

SNOWBOARDING



AGE GROUP(S)

U15 Athletes born in 2005 - 2009

ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

8 Athletes per Zone (# of females 2 # of males 6)

3 Coaches/chaperones per Zone (# of females 1 # of males 2)

FILL POLICY

1. Based on the Alberta Ranking List, athletes will be selected to fill 'open spots' in a different Zone.
2. Should there be a need for 'fill' athletes; the first opportunity will be provided from the Zone alternates list.
3. If there is a need to fill in from outside the Zone, the fills shall come from the alternates list with the greatest participation in the trials.
4. Zones 1-4 and 5-8 will be grouped together for the purpose of determining fills.

Fills must be submitted to the Alberta Sport Connection by **January 15, 2020**.

ELIGIBILITY

Athletes

Must be an active member in good standing of the Alberta Snowboarding Association.

For Alberta Games Eligibility Policy information please visit www.albertawintergames.ca

Coaches

NCCP Certification— All coaches must be **CSCP Comp-Intro Certified** prior to the start of the Winter Games.

All coaches must be an active member in good standing with the Alberta Snowboarding Association (ASA). Coaches must submit a security clearance check to the ASA and may be subject to an interview by board appointed members. CSCP Certification is required for all coaches.

All coaches must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Winter Games.

AFFILIATION

- All athletes must be registered with the Alberta Snowboarding Association and hold a current membership. Alberta Snowboarding Association 1-(403) 247-5609 or www.albertasnowboarding.com

PROVINCIAL GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2020 Alberta Winter Games (excluding coaches and chaperones), are required to pay an individual registration fee of **set by the Alberta Winter Games Host Society (To be Determined)**. This fee will help offset the costs related transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. This fee must accompany the athlete's registration form for the Alberta Games.

Please note that the registration deadline for Snowboarding is **January 15, 2020**.

EVENT(S)

Athletes will compete in at least one discipline but can compete in all three if qualified.

- Slopestyle - Two (2) runs, best run scores.
- Banked Slalom- timed events. Best time of two runs wins
- Halfpipe- 2 runs best score

PROTEST PROCEDURES

The ASA appeals policy is adopted from the Canadian Snowboard Federation model. The appeals policy is outlined as follows:

- Background
- Policy Fairness
- Definitions
- Protocol general appeals decision and appeal timelines

Appeal & Protest procedure are defined by the Alberta Snowboarding Association as posted onto the website; www.albertasnowboarding.com

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- For Zones 1 to 6 style event qualification for the Games will be based on best results at the Winsport Provincial Event (S/S and H/P) on January 26 & 27, 2019 or Western Championships at Winsport on March 16 & 17, 2019. Speed qualifications will be based on the Banked Slalom event at Sunshine on April 13, 2019. Any ties will be broken by the second best score at either event.
- A Zone 7 and 8 qualification event will be held in early January 2020.
- We will also be providing a halfpipe camp prior to the Provincial event in January, it will not have any bearing on ranking but will help with preparing athletes that have not spent time in halfpipe prior to the Games.
- Entry fees for these events are to be determined. Alberta Winter Games entry fees are due at the time of qualification. Event registration will be through the ASA office. Event location may change at the discretion of the ASA.
- To determine the date and location of Zone playoffs/selection please visit www.albertasnowboarding.com or www.albertagames.com

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