



**APPLICATION FORM
SOUTH SHORE SWIMMING CLUB (SSSC)
TRAVEL ASSISTANCE FUND**

(Approved by Committee 6 September 2011)

Purpose

The purpose of the South Shore Swimming Club Travel Assistance Fund (TAF) is to

1. Provide financial support for financial swimmers of the South Shore Swimming Club (SSSC) to compete at national or international swimming competitions.
2. Provide financial support to coach/es who is/are coaching members of the SSSC at national or international swimming competitions.
3. Provide financial support to Team Managers/ Parent Guardian(s) who are appointed by the SSSCC.

Note:

- The funding period is 1 October to 30 September the following year.
- Please refer to the Eligibility Criteria, which are attached to this application form, before completing this application.
- Applications need to be submitted as soon as a swimmer who has qualified for a national or international swim competition has decided to attend.
- Please place this completed form in the SSSC secure box at the Melville Aquatic and Fitness Centre.
- Disbursement of funds will be as soon as possible at the end of the funding period.
- In the event of an applicant being rejected for TAF, there is a right to appeal against the decision by a written submission to the SSSCC within 15 days from date the applicant was advised of the unsuccessful application.



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Name of Applicant: _ _ _ _ _

1. Is the applicant a fully financial member of SSSC? YES or NO
2. How long has the applicant been a member of SSSC
- 3.
4. Name of swim meet:

5. Is the applicant: A) **Swimmer**

6. Has the applicant previously applied for TAF assistance? **YES** or NO

If yes please advise details:

7. Has the applicant read and understood the Eligibility Criteria of the SSSC Travel Fund?

8. The Eligibility Criteria requires certain commitments from the applicant. Is the applicant committed to carrying out these duties and commitments?

If NO please advise reasons: _____

9. Has the applicant read the SSSC Code of Conduct or the Code of Conduct of the state or international team whilst on the national or international competition?

10. Does the applicant agree to abide by the Codes of Conduct?



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11. Name of Nominated Parent/Guardian at the competition (if swimmer less than 18 years of age)

First Name _____ Surname _____

Phone Contact: (M) _____ E-mail: _____

12. Please provide your bank account details for electronic transfer of the TAF funds awarded to the applicant. (NOTE: Transfers cannot be made to Credit accounts)

Bank account name: _____ BSB # _____ A/c # _____

By signing this document the applicant confirms that all information he/she has provided is true and correct. Failure to provide correct information could result in the application being rejected.

Signed: _____ Name Date: _____

(Print Name) _____

If applicant is under 18yrs of age signature of parent and or guardian

Signed _____ Name (Print) _____



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Eligibility Criteria for Travel Assistance Fund (TAF) funding

The following eligibility criteria apply for consideration of funding from TAF:

- Any swimmer who has been a financial 'member/non member' (as defined in the SSSC Rules) of SSSC for at least twelve months and who achieves a National time/ Multiclass time (either as an individual or through relay) in Open Water / Long Course / Short Course and will attend a national or international swimming competition may apply for financial support from the TAF.
- Members/non-member who have not been a financial member/non-member for this period may be considered for the TAF financial support depending on their and their family's contribution to SSSC activities and other criteria met.
- A coach or team manager/Parent Guardian approved by SSSCC who is attending national or international competitions to coach/manage SSSC swimmers, may apply for funding from TAF by submitting an application.
- Members will be eligible to apply for more than one competition in any funding period but may not receive funding for all applications. The TAFSSSC has discretion whether to recommend funding more than one competition per swimmer depending on the funds available in TAF during that financial year.
- The swimmer must compete in the relevant competition.
- Parents of travelling swimmers aged less than 18 years are required to nominate a guardian for the trip. Guardians are to provide written certification that they will accept responsibility for the well-being and conduct of the swimmer.
- The swimmer must adhere to the SSSC code of conduct or the code of conduct of the state or international team whilst on the national or international competition.
- The swimmer must represent the SSSC at the nominated competition and wear SSSC uniform unless otherwise directed by WA Swimming Association, WA Institute of Sport or a national swimming body.
- The swimmer and/or their family must be available for fundraising for the TAF or other SSSC activities.
- The swimmer is expected to be available to represent the SSSC at coloured pennants, Grade Premierships and other competitions in which the SSSC has nominated.
- The swimmer is expected to compete in three summer and two winter SSSC Club Nights during the funding period.