

Policy Statement:

Funding of Race Fee and Travel Expenses to Regional and National Competitions (for Youth Track Participants)

At the January 2014 meeting of the Sugarloaf Mountain Athletic Club (SMAC) Board of Directors, a motion was unanimously passed to provide funding to Youth Track program participants for travel to and participation in regional and national-level running competitions. It will be up to the discretion of the Director(s) of the Youth Track Program to use funds collected as a result of the Youth Track Program to cover the cost of youth runners' entry fees, for regional and national meets that occur outside of the Program's season.

As appropriate and at the discretion of the Director(s) of the Youth Track Program, the Club will also provide funding to the family of a youth runner participating in a regional and national-level running competition, to cover transportation expenses (e.g., airfare, train fare; NOT hotel or food costs).

The amount of funding to be provided to a youth runner will be determined on a case-by-case basis, by the Director(s) of the Youth Track Program.

For the Club's accounting purposes, the family of any runner receiving funding must provide receipts indicating transportation costs, after the race.