

GOLDEN CIRCLE CLUB

CHARTER FUNDS



BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2001



New Club Building Team

Charters a Golden Circle Club With 30 to 39 Members Team Shares \$1,000

Charters a Golden Circle Club With 40 to 49 Members Team Shares \$1,500

Charters a Golden Circle Club With 50+ Members Team Shares \$2,000

New Club Development Team

If Club is at Charter Strength or Better At one-year Anniversary Team Shares \$1,000

If Club is at Charter Strength or Better At one-year Anniversary Team Shares \$1,500

If Club is at Charter Strength or Better At one-year Anniversary Team Shares \$2,000



Charter Funds Golden Circle Club

The Golden Circle Club Charter Funds is designed to motivate the club building and development team's members to charter and develop stronger clubs. Thirty members is the minimum for a Civitan club to qualify as a Golden Circle Club. The desire is to encourage all clubs to obtain and maintain at least 30 members. The building or development team may divide and use the funds as they desire:

1. Keep the funds themselves to reimburse them for expenses incurred in building or developing the club.
2. Donate the funds to the new club.
3. Donate the funds to the sponsoring club.
4. Split the funds to apply in any combination of the three items above.

Knowing they will be reimbursed for expenses should give builders the incentive to use innovative methods in building the club.

Funds for New Club Building Team

The new club building team will be those club builders designated by the district board. A team of four club builders can be recognized when the club charters with 30 to 39 members. A team of five club builders can be recognized when the club charters with 40 or more members.

For this incentive, the following determination of charter membership will be strictly enforced:

The charter membership will be the number of members whose names and initiation fees have been submitted to Civitan International within 14 days of the charter date of the new club.

A form stating how the team wishes to divide the funds must be signed by every recognized club builder and submitted to Civitan International.

Funds for New Club Development Team

The district governor must submit a new club development team appointment form naming the members of the team within three months of the charter date of the new club (the new club development team may include members of the building team).

The new club development team will be eligible for Golden Circle Club Charter Funds if the club is in-good-standing and is at its charter strength on the new club's one-year anniversary. The Membership Comparison Report, reflecting the membership at the club's one-year anniversary, determines eligibility.

A form stating how the team wishes to divide the funds must be signed by every appointed development team member and submitted to headquarters.