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Millbrook Tobacco Store **Funding Regulations**

- A. Only Millbrook Band Members are eligible to receive funding.
- B. All requests must be made individually in writing on the form, available at the Millbrook Band Office or Millbrook website and approved by a majority of the Millbrook Band Council. All approvals are on a fiscal year basis.
- C. All reimbursements will require an official **RECEIPT** from the organization showing the organization name, the name of the individual the activity is for, the activity name and amount. All funding requests payable to the organization will require an INVOICE from the organization showing; the organization name, the name of the individual activity is for, the activity name and amount. The cheque will be mailed directly to the organization along with a letter stating that any refunds are to be paid to the tobacco store.
- D. All approvals are subject to the Tobacco Store having funds in excess of normal operating expenses.
- E. Band Members may apply for reimbursements for activities from the previous fiscal year if they have official receipts.
- F. All requests for changes/additions to the Millbrook Tobacco Store Funding Regulations must be in writing and submitted to the Millbrook Band Council. The request will be reviewed at the next scheduled Council Meeting and must be approved by a majority of the Millbrook Band Council before be added to the Funding Regulation listing.

The Millbrook Tobacco Store will fund the sport and recreational activities listed below:

- 1. Any high performance physical activity athletes (elite level/competitive/provincial team/school sport team) for children 18 years of age and under, will be funded to a maximum of \$3,000.00 per year for registration fees.
- 2. Any on-going sport or physical activity for children 18 years of age and under and adults 19-23 years of age as full-time students or enrolled in a full time, post-secondary education program will be funded to a maximum of \$750.00 per year, per category. If a fee in addition to the regular registration is required to participate on a team it will be funded up to a further \$300.00 per year. Ticket funds not applicable.
- 3. The minor hockey registration for children 18 years and under will be funded/reimbursed up to a maximum of \$850.00 per year and REP fees up to a further \$400 per year.
- 4. Necessary equipment will be reimbursed up to \$750.00 for children 18 years and under, every year. This is in total, **not** for each separate funded activity. The child must be registered with a team, club or other organized entity to be eligible.
- 5. Music classes, Art/Cultural Art classes, Mi'kmaw Language classes, Girl Guides and Scout registration fees for children 18 years of age and under and adults 19-23 years of age as full-time students or enrolled in a full time, post-secondary education program will be funded to a maximum of \$300.00 per year each. Completed Regalia (purchase NOT supplies to make) for children 18 years of age and under will be funded to a maximum of \$300, every two (2) years, as long as they are enrolled in a full time, postsecondary education program.
- 6. Adults participating in organized and on-going sport or physical activities will be funded to a maximum of \$300.00 per year. The exception is that teams, that consist of a majority of Millbrook Band members, will be funded to a maximum of \$2,000.00 for Millbrook sponsored teams and \$1,000.00 for teams sponsored by other business or organization.
 - Seniors (65+) golf will be funded to a maximum of \$600 per year.
- 7. Adult Music classes, Art/Cultural Art classes, Mi'kmaw language classes, Cooking classes, Firearm Safety courses, medically approved weight loss programs (Weight Watchers, Simply for Life, Ideal Protein and Herbal Magic) will be funded to a maximum of \$300.00 per year. Seniors (65+) Art/Cultural Art classes will be funded to a maximum of \$600 per year. Seniors (60+) and disabled participating in a First Nation community organized St.Anne de Beaupre Pilgrimage (with a First Nation Organization registration receipt) will be funded to a maximum of \$300 per year.
- 8. Equipment not supplied as part of the registration fee is not funded, except as stated in these regulations.
- Instructors for organized courses (that are pre-approved at a Band Council Meeting) will be paid \$20.00 per 9. hour. Materials will be funded at \$50.00 per student per year, if necessary. Each course will be funded to a maximum of \$1,500.00.
- 10. Necessary fitness equipment for the Millbrook Gymnasium will be funded.
- 11. Sunday morning family skate and family swim, as scheduled, at the RATH Eastlink Civic Centre, will be funded at cost.

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