



# OHSET Participation Scholarship

For athletes who have previously participated in OHSET and for an unpreventable reason find this season's start up fees unattainable.

## APPLICATION

**OHSET Season:** \_\_\_\_\_

What: Want to join OHSET for another year, but struggling with start-up fees? OHSET has a few very gracious contributors who have developed a small fund to help youth who are in need of help to pay this year's fees.

Amount of Scholarship: This will depend on the number of scholarships received and the amount of dollars available.

How the scholarship is determined: Scholarship recipients will be chosen by a small committee, based on documented need and a passion/interest. All of this to be determined from the written application and answers to prescribed questions.

- Need: 60%
- Passion/Interest: 30%
- Legibility, neatness, and completeness of application: 10%

Name \_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_

OHSET District \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Year in School \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Do you own your own horse? YES NO

How much are the fees your district charges, including the state portion? \_\_\_\_\_

What individual events have you participated in? \_\_\_\_\_

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What team events have you participated in? \_\_\_\_\_

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Can you commit up to 2 days per week to practice? YES NO

Do you have a means to transport the horse you will be using? YES NO

If you don't own your own horse, do you have a plan for borrowing one? YES NO; If YES,

Tell us about it, BRIEFLY \_\_\_\_\_

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How much can your family contribute toward district/state fees? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you participated in team fundraisers? Why or Why Not? YES NO

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Please answer the following questions, you may use a separate piece of paper, but this part of the application **should not be more than 3 one sided pages, (4 if handwritten) 12 pt font, black/blue ink if by hand.**

1. Share what being on an OHSET Team has meant to you; include its benefits and challenges.
2. Share an OHSET goal you have set for yourself and in addition to help with funding, how you expect to attain said goal.
3. How important is doing OHSET to you? And what about it is important? Is it the opportunity to spend time with horses, friends, represent your school, practice for another organization, competition, or? Share your passions here.
4. Why should we award you a scholarship over others?
5. Provide a short budget of your expected costs for the season, not including the fees for participation. It should include any practice costs, stall/meet costs, travel costs, special clothing costs etc. Any costs that are related to OHSET that you (or your family) are not currently paying. For example, if you currently own a horse, you wouldn't include your feed costs, farrier, etc....but if you have to Board somewhere in order to make the OHSET season work, you should include Board, any stall or meet fees, if you have to stay in a hotel for meets or have RV costs, etc. Include how you expect to pay the extra costs; parents helping out, afterschool job, etc.

Email Scholarship Applications to: [thoffman@ohset.com](mailto:thoffman@ohset.com)

Or you can mail them to: OHSET – Teresa Hoffman  
PO Box 461  
Amity, OR 97101

Also send or Email a copy to your district chair-if you need contact information, you can ask Teresa. **Applications are due in our hands by December 20.** Recipients will be announced by January 5.

*If you have already filled out an application on the old form, no worries we'll make it work.*

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