

## **MAYSA Financial Aid Program**

To ensure that every child has the opportunity to participate in our activities regardless of socio-economic status, MAYSA pledges the following:

- Actively work with US Youth Soccer's Soccer Start Program and WYSA to develop Soccer Start Programs in the Madison area.
- Work with WYSA and US Youth Soccer's Soccer Start Program to provide player insurance, coaching development, and other resources to already established programs geared toward children in under-served and socio-economically disadvantaged places.
- Notify clubs of grant opportunities and assist with grant applications.
- Waive a portion of MAYSA team registration dues for teams with players who qualify for the free/reduced lunch program. The waiver would be applied when clubs register their teams with MAYSA (in July for year-round and fall-only registration and February for spring-only registration).
  - MAYSA will waive \$15 per in-house player, \$20 per recreational player, and \$25 per classic and state league player who qualifies for the free/reduced lunch program;
  - The cost of these waivers would be offset by the interest MAYSA accrues as well as donations from the community.