

SPORTS EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP FUND (SESF)

PRIVACY and MEDIA TERMS & CONDITIONS

Privacy

Information collected on the application form will be used by SESF to assess your application for funding and to perform functions relevant to the administration and conduct of SESF. The collection and use of personal information by SESF is governed by our privacy policy at: <https://sesf.org.au/our-policies/>

SESF may wish to provide certain information to the media, members of Parliament, local governments and other agencies for promotional purposes associated with the SESF. The information provided will only include an applicant's first name, surname, age, town, school, sport and event. If provided to government the information may be subject to consideration for release under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982 (Vic)*.

If you have any further questions regarding your privacy, please contact SESF by e-mail at admin@sesf.org.au or by phone at 0419 383 291.

Media

Successful Scholarship recipients will be required to submit photos, videos and a testimonial documenting their story at their National or International Championships. SESF will use your personal information as mentioned above. Relevant areas of use may include, but not be limited to:

- Social media platforms such as LinkedIn, Instagram, YouTube and Facebook
- SESF Website and EDM's
- SESF partners website and social media
- Video content.

You expressly consent to SESF using your name, image, likeness and any performance or information you have submitted to SESF (**Image**), to promote SESF, in and by, any form of media. You waive any rights you may have in the Image and release SESF from any claim in respect of the Image.

Terms and Conditions

Students from Australian Government and non-Government Schools and all sportspeople living with disability are eligible and encouraged to apply. Athletes must be competing in a peak body sanctioned national or international sporting event. This may include:

- School Sport Australia Championships
- National Sporting Organisation (NSO) Championships
- Olympics / Paralympics.

Applicants must:

- be enrolled at an Australian school;
- have sporting potential consistent with competing at state or national representative level;
- be 10 years or older;
- be an Australian citizen or permanent resident of Australia (within the meaning of the *Australian Citizenship Act 2007 (Cth)*);

- have financial circumstances that would preclude them from otherwise participating at representative level; and
- meet any SESF application deadlines. No late applications will be considered.

Families and students can re-apply each year, regardless of the outcome of the application the previous year.

Each successful Scholarship recipient will receive an amount up to a maximum of \$1000. Recipients must use all the money awarded to fund their participation to the designated sporting event. Recipients may be asked to report to SESF on their expenditure of the money.

In consideration of SESF accepting your application you:

- (a) release and will release SESF from all Claims that you may have or may have had but for this release arising from or in connection with the Scholarship; and
- (b) indemnify and will keep indemnified SESF to the extent permitted by law in respect of any Claim by any person arising as a result of or in connection with the Scholarship.

Claim means and includes any action, suit, proceeding, claim, demand, damage, penalty, cost or expense however arising including but not limited to negligence.

You will comply with any health-related directions issued by any government in respect to your participation in any event using Scholarship monies. You declare that you are medically and physically fit and able to participate in sporting activities. You are not and must not be a danger to yourself or to the health and safety of others.

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