



## Becoming an Oilmen's Recipient

The Bonnyville Oilmen's Society uses and maintains an annual recipient list to keep record of groups and organizations that have requested funding assistance. From this list the society can then decide which groups qualify and can be helped through donation and/or by providing support at a society event. Our mandate is to promote and provide educational, recreational, and athletic facilities and equipment for the use and benefit of the children and citizens of the community. Provided your group fits within our criteria, and your group would like to be a recipient, your group must make a presentation to the society at one of our general meetings.

Your presentation should include:

- Details about your group such as purpose, area served, numbers of participants, years in existence, and your group's history.
- Details about the funding such as how much you require and what it will be used for, other fundraising activities you have tried or plan to try, and who will benefit from the funding.
- An explanation of how your group would benefit from the funding.

At the end of your presentation there will be a question period. Be prepared to answer questions like:

- Is your group prepared to work at a society event and if so, how many people would be available to help?
- Have you looked into obtaining government financial support for your group?
- How will your group benefit from the funding?
- Is there a date that you must have the funding in place by?

A presentation does not guarantee a spot on the recipient list. In the event your group receives funding from the society as a donation/recipient, or one year has passed since your presentation, your group's name will be removed from the list and a new presentation is required as your application to once again have your group be placed on the recipient list.

If you wish to proceed with a presentation to apply for admission onto the society recipient list please contact a society member or email [info@bonnyvilleoilmens.net](mailto:info@bonnyvilleoilmens.net) to schedule a spot at one of our general meetings. Presentation spaces are limited so please book as far in advance as possible for your requirements.