

SNOWBOARDING

AGE GROUP

- U15 Athletes 13 and 14 - birth years 2010-11
 U13 Athletes 12 and under - birth years 2009-2012



ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

- 8 athletes per Zone (# of females 4 # of males 4)
3 coaches or chaperones per Zone (min # of females 1 min # of males 1)

FILL POLICY

1. The fill-in athlete(s) must be fully eligible and have participated in a Zone playoff.
2. The first opportunity is provided to the next highest ranked, non qualifying athlete as applicable, of the Host Zone.
3. The second opportunity to fill-in will go to the top placed non-qualifying athlete in the respective north Zone (Zones 5, 6, 7 and 8) or south Zone (Zones 1, 2, 3 or 4). If there are not enough spots to fill with zone athletes, then the fill will go to the top placed athlete in the respective north Zone (Zones 5, 6, 7 and 8) or south Zone (Zones 1, 2, 3 or 4) that has not already qualified.
4. If a fill-in cannot be obtained by these two (2) means, then the fill procedures will be designated by Alberta Snowboard Association's Technical Director within the available roster space.
5. Fill athletes may receive attire from the Zone they are filling for rather than the Zone they represent. This is dependent on the quantity of attire available.
6. Fills will not be announced until 48 hours after the last qualifying event has finished.

*Fills must be submitted for approval to the Multisport Games Unit by **January 16, 2024.***

ELIGIBILITY

Athletes

- Must be an active member in good standing of the Alberta Snowboarding Association
Athletes seventeen (17) years of age, or athletes turning seventeen (17) during the Alberta Games, are NOT eligible to attend the Games. For Alberta Games Eligibility Policy information please visit www.albertawintergames.ca

Coaches

- **NCCP Certification** - All coaches must be CSCP Comp-Intro Certified by the registration deadline of the Alberta 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 and chaperones must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Games.

AFFILIATION

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

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- Entry and athlete position for games selection will be based primarily on the participation in provincial qualifying events. Those events will be held in North & South Zones in Early January 2024.
- Event registration will be via www.albertasnowboarding.com and questions or concerns can be directed to registration@albertasnowboarding.com. Registration details 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.albertawintergames.ca

PROVINCIAL GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2024 Alberta Winter Games (excluding coaches and chaperones), are required to pay an individual registration fee of \$80.00. This fee will offset the costs related to transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. This fee is payable to your provincial sport organization and must accompany the athlete's registration form for the Provincial Games.

Please note the registration deadline for Snowboarding is **January 13, 2024**.

EVENTS

- All athletes will compete in both disciplines.
- Slopestyle - Two (2) runs, best run scores.
 - Banked Slalom - Timed event, 2 runs best run counts.

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

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ZONE SPORT REPRESENTATIVE

The Provincial Sport Coordinator, indicated above, has been appointed by Alberta Snowboarding to serve as the primary contact and leader of the Association's participation in the Alberta Games. For any questions about Snowboarding in the Alberta Games, contact your Provincial Sport Coordinator or visit www.albertasnowboarding.com



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