



ATHLETE ASSISTANCE

Saskatchewan Cycling Association (SCA) believes in providing athletes with opportunities in the pursuit of excellence. Through the Saskatchewan Athlete Assistance Program, SCA will provide financial assistance to eligible cycling athletes.

The Saskatchewan Athlete Assistance Program will provide financial assistance to athletes who are enrolled and accepted to the SCA Performance Cycling Program and compete in the Olympic Cycling disciplines, to assist with their training and competition costs.

Athlete applications are evaluated by Saskatchewan Cycling Association High Performance Committee and staff.

Evaluation Base:

- a. Participation in cycling activities in the 2022-2023 season before application deadline.
- b. Rankings will be based on Development, Performance, or High Performance status in the program as outlined in the PCP overview.
 - a. Athlete's are encouraged to provide proof of HP or P status to the SCA main office, which will inturn, provide the information to SCA HP Committee.

Deadline to apply: May 31, 2023

Eligibility:

Those who are eligible for SCA Athlete Assistance must be:

- a. A Canadian citizen or be of landed immigrant status, and a resident of Saskatchewan for at least one year prior to his/her date of nomination.
- b. 15-22 (under 23) years of age during the year of competition.
- c. Must be a member in good standing with SCA.
- d. Registered and accepted to SCA Performance Cycling Program.
- e. Be competing in one of the Olympic cycling disciplines of Road, MTB, or BMX in 2020.
- f. Optionally: compete in the Olympic cycling discipline of Track (outside of the province of SK at athlete's expense) in 2020.

In-eligible Athletes:

Athletes who are Sport Canada Carded Athletes are NOT eligible for SCA Athlete Assistance.

Requirement:

After notification of being accepted to receive athlete assistance and first half of funding sent out; an athlete must:

- 1) explain in writing to SCA how provincial funding is helping them with their cycling development,
- 2) provide cycling related purchase receipts equal to amount distributed within the current season in order to release remainder of allotted funding.

Return completed Athlete Assistance Application Form to:

**Saskatchewan Cycling Association
2205 Victoria Avenue
Regina, Saskatchewan
Canada
S4P 0S4**

Attn, Sarah Honeysett, Executive Director: Re: Athlete Assistance

Or email to SCA at sarah@saskcycling.ca

with *Athlete Assistance* in the subject line

