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OPEN DOORS OFFICE HOURS AND CONTACT INFORMATION

THERE WILL BE SOMEONE IN THE OFFICE TO ANSWER FINANCIAL AID QUESTIONS ON:

MONDAY – THURSDAY 10 AM TO 2 PM

ANY OTHER TIME YOU MAY CALL OR SEND AN EMAIL AS WE ARE IN AND OUT OF THE OFFICE.

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EASTON FAMILY YMCA

A Branch of the YMCA of the Chesapeake
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The YMCA of the Chesapeake is a non-profit, Christian based organization committed to helping people reach their full potential in spirit, mind and body. You may turn in your Open Doors application at any one of our ten locations: Easton Family YMCA at Peach Blossom, Easton Family YMCA at Washington, St Michael's Family YMCA, Caroline County Family YMCA, Queen Anne's County Family YMCA, Pauline F. and W. David Robbins Family YMCA, Cecil Family YMCA, Richard A. Henson Family YMCA, Lower Shore Family YMCA and Chincoteague Island Family YMCA. We are here to serve all ages, backgrounds, abilities and incomes. We are a community-based organization with a focus on Youth Development, Healthy Living and Social Responsibility. We believe that our program and services should be available to everyone. That is why we offer the Open Doors program. The Open Doors program is a sliding fee scale that is designed to fit each individual's financial situation. We believe that a strong sense of ownership and pride is developed if the recipient has contributed to the cost of their membership/programming, therefore you will be asked to pay some portion of the fees.

The funds available for Open Doors are made possible through the generosity of our members, volunteers and community donors in the Annual Campaign. The YMCA of the Chesapeake requires that individuals provide the requested information on the attached form regarding income, family size and necessary expenses so that the financial assistance can be provided in a fair and consistent manner. All information will be kept confidential. The Y also requires that you reapply annually in order to keep information on the application updated. Your fees are subject to increase when you reapply. If you do not reapply when requested, your enrollment may be terminated.

Please allow 10-14 days for us to process your application. You will be notified by telephone, email or letter if your application has been approved or if you need to submit additional information. All Y members can feel great knowing that they are involved in an organization that cares greatly for the health and well-being of people and is committed to building strong kids, strong families and strong communities.

For questions or additional information please contact:

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