



ABA SMALL GRANT

Effective January 1, 2024

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ABA National President

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Chief Operating Officer

Overview

Effective January 1, 2024, The ABA has grants available in the amounts of \$250 - \$500 from the allocation of proceeds from the 11:00am BBO online games.

Grants to be used for:

- Class materials and instructor stipends
- Director training and fees
- Offer to New Players 1 Free play at their first National Tournament attended. (National incentive)
- Purchase of bridge supplies/items needed to host face-to-face games.
- Pay for on-line continuing education fees for new students who join the ABA (*as described in the Bridge Education program*).
- Reduced sanction fees for the second Sectional in any Section.
- Reduced sanction fees for hosting a Grade A and B tournament.
- Incentive monies for recruitment
- Leadership Training/Development

Criteria:

Who may apply? An ABA club or unit that:

- Is financially sound* on National and Sectional level.
- Hosts face-to-face games weekly.
- Has/offers continuing education classes for new and existing members or encourages attendance at an ABA online class.
- Has members willing to attend Teacher Certification or Director Certification classes.

How often can an application be submitted:

- One application per club/unit per calendar year.

*Charter fee, National and Sectional dues are paid.

Application:

Refer to the ABA website for an Application,
Contact the ABA National Office for an Application, or
Contact your Sectional SVP

Submitted by:

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Section 1: Applicant Information

1.1. **Club or Unit Name:**

1.2. **Section:**

1.3. **Contact Person (if applicable):**

1.4. **Contact Person's Title:**

1.5. **Mailing Address:**

- Street Address:
- City:
- State/Province:
- ZIP/Postal Code:

1.6. **Phone Number:**

1.7. **Email Address:**

Section 2: Project Details

2.1. **Project Description:**

- Provide a brief overview of your project, including its objectives, activities, and its expected impact.

2.2. **Target Audience or Beneficiaries:**

2.3. **Location of Project (if applicable):**

- Specify the geographical area or region where the project will be implemented.

2.4. **Project Budget:**

- Total Budget for the Project:
- Amount Requested:

Section 3: Goals and Objectives

3.1. **What are the specific goals and objectives of your project or initiative?**

3.2. **How do you plan to measure the success of your project?**

Section 4: Additional Information

4.1. Please provide any additional information, attachments, or documents that support your application. This may include project proposals, budgets, letters of support, or any other relevant materials.

Section 5: Acknowledgment and Consent

5.1. I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that incomplete or false information may result in the rejection of this application.

- I Agree (*signature*)
- Date:

Section 6: Submission

Send completed form and additional documents to (email or mail):

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Atlanta, GA 30315
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