

## British Columbia Speed Skating Association

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# **PARTNERS**















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Re: Call for Team BCSSA Personnel 2016-2017

BCSSA will be sending the following Team BCSSA personnel to competitions throughout the 2016-2017 season:

- **1) Team BCSSA ST Performance Stream Coach:** the Team BCSSA ST Performance Stream Coach is one (1) position, covering three specific competitions throughout the season:
  - National Qualifier
  - Canadian Junior Championship
  - Canadian Junior Open Selections #2.
- **2) Team BCSSA ST Provincial Stream Coach:** the Team BCSSA ST Provincial Stream Coach is one (1) position, covering two specific competitions throughout the season:
  - BC Short Track Championship
  - Canada West Short Track Championship.
- **3) Team BCSSA ST Development Coaches:** the Team BCSSA ST Development Coaches will coach at the Canada West Short Track Championship. Up to two (2) Development Coaches may be selected.

The Team BCSSA ST Coaches must be, at minimum, NCCP Introduction to Competition certified (or equivalent). Priority will be given to coaches actively working towards Competition Development certification and/or those certified at NCCP Level 3. The Team BCSSA ST Coaches will have all expenses related to the specified competitions covered. The Team BCSSA ST Coaches are expected to perform the following tasks specifically related to each of the identified competitions:

- Liaise with the BCSSA Office Administrator and/or BCSSA Sport Manager and BCSSA
  Team Manager to be aware of branch registration and pre-competition arrangements
  (including Team BCSSA skater transportation and accommodation arrangements, when
  appropriate)
- Coach any Team BCSSA skaters who request their service (i.e. are not being coached by another coach)
- Prepare a summary report for the BCSSA ADC and TD.
- **4) Team BCSSA ST Manager:** the Team BCSSA ST Manager is one (1) position, effective at the Canada West Short Track Championship. The Manager will receive an honorarium for their assistance in organizing Team BCSSA (Canada West) prior to and at the competition.

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- **5) Team BCSSA LT Performance Stream Coach:** the Team BCSSA LT Performance Stream Coach is one (1) position, covering three specific competitions throughout the season:
  - CanAm
  - Canadian Junior Championship
  - Oval Grand Prix.
- **6) Team BCSSA LT Provincial Stream Coach:** the Team BCSSA LT Provincial Stream Coach is one (1) position, covering two specific competitions throughout the season:
  - BC Long Track Championship
  - Canadian Age Class Long Track Championship.
- 7) Team BCSSA LT Development Coach: the Team BCSSA LT Development Coach will coach at the Canadian Age Class Long Track Championship. A maximum of one (1) Development Coach may be selected.

The Team BCSSA LT Coaches must be, at minimum, NCCP Introduction to Competition certified (or equivalent). Priority will be given to coaches actively working towards Competition Development certification and/or those certified at NCCP Level 3. The Team BCSSA LT Coaches will have all expenses related to the specified competitions covered. The Team BCSSA LT Coaches are expected to perform the following tasks specifically related to each of the identified competitions:

- Liaise with the BCSSA Office Administrator and/or BCSSA Sport Manager and BCSSA Team
  Manager to be aware of branch registration and pre-competition arrangements (including Team
  BCSSA skater transportation and accommodation arrangements, when appropriate)
- Coach any Team BCSSA skaters who request their service (i.e. are not being coached by another coach)
- Prepare a summary report for the BCSSA ADC and TD.
- **8) Team BCSSA LT Manager:** the Team BCSSA LT Manager is one (1) position, effective at the Canadian Age Class Long Track Championship. The Manager will receive an honorarium for their assistance in organizing Team BCSSA (CACLT) prior to and at the competition.

Please note that Speed Skating Canada now requires that all coaches at national level competitions will be required to complete the **Making Headway eModule** in advance of attending national competitions. The eModule can be found in The Locker by using your NCCP#. If you have difficulties accessing or have any questions, please contact <a href="mailto:kearamaguire@gmail.com">kearamaguire@gmail.com</a>.

Please direct expressions of interest for all positions to Keara Maguire, Sport Manager (kearamaguire@gmail.com) by November 6, 2016. Applications should include a cover letter and a coaching/team managing resume, and should clearly indicate the position(s) being applied for. The Coaching Development Committee and Sport Manager will jointly review the applications. Please note that successful applicants will be required to complete a Criminal Record Check.

### **Coaching Development Committee**

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