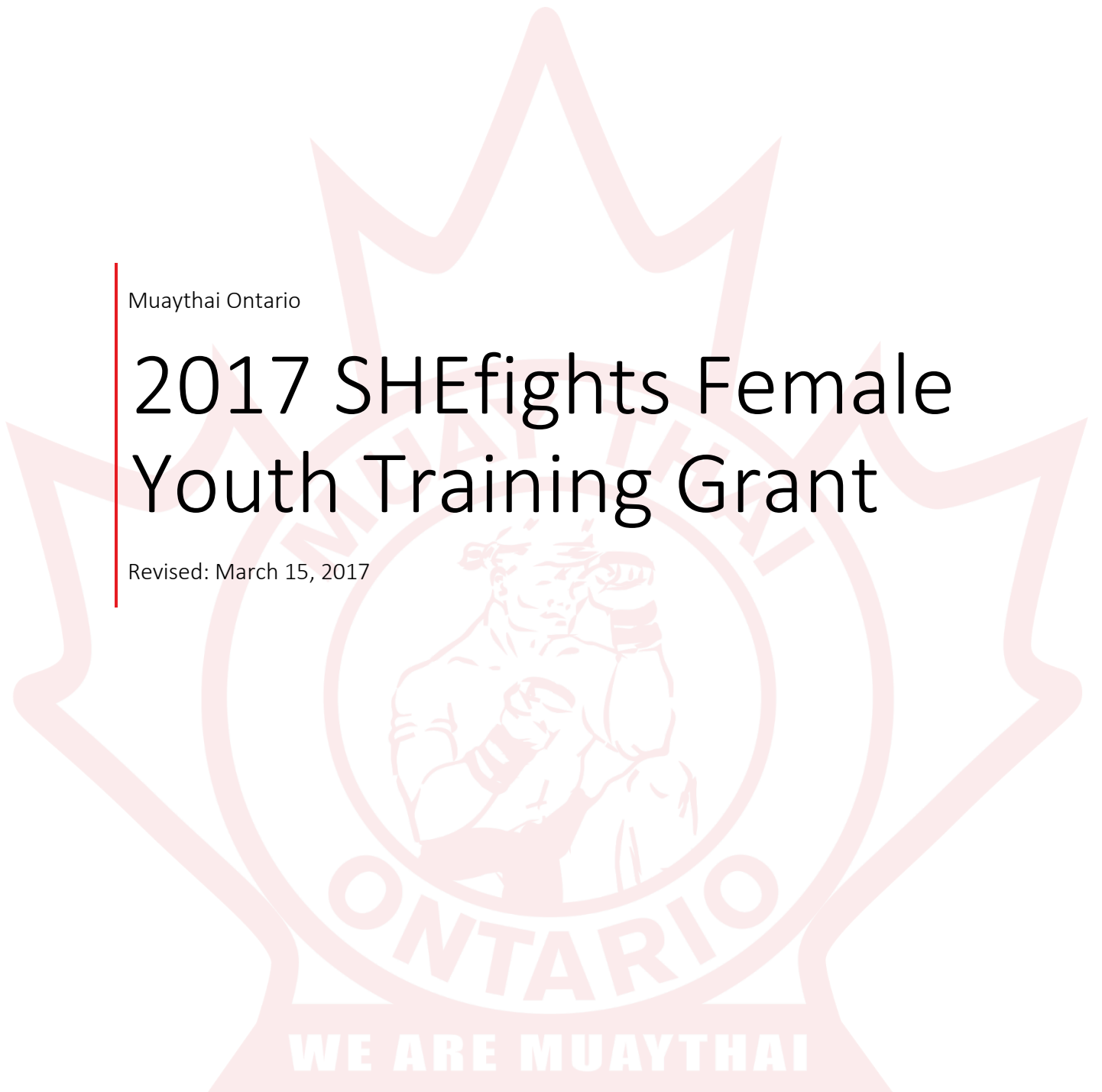


Muaythai Ontario

# 2017 SHEfights Female Youth Training Grant

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## INTRODUCTION

Muaythai is a martial art and combat sport which stands on five pillars: Respect, Honor, Tradition, Fair-play and Excellence. The sport is governed by the International Federation for Muaythai Amateur (IFMA), the sole world recognized governing body for Muaythai in partnership with the World Muaythai Council (WMC) under patronage of HRH the King of Thailand. Like IFMA, Muaythai Ontario (MTO) aligns itself with the fundamental principles of Olympism as stated in the Olympic Charter, particularly in recognizing that the practice of sport is a human right and that every individual must have the possibility of practicing sport without discrimination of any kind such as race, color, sex, sexual orientation, religion, national or social standing or any other status.

As such, Back Forward Kick Productions and SHEspars have created the “Ontario Female Youth Training Grant” to support the development of female youths aged 17 and younger, while instilling the five pillars and eliminating discrimination against social standing and sex. Training together gives youth the opportunity to build a healthy lifestyle, learn skills and self-defense techniques, gain self-respect and self-esteem, and importantly find a safe and trustworthy environment, building links with their peers and belonging to a community. Funding for the grant will be provided by Back Forward Kick Productions, and the grant will be administered by Muaythai Ontario.

## ELIGIBILITY

If you are a parent or guardian, you can apply for funding on behalf of your child/children, should “yes” be the answer to the following questions:

- Is the child on whose behalf you are applying under the age of 18?
- Is your family in a demographic which would be considered in financial need (as defined by Statistic Canada’s guidelines)?
- Has your child completed a trial period at a Muaythai Ontario affiliated club? If you are unsure whether a club a current member of Muaythai Ontario, please contact us.

## GRANT AMOUNTS

Each successful applicant is awarded

1. The lesser of \$500 or a 6 month membership at an eligible Muaythai Ontario affiliated club;
2. MTO boxing gloves; and
3. Handwraps.

## FUND SOURCE

The funds within this grant are solely provided by proceeds and donations obtained during the annual SHEfights all-female event. Depending on these donations, the Treasurer and Financial & Administrative Officer is to determine the number of grants available each fiscal year.

## APPLICATION PERIOD

MTO will accept applications during the month of October and November.

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## DEADLINE

The deadline is November 30<sup>th</sup> of each fiscal year.

## OTHER IMPORTANT POINTS

- Preference will be given to those who have not previously obtained this grant;
- Funding will be applied directly to a membership at a MTO affiliated club.;
- Only complete applications will be processed. A complete application must include a copy of T451E (Notice of Assessment), or three consecutive pay stubs or ODSP (Ontario Disability Support Program) and a letter of endorsement on letterhead;
- Muaythai Ontario accepts no responsibility for incomplete applications or for applications that arrive late or do not arrive at all;
- Applications will not be processed without a properly completed application and proof of Ontario residency. All applicants under the age of majority must have appropriate areas in the application signed by a parent or legal guardian; and
- All questions and concerns can be directed to [info@muaythaiontario.org](mailto:info@muaythaiontario.org).

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

These Terms and Conditions outline the standards and expectations of Muaythai Ontario Female Youth Training Grant for all Parents/Guardians in connection with the Muaythai Ontario's application process.

### A. MUAYTHAI ONTARIO COMMITMENT

Muaythai Ontario agrees as follows:

- Muaythai Ontario will adhere to the Privacy Policy as outlined at [muaythaiontario.org](http://muaythaiontario.org).
- **Personal Information.** Personal information that can be linked to an identifiable individual ("Personal Information") that is received from Parents/Guardians in their application for funding on behalf of their child/children will be securely safeguarded at all times and maintained in strict confidence, in full compliance with applicable Canadian data protection laws and regulations including, without limitation, the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, (PIPEDA) and all substantially similar provincial legislation.
- Personal Information will only be used in connection with the administration of funding and program participation. It will not be used by Muaythai Ontario for promotional, advertising, or any marketing purpose (without your explicit consent).
- Personal Information will be used and disclosed only for the purposes identified in these Terms and Conditions or as required by law or otherwise pursuant to Muaythai Ontario's Privacy Policy as outlined on [muaythaiontario.org](http://muaythaiontario.org). If any Personal Information is shared with third parties, these third parties are bound by appropriate agreements with Muaythai Ontario to secure and protect the confidentiality of Personal Information.

### B. PARENTS/GUARDIANS COMMITMENT

By acceptance of these Terms and Conditions, each Parent/Guardian agrees and consents to the following:

#### I. FUNDING AND FINANCIAL:

1. All funding is at the discretion of Muaythai Ontario and funding allocations may be subject to change.



2. All electronic applications for funding from Muaythai Ontario must meet the definition of financially disadvantaged as determined by Federal Low Income Cut-off (LICO) Guidelines. As part of the electronic application process the Parent/Guardian will be required to upload proof of financial need.
3. Muaythai Ontario may ask Parents/Guardians to provide additional proof of financial information.
4. Providing information through an application for funding and submitting the application does not imply that funding is approved. Applications for funding can be declined upon review. No application for funding should be submitted under the assumption that funding will be provided. Until Parents/Guardians receive confirmation that funding has been approved, the status of their application is under review.
5. Muaythai Ontario has the right to audit the program by reviewing your child/children's attendance of programs, and this forgoing may affect the funding of your Child/Children.
6. Upon approval of funding, it is the responsibility of the Parent/Guardian on behalf of their child/children to:
  - a) work directly with the Muaythai Ontario affiliated club to ensure a spot is available for their child/children in their program; and
  - b) notify Muaythai Ontario as soon as possible in the event that a child/children stops attending a program, moves to another program, or if a program is cancelled. In such circumstances, the Parent/Guardian must work directly with the Muaythai Ontario affiliated club for the program to arrange for a refund to Muaythai Ontario before a further application is made to Muaythai Ontario for additional program funding, as a child/children will not be eligible to receive additional funding if they have already reached the maximum amount of funding, even if the child/children did not attend the program.

Failure to properly inform Muaythai Ontario of program cancellation or non-participation may negatively impact your child/children's future funding applications.

## II. CHILD INFORMATION:

1. The individual agreeing to these Terms and Conditions is the legal representative of the child/children they are submitting an application on behalf of, and has the appropriate authority to sign a legally binding agreement on behalf of such child/children;
2. Muaythai Ontario relies on the information submitted in applications on behalf of a child/children, and as a Parent/Guardian you represent, warrant and declare that you are not knowingly submitting fraudulent information in your application submission and that all such information submitted to Muaythai Ontario is true, correct, accurate, valid and authentic in all respects.
3. All such information provided in your application may be subject to audit by Muaythai Ontario and in the case of fraudulent information, Muaythai Ontario is entitled to take appropriate legal action.

## III. COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION SHARING:

1. By acceptance of these Terms and Conditions, you consent that Personal Information provided in your application for funding on behalf of your child/children will be shared with Muaythai Ontario's Board of Directors, staff members and other third parties as may be required in connection with the review and approval process of your application and disbursement of funds.
2. By acceptance of these Terms and Conditions, you consent to receive operational email communications and/or telephone calls with regard to the status of your application and funding, by Muaythai Ontario. Email and/or telephone are the only methods of receiving such notices, and if no email address and telephone number is provided in your application, the system will be unable to inform you of your application status or approved funding.

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## IV. GENERAL

1. Muaythai Ontario has contractual arrangements in place to ensure that all personal and confidential information is safeguarded and only used in connection with program administration and funding disbursement. By accepting these Terms and Conditions, each Parent/Guardian acknowledges and agrees that Muaythai Ontario are not responsible for the acts or omissions of the Muaythai Ontario affiliated club, or other contracting parties who participate in the administration or delivery of programs.

If you have questions about these Terms and Conditions, please contact us by email at [info@muaythaiontario.org](mailto:info@muaythaiontario.org).

## APPENDIX A: STATSCAN 2016 LOW INCOME CUT-OFF

Statscan 2016 Low Income Cut-Off	Community Size				
	<10,000	<30,000	<100,000	<500,000	>500,000
Persons in household					
1 person	\$ 16,934	\$ 19,266	\$ 21,055	\$ 21,186	\$ 24,600
2 persons	\$ 21,082	\$ 23,983	\$ 26,211	\$ 26,373	\$ 30,625
3 persons	\$ 25,917	\$ 29,484	\$ 32,223	\$ 32,423	\$ 37,650
4 persons	\$ 31,468	\$ 35,799	\$ 39,124	\$ 39,367	\$ 45,712
5 persons	\$ 35,689	\$ 40,602	\$ 44,373	\$ 44,648	\$ 51,846
6 persons	\$ 40,253	\$ 45,793	\$ 50,046	\$ 50,357	\$ 58,473
7 or more persons	\$ 44,815	\$ 50,984	\$ 55,719	\$ 56,064	\$ 65,101

<https://www12.statcan.gc.ca/nhs-enm/2011/ref/dict/fam020-eng.cfm>

## APPENDIX B: RECCOMENDED MTO LOW INCOME CUT-OFF

30% Increase Over Statscan	Community Size				
	<10,000	<30,000	<100,000	<500,000	>500,000
Persons in household					
1 person	\$ 22,014	\$ 25,046	\$ 27,372	\$ 27,542	\$ 31,980
2 persons	\$ 27,407	\$ 31,178	\$ 34,074	\$ 34,285	\$ 39,813
3 persons	\$ 33,692	\$ 38,329	\$ 41,890	\$ 42,150	\$ 48,945
4 persons	\$ 40,908	\$ 46,539	\$ 50,861	\$ 51,177	\$ 59,426
5 persons	\$ 46,396	\$ 52,783	\$ 57,685	\$ 58,042	\$ 67,400
6 persons	\$ 52,329	\$ 59,531	\$ 65,060	\$ 65,464	\$ 76,015
7 or more persons	\$ 58,260	\$ 66,279	\$ 72,435	\$ 72,883	\$ 84,631