



## UKCC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME 2010/11

Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd, in association with **sportscotland**, is delighted to be able to continue to offer support to coaches towards the costs of the UK Coaching Certificate (UKCC) courses. This funding is aimed at expanding and up-skilling the Coaching base across Scotland by offering funding towards coaches gaining their UKCC Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3 qualifications.

A number of scholarship places are available across all the levels of the UKCC qualification structure, contributing **75% funding** towards the cost of the course. These places are only available for coaches who are Members of Scottish Squash and Racketball through the Member Club in which they are coaching.

For the 2011/12 programme, it has been agreed that on **successful completion** of the course and all paperwork & pre-requisites, scholarship candidates will receive a **75% scholarship award** not including other expenses such as membership, travelling expenses or accompanying modules (e.g. Child Protection, Equity & First Aid). Please note that candidates shall have to pay the full price for their course up-front, with a 'refund' being made on completion (of course, paperwork & pre-requisites).

Level	Cost (not including membership)	Scholarship Amount to be refunded on completion of course (until Dec 2011)*	Final cost to candidate
One*	£195	£146.25	<b>£48.75</b>
Two*	£295	£221.75	<b>£73.25</b>
Three	£650	£487.50	<b>£162.50</b>

\*Level One and Two scholarships shall change in 2012, with applications for 50% funding (only) available through **sportscotland's** Regional Coaching and Volunteering team for Level One and through Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd for Level 2.

### How to apply

Candidates who wish to apply for a scholarship place must complete the application form for the UKCC Coach Education Course and the Scholarship Application form and return them to the Scottish Squash and Racketball office, with the full course fee, **prior to the course closing date**.

**NB.** Please note that the scholarship places are limited to the season 2011/12, shall be given on a first come, first served basis (not on a course by course basis) and must be associated to a Scottish course (for Levels 1 & 2). Please note that funding for future courses may not be available and from 2012 there shall only be 50% funding for Levels 1 & 2.

### Scholarship Criteria

Coaches must fulfil all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for a scholarship place:

- Coaches must be a Member of Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd and be a member of and coach/assist within a member club of Scottish Squash and Racketball and/or within a regional setting for Scottish Squash and Racketball. *Please note membership of a club can only be determined by checking the full membership list each club is required to submit as part of their Scottish Squash and Racketball membership (please ensure your club has done this and listed you before applying).*
- The application must be endorsed by a Club President/Vice-President/Secretary or by a Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd Development Officer. Please note that Clubs are only able to endorse a maximum of 5 scholarship places through the 2011/12 programme (at any one level). Any increase to this number is at the discretion of the Coach Education and Development Manager.
- Coaches must complete the entire course & assessment and be willing to continue to give at least 5 hours (Level 1), 10 hours (Level 2 & 3) of their time free to their club/region on successful completion of their UKCC course.
- Coaches must be willing to complete a short Scholarship Feedback report (if required).
- Coaches are able to approach other organisations for assistance for the remaining course costs e.g. clubs/local authorities/local sports councils and/or any other body who may assist in the cost of the course. However the overall funding a coach receives must not exceed 100% of the course costs as Scottish Squash and Racketball shall not double-fund courses.



## COACH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

COACH DETAILS - PLEASE COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS			
Name:			
Address:		Postcode:	
Tel No Home:		Mobile:	
Email Address:			
Club (must be a member club):			
Current Level of Qualification:			
Course you are interested in:		Dates:	
Please detail why you would like to apply for a scholarship?			
Signature:		Date:	
DETAILS OF PERSON ENDORSING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION – PLEASE COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS			
Name:			
Position at club and/or region:		Club and/or Region:	
Tel No Home:		Mobile:	
If this person receives a scholarship how will it benefit your club or region?			
Signature:		Date:	

PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM WITH YOUR UKCC APPLICATION FORM TO:

**Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd,**  
Caledonia House, 1 Redheughs Rigg, South Gyle, Edinburgh, EH12 9DQ

*Office use only:*

Date Received		Scholarship Agreed	Y/N
UKCC L1 Completed	Y/N	Date of Completion	
Date Cheque sent		Initials of Sender	

Data Protection

The information on this form will be held in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998. The data will be used for Scottish Squash and Racketball Ltd administration purposes and grouped to provide statistical reports required by **sportscotland** and other relevant agencies. In the event of an insurance claim relevant information may be passed onto an insuring agency.