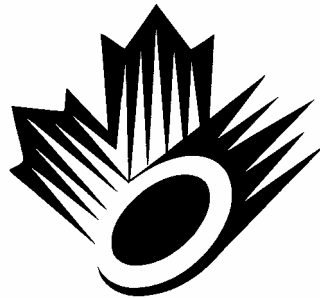


Agnes Jacks Scholarship Awards

2007 – 2008 Academic Year

- for ringette players, coaches and on-ice officials



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**Applications must be received in the Ringette Canada Office by :
January 31, 2007**



Mrs. Agnes Jacks

A Member of the Order of Canada, Agnes Jacks was the widow of Sam Jacks, who invented the sport of ringette in 1963 in North Bay, Ontario. While the sport lost Mr. Jacks' guiding hand through his untimely passing in 1975, the ringette community continued to benefit greatly from Agnes' dedicated and enthusiastic promotion of the sport both within Canada and around the world.

Over the years, Agnes proved herself to be truly dedicated, not only to the sport but also to the people in ringette. She faithfully attended numerous ringette tournaments and championship events and never failed to provide just the right word of enthusiasm or congratulations to players, coaches, officials and spectators. The ringette community appropriately laid claim to Agnes as its very own goodwill ambassador.

In 1998, Agnes Jacks proudly lent her name to a scholarship awards program designed to recognize ringette players, coaches and officials who demonstrate strong academic performance and commitment to the sport of ringette. The scholarships are awarded annually during the closing ceremonies of the Tim Hortons Canadian Ringette Championships.

Sadly, the ringette community lost its goodwill ambassador on April 1, 2005, when Agnes passed away in her hometown of North Bay, Ontario. The Agnes Jacks Scholarship Awards program will continue to pay tribute to her memory and future recipients will be forever inspired by her dedication and love of ringette.

PURPOSE OF THE AGNES JACKS SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

To provide annually a number of scholarships of \$1,000 each towards post-secondary education for ringette players, coaches and/or officials who have demonstrated a strong commitment to the sport of ringette.

Recipients will receive a scholarship award certificate recognizing their achievements.

The number of scholarships to be offered each year will be determined by the Ringette Canada Board of Directors.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Scholarship funds must be applied to the academic year for which the scholarship was awarded. Ringette Canada is unable to grant requests to defer scholarships from one academic year to the next.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Application for an Agnes Jacks Scholarship Award may be made by:

- ringette players registered with one of Ringette Canada's provincial/territorial member associations,
- NCCP-certified ringette coaches, and/or
- active on-ice ringette-certified officials

who will be enrolled **full-time** in a recognized post-secondary education institution for the 2007-2008 academic year.

Applicants must meet the admission standards of the educational institution specified, which must be a university, college or other educational institution located in Canada providing courses at a post-secondary school level.

Applicants must have actively participated in ringette as player, coach or on-ice official for at least five of the last seven years and must be registered in the 2006-2007 playing season.

Successful applicants will be those who have demonstrated sustained commitment to the sport of ringette through playing, coaching, officiating and other volunteer activities.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applications (**plus** supporting documents as detailed on page 4) must be forwarded to Ringette Canada at the following address and **be received** no later than January 31, 2007:

RINGETTE CANADA
Attn: Scholarship Selection Committee
Suite 201 - 5510 Canotek Road
Ottawa, Ontario K1J 9J4

NOTIFICATION

The name(s) of successful applicant(s) will be announced during the closing ceremonies of the 2007 Tim Hortons Canadian Ringette Championships with written confirmation to follow.

Please be sure that the following items are included in your scholarship application package:

The scholarship application form (pages 5, 6 and 7), fully completed.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Two (2) current letters of reference from people in the ringette community.	<input type="checkbox"/>
A transcript of marks for the last completed year of your education.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proof of registration as an active player, coach or on-ice official for the 2006-2007 ringette playing season.	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please Note: Scholarship funds will not be released by Ringette Canada until confirmation of the successful applicant's full-time enrollment at an appropriate post-secondary educational institution for the 2007-2008 academic year has been received.

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**Agnes Jacks Scholarship Award 2007-2008
Application Form**

Personal/Contact Information		
First Name	Last Name	
Home Address		
City	Province	Postal Code
Telephone	Email	
Ringette Registration		
Name of your current ringette association		
Name of your current team		
Division	City	Province
Academic Information		
<i>Current High School or Post-Secondary Institution</i>		
Name of Institution		
City	Province	Postal Code
Telephone	Fax	Expected Graduation (mm/yy)

Post-Secondary Educational Institution to be Attended in 2007-08
 Name of Institution

City	Province	Postal Code

Telephone	Fax	Expected Graduation (mm/yy)

Program/Major Area of Study	Duration of Program (years)

Ringette Player Résumé

Year	Team	Division	City	Notes
1994	Edmonton Storm	Belle AA	Edmonton	Led league in scoring and won the ESSO Golden Ring Tournament MVP

Other notes about your ringette career:

Officiating: _____ Officials certification number (if known): _____

Coaching: _____ Coaches certification number (if known): _____

Other Volunteer Activities: _____

Ringette and You

Please provide an essay outlining how ringette has helped your personal development (max 1,500 words).

