



## Senior athlete representative player funding

### **Valley (or Vancouver) Representative players:**

Senior Valley representative players may apply to the United Rugby Club for a portion of a \$500 grant that is to be divided between all representative players. Players will receive a maximum of 50% of the representative registration fee. This money will be applied to their next seasons United Rugby Club dues (i.e. If the player plays for the Fraser Valley in summer 2024, they would get a discount on the 2024/2025 season). In exchange, the representative players must complete 2 hours of volunteer work.

### **BC Representative players:**

Funding offered for up to 25% of the total cost of the BC registration fees or \$500, whichever is less. The athlete must complete 5 hours of volunteer work for United Rugby Club.

Athletes (or guardians) must submit their request to [president@unitedrugby.ca](mailto:president@unitedrugby.ca). On the submission, athletes must provide evidence they have made Team BC and sign a contract stating what they will do for their volunteer work in exchange for the grant as well as a commitment to play for United Rugby for the following season.

**Please Note:** The combined total for all BC Representative grants (Junior and Senior programs combined) must be less than \$2500. Should the number of players exceed the necessary grant amount, the players will receive an equally reduced rate.

BC Grant: [The BC Bears Player Subsidy Program for 2023 is Now Live – BC Rugby](#)

### **Canada Representative players:**

United Rugby is looking to work with our Canada players and support one fundraiser a year (lead by those players). The players will receive a percentage of the profits from their fundraiser as agreed upon in advance with the United Executive.

Athlete must apply to the Executive by emailing [president@unitedrugby.ca](mailto:president@unitedrugby.ca) outlining their needs and potential ideas for fundraising. The Executive will then meet with that player to discuss how to support the player with the fundraiser and come to an agreement on what percentage of the profits from their fundraiser will be provided to the player. Players receiving this level of support will be asked to sign a commitment contract stating what they will do for their volunteer work in exchange for the financial support as well as a commitment to play for United Rugby for the following season.