

PARTNERS



Date: August 2017
To: Referees, Starters and Recorders
From: BCSSA Officials Development Committee
Re: **Provincial Competition Request form: 2017-2018 Season**

The Officials Development Committee will be discussing and allocating the assignments of officials to Provincial competitions for Referees and Starters for the 2017-2018 season in early September. We have **24** competitions this year to select from.

The Mentoring Recorder will be assigned this year where applicable and available. This is the signup memo/sheet for the mentoring at each meet. A Mentoring Recorder will not be running the meet but will be used as a helper/mentor for that meet and will give guidance and assistance in helping ease the stress of recording at a meet. Remember that mentoring does not mean that you have to be at the meet but your assistance in setting up the meet is still mentoring! ODC will cover your costs if you have been assigned to mentor a Recorder at a meet or have been assigned by ODC to be the Chief Recorder at said meet.

Level 1 or higher Referees and Starters and Recorders are requested to submit their request for the Provincial competitions of their choice. Please indicate your interest and return the form to ODC by **September 15th, 2018**.

IMPORTANT NOTE: THIS YEAR WE WANT YOU TO INDICATE THE MEETS THAT YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND.

ODC's decision to assign officials to competitions will be based on the following:

1. All Level 2 officials (Referees and Starters) will get priority in assignments whenever possible.
2. Level 1 Referees will be assigned to assist or may chief some of the meets with assistance from a mentor.
3. Level 3B and higher officials will be used for mentoring whenever possible. Please select a meet that you would like to mentor at or be the chief at. BCSSA ODC may still select you as the chief if there are no Level 2 officials available.
4. ODC will endeavour to spread the assignments out as fairly as possible.
5. Please make sure you indicate (with an 'X') the meets you are **UNABLE** to attend even if you are a Level 3A or above as we still need to know your availability for the meets.

You will be notified before the end of September of your assignments for the season.

To all Recorders, Referees and Starters: BCSSA ODC will cover your travel costs (whichever is less expensive: flight or gas) while the hosting club is responsible for your meals and accommodation expenses. At some competitions, BCSSA ODC may also pay the accommodation and meal costs. It depends upon the budget. **Please save all receipts!**

BCSSA ODC will not pay any expenses out to the Referees (Recorders and Starters are exempt from this) until the Referees online report is properly filled out after the competition.

Please ensure you have a copy of the ISU regulations and that you familiarize yourself along with any updated rule changes from ISU, SSC (green ISU book and red book) and BCSSA. These are available as a free download from SSC and the ISU website. Make sure you are familiar with any HP bulletins published by SSC and the BCSSA ADC bulletins which are located on the BCSSA website. <http://www.speed-skating.bc.ca/technical-documents/>.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued dedication and commitment to speed skating. Your comments/suggestions are always welcome. We look forward to working with and seeing you at the competitions this season.

Please submit this filled in application to the ODC e-mail. Do not fax in this document!

Best regards,
Officials Development Committee
ODC Committee: officials.development.committe@gmail.com



**OFFICIALS' COMPETITION SELECTION
2017-2018 Season
Recorders, Referees and Starters**

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- **INDICATE THE MEETS THAT YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND WITH AN 'X'**
- **ONLY ACCREDITED OFFICIALS WHO ARE PAID MEMBERS OF BCSSA/SSC WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR ASSIGNMENTS**
- **SSC/ODC WILL ASSIGN CHIEF OFFICIALS FOR CJC/CC#3 IN FORT ST. JOHN. BCSSA ODC WILL ASSIGN OFFICIALS AS MENTORS IN ASSISTANT ROLES**
- **CLUBS MAY ASSIGN THEIR OWN OFFICIALS AND MUST LET ODC KNOW IF THEY CHOOSE TO DO SO; BCSSA/ODC RETAINS THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINAL ASSIGNMENT**

Name:				
Address:				Postal Code:
City				
Telephone:	(Landline)	(Cell)		
Email address:				
Are you a paid up member of BCSSA/SSC	() YES	() NO	SSC #	
Club Registered with				
Please indicate Level	Referee (Level)	Starter (Level)	Recorder (Level)	
Date	Type of Event ST/LT		Place	Not able to attend
Sat. Oct 21, 2017	Langley Interclub	ST	Langley	
Sat. Oct 28, 2017	Fort St. John Interclub	ST	Fort St. John	
Sat. Nov 4, 2017	Classic Chill	ST	Kamloops	
Sat. Nov 5, 2017	Matsqui Interclub	ST	Abbotsford	

Sat. Nov 18, 2017	POCO Interclub	ST	Port Coquitlam	
Sat. Nov 25, 2017	Central Interior Challenge (BCWG Trials)	ST	Prince George	
Sat. Dec 2, 2017	Jingle Bell Cup/Zone 3 BCWG Qualifier	ST	Maple Ridge	
Sat. Dec 2, 2017	Mile Zero Interclub	ST	Dawson Creek	
Sat. Dec 2, 2017	Vanderhoof Interclub	ST	Vanderhoof	
Sat. Dec 9, 2017	Kelowna Cup Interclub	ST	Kelowna	
Sat. Dec 9, 2017	Williams Lake Interclub	ST	Williams Lake	
Sat. Dec 16, 2017	Western Elite #2	ST	Richmond	
Sat. Jan 6, 2018	Prince George Interclub	LT	Prince George	
Sat. Jan 13, 2018	Burnaby Interclub	ST	Burnaby	
Sat. Jan 13, 2018	Fort St. James Interclub	LT	Fort St. James	
Sat/Sun. Jan 20-21, 2018	BCLT	LT	Fort St. John	
Sat. Jan 20, 2018	V-Rroom Challenge IV	ST	Richmond	
Sat. Jan 27, 2018	Coyote Cup	ST	Kamloops	
Fri-Sun, Feb 2-4, 2018	Canadian Junior Championships/Canada Cup #3	LT	Fort St. John	
Sat. Feb. 10, 2018	Sardis Interclub	ST	Sardis	
Thur-Sun, Feb. 22-25, 2018	BCWG	ST	Kamloops	
Sat-Sun, March 3-4, 2018	BCST	ST	Matsqui	
Sat-Sun, March 17-18, 2018	Canada West ST Championships	ST	Abbotsford	