Sports for Kids Timmins 2026 Progress Report



"STAYING ACTIVE, HEALTHY, AND HAPPY!"

Sports for Kids Timmins is a local charity that helps Timmins children from low-income families play organized sport. In 2026, we helped 111 children participate in 195 different sports activities and equipment for a total amount granted of $45,895.89. Since our inception in 2002, we have granted $1,090,647.09 to help 3670 children in 6259 organized sports in Timmins.

We grant up to $450.00 per child for 2026 with the allowance of 3-vouchers or $450.00 whichever comes first who have gross income thresholds for 2026 of the following: 1 child $49,000.00, 2- children $53,000.00, 3-children $56,000.00 and 4 or more children to $60,000.00 gross income per family to allow us to help more children. For 2026, we had budgeted $60,000.00 to help more children play organized sports but with the economy many families have chosen not to register their children in sports as down 25 applicants and $10390.19. We have increased our partnerships for 2027 to 36 local sports organizations offering more opportunities and varieties in sports and have raised our granted amount t0 $500.00 for 2027.

The dollar amounts allocated to Timmins children reflect the significant need for Sports for Kids Timmins within our community. Sports for Kids Timmins strives to make a difference in Timmins through the direct issuance of registration and equipment grants to modest and low-income families.

The *Sports for Kids Timmins* mandate is to focus on creating conditions that enable and support children and youth to participate in sports, recreation and physical activities. This includes eliminating a range of barriers so kids can engage in play and thus receive all the benefits associated with constructive sport and recreation opportunities. ***Sports for Kids Timmins*** believes that because sport, recreation and physical activity provide documented substantive social, educational and health benefits, they must be accessible to all kids, and that no child/youth should be denied the tremendous associated benefits.

Our mission is to help the children and youth of Timmins 4-18 years of age, to overcome social and economic barriers, which have prevented or limited their participation in sport, recreation and physical activity, by issuing direct financial subsidies/grants covering the cost of registration fees and the purchase of equipment. All funds raised were used to assist in funding children from low-income families in Timmins. **Our Vision:** Our community is one in which sport, recreation and physical activities are accessible to everyone; involvement is highly valued; all children should reap the sport benefits and opportunities of participation in the activities and programs of his or her choice. Every young person who has a desire to participate is included.

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These charts show the demographics of those children who applied for vouchers to Sports for Kids Timmins in 2026.







