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Focus on Sports

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Sports

Canadian Athletes Now Fund

Up to \$6,000 available only for individuals who are currently active on a Canadian National Team. Deadline is January, annually. Visit Canadian Athletes Now website at <http://canadianathletesnow.ca/application/>

Canadian Paralympics Committee: Para-Equipment Fund

Funding of up to \$5,000 for a local or provincial club. Applications being accepted as of February 19, annually.

For more information visit: <http://www.paralympic.ca/funding>

Canadian Tire: Jump Start Program

Focused on helping individual financially disadvantaged children aged 4 to 18 become involved in organized sports and recreational activities to help them develop a healthier lifestyle in their younger years. Deadlines are June 1 and November 1, annually.

For more information visit: <http://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/en.html#apply>

CIBC: Children's Foundation

The CIBC Children's Foundation is dedicated to providing support to charitable organizations that help prepare children in need for future success. Our focus is on programs or projects that enhance the health, education and well-being of children in Canada. Application Deadline September 15, annually. For more information visit: <https://www.cibc.com/ca/inside-cibc/community-matters/miracle-day/donations-guide.html>

Community Initiatives Fund (CIF): Community Grant Program

The *Community Grant Program* is focused on vulnerable children, youth and families and improving the health and well-being of those living in Saskatchewan. Successful applications must be involved with not-for-profit organizations. Deadlines are February 1, April 1 and October 1, annually.

For more information visit: <http://www.cifsask.org/grants>

FCC AgriSpirit Fund

If your organization is raising money for capital project, you may qualify for a donation of between \$5,000 and \$25,000 to supplement other fundraising events. The FCC AgriSpirit Fund is about making life better for people in rural communities. Applications accepted from May 7 to June 18, annually. Visit: <https://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/in-your-community/giving-back/fcc-agrispirit-fund.html> for more information.

Good Sports Equipment Grant

For grant guidelines and application form visit: <http://www.goodsports.org/equipment/apply/>. Applications accepted year-round.

Government of Canada: Athlete Assistance Program

The Athlete Assistance Program (AAP) is a sport funding program that contributes to the pursuit of excellence. AAP support seeks to relieve some of the financial pressures associated with preparing for and participating in international sport and assists high-performance Canadian athletes to combine their sport and academic or working careers while training intensively in

pursuit of world-class performances. For more information visit:
<http://canada.pch.gc.ca/eng/1414514343755/1414514385181>

Government of Canada: Sport Canada Hosting Program

The Sport Canada Hosting Program assists sport organizations to host the Canada Games and international sports events in Canada. For more information visit:
<http://canada.pch.gc.ca/eng/1414504474134/1414504789478>

Government of Canada: Sport Support Program

The Sport Support Program supports the development of Canadian athletes and coaches. For more information visit: <http://canada.pch.gc.ca/eng/1414078950287/1414085075067>

Investors Group/CAC: Community Coaching Grant

Eligible applicants could be local schools; Parks and recreation departments; Community sport clubs; City leagues; Provincial/territorial coaching associations; Provincial/territorial sport organizations; National sport organizations. Applications accepted year-round. For more information visit: <http://www.coach.ca/investors-group-community-coaching-conferences-s12763>

Investors Group: Bursary for Amateur Athletes

Investors Group and AthletesCAN are awarding twenty bursaries of \$5,000 to Canadian amateur athletes each year. This bursary fund is open to any Active Senior National Team Athletes.

For more information visit: <http://www.athletescan.com/programs-services/ig/>

Jumpstart Accessibility Grants

Canadian Tire announced an industry-leading commitment of \$50 million over a five-year period to its Jumpstart Charities for Jumpstart's *Play Finds A Way* movement, which will help remove barriers to sport and play for kids with disabilities. One of the key programs within *Play Finds A Way* is the Jumpstart Accessibility Grants, which are intended for construction and renovations to improve accessibility to recreation facilities such as rinks, pools and community centres in communities across Canada. Jumpstart Accessibility Grants offer two funding streams: *Accessibility-Enabling Grants*, which provide eligible facilities with up to \$50,000 for projects to adapt and enhance existing facilities, and *Inclusive Design Innovation Grants*, which provide between \$250,000 and \$1,000,000 for projects designed to uniquely enhance sport and recreation spaces with innovative solutions.

For more information about Jumpstart Accessibility Grants, and how to apply, please visit:
<http://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/content/microsites/jumpstart/en/community-accessibility-grants.html>

KidSport™ Program

For parents and guardians with children up to 18 years of age, to cover the cost of registration fees or equipment for a community sport program. Applications accepted year-round. For more information visit: http://www.kidsportcanada.ca/index.php?page=saskatchewan_how_to_apply

N7 Fund

The N7 Fund is committed to inspiring and enabling participation in sport for Native American and Aboriginal populations in North America. We believe that sport has the power to unleash human potential. A physically active lifestyle promotes more than exercise. Involvement in

sports and physical activity leads to greater self-confidence, enabling youth to be a force for positive change in their communities. For more information visit: <http://n7fund.com/apply/>

Professional Development Grant for Women in Sport

To be eligible the coach must be NCCP certified in the Competition Development context or Level 3 certified under the old NCCP, be a member in good standing with their Provincial Sport Organization, and be committed to furthering their training and certification through continuous professional development that will lead to a career in coaching. Applications accepted year round. For more information or visit: <http://www.saskcoach.ca/pdf/WomenInCoaching.pdf>

Rivers West District: Aboriginal Community Sport Grant Program

For Saskatchewan Aboriginal youth and registered non-profit corporation organizations that provide services for Aboriginal communities to provide greater sport participation and development opportunities. Applications accepted until all funds are used. For more information visit: <http://www.riverswestdistrict.ca/index.php/funding/rivers-west-district-grants>

Rose Nolan Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Rose Nolan Memorial Scholarship was established to recognize Aboriginal First Nation women who are achieving their educational and training goals while maintaining strong community involvement. Scholarship awards will be given annually to Aboriginal First Nation women who have recently completed at least one year of full time studies at any accredited post-secondary educational or training institution. Deadline is June 30, annually. For more information visit: <http://www.tednolanfoundation.com/>

Saskatchewan Program for Athletic Excellence

The purpose of the Saskatchewan Program for Athletic Excellence is to provide additional direct financial assistance to Saskatchewan's High Performance Athletes who are carded at the national level by Sport Canada. Deadline is two months before carding cycle. Please contact Michelle Dezell, Manager – Athlete Services at mdezell@sasksport.sk.ca or 1-866-727-5272 if you require any further information or visit: <http://www.csc-sask.ca/athleticExcellence.php>

SaskSport: Future Best Program

For Saskatchewan athletes identified by the National Sport Organization to become a national senior team member, deadlines accepted year-round. For more information visit: <http://www.sasksport.sk.ca/funding.php>

SaskSport: Hosting Grant

For amateur sport organizations and Provincial Sport Governing Bodies that host non-annual regional, national, and international amateur sport events in Saskatchewan that build capacity in the sport system, maximize economic and community benefits and promote Saskatchewan. Deadlines are 60 days before the first day of the event. For more information, visit: <http://www.sasksport.sk.ca/funding.php>

SaskSport: 1989 Jeux Canada Games Foundation

This grant supports projects that leave long lasting benefits to amateur sport in Saskatchewan. Deadline is November 30, annually. For more information visit: <http://www.sasksport.sk.ca/jeuxcangames.php>.

SaskSport: Membership Assistance Program

For Provincial Sport Governing Bodies to increase the number of participants and develop sport in Saskatchewan communities through MAP's clubs, leagues or other affiliated members.

Applications accepted year-round.

For details and application forms visit: www.sasksport.sk.ca/funding.php

SaskSport: Parasport Equipment Grant & Parasport Club Development Grant

The costs of specialized (adapted) sports equipment for people with a disability in sport is a significant barrier to their participation. This grant program will assist in the purchase of adapted equipment which meets manufacturer's qualification standards for disabled sport participation/competition. The costs of starting new sport clubs for people with a disability at the community level is high. This program is designed to support new developmental programs in communities or the expansion/enhancement of existing programs (e.g. integration of athletes with a disability in programming, new age categories). In either case the goal is to increase participation opportunities for people with a disability. Deadlines are April 15 and October 15, annually.

For more information visit: <http://www.sasksport.sk.ca/adaptiveSport.php>

SaskSport: University Sport Funding Program

To assist student-athletes competing in Canadian Interuniversity Sports (CIS) for either the University of Regina or the University of Saskatchewan, through a provincial awards program in partnership with participating Provincial Sport Governing Bodies (PSGBs) and the Universities. Deadline for applications is October 15, annually. Details can be found by visiting:

<http://www.sasksport.sk.ca/funding.php>

Sport Medicine & Science Council of Saskatchewan: Professional Development Grants

Are you a member or a consultant of the SMSCS and are considering attending a seminar, educational course or workshop? On an annual basis the SMSCS has available a limited amount of funding for members and consultants attending educational courses, workshops or seminars. This funding is available to help offset a portion of the costs related to registration fees, travel and accommodations. There are a number of criteria that applicants should be aware of and are available by contacting: Mark Henry, Executive Director at 306-780-9208 or atmcs@saskte.net.

SPRA: Forever... in motion Grant

Physical activity opportunities are an integral part of the health and quality of life of Saskatchewan's residents. Due to the increasing population of older adults and their health concerns, there is a need for targeted and effective strategies to develop and increase participation in physical activity programs geared specifically to older adults. The Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association's (SPRA's) **Forever...in motion** program is intended to improve and/or maintain the health of older adults living in the community through physical activity and education.

For more information visit: <http://spra.sk.ca/funding/spra-grants/>

Stacey Levitt Memorial Award

In memory of a very special 18 year old woman who was struck down by a car while she was jogging on August 30th, 1995. Valued at \$2,500 and divided between five recipients, this

scholarship is awarded annually to a young woman, a girls team or a sport organization. For more information, visit <http://www.parachutecanada.org/home/print/1446>

Target Group Grant

Gymnastics Saskatchewan promotes and funds initiatives for groups to take part in gymnastics programs and discover the great benefits of gymnastics and is once again offering financial assistance to groups and organizations that work with under-represented populations. Our sport provides the enhancement of fun, fitness & fundamentals and can impact skill development (physical, psychological and emotional) as well contribute to the building of important life skills. Deadlines are January and September, annually. For more information visit: <http://www.gymsask.com/membership/grants/>

Viterra Community Support Program

The Viterra Community Support Program is committed to positive social outcomes in the communities where Viterra has operations and its employees live, work and play. In order to align these positive outcomes with business value, Viterra provides support in two areas: promoting good nutrition and healthy lifestyles, supporting agriculture and associated activities. Applications accepted year-round.

For more information visit: <https://www.viterra.com/web/canada/how-we-give-back>

Women in Sport Encouragement (WISE) Fund

CAAWS will provide 12 grants in the amount of \$900 each to girls and women and/or organizations offering sport programs targeted to girls and women who meet the grant criteria. For more information visit: <http://www.caaws.ca/grants-and-recognition/wise-fund/>