



takamuna pakana 2017/18

Aboriginal Active Recreation and Sports Assistance Program

Guidelines for Applicants

There have been some important changes made to the guidelines.

Payments:

- ✓ EFT (bank transfers) are the preferred and quickest way to make payments.
- ✓ **Bank account details must be from the place of purchase - not your personal bank details.**
- ✓ Requests for cheque payments, may take up to **eight** weeks to process.
- ✓ If you have more than one account to pay, please put the bank details on a separate sheet of paper.
- ✓ Please remember to attach an invoice – otherwise no payments will be made.

General category:

Priority will be given to:

- Applicants who have not previously received funding; and
- Applications for sporting fees and memberships.

Applications for other items including sporting and recreational footwear*, sporting equipment, clothing, Fitbits are low priority items and may **not** be approved.

- ✓ Applicants need to be 6 years old before you can apply for the funding – except for **swimming activities**. The TAC will support applications for babies, from birth upwards, for swimming related activities.
- ✓ For footwear, generally no more than \$60 will be paid to applicants 6 to 10 years old, and no more than \$120 for applicants 11 years and over.
- ✓ The maximum available to each applicant is \$250 per financial year. You can apply as many times as you like but you will not receive more than \$250 each financial year.

Elite sportspeople category:

The amount of money paid for Elite grants are capped:

- Intrastate travel - maximum \$1,000 per financial year
- Interstate travel – maximum \$2,500 per financial year
- International travel – maximum \$4,000 per financial year

Other:

- As funds are very limited, only people who would have difficulty paying their own costs will be assisted.
- Acceptance of a grant implies agreement to publish your name as a grant recipient in the interests of accountability to the Aboriginal community.
- Appeals against decisions may be based only on errors in procedure and not on the decision itself.
- Please use the TAC **takamuna pakana application form** available from any TAC office, on our web page or send an email to takamunapakana@tacinc.com.au for a copy