*Note – Survey available in Chinese and Spanish as well, upon request to Fair Play for Girls in Sports.
Survey can be conducted through a tool such as SurveyMonkey, in person (pen/paper), and should be distributed widely to those girls playing sports as well as those not traditionally involved / playing who may not feel welcome based on current offerings. A small incentive such as a voucher for a sports class, coffee / tea gift card, or registration fee waiver can help to increase participation. Contact* *fairplay@legalaidatwork.org* *with questions. Consult an attorney for legal advice regarding any specific situation – this survey sample does not constitute any type of legal advice. Thank you!*

Girls’ Sports Survey

*Recreation & Park Department wants to help more girls get more involved in sports.* ***This anonymous, 3-minute survey is for parents/caregivers of girls under age 18 who live or play in the community.*** *Feel free to work together with the girls in your home to answer the survey. Please take one survey per household.*

***Thank you*** *for participating! At the end of the survey,* ***you can enter to win a drawing for a Starbucks gift card****!*

1. **How many girls under age 18 currently live in your home?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **What sports have the girls in your home played in the last 12 months?** (Choose all that apply)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| * + Volleyball
 | * + Gymnastics/tumbling
 |
| * + Track and field/cross country
 | * + Field hockey
 |
| * + Tennis
 | * + Crew/rowing
 |
| * + Swim/diving
 | * + Basketball
 |
| * + Softball
 | * + Baseball/T-ball
 |
| * + Soccer
 | * + None of the above
 |
| * + Lacrosse
 |  |
| * + Other (please describe): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 |  |

1. **What sports are the girls in your home most interested in playing now or in the future?** (Choose all that apply)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| * + Volleyball
 | * + Gymnastics/tumbling
 |
| * + Track and field/cross country
 | * + Field hockey
 |
| * + Tennis
 | * + Crew/rowing
 |
| * + Swim/diving
 | * + Basketball
 |
| * + Softball
 | * + Baseball/T-ball
 |
| * + Soccer
 | * + None/Not interested in sports
 |
| * + Lacrosse
 |  |
| * + Other (please describe): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 |  |

1. **What would most help the girls in your home start or increase their involvement in sports?** (Choose all that apply)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| * + Being able to play with friends
	+ Girls-only teams/leagues
	+ Female coaches
	+ Convenient scheduling of practice/game times
	+ Convenient location of fields/facilities
	+ Transportation to get to practices/games
	+ Other (please describe): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 | * + Adequate staffing at practices/games
	+ Low cost or financial aid
	+ Information about girls sports and sign-ups (e.g., easy to find, offered in multiple languages)
	+ Easy sign-up/registration process (e.g., online and in-person)
	+ Variety of levels to play (e.g., fundamental development classes, clinics, recreational, competitive)
	+ None/Not interested in sports
 |

1. **Have the girls in your home ever played sports through the following organizations?** (Choose all that apply)
	* Recreation & Parks league (e.g., Girls Volleyball League, Little League)
	* Community organization (e.g., YMCA, Boys and Girls Club)
	* Independent sports league (e.g., MicroSoccer, CYO)
	* School team
	* None of the above
	* Not sure
	* Other (please describe): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **Have the girls in your home had any difficulties playing sports run by or hosted through Recreation & Parks in the past?**
	* Don’t know/Not applicable
	* No
	* Yes (please describe): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*The next questions are* ***optional*** *but important. Your answers will help us better understand the girls represented in this survey and how we can better meet the needs of all girls.*

1. **Which of the following best describes the race/ethnicity of the girls in your home?** (Choose all that apply)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| * + African American/Black
	+ American Indian or Alaska Native
	+ Asian
	+ Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish
	+ Prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 | * Middle Eastern or Northern African
* Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
* White
* Prefer not to say
 |

1. **How old are the girls in your home?** (Choose all that apply)

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| * + 0-3 years
 | * + 12-14 years
 | * + 10-12 years
 |
| * + 4-5 years
 | * + 15-17 years
 | * + 13-15 years
 |
| * + 6-8 years
	+ 9-11 years
 | * + Prefer not to say
 | * + 16-17 years
 |

1. **What zip code do you currently live in?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **Would you like to do either of the following?** (Choose all that apply)
	* Be included in the drawing for a Starbucks gift card (give contact info. below)
	* Receive information about girls’ sports from Recreation & Parks (give contact info. below)

**If yes, please give your email address and/or mobile phone number (Optional):**

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