



Facilities Report
2022 BC Athletics Annual General Meeting – August 20
Submitted by Brian McC Calder

Track & Field

Discussion, Recommendations, Assistance in 2022 on the following facility initiatives:

- City of Vancouver Track & Field Facility:
 - Ongoing consultation and work done with Vancouver Parks Recreation on Templeton Track & Long Jump.
 - The upgrading of Van Tech H Sch T&F Facility has been pushed ahead at least 3 years.
 - Consultation has happened on the Point Grey Secondary Sch T&F Facility.
- Coquitlam – Percy Perry Stadium – confirmed that the Track & Jumping facilities will be upgraded beginning Spring of 2023.
- North Delta Secondary School – completed
- Langley McLeod Park – Upgrading completed.
- Bear Creek Park, Surrey – ongoing engagement over the last 12 months. Awaiting further details.
- Oceanside / Ballenas Secondary School, Vancouver Island – ongoing fund raising and planning for the redevelopment of this T&F Facility.
- West Vancouver Secondary T&F Facility – Consultation and review of design and layout with Facility Consultant. Funding has been approved.
- Victoria:
 - Discussion, support and working group on the development of Throwing facilities in Victoria.
 - Initiative underway for the replacement and upgrading of Track & Field Equipment at Centennial Stadium.
- South Surrey Athletic Park:
 - Resurfacing completed and in full use.
 - Awaiting on the final line markings document to provide BC Athletics approval for competition.

Consultants and Designers – provision of a list to facility owners and city/municipal governments and school boards.

Technical Standards – provision of information on request. Reference the World Athletics 2019 Track & Field Facilities Manual and World Athletics Competition Rules

World Athletics Rankings and Facility Standards – World Athletics has introduced new criteria (effective January 1, 2023) for performances to be eligible for World Athletics Rankings and Ranking points. This is to be done by an application process managed through Athletics Canada and will result in a Permit Status being awarded to a competition that meets the criteria for A through F permit status. One of the criteria is that the facility must be a Class 1 or 2.

- Note: The Athletics Canada Branches raised concerns with regard to these new World Athletics rules for World Rankings Competitions and has together with Athletics Canada, sent a letter to Abby Hoffman, a member of the World Athletics Council.

Technical Facility Reviews – undertaken by the Technical Facilities Sub-committee of the BCA Officials Committee. The sub-committee conducts a scheduled review of facilities and upon request and provides consulting on the design and layout of facilities so as to meet compliance with BC Athletics and/or IAAF requirements for competitions, recognition of performances, records and suitability for the level of competition being considered for the facility.

Thank you to: Peter Fejfar, John Cull, David Weicker, Megann VanderVliet and Club and BC Event Group representatives for their work at reviewing and making recommendations on Facilities.

Cross Country and Road Courses

- Certified road courses: British Columbia – full details at:
<http://www.acroad.ca/Directors/CourseMeasurement/CertifiedCourses/>

Thank you