

## **ELITE PATHWAYS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Elite Pathways Scholarship program is a joint initiative between the Norwood Swim School and the Norwood Swimming Club.

Our joint mission is to bring out the very best in every swimmer. The scholarship program is an extra step to developing and offering opportunities for our senior swimmers. The program assists swimmers in their personal development and achieving their aspirations in competitive swimming. The scholarship program has many benefits ranging from leadership opportunities, funded training and assessment, assistance with travel to discounted swim wear and accessories.

There are three levels of scholarship:

- Elite Pathway Gold Scholarship
- Elite Pathway Silver Scholarship
- Elite Pathway Bronze Scholarship

There is a maximum of 20 scholarships given at any one time. The criteria for all scholarship levels is reviewed every 12 months.

The Elite Pathways Scholarships will be available to the following programs:

- HIGH PERFORMANCE SQUAD
- NATIONAL SQUAD
- HILL SQUAD
- MULTI CLASS PROGRAM

The Elite Pathway Scholarship program runs from the 1<sup>st</sup> October to the 30<sup>th</sup> September every year. Scholarships are for 12 months, contingent upon the terms and conditions of the swimmer agreement being met.

To be eligible to apply for the Elite Pathways Scholarship, the following applies:

- A current financial member of the Norwood Swimming Club and train in the Norwood Swimming School Squad Program.
- A qualifying period of a minimum of 12 months for swimmers who have transferred from another club.
- For further information read the Elite Pathways Scholarship Selection Policy

All swimmers who are successful in their application for an Elite Pathways Scholarship sign a swimmer / parent (guardian) agreement detailing the swimmers responsibilities and expectations.

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All Elite Pathways Scholarship applications are accessed by the Scholarship Selection Panel which consists of the Swim School & Swimming Club Head Coach, Squad Administrator, the Swimming Club President and a Club Nominee.

**Elite Pathway Scholarship benefits:**

#### **Elite GOLD Scholarships – High Performance Squad and the Multi Class Program**

- a. 100% discount on squad fees (excludes entry into other pools)
- b. 50% discount at the Swimmers Sports Shop (conditions apply)
- c. Access to training partners and any discount / funding that may be available from time to time. (conditions apply)
- d. Club funding –trip / camp funding \$500 per swimmer per year (conditions apply)

#### **Elite SILVER Scholarships – High Performance, National Squads and the Multi Class Program**

- a. 50% discount on squad fees (excludes entry into other pools)
- b. 20% discount at the Swimmers Sports Shop (conditions apply)
- c. Access to training partners and any discount / funding that may be available from time to time. (conditions apply)
- d. Club funding –trip / camp funding \$200 per swimmer per year (conditions apply)

#### **Elite BRONZE Scholarship – High Performance, National, Hill Squads and the Multi Class Program**

- a. 25% discount on squad fees (excludes entry into other pools)
- b. 20% discount at the Swimmers Sports shop (conditions apply)
- c. Access to training partners and any discount / funding that may be available from time to time. (conditions apply)
- d. Club funding –trip / camp funding \$100 per swimmer per year (conditions apply)

### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

All applications for scholarships must be emailed to [SCHOLARSHIPS@norwoodswimschool.com.au](mailto:SCHOLARSHIPS@norwoodswimschool.com.au) or faxed to 08 81278061 by 5.00pm, 26<sup>th</sup> September.

All information and forms can be downloaded at:  
<http://norwoodswimschool.com.au/timetables-forms/>