthdate: _____

What benefits are you and/or your family members receiving?

(Select all that apply)

- NJ Family Care/Medicaid
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- NJ Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
- Recommendation from Social Worker/County Human Services Worker

Your approval documentation must be dated within the past 12 months. Please submit copies of documents for the programs you have selected above. Do not send originals.

Disclaimer and Signature

I hereby certify that the information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I grant permission to Monmouth County Park System to verify this information. I understand that omissions, misstatements, and falsifications will result in the denial of this application.

Adult Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date _____

Please return completed application by e-mail: RecAssist@monmouthcountyparks.com; or by standard mail or in-person drop box at Monmouth County Park System, 805 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft, NJ 07738.

For Office Use

RecAssist Eligibility Code:

Date Received: _____

Approved

Denied

Administrative Signature: _____