



The Alberta Milk Never Stop Scholarship Application



The Alberta Schools' Athletic Association and the Alberta Sport, Recreation Parks and Wildlife Foundation are proud to support the Alberta Milk **Never Stop** Scholarship.

Number of scholarships available:

Maximum of one female

Maximum of one male

Number of nominations per school:

Maximum of one female

Maximum of one male

Value of scholarship:

\$1000 each

Restriction:

Applicant must be planning to attend a post-secondary institution in Canada.

Applications:

Forward to:

Alberta Schools' Athletic Association

Alberta Milk **Never Stop** Scholarship Committee

11759 Groat Road

Edmonton, AB T5M 3K6

Deadline: July 1, 2009

Notification & presentation: TBA



The Alberta Milk Never Stop Scholarship Application Criteria

The ASAA invites scholarship nominations for students currently registered in ASAA member high schools and planning to graduate in June 2009.

The award is for students who achieve a balance in life, participate in school life, and have the promise to do great things later in life. It's for students who will **never stop** learning, **never stop** participating, and **never stop** being an active participant in life.

Nominations

ASAA member schools may submit a nomination for one male and one female only. The application form **must be signed** by the school principal/assistant principal.

Eligibility

The nominated student must:

1. Be a grade 12 student registered in an ASAA member school and must also meet all ASAA eligibility criteria as set out in the 2008/09 ASAA Policy Handbook pages 37 to 45.
2. Participate in athletic activities. This can be active participation in school intramurals throughout the year, being a member of a school sports team or participate in an activity that is not a school sport, for example, dance, ballet, water polo, fencing, hockey, karate, etc.
3. Demonstrate an attitude of fair play and sportsmanship while participating in sport and social activities.
4. Show personal development with involvement in activities other than athletics and academics, for example, community work, hobbies, clubs, youth programs.
5. Plan to attend a post-secondary educational facility in Canada.
6. Be an Alberta resident.

Note: Once the scholarship committee has selected the recipients, applicants will be notified and required to provide to the ASAA a photocopy of their official Alberta Education High School Transcript, verified by the school principal's signature.

Requirements

1. **Four complete copies** of the application must be submitted in the following order: application form, résumé, references, essay, with each copy stapled at the top left corner (no folders or binders please).
2. **Application form** must be completely filled out and signed by both the student and school principal/assistant principal.
3. **Résumé** must be completed in the format provided (two pages maximum).
4. **Letters of reference/support (two maximum)** must accompany the scholarship application. Letters of reference submitted must provide evidence of participation in sport, fair play, sportsmanship, and personal development, and support the student's attitude of never stopping to learn and achieve. References can be from school staff, coaches, youth leaders or mentors.
5. **Write an essay** exploring the value of recreational or elite sport to teenagers including personal experiences (title at your discretion). The essay should be a minimum of 250 words to a maximum of 500 words. This essay in part or in full may be published in an ASAA newsletter.

Résumé Component

Please follow the format below for your résumé (two pages maximum). Your résumé must detail all your experiences in the following three areas:

Athletics
Personal Development
Sportsmanship and Fair Play

Sample Résumé

(please list most recent endeavours first)

Applicant Name

School Name

Athletics

Year(s)	Athletics Involved in	Accomplishments
1998 - 2004	Water Polo	Team Captain (2000-02)
2000 - 2002	Community League Basketball	Team MVP (2001)

Personal Development

Year(s)	Activity
2003 - 2004	Grad Committee member
2001- 2003	Volunteer Work at Food Bank
2000	Chief Scout Award

Sportsmanship & Fair Play

Please give a few instances where you have displayed outstanding sportsmanship or fair play in sports.



The Alberta Milk Never Stop Scholarship Application Form



The Alberta Schools' Athletic Association must receive a complete application and supporting references by **July 1, 2009**.

This information will be kept confidential.

Full Name: _____

School: _____

Home Address: _____

Town/City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

(Signature of applicant)

Date _____

(Name of principal/assistant principal)

(Signature of principal/assistant principal)

Please send completed applications to:
Alberta Schools' Athletic Association
Alberta Milk **Never Stop** Scholarship Committee
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Please ensure you have reviewed the scholarship information sheet and have included all necessary components. Incomplete applications will not be considered for this scholarship.