



London & South – East Regional Snowsports Association

AWARD SCHEME 2009

Assistance Due to Financial Hardship

The L & SERSA AWARD SCHEME is designed to support athletes from the region maintain their sporting commitments during times of hardship. The fund is provided from money collected by the race committee (such as from Raffles, donations or grants obtainable through local or regional councils) and held in a separate account for this purpose. The fund is to be used to provide a subsidy to a skier who in the opinion of the committee is deserving of the award. Part of the award includes free entry to regional races.

The award normally has a maximum monetary value of £250, excluding the entry costs to regional races. The number of awards and amount of money awarded may be altered by the executive committee and is reviewed annually.

The committee may use this document as a guide when deciding to offer a financial award.

Applications can be made at any time during the year.

The award is available to a skier who meets at least some of the following criteria:

1. Belongs to a regional club and races / trains regularly on a dry slope within the L & SERSA region.
2. Has in the past attended regional and/or Snowsport England races organised in the region on a regular basis.
3. Can demonstrate that their family is supportive of them and is committed to them continuing in the sport.
4. Is unable, or will be unable, to continue in the sport due to lack of finance.

The committee may require additional criteria to apply if deemed necessary