

Introductory Programs – BC Athletics Board Meeting Report

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Run Jump Throw Wheel Courses (since November 2018)

<u>Events</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Attendees</u>
Student Leadership Course	Pro-D	North Vancouver	Ongoing	15
University Integrated Course	NCCP	Vancouver	Upcoming – Jan/19	-
Community Instructor Course	NCCP	Victoria	Upcoming – Mar/19	-
Club Instructor Course	NCCP	Lower Mainland	Upcoming – Mar/19	-
Coach Developer Training	NCCP	Lower Mainland	Upcoming – April/19	-
Teacher Instructor Course	NCCP	Smithers	Upcoming – May/19	-

Run Jump Throw Wheel Direct Deliveries*

<u>Events</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Participants</u>
BC Athletics Spring Break Track & Field Camp	Burnaby	Upcoming – Mar/19	-
KidsWorld RunJumpThrowWheel Day	Lower Mainland	Upcoming – May/19	-
BlueShore Financial Longest Day Race	Vancouver	Upcoming – June/19	-
Olympic Day at the Richmond Oval	Richmond	Upcoming – June/19	-

* = Led by BC Athletics

Program Specific Focuses (related to Strategic Plan)

- 1) Identify and promote the development pathway for children from RJTW through school programs to Club programs
 - Creating framework to connect schools with their local clubs for networking, coach mentoring, club promotion, and Athletic promotion opportunities
 - Opportunities for club affiliated high performance athletes to engage with athletes from school programs for Athletic and club promotion
 - Through identification of schools that don't offer program, club/BC Athletics relationship can help create opportunities for Athletic introduction
 - Connecting with elementary schools to arrange RJTW Direct Deliveries for their students
 - Opportunity to promote local club with proximity to school
 - Connecting with clubs regarding how BC Athletics can support them in developing/delivering Track Rascal and Junior Development programs
 - Actively planning and promoting a Spring Break Track & Field Camp for elementary school students
 - Camp provides opportunity for participant to experience events not offered through school (ex. Hurdles, javelin)
 - Camp dates (March 18 – 22) aligns with beginning of Junior Development track & field season, creating an opportunity to pursue greater involvement through a club

- 2) Provide professional development training to teachers at the elementary level to improve physical literacy and skill development through Athletics
 - Continuing to deliver RJTW Teacher Pro-D Workshops throughout province
 - Continuing to deliver PE Student Leadership Workshops in Metro Vancouver; program offered throughout province
 - **Difficulty:** There are limited facilitators available to deliver program during school hours
- 3) Encourage opportunities to provide Junior Development athletes with exposure to High Performance athletes
 - High Performance athletes to be invited to participate in the BC Athletics Spring Break Track & Field Camp
- 4) Source additional funding opportunities to support delivered programs and new initiatives:
 - Have received the following ViaSport grants:
 - Community Sport Program Development
 - Northern BC Coaching and Officials Development Fund

Non-Program Specific Focuses:

- 5) Much of December and January has been dedicated to the planning and promotion of the BC Athletics Annual Awards Banquet