



## 2019 ACADEMY PROGRAMME APPLICATIONS – COACHES

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### ABOUT THE ACADEMY PROGRAMME

#### What is the goal of the Academy Programme?

To support ParaFed Canterbury athletes and coaches on their pathway to high performance programmes, and ultimately representing New Zealand at World Championships and Paralympic Games.

#### What will the Academy Programme offer?

Those selected in the programme will receive a funding grant, have the opportunity to attend academy seminars (ie: drug free sport, nutrition, media training), and have their achievements promoted through the year.

#### What are the expectations of those selected in the Academy Programme?

- Commitment to training and competing regularly through the year.
- Attend academy seminars.
- Submit competition results and photos.
- Promote ParaFed Canterbury in interviews, media articles and social media.

### 2019 ACADEMY PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

ACADEMY	MAX NO.	BENEFITS	CRITERIA OVERVIEW
Level 1	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1600 sports grant</li> <li>• Academy seminars (optional)</li> <li>• Promotion of results / achievements</li> </ul>	Athletes who have competed at international level within the past 12 months and are tracking towards representing New Zealand at international competitions in 2019.
Level 2	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$800 sports grant</li> <li>• Academy seminars (compulsory)</li> <li>• Promotion of results / achievements</li> <li>• Assistance with planning (if required)</li> </ul>	Athletes who have competed at either national or international level within the past 12 months and are on the pathway towards competing internationally in the next 1-2 years.
Junior	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$400 sports grant</li> <li>• Academy seminars (compulsory)</li> <li>• Promotion of results / achievements</li> <li>• Individual goal setting meeting</li> </ul>	Athletes aged 10-18 years who are training and competing for their club, with a goal of competing at national level (which may include the Halberg Games) in the next 12 months.
SCHOLARSHIPS	MAX NO.	BENEFITS	CRITERIA OVERVIEW
Coach Scholarships	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$600 coaching grant</li> <li>• Academy seminars</li> <li>• Individual planning meetings</li> </ul> <p><i>Please note:</i> Successful coaches may be required to run coaching sessions for ParaFed Canterbury through the year.</p>	<p>Coaches (disabled or non-disabled) who are coaching Para sports groups/clubs or Para athletes from the Academy Programme, and making a positive impact on the region.</p> <p>Priority will be given to supporting coaches who have not received scholarships in the past.</p>

Athletes and coaches who apply, but are not selected in the Academy Programme, may still have the opportunity to attend academy seminars during the year, even if they do not receive a sports grant.

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### **SELECTION CRITERIA FOR COACHES**

1. Applications must be received by ParaFed Canterbury by **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2018**. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.
2. Coaches must reside in the ParaFed Canterbury region (including Tasman, West Coast, Canterbury, Mid-Canterbury and South Canterbury).
3. Coach scholarships are to be used towards furthering a coach's skills, development or education. This may include attending a coaching course, event, training camp, competition, or mentoring with another coach.
4. Coach scholarship recipients may be required to run coaching sessions for ParaFed Canterbury through the year.
5. The selection panel will be looking at a combination of the following when awarding the coach scholarships.
  - Coaching ability and potential.
  - Commitment to disability sport.
  - Desire to develop and grow as a coach.
  - Professional development plan.
  - Achievements of disabled athletes they are coaching.
6. Priority will be given to supporting coaches who have not received scholarships in the past.
7. Scholarship coaches may be required to represent ParaFed Canterbury at activities such as official functions, sports, fundraising, social events and guest speaking appointments.
8. A coach may fulfil all aspects of the selection criteria but due to there being a limited number of coach scholarships available, may not be successful.
9. ParaFed Canterbury reserves the right to select coaches who have potential, but do not currently fulfil all aspects of the selection criteria.
10. The Academy Programme, Coach Scholarships and Graham Condon Scholarship recipients will be announced at the ParaFed Canterbury Awards Evening on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018.



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### APPLICATION FORM

#### Personal Details

Name	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	Gender	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>
Birth Place	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	Birth Date	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>
Address	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	Suburb	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>
City / Town	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	Postcode	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>
Phone	<input style="width: 60%;" type="text"/>	Mobile	<input style="width: 60%;" type="text"/>
Email	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>		
Occupation	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>		
Shirt Size	XS   S   M   L   XL   XXL   XXXL		

#### Sport Details

Sport	<input style="width: 80%;" type="text"/>
Associated Sports Club	<input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>

#### Canterbury Disabled Athletes You Are Currently Coaching

ATHLETES	ATHLETES KEY ACHIEVEMENT (IN PAST 12 MONTHS)



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### **COACHING BACKGROUND**

Please provide details of your coaching background, qualification and achievements.

### **WEEKLY COACHING SCHEDULE**

What does your average coaching week look like next year?

<b>DAY OF THE WEEK</b>	<b>ACTIVITY (<i>ie: coaching times, locations, groups/athletes coaching</i>) – include both disabled and non-disabled coaching here.</b>
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	
Saturday	
Sunday	



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### **COACH DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN 2019**

Please describe what coach development opportunities you plan to undertake in 2019 and how you would use the Coach Scholarship to support this.



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### **CONTRACT OF UNDERSTANDING**

This contract of understanding sets out the expectations of ParaFed Canterbury and those coaches selected in the Academy Programme / Coach Scholarships.

1. This contract of understanding will commence, for successful applicants, on the 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018 and valid until the 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019.
2. Coaches will be able to access their funding between the 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019 and the 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019.
3. Coaches must apply in writing to ParaFed Canterbury requesting funding. This will be paid out with a maximum 50% in the first half of the year and the remaining amount to be paid out in the second half of the year unless exceptional circumstances are presented.
4. Unused funds at the end of the financial year will not be carried over to the next financial year unless previously identified by the coach and approved by ParaFed Canterbury.
5. Coaches maybe required run coaching sessions for ParaFed Canterbury through the year.
6. Coaches may be requested to assist ParaFed Canterbury at events; such as fundraising and official functions, sports days, junior sports club activities and guest speaking appointments.
7. ParaFed Canterbury reserves the right to use information and photographs of any coaches for promotional and media purposes.
8. When appropriate, coaches are encouraged to promote being supported by ParaFed Canterbury in any interviews, media articles and relevant social media posts (ie: Facebook).
9. Coaches must behave in an appropriate manner befitting a coach representing ParaFed Canterbury. If a coach brings the organisation or sport into disrepute their Academy Programme / Coach Scholarship status and funding will be reviewed.

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COACHCES NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_



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Please send applications to:

Hadleigh Pierson  
ParaFed Canterbury  
PO Box 35 080  
Shirley  
Christchurch 8640

Or email to [hpieron@parafedcanterbury.co.nz](mailto:hpieron@parafedcanterbury.co.nz)