



WAIRARAPA SPORTS EDUCATION TRUST (WSET) PERFORMANCE AND GENERAL GRANT INFORMATION

Who is eligible?

- Sportspeople currently residing in the Wairarapa **or** participating in a sport in the Wairarapa;
- Consideration will also be given to ex Wairarapa sportspeople who have left the province for study/ sporting endeavours;
- Athletes who have shown promise, determination and commitment to aspire to a higher level in their chosen sport;
- Coaches providing training, guidance, and/or education to enable athletes to reach a higher level;
- Programmes designed to educate Wairarapa sportspeople, which may include bringing in specialist coaches to the region for the benefit of a chosen sport.

Applications:

There are two types of grants available:

Performance – individuals who have already shown promise and the commitment to go to the next level.

General – Programmes, Coaching and items of a more general nature.

Applications are available by downloading a form from the WSET website www.wai-sportsed-trust.co.nz; private message WSET facebook or requesting one via email from wai.sportsed@gmail.com. Only applications on the official application forms will be considered.

Only **one** application per applicant will be considered within any one financial year (01 August – 31 July), **except** in extra-ordinary circumstances.

- Applicants must show excellence of play and sportsmanship;
- Applicants must demonstrate that there is a **need** for the specific funding;
- If applying for participation in a specific event, applicants must demonstrate it is an **appropriate** event that will help them reach their goal in their chosen sport;
- Costs must relate directly to applicants sporting endeavours;
- Applicants must be able to show the **benefit** to the community.

All **successful** applicants will be required to:

- provide a **written** report to the WSET on the use of their grant and their progress during the year;
- provide proof of expenses;
- provide a digital photograph (1mb+) that may be used for publicity purposes.

All applicants will be advised the outcome of their application.

When to apply?

Applications close on **15th January; 15th March; 15th May; 15th July; 15th September; 15th November** of each year. The WSET may use its discretion to consider urgent applications out of these timeframes in extraordinary cases.

Selection Panel:

The Selection Panel is made up from current Trustees of the WSET. Details of Trustees are found on the WSET website.

They may:

- contact referees on a confidential basis for further information;
- consult with representatives of the relevant sporting codes to assess the standing of any achievements listed in the applications.

The selection panel will make a recommendation to the full board of the WSET.

The WSET decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

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