



2011 CANADA WINTER GAMES

FREESTYLE SKIING TECHNICAL PACKAGE

Technical Packages are a critical part of the Canada Games. They guide the selection of athletes by prescribing the age and eligibility requirements, assist the organizing committees by detailing tournament formats and scoring procedures, assist Chefs de Mission in verifying eligibility, help with budgeting by describing the number of participants permitted, advance coaching certification by stating minimum requirements, and generally contribute to athlete development by identifying each National Sport Organization's (NSO) version of prospective high performance athletes.

Every Games' coach, manager, sport leader, and mission staff has an obligation to read and understand every aspect of the Technical Package. Failure to do so could cost an athlete his or her eligibility for the Games or could affect final standings or the conduct of the competition. If someone does not understand an aspect of the Technical Package, he or she is to seek clarification from the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council through his or her Chef de Mission or National Sport Organization.

Technical Packages are developed primarily by National Sport Organizations, following principles, guidelines, and requirements of the Canada Games Council. As the overall governing body of the Games, the Council has the ultimate authority for Technical Packages, but this authority is exercised only with the knowledge and understanding of the NSO concerned.

If an individual wishes to initiate a change to a Technical Package leading up to the Games, the desired change should be first directed to the National Sport Organization or the Chef de Mission. The NSO or Chef will evaluate the merits of the change and will, if it has merit, submit the requested change to the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council. The NSO or Chef will submit the rationale for the change. Changes to age groups, eligibility requirements, team size or staff complements will not be considered after three years prior to the Games. Substantive changes to events or competition formats will not be considered after 18 months before the Games. Minor corrections will be considered at almost anytime, but will be increasingly difficult to achieve within six months of the Games. These time frames reinforce the importance of complete understanding of the Technical Package early.

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TECHNICAL PACKAGE

1. SPORT: FREESTYLE SKIING

2. PARTICIPANTS:

- 2.1 Competitors: 4 Male 4 Female
- 2.2 Staff: 3 Coaches & 1 Manager, one of whom must be male and one whom must be female.
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3. CLASSIFICATION:

Athletes must be born on or after July 2, 1992 and on or before July 1st, 1996 inclusive. This **falls within** the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association (CFSA) age category for Juvenile/Junior.

4. ELIGIBILITY:

4.1 Coaches:

Any staff listed as coaches on the official registration form must be fully certified (theory, technical and practical) under the National Coaching Certification Program to at least Level 3 in Moguls or Aerials (in their respective discipline) or the equivalent in the new NCCP Competition Stream, Development Context (Trained Status). These coaches must be so certified not later than 90 days before the opening of the Games (ie. by November 13, 2010).

4.2 Competitors:

There are no restrictions other than age and residency.

5. COMPETITION:

The Canadian Freestyle Ski Association (CFSA) Rules and Regulations will be in effect.

Competition will be held in men's and women's moguls, dual moguls, aerials and Half-Pipe.

Moguls:	Semi Finals Final	One run One run
Dual Moguls:	Elimination format	
Aerials:	Semi Finals Finals	Best score of two jumps Best score of two jumps
Half-Pipe:	Semi Finals Finals	Best score of two runs Best score of two runs

6. SPORT SCORING

Scoring shall be according to the CFSA Rules and Regulations.

7. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING:

Men and women will be ranked separately.

Athletes will be ranked from 1st through last place. The province's/territory's two (2) best finishers will count towards the provincial/territorial ranking point total.

If there is a tie, points will be shared equally between competitors (i.e. If tied for first then each competitor would receive 98.5 points $(100+97)/2$). If an athlete does not finish or is disqualified, the athlete does not receive any points.

Position	Pts	Position	Pts	Position	Pts	Position	Pts	Position	Pts
1st place	100	12th place	74	23rd place	63	34th place	52	45th place	41
2nd place	97	13th place	73	24th place	62	35th place	51	46th place	40
3rd place	94	14th place	72	25th place	61	36th place	50	47th place	39
4th place	91	15th place	71	26th place	60	37th place	49	48th place	38
5th place	88	16th place	70	27th place	59	38th place	48	49th place	37
6th place	85	17th place	69	28th place	58	39th place	47	50th place	36
7th place	83	18th place	68	29th place	57	40th place	46	51st place	35
8th place	81	19th place	67	30th place	56	41st place	45	52nd place	34
9th place	79	20th place	66	31st place	55	42nd place	44		
10th place	77	21st place	65	32nd place	54	43rd place	43		
11th place	75	22nd place	64	33rd place	53	44th place	42		

When the ranking of men's and women's teams has been established, points for the Games flag will be awarded as follows:

1 st place - 10 points	6 th place - 5 points	11 th place - 1.5 points
2 nd place - 9 points	7 th place - 4 points	12 th place - 1 point
3 rd place - 8 points	8 th place - 3 points	13 th place - 0.5 point
4 th place - 7 points	9 th place - 2.5 points	
5 th place - 6 points	10 th place - 2 points	

8. TIE BREAKING RULE - COMPETITION:

If a tie occurs in an event, the tie shall be broken according to the CFSA General Rules and Regulation and the CFSA Judging Manual.

In the event that a tie cannot be broken according to the above, then both competitors would receive the same position and award and the next position would be eliminated. For example, in the case of a tie for first place, both competitors would receive a gold medal and the second place competitor would be placed third and awarded a bronze medal.

9. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING – TIE BREAKING:

1. If a tie occurs in the final provincial/territorial team standing, the province/territory with the greater number of event first places will be assigned the higher rank.
2. If the tie persists, the procedure is repeated for event team second places.
3. If necessary, the procedure is repeated for event team, third place, then fourth places, etc.

Note: When a triple tie occurs and is only partially resolved, the remaining ties will be resolved by returning to priority #1 and proceeding through the order again.

10. MEDALS:

GOLD:	8	SILVER:	8	BRONZE:	8
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11. COMPETITIVE UNIFORM:

Athletes are permitted to wear clothing in accordance with the CFSA General Rules and Regulations, but such clothing must also meet the Canada Games requirements as stated in the appendix to the Technical Package.

Competitive uniform colours are optional. Provincial/Territorial colours must be worn for the opening, closing and medal ceremonies.

12. EQUIPMENT

Equipment used by competitors must conform to current CFSA rules regarding competition equipment.

13. APPENDIX

The attached appendix forms an integral part of this technical package.

APPENDIX 1

2011 Whitehorse Canada Winter Games

General Competitor Eligibility

1. Competitors must meet all eligibility requirements outlined in the Technical Package.
2. The Canada Games are open to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.
3. The Games are open to amateur athletes **who are members** in good standing of their provincial and/or national sport organization.
4. An athlete's permanent domicile or actual residence must be located, for at least the 180 days prior to the opening of the Games, within the recognized boundaries of the province or territory they are representing. An athlete can have only one domicile.
5. Students attending school on a full-time basis outside their province of permanent residence during the year of the Games shall be permitted to compete for either their province of permanent resident or the province in which the athlete attends school. To be eligible to compete for the province where the athlete attends school, the student must be enrolled on a full-time basis during the 2010-11 academic year.
6. If a non- student athlete attends a recognized national training centre outside his or her province of permanent residence, the athlete is encouraged to represent his or her province of permanent residence; however, the athlete could represent the province where the centre is located under the terms of paragraph (7), below.
7. Exceptions to the domicile requirement will be possible if the athlete can demonstrate a commitment to the province or territory she or he wishes to represent by such means as having been a member of a club or provincial sport organization in that province for the entire previous competitive season, having represented that province or territory at a previous national or regional championship or having attended school full-time the previous academic year or a recognized national training centre full-time during the previous 12 months. Other similar circumstances may be considered.
8. An athlete is permitted to try out for only one province or territory per Games.
9. The eligibility of any athlete that is not clearly established by these rules and by the Technical Package shall be determined by the Sport Committee of the Council. **Coaches or PSOs must bring forward any unclear cases to their Chef de Mission and their NSO as early as possible before the competition for forwarding to the Sport Committee.**

10. Where a team/province/Chef wishes to challenge the eligibility of an athlete on another provincial/ territorial team, it is expected that such a challenge will be made as soon as the protesting team allows that an athlete may be ineligible. Every effort must be made to ensure that protests on eligibility are lodged before an athlete competes.

Other

1. All teams are reminded of the Canada Games Council's regulations concerning advertising on competition uniforms: only the uniform manufacturer's name or trade mark logo maybe worn on team competition *uniforms to a maximum size of 60 square centimeters*.
2. The only coaching permitted is by those accredited coaches identified in the Technical Package. Personal coaches of athletes or additional coaches of any type will not receive accreditation and will not have access to competition or training areas.
3. Canada Games rules do not allow team staff to practice as therapists, physicians or other medical or paramedical practitioners. The Host Society (organizing committee) is responsible for providing high quality medical care at a central clinic at the Athletes' Village and at competition and training venues. The Sport Medicine Council of Canada assists the Host Society by providing additional medical practitioners to ensure that French and English speaking and male and female persons are available, to ensure that sport specific medical expertise is available and to ensure that all regions of Canada are represented. Team staff will not be permitted to administer medical care to athletes.