

## 2018 PARA-ATHLETICS PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

### 2018 Commonwealth Games

#### Male Athletes

##### **Tristan Smyth (T54)**

Men's T54 1500m Rnd 1 / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 3:12.20

Men's T54 1500m Final / 7<sup>th</sup> Place / 3:14.88

Men's T54 Marathon Final / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 1:31:44

### 2018 Canadian Track and Field National Championship Results

#### Male Athletes

##### **David Johnson (T12)**

Men's 100m Ambulatory / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 11.86 (PB)

Men's 200m Ambulatory / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 23.83

Men's 400m Ambulatory / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 52.77 (PB)

##### **Greg Stewart (T46)**

Men's Ambulatory Shot Put / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 15.40m

##### **Michael Barber (T20)**

Men's 800m Ambulatory / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 2:02.80

Men's 1500m Ambulatory / 6<sup>th</sup> Place / 4:34.87

##### **Nathaniel Riech (T38)**

Men's 1500m Ambulatory / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 4:00.45

##### **Liam Stanley (T37)**

Men's 1500m Ambulatory / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 4:06.64 (PB)

##### **Thomas Normandeau (T46)**

Men's 400m Ambulatory / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 52.95

##### **Sedrick Skabar (T53)**

Men's 100m / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 17.94

##### **Balraj Zimich (T54)**

Men's 100m / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 17.58

Men's 200m / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 30.14

Men's 400m / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 1:05.16

Men's 800m / 6<sup>th</sup> Place / 2:19.14

##### **Nathan Dewitt (T34)**

Men's 100m / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 16.84

Men's 400m / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 1:02.39

##### **Tristan Smyth (T54)**

Men's 800m / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 1:44.89

Men's 1500m / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 3:21.30

Men's 5000m / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 11:30.47

##### **Eddy Solla (F34)**

Men's Seated Discus / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 24.09m (PB)

Men's Seated Shot Put / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 7.73m (PB)

##### **Dakoda Darling (F57)**

Men's Seated Shot Put / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 9.83m (PB)

Men's Seated Discus / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 31.21m

Men's Seated Javelin / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 19.86m

##### **Daryl Yuen (F57)**

Men's Seated Shot Put / 8<sup>th</sup> Place / 6.93m (PB)

Men's Seated Discus / 8<sup>th</sup> Place / 18.46m (PB)

Men's Seated Javelin / 9<sup>th</sup> Place / 10.88m

##### **Peter Isherwood (F52)**

Men's Seated Discus / 6<sup>th</sup> Place / 10.94m

### Female Athletes

#### **Djami Diallo (T34)**

Women's 100m / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 20.82

Women's 200m / 3<sup>rd</sup> Place / 36.05

Women's 400m / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 1:16.43

Women's 800m / 7<sup>th</sup> Place / 2:49.99

Women's 1500m / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 5:24.79

#### **Ljiljana Ljubisic (F11)**

Women's Ambulatory Discus / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 27.70m

#### **Jessye Brockway (F57)**

Women's Seated Shot Put / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 6.47m

Women's Seated Discus / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 18.88m

#### **Ness Murby (F11)**

Women's Ambulatory Javelin / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 22.56m

Women's Ambulatory Discus / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 29.35m

## 2018 CPISRA World Games

### (Cerebral Palsy International Sports and Recreation Association)

### Male Athletes

#### **Eddy Solla (F34)**

Men's Seated Discus / 4<sup>th</sup> Place / 22.22m

Men's Seated Shot Put / 6<sup>th</sup> Place / 7.22m

Men's Seated Javelin / 5<sup>th</sup> Place / 18.99m

### Female Athletes

#### **Djami Diallo (T34)**

Women's 100m Final / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 22.74

Women's 200m Final / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 42.02

Women's 400m Final / 2<sup>nd</sup> Place / 1:18.51

Women's 800m Final / 1<sup>st</sup> Place / 3:00.65

## 2018 Initiative Highlights

- 1500m and 100m mixed wheelchair race, and para ambulatory shot put included in the 2018 Harry Jerome International Track Classic schedule with awarded prize money
- Addition of the Para National BC Team by BC Athletics
- Implementation of Athletics Canada's CAPP Program – 10 BC Athletes named to program:

**Liam Stanley – Medal**

**Tristan Smyth – Top 8**

**Greg Stewart – World Class**

**Ljiljana Ljubisic – World Class**

**Ness Murby – World Class**

**David Johnson – International**

**Michael Barber – International**

**Dakoda Darling – Talent Confirmation**

**Nathanial Riech – Talent Confirmation**

**Sedrick Skabar – Talent Confirmation**

### **2019 Recommendations**

- Continue to assess athlete support provided in BC and where gaps may exist for para athletics athletes who do not receive support from their disability sport organization
- Greater outreach into schools, club level on integration for para-athletes; *more emphasis on working the School Sport Association to integrate the provincial championships at a better level*
- Continue to explore online training courses and resources for Officials – to be delivered relative to the needs of each discipline