

# **BCFA 2019/20 SEASON HIGH PERFORMANCE FUNDING POLICY**

## **INTRODUCTION**

This policy document described how the BCFA will support High Performance Athletes in the 2019\_20 season (i.e. September 2019 to August 2020)

### **POLICY:**

The BCFA will support attendance at the following International events in the 2019\_20 season, with the intent of supporting BC athletes who qualify for the Cadet, Junior or Senior National teams. All support will be subject to the availability of funds and support may be withdrawn or reduced at any time.

#### **CADET / JUNIOR PAN AM CHAMPIONSHIPS – TBD, March, 2020**

- Athletes who are selected by the CFF to compete, and who subsequently compete, will be funded to attend this event. Athletes will be provided with \$1,000.

#### **CADET/JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS – Salt Lake City, – April 2020**

- Athletes who are selected by the CFF to compete, and who subsequently compete will be funded to attend this event. Athletes will be provided with \$1,250

#### **SENIOR PAN AM CHAMPIONSHIPS – TBD, June 2020 –**

- Athletes who Athletes who are selected by the CFF to compete, and who subsequently compete will be funded to attend this event. Athletes will be provided with \$1,000

#### **OLYMPIC ZONAL QUALIFIER– TBD, April 2020**

- Athletes who are selected by the CFF to compete, and who subsequently compete, will be funded to attend this event. Athletes will be provided with \$1,000

#### **OLYMPIC GAMES– Tokyo, August 2020,**

- Athletes who are selected will be funded to attend this event. Athletes who qualified via the zonal qualifier route will be provided with a \$1,000 bonus. Athletes who qualified via other routes will be provided with a \$2,000 bonus.

### **ADDITIONAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:**

Athletes must :

- Be a current member of the BCFA with primary residence in BC
- Have a demonstrated record of volunteering at BCFA run events in the previous and current season
- Be an active participant in the BCFA HPP camps / training events or, if studying at a university outside of the lower mainland, training on a consistent and verifiable basis at a club or university facility.
- Meet the CFF selection ranking criteria outlined above at the required timepoint
- Follow all instructions from team manager / coach
- Have valid travel documents
- Ensure all required waivers are signed

### **QUALIFYING EVENTS:**

#### **Team Coach:**

The BCFA may send a coach to designated qualifying events if sufficient athletes are competing and there is reasonable chance, based on rankings, that athletes will qualify for national team selection based on the results. Coaches will be selected from the clubs with the most athletes represented on the travelling teams.

### **CODE OF CONDUCT:**

Athletes must follow the CFF and BCFA code of conduct at all times. Additionally, athletes are required to volunteer at BCFA or club events as a condition of funding. Violation of the code of conduct may result in withdrawal of funding.