

North Vancouver Minor Hockey Association SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS GUIDELINES

1. North Vancouver Minor Hockey Association (NVMHA) awards a variety of scholarships annually to Midget and/or Juvenile players who apply and are selected as best meeting the combined qualifications set out hereunder.

2. **Eligibility**

- (1) must have played a minimum of two (2) years in the North Vancouver Minor Hockey Association
- (2) the last two years of Minor Hockey play must have been with the NVMHA
- (3) in grade 12, or finished high school
- (4) C or better GPA
- 3. <u>Utilization of Scholarships</u> Players in high school will have two years after graduation to utilize a scholarship. Players who are finished high school will have two years to utilize a scholarship. (Upon receipt of a written request from a scholarship winner, the NVMHA Scholarship Committee can grant an extension to the two-year limitation). Scholarship funds must be used for tuition at a post-secondary educational institution or approved apprenticeship training course. Should the scholarship amount be greater than one year's tuition, the remainder may be applied towards a second year's tuition.

An individual may receive only one award in a playing season and can apply and win a scholarship in any subsequent year of eligibility.

4. <u>Scholarship awards</u>:

NVMHA Scholarships awarded annual as follows:

Midget Rep -1x \$1000; Midget House -1x \$1000 Juvenile Rep -1x \$1000; Juvenile House -1x \$1000

NVMHA Life Member Scholarship Awards awarded annually as follows:

Up to 5 scholarships in amounts up to \$900 each

5. **Qualification criteria:**

- (1) Academic achievement.
- (2) School and community participation and service.
- (3) Hockey participation.
- (4) Demonstrated leadership qualities and good character
- 6. <u>How to Apply</u> All applicants must complete the Scholarship Application Form (available from the NVMHA web site). In addition, the following must accompany the application:
 - (1) Letter from a community member, teacher or coach attesting to leadership and community service qualities.
 - (2) Cover letter outlining qualifications.
 - (3) Copy of most recent school report card
 - (4) Copy of transcript of high school grades
- 7. <u>Selection</u> Applications will be reviewed by the NVMHA Scholarship Committee. The Scholarship Committee is made up of Life Members who review applications and recommend awards. Winners will be notified in April.

- 8. <u>Presentation</u>: formal presentations will be made at the NVMHA Annual General Meeting in May of each year.
- 9. <u>Deadline for Submission</u> Application forms and supporting documentation must be received at the NVMHA Office <u>no later than April 1</u>.

There are three ways to submit your application::

- 1. **Mail:** NVMHA c/o Rob Duffy, NVMHA Scholarship Committee, 2411 Mount Seymour Parkway. North Vancouver BC V7H 2Y9
- 2. **Drop Off:** NVMHA mail box located at ice level at Ice Sports North Shore
- 3. **Email:** all forms and supporting documents in one pdf file to scholarships@nvmha.com.
- 10. All applications become the property of the NVMHA Scholarship Program.

FURTHER INFORMATION:

NVMHA Scholarship Committee Chair Rob Duffy email: scholarships@nvmha.com

Web site: www.nvmha.com