

April 13th, 2016

Greetings xxxxx,

Congratulations on a successful ski season. As a result of your achievements the CCBC Athlete Development Committee has nominated you to the BC Ski Team (BCST) for the 2016-2017 ski season.

The benefits and obligations for the BC Ski Team program are outlined in Appendix A. The 2016 Cross Country BC provincial camp schedule is available on the website: <u>http://www.crosscountrybc.ca/camp-trip-schedule</u>

When you have made your decision, please complete the BCST Application Form (to confirm your intention to be a member of the BC Ski Team), BCST Registration Form (online) and CCBC Athlete Code of Conduct Form. The BCST Application Form and CCBC Athlete Code of Conduct Form can either be scanned and emailed to adcoord@crosscountrybc.ca or mailed to the Cross Country BC office c/o Dudley Coulter no later than April 29th, 2016. The \$300.00 team fee can be paid by credit card or cheque.

Sincerely,

Dudley Coulter

CCBC Athlete Development Coordinator

c.c. Athlete Development Committee



Attachments:

- A BCST Benefits and Obligations
- B CCBC Athlete Code of Conduct Form
- C BCST Registration Form
- D BCST Application Form

Appendix A

Benefits

Cross Country BC will provide athletes named to the BC Ski Team with the following:

- the opportunity to attend up to six BC Ski Team training camps on a cost sharing basis;
- access to team clothing paid in full by athlete or partially by CCBC (currently undergoing review due to foreign exchange rate and other factors);
- sport eligibility for External Sport Credit Athlete 11 or Athlete 12;
- support from Provincial Team coaches with respect to annual training plans (if required); and
- support from Provincial Team coaches with respect to selecting and acquiring ski equipment.

Obligations

The BC Ski Team athlete will:

- follow a comprehensive annual training plan (a minimum of 350 sport-specific hours);
- submit their annual training plans to the Provincial Coach;
- sign the CCBC Athlete Code of Conduct and to act in accordance with the Code of Conduct at all times - <u>http://crosscountrybc.ca/27-athlete-code-conduct</u>; and
- sign the BCST Application Form and complete their commitments to the BC Ski Team.

Team Fee

Team fees for the 2016-17 ski year will be \$300.00. Please make the cheque out to Cross Country BC.

Appendix D

BCST Application Form

2016-17 BC Ski Team Expectations/ Requirements

Category	Expectations
Junior Boys/Girls	Mandatory requirements for Junior Boy/Girl athletes
	 Pay BC Ski Team registration fee of \$300 Attend a minimum of 3 of the following: May Camp – May 19-23, Whistler Haig Glacier Camp – July TBD, Canmore, AB Sweden Camp – July 29-Aug 14, Sweden CVTC Summer Camp – Aug 28-Sep 3, Whistler Fall Dryland Camp – Sept 21-25, Revelstoke Fall Snow Camp – Nov 3-7, Whistler Attend a minimum of 1 of the following 3 NorAm races - World Jr/U23 Trials, Western Canadians or NorAms (Vernon) during the 2016-17 ski season Attend a minimum of two BC Cup weekends of races in 2017
Junior Men/Women	Mandatory Requirements for Junior M/W & U23 athletes
U23 Men/Women	Pay BC Ski Team registration fee of \$300
	 Attend a minimum of 3 of the following: May Camp – May 19-23, Whistler Haig Glacier Camp – July TBD, Canmore, AB Dachstein Glacier Camp – July 24-Aug 10, Austria CVTC Summer Camp – Aug 28-Sep 3, Whistler Fall Dryland Camp – Sept 21-25, Revelstoke Fall Snow Camp – Nov 3-7, Whistler Attend a minimum of one BC Cup weekend of races in 2017
	 Attend a minimum of 2 of the following 3 NorAm races - World Jr/U23 Trials, Western Canadians or NorAms (Vernon) during the 2016-17 ski season

Attend the 2017 National Championships

I wish to join the BC Ski Team. My parents are in agreement with this decision. By signing below, I am committing to the obligations as stated.

Athlete Name:

Athlete Email:

Home Club:

Club Coach Name:

Club Coach email:

Parent Name:

Athlete's signature:

Parent's signature (if under 18)_____

Date: _____