KIDSPORT 2021

Application Information:

- 1. Please read all the information below to ensure your application is completed correctly. Failure to do so can result in a delay in receiving your status update.
- 2. Sport organizations must be a member of Sport Nova Scotia. Please select the identified sports in the dropdown menu on the online application.
- 3. Approval is based on Statistics Canada's Low Income Cut-offs (Current cut-off numbers can be found at the bottom of this page).
- 4. Applications for 2021 are accepted seven times per calendar year; Deadlines are January 4th, March 1st, May 3rd, July 2nd, September 1st, October 1st and November 1st.
- 5. Applications form(s) will not be approved until all information is received.
- 6. **Proof of total family income must accompany application form**. You must include a or b; unacceptable documents are listed in c:
 - a. Current proof of total family income (for <u>2020 tax year Notice of Assessment</u> call 1-800-959-8281); or
 - b. Authorization from the Department of Community Services or Indigenous Social Development
 - c. We cannot accept T4's, T1 General Forms, GST/Child Tax benefit forms, Workers Compensation statements or pay-stubs.

Completed applications will receive an email no more than four weeks after the deadline notifying them of the status of their application(s). It is the parents' responsibility to monitor their email accounts (inbox/junk/spam folders) for their status update notification. Applicants may also log back into their account to view the most recent status update after the four week window.

Grant Information:

- 1. Grants are awarded for registration fees and equipment costs only.
- 2. Total grant (registration and equipment) will not exceed a maximum of \$500. Equipment only requests can now be submitted for up to \$500 as well.
- 3. Equipment only requests require proof of registration from the minor sport association to confirm the child is registered for the sport program.
- 4. A child cannot receive more than one grant in a calendar year.
- 5. Preference is given to athletes who are being introduced into organized sport for the first time.
- 6. Cheques for registration grants will be made payable to a league, association or club. Cheques/vouchers for equipment will be made payable to a sporting goods retailer. (Note: KidSport reserves the right to request proof of purchase.)

Applicant Information:

1. Applicants must be age 18 or under.

2. Applicants must be registered with a sport to receive financial assistance for equipment only. Proof of registration is required for all grant requests.

Confidentiality of all applicants will be protected

CURRENT INCOME CUT-OFF	
FAMILY SIZE	2021 TOTAL INCOME (Line 150)
2	\$33,141
3	\$40,743
4	\$49,467
5	\$56,105
6	\$63,276
7 or more	\$70,449