



SOUTH CALGARY RINGETTE ASSOCIATION

SCHOLARSHIP POLICY AND APPLICATION – 2019/20

The SCRA Scholarship has been established as a result of the Association's belief in support for our athletes' sport and academic goals. The goal of the scholarship program is to encourage players to continue playing Ringette after the completion of high school, while registered in a post-secondary education program in Canada.

The 2019/20 Scholarship program will award \$1000 for 1st place and \$500 for 2nd place, and must be applied to the academic year for which the scholarship was awarded.

Eligibility Criteria

1. The applicant must be enrolled full-time in a recognized post-secondary institution in Canada. "Post-secondary institution" shall be defined as a university, community college, or technical institution.
2. The applicant must be registered to play Ringette with a Ringette Association or club recognized by a provincial governing body.
3. Applicants must have registered with South Calgary Ringette Association (including South Calgary registrants playing in SouthView) as a player for a minimum of 2 seasons.
4. Successful applicants will be those who have demonstrated sustained commitment to the sport of Ringette through playing, coaching, officiating, and other volunteer activities.

Application Procedure

1. Applications must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee, South Calgary Ringette Association, by **February 29, 2020**.
 - Email: scholarship@southcalgaryringette.com
 - Applications will be confirmed by email
2. The application must include:
 - a. A completed application form;
 - b. A personal letter describing how Ringette has contributed to your personal development
 - c. A letter of reference from a person in the Ringette community;
 - d. Proof of enrolment at a post-secondary institution
 - e. Proof of registration as an active player for the current year
3. The successful applicant will be advised of the scholarship by March 15, 2020



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SCRA Scholarship Application Review Criteria

In an effort to ensure objective assessment of the scholarship application, the following scoring system will be used to determine the rank of each applicant:

<i>1. Number of years playing experience for SCRA</i>	<i>2 points for each</i>
<i>2. Number of years of playing experience with other Ringette associations</i>	<i>1 point for each</i>
<i>3. Number of years serving on an association board</i>	<i>1 point for each</i>
<i>4. Number of years serving as a head coach</i>	<i>3 points for each</i>
<i>5. Number of years serving as an assistant coach</i>	<i>2 points for each</i>
<i>6. Number of years serving as other team staff (ie. Jr Coach, On-Ice Helper, etc)</i>	<i>1 point for each</i>
<i>7. Number of years serving as a referee</i>	<i>3 points for each</i>
<i>8. Other contributions to the development of the sport of Ringette</i>	<i>2 points max</i>
<i>9. Applicant cover letter</i>	<i>3 points max</i>

The Scholarship Committee may, if it considers necessary and there are no clear finalists, interview the top finalists to determine the scholarship recipient.



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Other Ringette Involvement

Officiating (year, level, association, certification number if known)

Coaching (year, position, team, division, association)

Other Volunteer Activities:



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Check List:

1. Completed Application
2. Personal letter describing how Ringette has contributed to your personal development
3. A letter of reference from a person in the Ringette community
4. Proof of enrolment at a post-secondary institution
5. Proof of registration as an active player
6. Email to scholarship@southcalgaryringette.com