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OHF Bulletin

To: OHF Members, OHF Directors, OHF Minor Hockey Associations, OHF Senior Leadership Team, OHF Member Communication Staff
From: Ontario Hockey Federation Communications
Date: March 11, 2026
Re: 2026 OHF Scholarship Program – Applications Now Open
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The Ontario Hockey Federation (OHF) is pleased to announce that as of Wednesday, March 11, 2026, the 2026 OHF Scholarship Program is officially accepting applications. The application window will remain open until Friday, May 8, 2026.

About the OHF Scholarship Program

Introduced in 1997, the OHF Scholarship Program was established to recognize and reward dedication to both education and hockey. The program provides financial assistance to registered OHF participants to help offset the cost of post-secondary education.

Since its inception, the OHF has distributed more than \$485,000 to over 430 post-secondary students across the province.

Scholarships are awarded to outstanding young individuals who demonstrate commitment and excellence at the arena, in the classroom, and in their community. Recipients are selected based on:

- Academic achievement
- Hockey involvement
- Community engagement

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must:

- Be registered within the OHF (OMHA, GTHL, ALLIANCE, NOHA, OWHA, OHL) during the 2025–2026 season
- Have been registered for at least three (3) of the last four (4) years with the OHF as a player, trainer, coach, or official
- Be in good standing with the OHF

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- Be attending a Canadian post-secondary institution

Application Requirements

Applicants are required to submit:

- Personal Essay (maximum 500 words)
- Topic is open-ended (e.g., hockey experience, overcoming adversity, how hockey has shaped personal development, etc.)
- One Academic Reference Letter (on academic letterhead)
- One Hockey-Related Reference Letter (on hockey organization letterhead)
- Most Recent School Transcript

All participants (players, coaches, trainers, and officials) within each of the OHF Members (ALLIANCE, GTHL, NOHA, OHA, OHL, OMHA, OWHA) are eligible to apply.

Complete application details and submission information will be available on the [OHF website](#) beginning March 11, 2026.

Scholarship Submission Portal: [Submit Here](#)

The Ontario Hockey Federation looks forward to recognizing another group of exceptional student-athletes, coaches, and officials in 2026.