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## P.C.A.H.A. 2003-2004 BULLETIN #27

**DATE:** January 13, 2004.  
**TO:** The Presidents  
PCAHA Member Minor Hockey Associations  
**FROM:** Bonnie Cameron  
Chair, PCAHA Scholarship Committee  
**SUBJECT:** PCAHA Scholarship Program.

Each year the Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey Association awards a number of scholarships in recognition of academic achievement combined with participation in Minor Hockey, to registered players in the Midget and Juvenile divisions who are in Grade 11 or 12 or graduated from high school.

I am pleased to advise that 17 scholarships worth \$14,250 will be awarded through the PCAHA Scholarship Fund this season. (This amount does not include the Special Bursaries awarded in conjunction with the Midget and Juvenile Scholarship Tournaments). I would like to thank the sponsors of the Scholarship Program, **the Vancouver Canucks** and **Scotiabank**, for their support.

Please find attached a copy of a letter directed to Midget and Juvenile players within your Association, together with a copy of the PCAHA Scholarship Program Application Form and guidelines. To ensure that all eligible players have the opportunity to participate in the Scholarship Program, please have the responsible officials within your Association distribute copies of the cover letter and application form to eligible players in your Midget and Juvenile divisions.

It should be noted that playing ability or competitive level is not a consideration. All registered Midgets and Juveniles who are in Grade 11 or 12 or graduated from high school may apply.

The closing date for submission of scholarship applications is **Friday, March 26, 2004**. Applications must be received at the PCAHA Office on or before that date to be eligible for consideration.

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact the PCAHA Office.

Thank you for your assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Bonnie Cameron  
Chair, PCAHA Scholarship Committee  
PCAHA Past President

cc. Executive Committee, files

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**TO: All PCAHA Midget Players  
All PCAHA Juvenile Players**

**FROM: The PCAHA Scholarship Committee**

Each year the Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey Association awards a number of scholarships in recognition of academic achievement and community/school service combined with hockey participation. To be eligible, a player must be:

1. A registered player with any team in the PCAHA Midget or Juvenile divisions, and
2. In Grade 11 or 12 or graduated from high school.

For the 2003-2004 season the PCAHA will be awarding 17 scholarship awards with a total value of \$14,250.00, as follows:

1. Arthur Griffiths Scholarship Award, presented by the Vancouver Canucks (1 award @ \$3,000.00)
2. Scotiabank Scholarship (1 award @ \$2,000.00)
3. PCAHA Scholarships (2 awards @ \$1,000.00 each)
4. Vancouver Canucks Scholarships (3 awards @ \$750.00 each)
5. Vancouver Canucks Community Service Bursary (1 award @ \$500.00)
6. Jim Hoeght Memorial Referee Scholarship (1 award @ \$500.00)
7. James Killeen Memorial Scholarship (1 award @ \$500.00)
8. PCAHA Scholarship Awards (7 awards @ \$500.00 each)

These awards should not be confused with the Special Bursaries awarded in conjunction with the Midget and Juvenile Scholarship Tournaments, for which only participants in those events are eligible.

When choosing the successful applicants, the selection committee will be placing special emphasis upon (i) academic achievement and (ii) good school and community participation. Recipients must utilize scholarship funds towards tuition at a post-secondary educational institution (university, community college, technical institute, vocational college, etc.).

Please find attached a PCAHA Scholarship Program Application Form. To apply for PCAHA scholarships, please complete this form and submit it together with: (i) a personal letter containing an outline of your academic achievements, community/school participation and service, hockey involvement, and other qualifications; (ii) letters of reference from your Minor Hockey Association and school Principal or Counsellor; (iii) your most recent report card, and (iv) your transcript of high school grades. Forward the completed application to the PCAHA Office.

Please note that the closing date for submission of applications is **Friday, March 26, 2004**. Applications must be received at the PCAHA Office on or before that date to be eligible for consideration.

Good luck!

Yours sincerely,

Bonnie Cameron  
PCAHA Scholarship Committee

## **P.C.A.H.A. SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM GUIDELINES**

### **GENERAL:**

1. The PCAHA awards a number of scholarships and bursaries each year to players who apply, and who best combine the qualifications set out hereunder.
2. **Eligibility** - To be eligible, players must be:
  - (1) currently registered in the PCAHA Midget or Juvenile divisions; and
  - (2) in grade 11 or 12, or finished high school.
3. **Utilization of Scholarships** - Players in high school will have two years after graduation to utilize a scholarship. Those players finished high school will have two years to utilize a scholarship. (Upon receipt of a written request from a scholarship winner, the PCAHA Executive Committee can grant an extension to the two-year limitation). Scholarship funds must be used for tuition at a post-secondary educational institution. Should the scholarship amount be greater than one year's tuition, the remainder may be applied towards a second year's tuition.
4. An individual may receive not more than one award from the PCAHA Scholarship Program in a calendar year. Where a candidate is eligible to receive more than one award in a given year, he or she shall receive the scholarship or bursary award with the higher monetary value. A scholarship or bursary winner shall be eligible to win a scholarship or bursary in any subsequent year of eligibility.

### **MIDGET AND/OR JUVENILE SCHOLARSHIPS:**

5. A number of scholarships are awarded in recognition of academic achievement and community/school service combined with hockey participation, to Midgets or Juveniles best meeting the criteria. The PCAHA and the sponsors of the Scholarship Program wish to encourage hockey players to continue their involvement in Minor Hockey while achieving their academic goals.
6. **Scholarships to be Awarded** - The number and value of PCAHA scholarships will be determined by the Scholarship Committee and Executive Committee.
7. **Qualifications:**
  - (1) Academic achievement.
  - (2) Good school and community participation and service.
  - (3) Hockey participation.
8. **How to Apply** - Applicants should complete the PCAHA Scholarship Application Form (available from the PCAHA Executive Director - see below) **and** submit a personal letter containing an outline of academic achievements, community/school participation and service, and other qualifications. In addition, the following must accompany the application:
  - (1) Letter from a designated executive member, Association official, or team official from the applicant's Association.
  - (2) Letter from applicant's school Principal or Counsellor.
  - (3) Copy of most recent school report card.
  - (4) Copy of transcript of high school grades.
9. **Selection** - Applications will be reviewed by an independent adjudication committee consisting of respected educators. Selections will be approved by the Scholarship Committee and Executive Committee as per By-Law 90.
10. **Deadline for Submission** - Applications and supporting letters must be received at the PCAHA Office **no later than Friday, March 26, 2004**. All scholarship applica-

tions, completed as specified above, are to be sent to:

PCAHA Minor Hockey Scholarships  
#114 - 3993 Henning Drive  
Burnaby, B.C.  
V5C 6P7

11. All applications become the property of the PCAHA Scholarship Program.
12. Midget and/or Juvenile scholarships shall be open to all eligible applicants to the Program with the exception of the following awards:
  - (1) The Juvenile Scholarship Award (if any) is awarded to the Juvenile Division applicant best meeting the criteria.
  - (2) The Jim Hoeght Memorial Referee Scholarship is awarded to the Midget or Juvenile applicant best meeting the criteria who is an active (BCAHA carded) referee.

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE BURSARY AWARD:**

13. To recognize citizenship combined with participation in Minor Hockey, the PCAHA awards the Community Service Bursary to the applicant to the PCAHA Scholarship Program who has demonstrated outstanding service to the community. For this award, academic considerations will be secondary. Players applying for this award should use the standard PCAHA form and attach the appropriate letters of reference (as per #8 above).

### **SPECIAL BURSARY AWARDS:**

14. **Midget Special Bursary Awards** - The PCAHA awards a number of special bursary awards in conjunction with the annual Midget Scholarship Tournaments (Male and Female). These bursaries are awarded to the player(s) who best exemplify excellence and sportsmanship during the course of the tournaments.
15. **Juvenile Special Bursary Awards** - The PCAHA awards a number of special bursary awards in conjunction with the annual Juvenile Scholarship Tournament. These bursaries are awarded to the player(s) who best exemplify excellence and sportsmanship during the course of the tournament.

### **FURTHER INFORMATION:**

16. To obtain copies of the PCAHA Scholarship Application Form, or for further information, please contact:

Mrs. Rika Zick  
PCAHA Executive Director  
Phone: 604-205-9011  
Fax: 604-205-9016  
E-mail: info@pcaha.bc.ca

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## P.C.A.H.A. Scholarship Program Application Form

Form131  
(Rev: Jun/03)

### 1. Personal Information:

PLEASE PRINT

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|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Name:                       |                 |
| Address:                    |                 |
| City:                       | Postal Code:    |
| Telephone Number:           | E-mail Address: |
| Current Hockey Association: |                 |
| Team Name:                  | Date of Birth:  |

### 2. Educational History:

| From (Year) | To (Year) | Educational Institution Attended | Program of Study |
|-------------|-----------|----------------------------------|------------------|
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### 3. Future Course of Study:

Describe your planned future course of study and the post-secondary institution(s) you hope to attend:

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### 4. Academic Accomplishments:

List any scholarships, bursaries, awards, or other academic recognition you have received and the date or year received:

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**5. Hockey Participation:**

| Season  | Association | Division | Team | Other Hockey-Related Activities (Specify) |
|---------|-------------|----------|------|---|
| 2003-04 |             |          |      |   |
| 2002-03 |             |          |      |   |
| 2001-02 |             |          |      |   |
| 2000-01 |             |          |      |   |
| 1999-00 |             |          |      |   |
| 1998-99 |             |          |      |   |

**6. Refereeing:**

If you are an active referee, please indicate your official's number:

**7. Hockey Related Awards:**

List any individual or team awards you have received in hockey:

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**8. Community Service:**

List contributions you have made to your community:

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**9. School Service:**

List contributions you have made to your school:

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**10. Personal Letter:**

Submit a personal letter containing an outline of your qualifications (including academic achievements, community/school participation and service, hockey involvement, and other qualifications) plus any additional comments you feel will assist the selection committee when considering your application.

**11. Supporting Documents:**

This application **MUST** be accompanied by the following:

- Personal Letter (see item #10, above).
- Letter from designated Association executive member, official, or team official.
- Letter from your school Principal or Counsellor.
- Copy of your most recent school report card(s).
- Copy of your transcript of high school grades.

**Deadline: Friday, March 26, 2004.**

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(Signature)

**Send to:** PCAHA Minor Hockey Scholarships  
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