

<b>Policy Name:</b> Edmond Financial High Performance Bursary	<b>Date of Approval:</b> November 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2021	<b>Activation Date:</b> November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
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### 1.1 Definitions

- a) The following terms have these meanings in this policy:
- i. “Donor” – The business entity known as “Edmond Financial Group”.
  - ii. “Donation” - One-time cash gift.

### 1.2 Purpose

- a) The Manitoba Gymnastics Association (MGA) is the recipient of a \$1000 donation from the donor to be used for the “Edmond Financial High-Performance Bursary”.
- b) The spirit and intent of this policy is to distribute the donation as to the highest-ranking athlete within the province for the season.
- c) The policy also provides the criteria for qualification, sharing, and disbursement of funds which shall be at the discretion of the MGA Board of Directors.

### 1.3 Qualification

- a) Athletes must be an active registered member of a club that is in good standing with the MGA.
- b) The Edmond Financial High-Performance Bursary can be used for training fees, camps, travel, meet registration or uniforms.
- c) The Edmond Financial High-Performance Bursary will be distributed to the highest ranking athlete of any discipline who compete at a National Level of gymnastics or higher.

### 1.4 Process

- a) Applicants who meet the qualifications outlined in 1.3 can apply using the “Edmond Financial High Performance Bursary Application Form”. The deadline to apply will be specified in this form.
- b) Recipient will be evaluated based on the criteria outlined in Appendix A. The final decision on bursary recipient(s) will be approved by the MGA Board of Directors.
- c) A cheque will be processed for the bursary recipient and presented at the Annual Awards event.

## Appendix A – Awards Evaluation Criteria

Area of Evaluation	Total Points Available	Breakdown
National Team	0-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current</li> <li>• Previous Year</li> <li>• Prior Years</li> </ul>
Competitions	0-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Worlds</li> <li>• International Meets</li> <li>• National Meets</li> </ul>
Results	0-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awarded for Top 3 placement at meet Westerns or higher</li> </ul>
Other	0-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Need for financial support</li> </ul>