

## **ATHLETICS NEW BRUNSWICK**

### **POLICY STATEMENT 2.0: PROVINCIAL TEAMS**

- 2.1 Athletics New Brunswick (ANB) has the responsibility to name provincial teams to represent the province when appropriate.
- 2.2 The size and composition of the team shall be dependent on criteria put forth by the games, host committees, and/or technical packages.
- 2.3 Responsibility for operating the provincial teams shall be carried out through their respective programs.
  - a) CSG Team – Jeux du Canada Games Program
  - b) JDLF Team – Jeux de la Francophonie Program
  - c) Legion Team – Royal Canadian Legion Program\*
    - \*ANB works with New Brunswick Command, Royal Canadian Legion, to field a team of athletes from Midget and Youth age categories to represent NB at the National Legion Track & Field Camp.
- 2.4 The above named programs should be put in place within the following time frames prior to the events being held.
  - a) Jeux du Canada Games Program – 3 years prior
  - b) Jeux de la Francophonie Program – 2 years prior
  - c) Royal Canadian Legion Program – Continuous (year of)
- 2.5 The Head Coach (and Manager) for the Canada Games shall be named from applicants not less than 30 months prior to the Canada Games and the Head Coach (and Manager) for the Jeux de la Francophonie shall be named not less than 24 months prior to les Jeux de la Francophonie. Other staff may be named, as required, at a later date.
- 2.6.1 Head Coaches for the CSG and JDLF teams shall be certified at NCCP Performance Coach (previously Level 3) minimum. Assistant coaches, except where specified by governing bodies, shall be required to have a minimum certification of Club Coach (previously Level 2).
- 2.6.2 Head Coach for the Legion Team shall be certified at NCCP Club Coach level (previously level 2).
- 2.8 Selection of athletes to provincial teams shall be subject to all adopted rules and regulations covering selection procedures (i.e. performance standards, program selection criteria, ANB policy statements on selection of athletes).
- 2.9 ANB retains the right to name other provincial teams such as various age class teams.

- 2.9.1 Naming of age class teams not listed under 2.3 shall be done through the following programs when appropriate.
- a) High performance Program – Junior age class and above
  - b) Podium Program – Midget and Youth age classes.
- 2.10 Head Coaches for all ANB teams should be bilingual. If this is not possible, at least 1 member of the team staff shall be bilingual.
- 2.11 Provincial team athletes travelling to out-of-province, funded competitions shall:
- a) Have travel arrangements made by team staff, and
  - b) Travel with the team to/from the competition
  - c) Exceptions to this policy may be considered in exceptional circumstances and must be done with prior approval of team Head Coach/staff.

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