

## **Youth Bursary Program**

## Western, General Performance & Breed Sport Riders

This year, the NBEA will assist junior members achieve their equestrian goals, awarding up to eight bursaries of \$500 each.

### What can the money be used for?

The bursaries can be used to help pay for the following:

- Riding lessons/Rider Level testing
- Training fees
- Competition fees
- Continuing education
- •Other activities that will assist you to achieve your equestrian objectives

### Who can apply? (Riders participating in the LTED 2020 program are not eligible.)

If you can answer **yes** to the following questions you are eligible to apply!

- Are you a current NBEA Junior Member between the ages of 14\* and 18?
- •Are you currently attending school in New Brunswick?
- Have you completed or are ready to be tested for at least one Rider Level?
- Do you train with an Equestrian Canada current certified coach?

#### How to apply?

Only applications that include the following items will be considered complete and eligible:

- Completed Youth Bursary Application Form
- Essay #1 Describe your horse interests and experiences (200 words or less)
- Essay #2 Indicate how you would spend \$500 (200 words or less)
- Photo colour photo of you riding/driving OR your head shot
- •Two Letters of Recommendation from your coach, who has a license and NBEA/EC membership that is up to date and one from an independent supporter who is an NBEA member.
- \* Applicants must be at least 14 years old by the deadline date and be a Junior rider for the current year.



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Application Dates: April 5, 2020

| Applicant Information:           |                          |     |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| Name:                            | Date of Birth: _         |     |
| Address:                         | City:                    |     |
| Postal Code:                     | Email:                   |     |
| Telephone:                       | NBEA #:                  |     |
| Rider Level Completed:           |                          |     |
| Independent Supporter * (must be | an adult member of NBEA) |     |
| Name:                            | NBEA #:                  |     |
| Address:                         |                          |     |
| Email:                           | Phone #:                 |     |
| Coach of Applicant:              |                          |     |
| Name:                            | NBEA #                   | EC# |
| Address:                         |                          |     |
| Email:                           | Phone #:                 |     |
| Coaching Level:                  |                          |     |

<sup>\*</sup>An "Independent supporter" is an unrelated adult, such as a youth group leader, stable owner, teacher, employer, or coach of another sport who is a member of the NBEA.



| What are your goals involving horses?  |
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| Are you involved with a club, discipline group, or a stable?                       |
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| Completed application with supporting letters from the following must be attached: |
| ✓ Coach  |
| ✓ Independent Supporter  |
| Also include:  |
| ✓ Essay #1   |
| ✓ Essay #2   |
| ✓ Photo  |
| ✓ Release Form   |
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For more information on NBEA programs, please visit <u>www.nbea.ca</u>



## YOUTH BURSARY RELEASE FORM

| (Parent/Guardian)   | (Applicant)                          |
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| I,, ackno   | owledge that                         |
| is interested in the NBEA Bursary Program. This accurate and the applicant agrees to abide by tagree to allow my child's name and/or picture to media if s/he is accepted to receive a Bursary. |                                      |
| Signature of Applicant:   | Date:                                |
| Signature of Parent/Guardian:   | Date:                                |
| Print Name:   |                                      |
| Please send completed application form, supp  | orting letters, essays and photo to: |
| New Brunswick Equestrian Association  |                                      |
| 900 Hanwell Road, Suite 13,   |                                      |
| Fredericton, NB   |                                      |
| E3B 6A2   |                                      |