

Highland Athlete Travel Award Scheme



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Funding and Facilities Access



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Our aim is to improve opportunities for Highland athletes to participate, progress and achieve in sport

Criteria

Individual athletes applying must be:

- Resident within the Highlands.
- Attending regular training and competitions out with the Highland region or that requires a 120-mile round trip within Highland.
- Currently selected to compete or train at a regional, national, or international level.
- Endorsed by a statement of support from the relevant National Governing Body (NGB).
- Competing within a **sportscotland** recognised sport .



[sportscotland recognised governing bodies LINK](#)

Process

1. The athlete should complete the application form and get it endorsed by the relevant NGB.
2. The application should then be submitted to AT.AS@highlifehighland.com, where it will be assessed.
3. The athlete will be sent notification of the outcome of their application, including any particular conditions which may affect their access to our leisure facilities.



Highland Athlete Travel Award Scheme Application Form

If completing the form by hand, please use **BLOCK CAPITALS** and return it, together with the NGB supporting statement (page 5) and a completed Highland ATAS Equalities form via email to AT.AS@highlifehighland.com by the relevant funding round deadline.

Please note that we are unable to process incomplete applications.

Please indicate below which funding round this application is for:

Funding Round 1:

For eligible travel to training & competitions from 1st April 2024 – 30th September 2024,
APPLICATION DEADLINE 5pm on Friday 1st of March 2024.

Funding Round 2:

For eligible travel to training & competitions from 1st October 2024 – 31st March 2025,
APPLICATION DEADLINE 5pm on Sunday 1st of September 2024.

Athlete Application

THIS SECTION SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE ATHLETE APPLYING FOR FUNDING AND ACCESS

1. Eligibility Criteria

Athletes must be able to answer 'Yes' to all conditions to be eligible to continue with the application.

Athletes who are eligible for this fund are: (You must be able to tick all the boxes below to proceed)	Tick
Resident within the Highlands.	
Regularly attending training and competing out with the Highland region or that requires a 120-mile round trip within Highland.	
Currently selected to compete or train at a regional, national, or international level.	
Competing within a sportscotland recognised sport - sportscotland recognised governing bodies	
Able to be endorsed by a statement of support from the relevant National Governing Body (NGB).	

2. Applicant information

Name:			
Address:			
	Postcode:		
Home Tel:	County:		
Date of Birth:	Work /Mobile Number:		
e-mail:			

3. Parent / Guardian Details

Applicants under the age of 18 on the date of submission must provide the details of their Parent(s) or Guardian(s).

Parent/Guardian Name:			
Address: (if different to athlete)			
Postcode:	Postcode:		
e-mail:			

<p>Please check this box to confirm you consent for your child (named applicant) to participate in the Highland ATAS in accordance with the Terms & Conditions.</p>	
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4. Sporting Background

Sport:		Club:		
Please provide details of how you have represented your sport at any of the following level: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional / Institute of Sport Scotland / Great Britain European / World 				
National Governing Body:				
Please provide contact details of the NGB representative who is supporting your application:	Name:		Position:	
	Email:		Mobile:	
Please provide an estimate of the costs of travel and accommodation for the 6 month funding period you are applying for:	£			

5. Supporting Information

Explain why you need this funding and outline your goals and aspirations (Max 500 Characters).
Specifically, what would HATAS funding contribute towards over the next 6 months (Max 300 Characters).

6. Training & Competition Calendar

In the table below, please provide your training and competition calendar for the funding round that you are applying for.

Date(s)	Competition Name/ Training Event	Location	Aspirations <i>(podium/time/technical/tactical/psychological etc)</i>

7. Application Agreement Statement

You must tick all the boxes below to confirm that you:	Tick
Have answered all the relevant questions on the application form.	
Understand that if you make any misleading statements (whether deliberate or accidental) or knowingly withhold any relevant information at any stage during the application process or as a Highland ATAS athlete, this could make your application invalid, and you could be liable to repay any funding received.	
Meet all eligibility requirements for the Highland Athlete Travel Award Scheme.	
Have attached a statement of support from your relevant Governing Body.	
Have including a completed Equalities form.	

8. Application Signatories

Athlete signature:		Date:	
Print Name:			
Athlete / Guardian Signature: (also required if Athlete is under 18)		Date:	
Print Name:			

9. Data Protection

To view our High Life Highland Privacy Notices, please visit www.highlifehighland.com/gdpr/privacy-notices or to request a printed copy please email DPO@highlifehighland.com.

Data Protection Statement:

I confirm that I have read and understood the privacy notice and I consent for my information to be processed and shared as described.			
Athlete signature:		Date:	
Print Name:			

Terms & Conditions

1. Athletes must have their application form endorsed by the relevant NGB (see p5) before submission to High Life Highland (HLH).
2. The completed application form should be submitted to AT.AS@highlifehighland.com by the funding round deadlines for 2024-25.
3. HLH memberships are valid for one year from date of issue.
4. The HLH venues available for use by the athlete and the times at which they can be used will be at the discretion of the Facility Manager if outside available public booking times. Site specific Gym Inductions are required for use of weights or gym equipment. Terms and conditions apply. If you need support with facility access, contact an HATAS Facilitator.
5. Access is only available to athletes for their individual training requirements and will not apply to squad, club or team training.
6. Applicants may be required to take part, wherever possible, in appropriate publicity and promotional events on behalf of HLH or **sportscotland**. Under such circumstances your contact details will be shared with the relevant member of staff or external agencies involved in publicity and promotional events.
7. High Life Highland reserves the right to withdraw the membership card at any time.

Please Note:

These are the conditions which apply to the Highland Athlete Travel Award Scheme. In addition, the Facility Management Rules for each HLH venue will also apply, a copy of which is available from the Facility's Manager.

National Governing Body Statement

THIS SECTION SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY A REPRESENTATIVE THE NATIONAL GOVERNING BODY

1. Applicant information

Name of Applicant:

2. Statement & contact details

I certify that the applicant above has reached the standard and achieved the results detailed on this application form.

Signed:

Date:

Print Name:

Position:

NGB / Organisation:

Telephone:

e-mail:

Please use the space below to tell us why you think the Highland ATAS funding and facility access would benefit the applicant and further performance level sport in Highland. (Max 500 Characters)