

HONG KONG AIR CADET CORPS
AVIATION EDUCATION WING

MEMO

From : OC G Flt
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To : All OC Sqn

The YCC Glider Scholarships 2024
Invitation for Application

The YCC Glider Scholarships 2024 are now open for application.

The YCC Glider Scholarships 2024 (Canada) consists a maximum of three scholarships for the selected uniformed members of the Corps aged 16 to 25, regardless of rank, to undergo a three weeks' glider pilot training in Tornoto, Canada in late July to mid August 2024. All three awardees will attend the training at the same period. The training date will be finalized with the gliding club in due course. The amount of subsidy is subject to the decision of the Selection Panel.

The YCC Glider Scholarships 2024 (Australia) consists of a maximum of six scholarships for the selected uniformed members of the Corps aged 16 to 25, regardless of rank, to undergo a three weeks' glider aviator training in New South Wales, Australia between June and August 2024 (subject to the availability of the gliding club). The amount of subsidy is subject to the decision of the Selection Panel.

All applicants shall comply with the Rules and Regulations for the application of the YCC Glider Scholarships 2024 in Appendix I.

Interested members please complete the enclosed application form and applications should reach **hkacc.gflt@gmail.com by 1800hrs, 02 April 2024 (Tuesday)**. Declarations should be duly signed and submitted in true copy to the interview panel on the day of group interview. **Applicants who failed to follow the above procedures will NOT be entertained.**

Group and individual interview will be held on **16 April 2024 (Tuesday) and 18 April 2024 (Thursday)** respectively from 1900hrs to 2230hrs. Time slot for individual applicants will be announced by 10 April 2024.

Awardees that have been selected will be required to attend a briefing in end April 2024. Details will be notified by email individually.

For further enquiries please feel free to contact the undersigned at hkacc.gflt@gmail.com.

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c.c. All OC Major Units, All participants of GIC8 and GIC9

Rules and Regulations for the application of the YCC Glider Scholarships 2024

1. All applicants shall complete the No.8 Glider Introductory Course or No.9 Glider Introductory Course with 90% of attendance or above and pass the written examination to be eligible for the captioned scholarships.
2. Applicants may apply for both scholarships.
3. Successful candidates shall be certified by a qualified medical practitioner as medically fit for glider training and solo glider flying.
4. Successful candidates are required to pay for the full cost of the training. The expenses can only be reimbursed in the form of scholarship if he/she has successfully achieved the Glider Aviator Wing of the Hong Kong Air Cadet Corps.
5. Successful candidates shall submit a report to the Officer Commanding Glider Flight within 3 months after return.
6. Successful candidates shall take up the responsibility of assisting Officer Commanding Glider Flight in conducting any Glider Training Programme in the future.
7. Successful candidates shall not use his/her ratings for any promotion outside the Hong Kong Air Cadet Corps without the approval from Officer Commanding Glider Flight in advance.
8. Successful candidates who failed to comply with the Rules and Regulations are subject to administrative and/or disciplinary actions as considered appropriate by Officer Commanding Glider Flight, including but not limited to the forfeiture of the scholarship.
9. The rules and regulations are subject to changes without prior notice. In case of any dispute, the decision of Deputy Commanding Officer, Aviation Education and Development shall be final.