

# **Sport** MANITOBA COACHING

## **COACHING BURSARIES 2021**

**Application Deadline: Friday, May 28, 2021**

Return completed application form and all supporting documentation to:

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If you have any questions when filling out this application,  
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# COACHING BURSARIES

Four \$500 bursaries are annually awarded to students who have demonstrated a commitment to coaching in Manitoba. Our goal is to encourage students to continue coaching while attending a post-secondary institution. The bursaries are to be used towards the recipient's tuition.

Students who are, or will be attending university or college as a full time student as defined by the institution you will be attending for the 2021/2022 regular academic sessions and are currently coaching for a school, club, PSO, or community centre are invited to submit an application.

## **Sport Manitoba Coaching is pleased to offer the following bursary awards\*\*\*:**

Silvio Sbotto Memorial Rural Male & Female Coach Award  
Jeff Collins Memorial Winnipeg Male & Female Coach Award

### **Silvio Sbotto Memorial Rural Coach Award.**

Silvio Sbotto was a dedicated and humble man who started learning judo in the late 50s after immigrating to Canada from his native Peru. He resided in Brandon for the last thirty years where he worked at the Seikeikan Judo Club. Silvio's coaching philosophy was solidified after he attended a coaching course where he learned more about coaching than he thought possible. His philosophy became, "We learn from each other, we can learn from everyone". At the time of his passing, Silvio was the chair of the National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) for Judo Canada. Silvio spent 10 years as an NCCP Theory Course Conductor and attained Level 4 NCCP status. He also had his 5<sup>th</sup> degree black belt and was a national 'C' referee in Judo.

### **Jeff Collins Memorial Winnipeg Coach Award.**

Jeff Collins' expertise earned him a reputation as a coach's coach. Jeff served as head coach and clinician for the Legion Athletic Camps at the International Peach Garden for 32 years. He taught as a Master Course Conductor for the National Coaching Certification Program. Jeff was always energetic and also worked busily as an administrator. He was the convenor and co-meet director of the MHSAA's provincial track and field champs from 1984 to 2001. He worked with students, most notably at Grant Park High School, who he admired for their dedication and commitment to track and field. Jeff attained his level 3 NCCP and also worked with world class special needs athletes. In 2003, Jeff was inducted to the Manitoba Sports Hall of Fame.

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

1. Senior 4 graduating students who are enrolling in post-secondary education, or students currently enrolled in post-secondary education.
2. Minimum 60% course load in post-secondary institution.
3. Currently coaching with plans to continue coaching individuals/team in Manitoba.
4. Must be actively certified in Respect in Sport
5. National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) training and additional courses related to coaching (e.g. CPR, First Aid, Coaching Seminars) are an asset.

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:**

1. Complete application (incomplete applications will not be considered).
2. Letter of reference completed by someone you report to in your coaching position. (i.e principal, physical education teacher, club president, head coach). Letter should highlight for your coaching involvements, skills, and qualities.
3. A transcript of your most recent marks.

**\*\*\*Note:** Meeting the eligibility guidelines listed above does not guarantee all scholarship categories will be awarded, but we can ensure each applicant will receive careful consideration and fair treatment in what is a very competitive process. The selection committee has the ability to consider the depth within each of the four categories and in circumstances of exceptional competitiveness within a category may elect to award two awards within a category, should applicants in any of the other categories not meet a minimum evaluation threshold.

**SPORT MANITOBA COACHING 2021 BURSARY APPLICATION FORM**

**I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

Name:

Permanent Address (Street /PO #, City/Town, Postal Code):

Telephone Number:

Date of Birth (d/m/y):

E-mail Address:

Sex:

Student ID Number (if applicable):

Continuous resident of Manitoba since (m/y):

**II. EDUCATION PLANS**

High School you attend (for high school applicants) :

Please indicate your proposed program of post-secondary studies for the 2021/2022 and future academic sessions:

a) Educational Institution:

b) Degree/Diploma Sought

c) Major/Minor

d) If currently in post-secondary school, what year are you entering in 2021/2022:

**III. ACADEMIC STANDING**

Academic average or cumulative GPA (Enclose a transcript):

**IV. ACADEMIC ACHIVEMENTS**

Please list your major academic achievement beginning with the most recent.

**V. COACHING EXPERIENCE**

1. NCCP Coaching Certification # (if applicable):

2. Respect in Sport Certification # :

3. Number of years you have been coaching:

4. List any NCCP courses you have taken: (be sure to include all levels):

5. List any other coaching related clinics, seminars, or courses you have taken:

6. Name of team and sport you have most recently been coaching:

7. Name of team and sport you will be coaching while attending post-secondary institution:

8. Frequency of commitment to above team:

9. Describe your short term goals as a coach (i.e. related to team/position role, education, development, results, etc).



11. Describe your future plans in coaching. (i.e. related to team/position role, education, development, results, etc).

12. What you have learned by being a coach? Provide examples (ex. self-discipline in planning time/balancing roles)

**V. OTHER ACTIVITIES/COMMITMENTS**

List other activities that you participated in from January 1, 2020 – April 30, 2021 (as an athlete, participant, volunteer within your school, community, paid employment, etc.) If any of the activities were part of the requirements for a school sports leadership course or paid, please indicate what percentage.

Name of activity	Description of your role / involvement	Frequency (indicate # of times & if weekly/ monthly/ annual)	Time frame or date of activity MM/YY	Estimated Total Hours Committed	Sport Leadership Course % Or Paid % of Experience

## COVID-19 Impacts

Everyone in the sport community has felt the impacts of COVID-19, the selection committee would like to hear more about your specific coaching experience was impacted.

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

In order to appreciate your individual circumstances, requirements and need, please provide if applicable the selection committee with relevant details about your financial situation. A general overview that could address for example funding for your studies (parental support, bank loans, government loans, athletic/education scholarships, bursaries, paid work experience) and educational expenses anticipated, along with athletic support and expenses, financials impacts from COVID-19. If more space is required, please attach an additional page.

## DECLARATION OF APPLICANT

I understand the terms and conditions and hereby make application for a Sport Manitoba Coaching Bursary. I hereby certify that the information given in this application is true and complete; that the Sport Manitoba is authorized to verify the information contained herein with my Provincial Sports Governing Body and the educational institutions and other sources identified; and that I will notify Sport Manitoba of any changes. I understand that personal information is collected about me for the purpose of administering the Sport Manitoba Coaching Bursary program and agree to allow my name, city/town of residence, institution of study, future study plans and coaching accomplishments to appear publicly if I receive this scholarship.

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Signature of Applicant

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Date

*Please note: The application and all accompanying information will become the property of Sport Manitoba, and will not be returned to the applicant. Please keep a copy for your records.*

*Sport Manitoba has a privacy policy that protects personal information. Any personal information requested on this application will only be used for the administration of the Sport Manitoba Coaching Bursary program.*