



The Saskatchewan Triathlon Association Corporation Education Bursary

Each year, the Saskatchewan Triathlon Association Corporation (STAC) issues \$1000 in bursary funds to triathletes attending a post-secondary institution in the Province of Saskatchewan.

Criteria for Bursary Application:

- Applicant must be enrolled with a minimum of three course credits per semester at a post-secondary educational institution located in the Province of Saskatchewan.
- Applicant must be a Canadian citizen and a resident of the Province of Saskatchewan for at least 12 consecutive months preceding the date of application.
- Applicant must have a minimum admission average or cumulative grade point average of 70% or higher in the most recent year of study.
- Applicant must be currently training competitively in the sport of triathlon either at the Junior Elite or U23 level, and have participated in a minimum of two provincial triathlons and one out-of-province triathlon in the year in which the application is being made.
- Applicant must submit a written essay to STAC outlining why he or she would be a deserving applicant. The essay is limited to a maximum of 1000 words and should demonstrate triathlon involvement, community service and short-term and long-term goals in triathlon. Demonstrate financial need.
- Applicant should include up to two Letters of Reference with the application.
- At the discretion of the Selection Committee and the STAC Board of Directors, in any given year, up to four bursaries may be awarded at a minimum of \$250 per bursary, for a total of \$1000.00. Larger bursaries may be awarded based on the number of applicants, but a single bursary shall not exceed \$1000.00.
- Selection committee reserves the right to not award any bursary(s) in a given year, if the applicant pool is determined not to meet the standards of a worthy applicant.

Additional Requirements:

- Bursary recipient(s) must attend, or make their best effort to attend, the STAC Annual Awards Banquet in March of the following year, where he/she will be recognized as a bursary recipient.
- Application Deadline: September 30th with the bursary award(s) to be decided by October 15th.
- Applications MUST include the written essay, proof of the applicant's grade point average, name, full mailing address, e-mail address, and phone number.
- Hard copy applications are required. It is acceptable for the applicant to forward an electronic version to info@triathlonsaskatchewan.org by the deadline date but the hard copy application must be postmarked no later than the application deadline. All applications remain confidential.
- Applications are to be mailed to:

**STAC Education Bursary
Saskatchewan Triathlon Association Corporation
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Saskatoon, SK
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