



2025 BC TEAM PROGRAM APRIL UPDATE

OVERVIEW

BC Athletics has implemented several changes and adjustments for the 2025 BC Team program. These adjustments were made in response to the feedback from former and current BC Team Program athletes and coaches, fiscal responsibility in response to increasing travel and accommodation costs, and a key focus on providing the best assistance for our developing performance athletes. This document will outline the changes to the BC Team Program. All athletes, coaches, and parents should familiarize themselves with these changes.

2025 TEAM SELECTION CRITERIA

To streamline selection for all BC Athletics BC Team Program Teams, selection criteria will be published for all BC Team opportunities. New this year will be selection criteria for the following:

- + BC 10,000m /10,000RW Team
- + BC Senior (U26) Track & Field Team
- + BC Para Track & Field Team
- + BC U20 Track & Field Team
- + BC Legion 15YO / U18 Track & Field Team
- + TeamBC Canada Summer Games (U24) Team
- + BC Western Canadian Team Challenge (U24) Team
- + BC 5K Road Race Team
- + BC 10K Road Race Team
- + BC Half Marathon Team
- + BC Marathon Team
- + BC Trail Running Team
- + BC Mountain Running Team
- + BC Cross Country Team (15YO-Senior)

All team selection criteria will be posted on the [BC Athletics 2025 BC Team Webpage here](#).

2025 BC SENIOR TRACK & FIELD TEAM – U26 + 2024-25 CAPP LIST ATHLETES

BC Athletics has adjusted the ages for the BC Senior Track & Field Team and BC Para Track & Field Team. The BC Senior Track & Field Team will now only be eligible for athletes 25 and younger (U26), and the BC Para Track & Field Team will be eligible for athletes aged 29 and younger (U30).

Additionally, athletes who are on the 2024-25 Athletics Canada CAPP list will be eligible for a funding grant up to **\$750.00 CDN** towards travel to the Canadian Track & Field Championships.

U26 CAPP athletes may opt to use either the BC Team Funding or BC Team Funding Grant as their schedule may not align with mandatory BC travel requirement and accommodations requirement (see: New BC Team Travel and Accommodations below).

2024-25 CAPP Athletes will need to complete the [2025 BC Team CAPP Athlete Travel Grant to be considered for this funding](#).

2025 BC TEAM FEES

After consultation and feedback with current and former BC Team athletes and coaches, BC Athletics has adjusted BC Team Fees to better support selected athletes. Please see [APPENDIX A](#) to review the current BC Athletics Team Fees for all BC Teams.

2025 BC TEAM TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATIONS REQUIREMENT

BC Athletics will be implementing a **MANDATORY** travel & accommodation requirement for all selected athletes according to the BC Athletics travel arrangements (flight reservation) and the BC Athletics accommodation arrangements (hotel reservation), for the following teams:

- BC 15 YO / U18 Legion Team
- Canada Summer Games – Team BC
- U20 Track & Field Team
- Senior (U26) Track & Field Team
- Para Track & Field Team
- U24 Western Canada Challenge Team
- U16 (15 YO)/U18/U20/Senior Cross Country Team

Athletes wishing to accept their team selection must travel and stay with BC Athletics reservations. If these arrangements are not acceptable to the selected athletes, then athletes will have to travel and compete at the National Championship event as a non-team member. The following teams will be provided with travel reimbursement and required to make their own travel arrangements.

- BC 10K Road Team
- BC 10,000m & 10,000m RW Team
- BC 5K Road Team
- BC Half Marathon Team (posted: TBA)
- BC Marathon Team (posted: TBA)
- BC Trail Running Team (posted: TBA)
- BC Mountain Running Team (posted: TBA)

APPENDIX A

2025 BC TEAM AT-A-GLANCE GUIDE

TEAM	Age	Lead ¹	Team Fee ²	Hotel ³	Air	Food	Ground	Team Kit ⁴	Entry Fees	Staff ⁵
TRACK & FIELD TEAMS										
10000M + RW	SNR+	BCA	\$0	NO	NO	NO	NO	OPTIONAL	NO	NO
Senior (U26)	U26	BCA	\$750	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
Para	U30	BCA	\$750	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
CAPP	U20+	ATHLETE	\$0	NO	NO	NO	NO	OPTIONAL	NO	YES
U20	U20	BCA	\$750	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
TeamBC / CSG	U25	TEAMBC	\$300	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Legion	U18/15YO	LEGION	\$600	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
WCTC	U18	BCA	\$750	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
NON-STADIA TEAMS										
Road Teams	SNR+	ATHLETE	\$0	NO	NO	NO	NO	OPTIONAL	NO	NO
Cross Country	U18-SNR	BCA	\$750	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES

¹ LEAD refers to the person/organization responsible for all travel, accommodations and entries for the National Championship/Games event.

² GST to be added

³ HOTEL. All reservations will be made as shared double occupancy.

⁴ BC TEAM KIT. For those athletes not using BCA Team arrangements and instead accepting a travel grant, the use of BC Team kit is optional.

⁵ STAFF. Athletes will have access to BCA Team Staff including IST.