

Greater Vernon 2022 BC Winter Games

Technical Package

Ringette

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Venue	Kal Tire Arena
Age	Under 16
Age Description	Athletes must be 14-15 years of age by December 31, 2021. (or born in 2006 or 2007)
Zone Composition	Max of 16 players per team. No less than 80% of a team's roster must be female. Tournament will host a max of 6 teams, one each from BC Games Zones 2, 3, 4, 5, 6/7*, and 8. Due to COVID-19 and event restrictions, there will be no replacement team for the 2022 BC Winter Games. *For the 2022 BC Winter Games, Zone 6 and 7 will combine to form one Zone team. Ringette BC will finalize and approve the final representation from each Zone, and support Zones 6 and 7 in the process of forming the team.
Maximum Athletes	96
Wildcards	No wildcards
Coaches: (See BC Games General Rules for information about the "adult supervisor" role.	<p>1 head coach, 2-3 assistant coaches, and 1 adult supervisor (up to 4 adults per Zone). All Zone teams are expected to have at least 3 certified coaches. If a Zone team cannot fulfill all coaching position, Zone teams may bring an adult supervisor (non-certified coach in a supervisory capacity). Additional adult supervisors may be granted to cover gender accommodation supervision in anticipation of maintaining appropriate accommodation spread. Ringette BC adheres to the Responsible Coaching Movement and the Rule of Two. Two screened, certified coaches (or adult supervisors) will be present at all times when in the presence of athletes, where one coach/adult is the same gender of the athlete(s). Provincial Advisor is to approve all coaches and adult supervisors.</p> <p>Every zone must name a head coach and at least one assistant coach (exception: sports for athletes with a disability, which must have one head coach and at least one assistant coach for the sport). If additional adults are named for the zone (or sport) and they meet the certification requirements of assistant coaches, they should be registered with the role "assistant coach", otherwise they are registered with the role "adult supervisor". See BC Games General Rules for more information</p>
Officials: (the number of Officials the sport is permitted to register as participants)	10 Transportation, accommodation, and meals, as arranged by the Host Society, will be provided for officials. See BC Games General Rules for more information

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Athlete Eligibility
In addition to BC Games General Rules, the sport-specific eligibility requirements noted in this technical package are in effect for the 2022 BC Winter Games.

Athletes must be registered with the BC Ringette Association. All Star teams will be formed to represent each Zone. Athletes must try out for and compete for the BC Games Zone in which they reside.

With the change of age from U15 (2020 BC Winter Games) to U16, there are additional eligibility requirements due to the potential for repeat athletes at the 2022 BC Winter Games.

1. The following athletes are not eligible to tryout for, or participate in the 2022 BC Winter Games:

a. Any athlete who is rostered to Team BC (CRCs) for the 2021/2022 season AND attended the 2020 BC Winter Games

b. Any athlete who attended the 2020 BC Winter Games and placed in the top 3 (Zone 2, 4 and 5)

2. Any other athlete who attended the 2020 BC Winter Games from Zone 3, 4a, 7 or 8, is eligible to attend a second BC Winter Games in 2022 permitting they are not rostered to Team BC (CRCs) for the 2021/2022 season.

3. Athletes who are rostered to Team BC (CRCs) for the 2021/2022 season, and did NOT attend the 2020 BC Winter Games are eligible to tryout. These athletes should contact Ringette BC prior to attending the tryouts for their Zone.

Overage athletes or returning athletes must be pre-approved by the Ringette Provincial Advisor prior to attending the Zone tryouts.

Coaching Eligibility
Note that the role of head coaches and assistant coaches at the BC Games includes travelling to and from the Games with the team/zone, residing with the team/zone in BC Games accommodation, and acting in a supervisory capacity throughout the Games.
See BC Games General Rules for information about the roles of the head coach and assistant coach.

All head coaches and assistant coaches must be Competition Introduction Certified (CI). In addition, all coaches and adult supervisors must complete the following: <

- Making Ethical Decisions Module & Online Evaluation
- Making Headway in Sport
- CAC Safe Sport Training

BC Games General Rules dictate the level of coach certification required for head coaches and assistant coaches unless otherwise stated in this Technical Package - click here for details. A minimum of Safe Sport Training is required for all adult supervisors and coaches - more information can be found at here..

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Events and Categories Tournament Draw to be determined by the Provincial Advisor.

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Zone Selections and Registration Deadline
Please refer to the BC Games General Rules for the registration deadline set by the BC Games Society. The BC Games deadline is in effect unless an earlier date is set by the Provincial Sport

Ringette BC states that all zone tryouts must be completed by December 31, 2021.

Accommodation and Transportation
Also see BC Games General Rules for further details about accommodation and transportation.

All athletes, coaches and adult supervisors are required to stay in BC Games accommodation and travel on BC Games transportation services. All participants under 19 years must be properly supervised by the head coach and assistant coach(es) or adult supervisor(s).

Medals
NEW MEDAL RULE. For more details about BC Games medals, review the BC Games General Rules.

Gold, Silver, and Bronze medals will be awarded within the parameters of the BC Games Society Medal Rule.