



Financial Support Application

At Athletics Essendon, we welcome financial support applications from our loyal and contributing members who meet the requirements below and whom need our support to continue their athletics pursuits. Your Athletics Essendon committee believe that no athlete should be deprived of athletics participation due to financial circumstances.

Types of Financial Support Available:

Athletics Essendon offers 3 types of financial support to its current financial and coaching members, noting members are limited to one application for financial support per year:

1. **Athlete Domestic Award**
2. **General Financial Assistance**
3. **Coaching Support**

Athlete Domestic Club Representation and Success Award

Athletics Essendon is very proud of its athletes and offers a financial assistance domestic representation award to assist with the costs of participating in interstate National competition, while representing the Club. You can apply for the award if you achieve:

- Australian Championships Podium Finish (Gold \$250 /Silver \$200 /Bronze \$150)

General Financial Hardship Assistance

The Club will consider individual requests for financial assistance as one-off support grants to help athletes continue their participation in the sport (e.g. covering AE Club membership fees or uniform). Each request will be assessed on a case-by-case basis and must be sponsored by an AE coach or committee member. We encourage anyone unsure of their financial ability to register to participate to make contact with your committee for a confidential discussion.

Coaching Support

Coaches wanting to further their education through professional bodies are welcome to apply to the committee via email. Support requests will be capped at up to \$250 for further education. Any payment is discretionary and must be resolved prior to course enrolment.

A few points to consider before applying:

- * All requests for financial support must be submitted prior to subsequent season starting
- * Any member, athlete or coach who leaves the club to join another within 12 months of receiving general financial support will be kindly requested to repay
- * All requests will be considered by the Committee and outcomes advised via email
- * Note that applications will only be considered if the athlete/coach has supported the Club during the previous 12 months in respect of club operations and/or volunteer expectations at meets/events and if an athlete has competed a minimum of twice during that same 12 month period

Applicant Details:

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Date of Birth:	
National Member ID¹:	

I am making the following financial support application:

Pls tick box (one only)	Financial Support Type	Supporting Evidence is Attached (Y/N)
	Athlete Domestic Club Representation Success Award	
	General Financial Hardship Support	
	Coaching – Educational support	

Supporting evidence should include, but is not limited to, the following:

1. Evidence of competition and results achieved (i.e. Athletics Victoria/Athletics Australia).
2. Evidence of Australian Athletics education course enrolment and fees paid

- *If you have additional information you would like committee to consider, please attach*

Account Details:

Please provide PayID or bank account details for receipt of funds.

PayID (mobile/email)	
OR Bank details:	
Account Name	
Account BSB	
Account Number	
Reference (Name/Athlete Support)	

I, _____ (Full Name) acknowledge that all information provided within this application is factual and not misleading. Should the information be found incorrect, I agree to return funding provided.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

¹ Your National Member ID is available in your account in the RevSport portal at <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/essendon/account>