

TRAVEL GRANTS

a) Athlete/Team Travel Assistance

Program Purpose/Criteria

- i)** To provide financial assistance to youth athletes trying out for a Provincial Team.
 - The Provincial Team must lead to a Western Canadian, Canada Games or National Championship event. (and)
 - Athletes trying out for the Provincial Team program must be identified and invited by the Provincial Sport Organization to participate.

- ii)** To provide financial assistance to youth athletes/teams participating in a Provincial Sport Organization P.S.O sanctioned provincial championship.
 - Athletes/Teams participating in a Provincial Championship must be the Regional/District/Zone Representative as identified by their respective P.S.O. (and)
 - There must be an opportunity for the winners of the provincial championship to advance to a Western Canadian, Canada Games or National Championship event.

- iii)** To provide financial assistance to athletes/teams participating in a Manitoba High School Athletic Association M.H.S.A.A sanctioned provincial championship.

- iv)** To provide financial assistance to youth athletes/teams from the Norman region traveling to Norman Regional events that lead to a P.S.O sanctioned provincial championship.

General Criteria

- It is expected that the championship/camp will be targeted at youth, generally from ages 7 to 21.
- Athletes/Teams are required to travel a minimum of 300 kms total at their own expense. Any travel over and above the minimum 300 kms is eligible for assistance up to the maximums stated in the funding levels. If a championship is 150 kms from residence and the event is three days long, the total distance traveled would be 900 kms. Travel assistance would be available for 900kms – 300kms = 600 kms.
- All travel will be confirmed with the appropriate Provincial Sport Organization
- Individual sport athletes traveling from a community/club to a provincial championship (i.e. Swim Club) may be grouped under team sport funding levels to a maximum of \$300.00

Funding Levels

- “Individual” sport’s (see definitions) athletes are eligible for 10 cents per kilometer up to a maximum of \$100.00 per person, per sport, per year.
- “Team” sports (see definition) with 10 members or less are eligible for 20 cents per kilometer, “Team” sports with 11-16 members are eligible for 30 cents per kilometer and “team” sports with 17 members and up are eligible for 40 cents per kilometer.
- Team sports are eligible for up to \$300.00 maximum per team, per sport, per year.

- Athletes/Teams traveling from remote communities are eligible up to a maximum of \$150.00/individual or \$500.00/team.
- Athlete/teams that are required to fly will automatically qualify for the maximum grant.
- Funding is not guaranteed if travel is subsidized by other granting sources

Note:

- **Individual sports** athletes includes those sports where individuals compete against one another. Also in sports such as figure skating, rowing, table tennis, squash, athletics relays, etc., where two or more athletes compete together as an athletes unit such as pairs, fours, eights, 4X100, etc.
- **Team sports** includes those sports, which train together, compete and are scored as a team unit at their Provincial/National/International competitions.
- **Team** is a group of athletes/players that are training under the leadership of a designated Coach and which is competing as a team unit within a competitive league structure, either within a community or at the inter community level.

b) Coaches/Officials Travel Assistance

Program Purpose

- To provide financial assistance to coaches attending recognized National Coaches Certification Clinics. (Theory or Technical)
- To provide financial assistance to volunteer officials attending recognized Officials Certification Clinics.
- To provide financial assistance to coaches participating in Coaching Manitoba or PSO sponsored seminars/conferences.

Criteria

- Courses offered outside Manitoba may be eligible based upon circumstances within sport and or level of course.
- All travel will be confirmed with each perspective Provincial Sport Organization

Funding Levels

- Coaches/Officials are eligible for 10 cents per km up to a maximum of \$200.00 per sport per year.



TRAVEL ASSISTANCE GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Category

(Please check the one grant under which you are applying for assistance)

- Athlete Travel Assistance – Provincial Team Program
- Athlete Travel Assistance – Provincial Championship
- Team Travel Assistance – Provincial Championship
- Coach/Official Travel Assistance – Seminars/Conferences
- Coach/Official Travel Assistance – Certification Course

**** Please note that eligibility does not ensure assistance**

Name: _____ Sport: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ (h) _____ (w) _____ (c)

E-mail: _____ Fax: _____

Cheque payable to: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Name of Program/Championship/Course: _____

Level of Course (if applicable) _____

Location of Program/Championship/Course: _____ Dates: _____

Total number of trips required: _____

(Note: include the number of trips required to attend the event as if you were traveling back and forth)

Participants Traveling (include coaches/managers) # of Male _____ # of Females _____

Ages of Travelers (athletes only): _____ to _____

Total Cost \$ _____

Please list all other sources of Revenue: (Sponsorships/school/club/team etc...)

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Distance from home community to host community: _____ kms Total km traveled _____ -300 km _____

Travel Assistance Requested:

_____ kms x \$.10/ km (Individual) = \$ _____

_____ kms x \$.20/ km (team of 10 members or less) = \$ _____

_____ kms x \$.30/ km (team of 11-16 members) = \$ _____

_____ kms x \$.40/ km (team of 17 members and up) = \$ _____

Office use only:
Account # _____
Approved: _____
PO# _____ Date: _____