

Athlete Participation Fund 2016/2017 Application Form

Deadline to apply: March 17, 2017

To prove an athlete's eligibility for the Athlete Participation Fund (APF), Sport Yukon is required to verify documents in the following three categories: **household income, family status, and Yukon residency**. Please contact Sport Yukon if you are unsure what documents may qualify.

The endorser of this application must seek from the athlete and disclose to Sport Yukon any additional funding sources the athlete may receive in relation to the funding sought in this application. To determine eligibility Sport Yukon may share the athlete's name and funding request with other funding agencies.

| Section 1 - ATHLETE'S INFORMATION | |
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| Name: | Date of Birth: |
| Gender: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> | <i>Optional:</i> First Nations Ancestry: |
| Section 2 - PARENT/GUARDIAN'S INFORMATION | |
| Name(s): | |
| Address: | |
| Town/City: | Postal Code: |
| Please provide your phone number or email: | |
| Section 3 - REQUEST FOR FUNDING | |
| Name & location & date of competition: | |
| Sport athlete is competing in: | |
| Amount requested (up to \$500 per athlete per fiscal year): | |
| What other funding sources are you receiving for this trip, and in what amount(s)? | |
| Section 4 - ENDORSEMENT | |
| This section must be completed by either the Chef de Mission (for NAIG, CSG, or AWG funding) or a representative with the sport organization with whom the athlete is training (for out-of-territory competition funding) | |
| Name of endorser: | |
| Endorser contact (phone and/or email): | |
| Yukon sport organization to make payment to, OR Parent reimbursement with receipt(s): | |
| Explanation of fees (participation fee, travel, accommodation, airfare, etc.) and total amount required from athlete to pay to sport body to compete in trip: | |
| I certify my endorsement of the above athlete and verify that they are representing Team Yukon or a Yukon representative team at the above competition. | |
| Signature: _____ | |
| Date: _____ | |

Athlete Participation Fund Guidelines

Funding Use

The Athlete Participation Fund is a time-limited fund designed to support low-income families with:

- Participant costs for Territorial Sport Organization representative team travel outside the Yukon
- Team Yukon participation fees for 2017 Canada Summer Games, 2017 North American Indigenous Games, 2018 Arctic Winter Games

A maximum of \$500 per youth is available each fiscal year under the Athlete Participation Fund.

Eligibility

Funding is available for Yukon youth, aged 18 years and younger, whose family combined household net income is under:

- **\$40,500 with 1 child**
- **\$46,500 with 2 children**
- **\$52,500 with 3 children**
- **\$58,500 with 4 or more children**

Application Deadline

Applications will be accepted until March 17th, 2017. The fund will reopen to new applications on April 24, 2017. At that time, funding eligibility requirements must be re-submitted for approval.

Restrictions

Applications for funding must be made at least two weeks prior to travel. Applications submitted after the time of travel will not be considered.

Proof of the athlete's participation (e.g., a photo of the scorecard with the athlete's name on it) must be submitted within two weeks of return travel. Insufficient proof of participation will disqualify this application.

Proof of Family Status

Proof of family status is required from parents who are not married or common-law to verify their individual net income. Acceptable proof of family status include a tax return summary showing family status, a statutory declaration, or a letter from the parent's landlord, employer, social/support worker, minister, lawyer, accountant, or tax preparer. Please contact Sport Yukon if you have questions.

As part of the Lotteries Yukon 40th anniversary celebrations, the Yukon Lottery Commission made a one-time contribution of \$100,000 to Sport Yukon to assist low-income families; funding for this program is through this one-time contribution.



Please submit application to:

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| Received: | Residency _____ | Family Status _____ | Proof of income _____ |
| Date received: | Date processed: | PO #: | Cheque #: |