

# University of New England The Robb College Women in Sport - Year Two Scholarship/Prize. Terms and Conditions



# Background

The Robb College Women in Sport Committee (WIS) has established this prize to reward and support a Robb sportswoman who, in their first year at College, has shown good sportsmanship, involvement in college life, skills, teamwork and academic achievement and is returning to Robb for their 2<sup>nd</sup> Year of study.

This prize has been funded for many years by the Women in Sports Committee from donations from club members, sponsors and fundraising activities carried out by the Women in Sports Committee (WIS).

It is awarded by invitation only and after recommendation to the Committee. The recipient will be announced at the Robb College Sports Ball in Trimester 2 each year and the funds will be paid into the recipient's Robb College residential fee account at 100% of the prize in Trimester 1 of the following year.

#### **Details**

Residential requirement:

Application Closing Date:

Value per annum:	\$1,000 per annum
Payment Method:	Residential Fee account
Number awarded:	1
To be offered:	Annually
Duration/Term:	1 year
Study Mode:	On campus
Study Load:	Full-time (8 units per academic year - 48 credit points) minimum of 3 units in Trimester 1, 2024)
Course Type:	Undergraduate (Bachelor degree only)
New/Continuing Students:	Continuing.

The recipient is required to reside in Robb

College for the duration of the year.

20 August each year.

## Who is eligible?

- 1. The applicant is a current resident and intending to return to live in Robb College for their second year at UNE see Conditions section of this document for specific living requirements of this prize.
- 2. The applicant is registered or is intending to register to play netball or hockey with either Robb College Netball Club or Robb College Hockey Club, or is involved as a coach/sports administrator.
- 3. Application for this prize is by invitation only.

### Selection Criteria (in Order of Importance)

The prize will be awarded on the basis of:

Playing experience/sports administrator resume and playing references

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Academic results (minimum Pass GPA must be achieved).

#### **Notes**

- 1. Preference may be given to applicants not in receipt of another scholarship.
- 2. The scholarship-prize shall be awarded on the recommendation of the WIS President and Head of College (or their nominees) and administered by the UNE Alumni Relations and Student Scholarships team.
- 3. The Selection Committee's decision is final.

# **Supporting Documents/ Required Information**

- 1. The listed documents are acceptable forms of evidence in each of the following criteria:
  - a. Playing experience resume
  - b. Personal reference
  - c. Reference from a relevant person associated with WIS
  - d. Academic transcript from previous trimester

#### **Conditions**

## **General Conditions**

- 1. Undergraduate scholarship holders may hold more than one Robb or other UNE scholarship (excluding the Betty Fyffe Scholarship) as long as the combined value is not greater than 100% of the total student's residential fees.
- 2. If you do not return to Robb College in the year of the award the Prize will lapse and the Committee may re-award the prize.

- 3. If you do not maintain and satisfy the criteria and conditions of the prize you will have to refund it.
- 4. The prize is payable into the recipient's residential fee account in one instalment within 30 days following the Trimester 1 census dates.

## Notes

- 1. Full-time is defined at UNE as an enrolment of 8 units (48 credit points) in the academic year.
- 2. If this presents a problem the recipient must liaise with the Head of College to discuss their specific situation.
- 5. Receiving this Prize is subject to:
  - a. Achieving a Trimester GPA of at least 4.0 (Pass level).
  - b. The student continuing to enrol for full or part-time study on campus, residing in Robb College and continuing playing in a registered sport for Robb College.
  - c. Demonstration of appropriate sporting behavior on and off the field, i.e. the recipient should not bring the game, the Club or the College into disrepute.
  - d. The student abiding by the UNE residential behavioural codes and any registered sport player codes of conduct.
  - e. Maintain current player status with RCWIS, or, if injured, attend training and games if medically fit, and provide assistance to coaches as required.
- 6. Any request to vary the conditions of the prize must be made in writing to the Head of College and the Student Scholarships team and will be determined at their discretion (after consultation with other relevant committees).
- 7. If at any time during the prize term the student is found to have committed behavioural misconduct which results in a major penalty in accordance with the University's <u>Student Behavioural Misconduct Rules</u>, or the <u>Residential College Code of Conduct</u> the prize will be terminated and any outstanding payments to be made under the prize will not be paid and you will be required to repay any instalment already received.
  - 8. The student may be required to attend annual College dinner events if they are invited to do so, and may be asked to participate in activities to promote the College or WIS and other prizes/scholarships in general, including public speaking, donor liaison, media interviews and photographs.
  - 9. Failure to meet the requirements of these Terms and Conditions may lead to the termination of the prize and you being required to repay any instalment received.

# **Scholarship Specific Conditions**

1. The recipient is required to reside in and play sport for Robb College at UNE for the term of the prize.

## Acceptance

In accepting the **Robb College Women in Sports Year 2 Scholarship-Prize**, the recipient acknowledges that they have read, understand and accept the Terms and Conditions specified above.

**Please note** that this Terms and Conditions document must be signed and returned **IN FULL** no later than five (5) days from the date of offer email. You may contact the Alumni Relations and Student Scholarships team if you need an extension to this deadline.

Scholarship Name:	Robb College Women in Sports Year Two Prize
Student Name:	
Student number:	
Signature:	
Date:	

Office Use Only: Funding Source: UNEF Account Name: To be offered:

Other UNEF account

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Annually

### **Administrator Notes**

- 1. Commencing September 2023 this prize is to be administered by the WIS in conjunction with the Robb College Foundation Association and awarded by the selection committee as outlined above.
- 2. This will enable tax-deductible donations to be raised by the Club and the RCFA from Alumni and friends of the Club and College.
- It will remain a Donor-funded scholarship-prize by the WIS via the RCFA each year until
  a sufficient corpus of endowed funds is raised within the RCFA Scholarship account to
  enable the award to be perpetual.
- 4. Individual Tax receipts will be issued by the UNE Foundation. The funds in trust remain covered by the Donor Agreement 2014 established by the RCFA with the UNE and UNEF which ensures those funds can only be used for the benefit of residents of Robb College.
- 5. The required total annual donor-scholarship amount is payable in full by the Robb College WIS Committee directly into the Robb College Foundation Scholarship account held within the UNEF Trust funds in one installment by the end of December each year. (Contact the RCFA Treasurer or Chair to confirm bank details).