



EDMONTON RUGBY UNION

Ieuan Evans Legacy Grant for Coaching Development

Background: The ERU invested a portion of funds received from the sale of the Allendale Bingo Hall. A Grant program was set-up and is funded from the interest earned on this investment without touching the principal amount. The ERU reviews this initiative on an annual basis for the purpose of funding amounts.

Intent: To provide financial support for training and coach development initiatives that will benefit the Edmonton Rugby Union and the broader rugby community.

Amount: Grants of up to \$1,000.00 each. The number of grants available in any given year will depend largely on the interest garnered on the investment.

Eligibility: Any individual who is a member in good standing of the ERU (this includes individual clubs), the ERURS, or another organization approved by the ERU.

Criteria: The funding will be awarded based on the following criteria:

1. Benefit of the training to the individual
2. Benefit of the training to the ERU
3. Past history of involvement with ERU programs
4. Commitment to further involvement with ERU programs
5. Letter of support from an ERU club in good standing or other governing body recognized by the ERU

Application Process: All applicants must submit a written application that addresses all of the criteria outlined above, as well as resume detailing their rugby involvement. Applications must be submitted electronically to the ERU Treasurer; erutreasurer@gmail.com prior to **May 1st of each calendar year.**

Distribution: Recipients will be notified no later than the end of May of the year in which the award will be presented. Funding will be disbursed by cheque or e-transfer upon completion of the training. An advance of the funds may be considered upon request and determination of the advance will be made on a case-by-case basis.