



ROTARY CLUB OF RANGIORA ASHBY FAMILY SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP 2025

INFORMATION SHEET & APPLICATION FORM

ONE Sports Scholarship of \$1,500 is available to North Canterbury based athletes competing at a REGIONAL level, to assist them in advancing their sporting pursuits.

This annual Scholarship is available to applicants between the ages of 12 and 20 years who (or whose parents / guardians) reside within the North Canterbury Region.

RELEVANT CONSIDERATION PERIOD: **1 April 2024 – 31 March 2025**

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: **5pm on Friday 4th April 2025**

NC Sports, on behalf of Rotary and the Ashby Family, will appoint an independent judging panel to consider all applications and the Scholarship recipient will be announced in the North Canterbury News newspaper and on the NC Sports website and Social Media.

The judging panel's decision is final.

Please note that any personal information presented in this application will only be used for the purpose of the administration and assessment of the application. Successful applicants will be required, for promotional purposes, to consent to media releases as a condition of acceptance. Information may be released if required under the Official Information Act.





North Canterbury Rotary Ashby Family Sports Scholarship

Administered by
NC Sports

Scholarship Application Form 2025

NAME OF APPLICANT: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ AGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

PRIMARY: _____

SECONDARY: _____

TERTIARY: _____

SPORTING INVOLVEMENT: _____

COMMUNITY INTERESTS: _____

CULTURAL INTERESTS & ACHIEVEMENTS:

EMPLOYMENT DETAILS (if any):

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MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS IN RELEVANT SPORT(S) DURING CONSIDERATION PERIOD - (Please be specific and list in priority order):

PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS & GOALS (please list other educational, community and other distinctions, awards or acknowledgements that you have received).

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WHAT INDIVIDUAL INTERESTS OR ACTIVITIES DO YOU HAVE OR PURSUE?

WHAT DO YOU CONSIDER TO BE YOUR MOST WORTHWHILE PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENT TO DATE AND WHY?

WHAT ARE YOUR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT AIMS?

IF SUCCESSFUL THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE USED FOR...

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WRITTEN OUTLINE (please submit a written outline of not less than 300 words on how this Scholarship would benefit you towards your future goals):

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION (please provide a detailed costing of your proposal and advise of any fundraising or other sponsorship you have obtained):

WRITTEN REFERENCES (tick box to confirm you have attached Applicant's written References (from a coach, club administrator, teacher etc) and Curriculum Vitae or will send separately to this form):

Attached Will send separately

PHOTOGRAPH (tick box to confirm you have attached a good quality digital photograph of Scholarship Applicant or will send separately to this form):

Attached Will send separately

DECLARATION: Applicant **and** their Parent/Guardian (if under 18) must fill out the section below...

By writing my name in the box below I declare that the information supplied is true and correct.

FULL NAME OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

FULL NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____ DATE: _____

Please refer to the end of this document for details about how to submit this application.

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INFORMATION SHEET FOR NORTH CANTERBURY ROTARY ASHBY FAMILY YOUTH SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP

WHAT IS THE AIM OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS?

The aim of the Scholarships is to assist a local athlete to perform to their utmost ability. The Scholarship will provide an obtainable goal for the youth of the region to strive for and initiate a foundation that will breed a regional culture of sporting success and excellence.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Applications may be made by persons who [or whose parents or guardians] reside within North Canterbury (Waimakariri River to Conway River).

HOW IS THE SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTERED?

To access their scholarship funds recipients must provide copies of their receipts to NC Sports for reimbursement. Receipts must be for relevant expenses – eg: travel to tournaments, accommodation at tournaments, training equipment, coaching expenses etc. Please note Scholarship is NOT paid out in a lump sum to finalists and winners. The Scholarship Administrator will contact the Scholarship recipient on a regular basis for progress reports.

HOW LONG IS IT FOR?

One year starting from the date of the Scholarship winner announcement, though there is some flexibility within this if key tournaments/expenses don't fall within that year.

WHAT ARE THE SELECTION CRITERIA?

In awarding a Scholarship, the following factors will be considered:

- Applicants must be between the ages of 12 and 20 as on the last day of the relevant consideration period.
- Applicants must have been selected by their regional organisation to represent the region within the relevant consideration period.
- Applicants must have an annual income of \$20,000 or less.

WHAT IS THE SELECTION PROCESS?

The successful Scholarship finalists will be chosen by an independent judging panel based on the information provided in this application form and from other sources, including media, who will also choose the Scholarship winner. The panel's decision is final.

WHO ADMINISTERS THE SCHOLARSHIP?

NC Sports to administer and control all matters related to this Scholarship.

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REFERENCES

Applicants must include at least two written references from people who can comment on their personal qualities and/or abilities. These people might include a coach, sports club administrator, teacher or mentor etc. We do not want the names of referees – we want written references.

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPH

A digital “head and shoulders” photograph must be supplied on either a CD or by email to roliver@sportstrust.org.nz

CRIMINAL OFFENCE

Any prospective applicant who has been convicted of a criminal offence punishable with a prison term is not eligible for this Scholarship.

PRIVACY

The information contained in the application forms will only be used by NC Sports for the purposes of determining successful candidates. Some information on the successful candidates will be required for promotion by North Canterbury Rotary and NC Sports of the Scholarships in media releases and is a condition of acceptance of the Scholarship. Information may be released if requested under the Official Information Act.

WHAT IS THE CLOSING DATE?

The closing date for applications is **5pm on Friday 4th April 2025.**

WHAT IS THE DATE OF ANNOUNCEMENT?

The Scholarship winner will be personally notified after judging is completed, together with a public announcement in the North Canterbury News newspaper, NC Sports website and social media.

Please post or deliver your completed application form to the address below, or scan and email to:

**The Scholarship Co-ordinator
NC Sports
c/ MainPower Stadium
289 Coldstream Road
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**Telephone: 03 975 5560
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