



## Policies and Procedures - Events

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BC Cup Hosting Policy		May 1, 2019

### 1.0 Purpose

To provide more developmentally appropriate competition for U11-U15 and Novice athletes.

### 2.0 2019 Dates

BC Cup #1 – May 11 - Burnaby

BC Cup #2\* – July 21 – Kamloops

BC Cup #3 – August 10-11 – Nanaimo

*\* Run in conjunction with U16+ Provincials*

### 3.0 Events Offered

#### 3.1 Short distance - 100-200m

- a) U11: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1; Mixed\*\* K-2; Mixed C-2; Mixed K-4; Mixed C-4
- b) U12: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1
- c) U13: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1
- d) U12/U13: Men: K-2, C-2, K-4, C-4; Women: K-2, C-2, K-4, C-4
- e) U14: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1
- f) U15: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1
- g) U14/U15: Men: K-2, C-2, K-4, C-4; Women: K-2, C-2, K-4, C-4
- h) Novice\*: Men: K-1, C-1; Women: K-1, C-1; Mixed K-2; Mixed C-2

\* Novice category includes athletes who are under 21 and have not competed at the National Championships.

\*\* Mixed events include guy and girl in doubles events and guys and girls in fours

\*\*\* Like last year at BC Cup #1, there may be modifications (e.g. no fours or long distance)

#### 3.2 Long distance

- a) All singles (K-1/C-1) in single year categories:
  - (i) U11 and Novice: 500m
  - (ii) U12-U15: 1000m

#### 3.3 Order of events

- a) See Appendix A for the BC Cup Draft Schedule.
- b) The Schedule may be modified depending on the number of entries received for each event (i.e. events may be combined where there are few entries or scratched if there are no entries by the entry deadline. In the event that races are merged, athletes of each category will be awarded points for his or her finish order).

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## **4.0 Entries**

### **4.1 Entry fees**

- a) Entry fee for 1 day events, will be \$20/athlete; for 2 days, \$35/athlete
- b) Canoe Kayak BC (CKBC) will invoice clubs after the event.

### **4.2 Race limits**

- a) Athletes will be limited to six races per day for each BC Cup event. For two day BC Cup events, the athletes will be limited to 12 races (i.e. 6 races on Day 1 and 6 races on Day 2).

### **4.3 Submission of entries and changes to entries on race day**

- a) Entries will be due on the Tuesday prior to the BC Cup Event unless otherwise noted. CKBC will compile the draw and post it on Thursday prior to the Event.
- b) Changes to entries - either substitutions or additions - can be made during race day. However, if an athlete hasn't been registered by Tuesday, they will be charged the respective entry fee + a \$15 late fee.
- c) Changes must be made on a CKBC Name Change form and submitted to the Competition Secretary.

## **5.0 Racing Regulations and Race Format:**

### **5.1 Racing regulations for the BC Cup events**

- a) Canoe Kayak Canada's Sprint Racing Discipline Competition Rules (Rules) will be used for the start (Start Procedure (4.04); False Starts (4.05)), and Competitor's Uniforms (4.10), Participant Behaviour (4.12) and Standard of Conduct Policy (4.13).
- b) For more information see the Rules at the following address: <http://canoekayak.ca/wp-content/uploads/2014/11/Sprint-Competition- Rule-Book-2014-15.pdf>

### **5.2 Race Format**

- a) Heats
  - (i) There will be no heats for the races. Athletes will line-up where there is space on the course.
- b) Deck numbers
  - (i) While athletes will be assigned deck numbers, they will not be given a lane. Athletes will line up where directed by the Starter or Safety Boat Driver or Assistant.
  - (ii) CKBC will provide deck numbers. Athletes will have to "whip-in" prior to each race to receive their deck numbers.
  - (iii) Clubs will be invoiced for unreturned numbers.

## **6.0 Prizes/Awards**

### **6.1 Finish order**

- a) The first three finishers in each race will receive a ribbon. The Competition Committee may not be able to provide a finish time from 4th place and up due to the number of participants.

### **6.2 Overall BC Cup Champion**

- a) Finishers in each race will receive points, which will count cumulatively over the three BC Cup events.
- b) The male and female athlete with the most points in each age category (U11, U12...U15, Novice) will receive a prize and designation as the BC Cup Champion.

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c) In the event of a tie, the athletes with the same amount of points will all receive a prize.

### 6.3 Allocation of points

a) Singles, doubles and fours

(i) Points will be awarded based on the number of athletes in each race.

(ii) The last place athlete will receive 1 point, the next 2 points... The winner will receive 1 point + # number of athletes in the race.

(iii) As an example: if there are 9 athletes in U11 Men's K-1 200m, the winner will receive 10 points, second place 8 points, third place 7 points... ninth place 1 point.

(iv) Points may be earned in mixed club crews should the club not have a partner in a similar age category.

### 6.4 Compilation of points

a) CKBC will compile points and maintain the overall point standings after each BC Cup event. The standings will be posted on the CKBC website.

### 6.5 Awarding of the BC Cup Champion

a) Overall prizes will be awarded at the CKBC Awards Banquet.

## 7.0 **Organization of the Competition**

### 7.1 Direction and control

a) All races shall be under the direction and full control of CKBC.

### 7.2 Officials

At each BC Cup Event, there shall be the following:

a) Competition Committee, which includes a Chief Official, Chief Finish Line Judge and Competition Secretary

b) Finish line judges

c) Starter

d) Turn Point Umpire (TBD)

e) Whipper-in

f) Safety Boat drivers

### 7.3 Safety boats

There shall be 3 safety boats:

a) Stationed above the start line – corralling the athletes to the start line.

b) Stationed at the mid-way point of the race.

c) Stationed at the finish.

d) For long distance races, boats will be stationed at the (1) start line; (2) mid-way point of the race; and (3) Turn. Where there is no turn, boats will be stationed at the (1) start line; (2) mid-way point of the race; and (3) finish.

## 8.0 **Hosting Policy**

CKBC's Provincial Event Hosting Policy (Policy) will apply.

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## BC Cup Template - Draft Schedule of Events

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Time	Race#	Event - 100-200m	1:05	40	U14 Women's K-1
8:30	1	U15 Men's K-1	1:10	41	U13 Women's C-1
8:35	2	U14 Men's C-1	1:15	42	U12/U13 Men's K-2
8:40	3	U11 Mixed C-4	1:20	43	U14/15 Women's C-2
8:45	4	U12/13 Women's K-2	1:25	44	U12 Men's C-1
8:50	5	Novice mix C2	1:30	45	Novice Women's K-1
8:55	6	U15 Women's K-1	1:35	46	U13/U12 Women's K-4
9:00	7	U14 Women's C-1	<b>COURSE BREAK</b>		
9:05	8	U12/U13 Men's K-4	<b>LONG DISTANCE</b>		
9:10	9	U11 Mixed C-2	2:00	48	U15 Men's K-1 1000m
9:15	10	U12 Women's K-1	2:01	49	U14 Men's K-1 1000m
9:20	11	U15 Men's C1	2:02	50	U15 Women's C-1 1000m
9:25	12	Novice Mixed K-2	2:03	51	U14 Women's C-1 1000m
9:30	13	U13 Men's K-1			
9:35	14	U11 Men's C1	2:15	52	U13 Men's K-1 1000m
9:40	15	U14/U15 Women's K-4	2:16	53	U12 Men's K-1 1000m
9:45	16	U14/U15 Men's C-4	2:17	54	U13 Women's C-1 1000m
<b>BREAK</b>			2:18	55	U12 Women's C-1 1000m
10:05	17	U15 Women's C-1			
10:10	18	U11 Men's K-1	2:30	56	U15 Women's K-1 1000m
10:15	19	U15/14 Men's K-2	2:31	57	U14 Women's K-1 1000m
10:20	20	U13 Men's C-1	2:32	58	U15 Men's C-1 1000m
10:25	21	U12/U13 Women's C-2	2:33	59	U14 Men's C-1 1000m
10:30	22	U11 Mixed K-2			
10:35	23	U14 Men's K-1	2:45	60	U13 Women's K-1 1000m
10:40	24	Novice Women's C-1	2:46	61	U12 Women's K-1 1000m
10:45	25	U12/U13 Women's C-4	2:47	62	U13 Men's C-1 1000m
10:50	26	U12/13 Men's C-2	2:48	63	U12 Men's C-1 1000m
10:55	27	Novice Men's K-1	<b>BREAK</b>		
11:00	28	U11 Women's C-1	3:10	64	Novice Men's K-1 500m
11:05	29	U13 Women's K-1	3:11	65	U11 Men's C-1 500m
11:10	30	U12/U13 Men's C-4			
<b>BREAK</b>			3:20	66	U11 Women's K-1 500m
11:25	31	U14/U15 Women's C-4	3:21	67	Novice Women's C-1 500m
11:30	32	Novice men C1			
11:35	33	U14/U15 Men's K-4	3:30	68	U11 Men's K-1 500m
11:40	34	U11 Women's K-1	3:31	69	Novice Men's C-1 500m
11:45	35	U14/15 Women's K-2			
11:50	36	U12 Women's C-1	3:40	70	Novice Women's K-1 500m
11:55	37	U12 Men's K-1	3:41	71	U11 Women's C-1 500m
12:00	38	U15/U14 Men's C-2			
<b>LUNCH</b>					
1:00	39	U11 Mixed K-4			

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