



Canada Games/FAST Athlete Fund Application Form January 17, 2005



The Canada Games / FAST Athlete Fund is a program that will provide direct financial assistance to next generation national team athletes to support their training and competition needs. The program represents a partnership between the Canada Games Council and the Foundation for Athletes Sport Training (FAST).

The following application form must be completed by the athlete and returned to the Canada Games / FAST Athlete Fund Selection Committee no later than March 4, 2005.

Applications should be sent to the Canada Games Council office at:
Canada Games / FAST Athlete Fund
Suite #701-2197 Riverside Drive,
Ottawa, Ontario
K1H 7X3

Printable applications can be found on-line at www.canadagames.ca or www.fastcanada.org.

Applications can also be completed on-line at: www.canadagames.ca.

PART I: This section is to be completed by the athlete.

Personal Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____
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Minimum Eligibility Criteria:

To be considered for the Canada Games/FAST Athlete Fund, athletes must meet all of the following requirements:

- Canadian citizen or landed immigrant; Yes___No___
- Member in good standing with P/TSO and NSO or equivalent; Yes___No___
- Coached by an NCCP certified coach or equivalent; Yes___No___
 - Name of coach : _____
 - Certification status _____
- Please identify the sport (must be on the Canada Games program) that you are competing in: _____
- Are you currently banned from competition due to a doping infraction or sanction? Yes___No___
- Identified as a next generation national team athlete by NSO. Yes___No___

Training and Competition Plans: (Please attach detailed answers to questions below)

1. Goals

- a) List your goals as they pertain to the upcoming training and competition year.
- b) List your long-term goal(s).

2. Training

- a) Outline the details of your annual training program. (type, frequency, location, etc.)
- b) What type of additional training opportunities would become available if Canada Games / FAST athlete assistance was received & how will this assist you in achieving your goals?

3. Competition

- a) Outline your upcoming competition schedule. Indicate the type of competition, competition dates & locations and any other pertinent information about the competition.
- b) What type of additional competition opportunities would become available if Canada Games / FAST athlete assistance was received and how will this assist you in achieving your goals?

Results (to be verified with P/TSO and NSO)

Performance Results

Provide a detailed overview of the results you had over the past two seasons competing at the Regional, National, and International level.

Individual Sports

	Competition Name	Date	Event	Final Result	Field Size
1.					
2.					
3.					
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7.					
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10.					

Team Sports

	Competition Name	Date	Personal Statistics	Team Result
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PART II: This section is to be completed by the Selection Committee in conjunction with the P/TSO and NSO of each application.

Provincial/Territorial, National, and International Ranking:

A) Territorial/Provincial

- 1) Is the athlete in good standing with P/TSO? Yes ____ No ____
- 2) Does the athlete have a territorial/provincial ranking?
Yes ____ No ____ N/A ____
If Yes – What is the rank: ____, level of ranking (Sr., Jr., etc.) ____

B) National

- 1) Is the athlete in good standing with NSO? Yes ____ No ____
- 2) Does the athlete have a national ranking? Yes ____ No ____ N/A ____
If Yes – What is the rank: ____, level of ranking (Sr., Jr., etc.) ____
- 3) Is the athlete a member of the Senior National Team? Yes ____ No ____

If no, are they a member of the Junior National Team?
Yes ____ No ____

If no, are they a member of a developmental National Team?
Yes ____ No ____

C) International

- 1) Does the athlete have a world ranking? Yes ____ No ____ N/A ____
If Yes – What is the rank: ____, level of ranking (Sr., Jr., etc.) ____

Additional Comments (please add any additional comments)

By clicking on the submit button, I agree that all information is an accurate representation of myself to the best of my knowledge. If I am under 18 years of age my legal guardian must also send an e-mail to mkoop@canadagames.ca to confirm that they accept the terms and conditions of the application form.

Athletes Signature

Date

Parent/Legal Guardians Signature (if required)

Date

For Selection Committee Use ONLY

Endorsement and verification of information deemed by:

National Sport Organization

Name/Title

Date

Territorial/Provincial Sport Organization

Name/Title

Date

Information Confirmed by:

Selection Committee Member

Signature

Date

APPENDIX A

Athlete Responsibilities:

Athletes applying for the Canada Games/FAST Athlete Fund must agree to the following:

1. Submit completed application along with any supporting documentation to Canada Games/FAST Selection Committee.
2. Ensure that all information provided is true and gives an accurate representation of their personal situation.

If approved, athletes must:

1. Adhere to training and competition program as outlined in application.
2. Abide by the Canadian Anti-Doping Program as set out by the Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport.
3. If contacted, assist Canada Games/FAST in promotional activities designed to help the Canada Games movement where these fit the athlete's schedule and with compensation when possible.
4. Complete and submit a follow-up report upon the duration of their agreement.
5. To be available for media presentation when receiving grant according to athletes training program and competition schedule.
6. Agree to all conditions of Canada Games/FAST Athlete Fund ; and
7. Represent NSO at national championships or international events.

NSO and P/TSO Responsibilities:

1. Identify potential athletes through a performance based ranking system.
2. At least one month prior to the application deadline (March 4, 2005) distribution to identified athletes who fully meet eligibility criteria.
3. Assist Canada Games/FAST in completing application form as required.
4. Assists in monitoring the athletes progress and advise Canada Games/FAST if athlete is failing to meet their obligations and commitments to the program.

Canada Games/FAST Responsibilities:

1. Provide P/TSOs, NSOs, and Canada Games Chefs de Mission with all applicable information (application form, backgrounder etc.) relating to Canada Games/FAST Athlete Fund.
2. Establish a selection review committee to evaluate all applications.
3. Approve and arrange payments in relation to guidelines of grant.
4. Advise all applicants as to the status of their application.
5. Work with athlete, P/TSO, and NSO to ensure that due process is followed in the work with the athletes, preparation of applications and follow ups, and fulfillment of obligations and commitments.