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BC WARRIORS BATTLE TO 2013 JUNIOR WEST REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

(March 25, 2013 – PRINCE GEORGE, B.C.) – The BC Warriors went undefeated over the weekend to win the 2013 Junior West Regional Championship in Prince George, BC. The Warriors defeated Saskatchewan-A 21-18 in the gold medal contest to put the finishing touches on a perfect 8-0 record at the tournament.

Alberta-A defeated Saskatchewan-B 27-26 in overtime to seize the bronze medal.

Jack Kosterman, of Fort Langley, B.C., was named tournament MVP. Ben Hamilton (BC Warriors), Shelby Harrower (Saskatchewan B), Justin Johnson (BC Warriors), and Zac Maddel (Alberta C) were named tournament all-stars.

The 3-on-3 tournament featured the top junior aged athletes in Western Canada from the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, and Saskatchewan, and was an official test event for the 2015 Canada Winter Games in Prince George.

The Championship was co-hosted by BC Wheelchair Basketball Society and Wheelchair Basketball Canada.

Hosting BC grant funding was received from the Province of British Columbia through the Ministry of Community, Sport and Cultural Development, and administered by viaSport British Columbia.

The 2013 Junior East Regional Championship is set for April 19-21, 2013 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

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Wheelchair Basketball Canada is the national sports governing body responsible for the organization of wheelchair basketball in Canada. It is a non-profit, charitable organization that is the Canadian member to the International Wheelchair Basketball Federation (IWBF).

Wheelchair basketball is a fast-paced, hard-hitting, competitive sport that has emerged as one of the most competitive and athletic sports played at the Paralympic Games. Our senior national teams are held in high esteem around the world for the elite skill and control that placed them on the podium with a combined six gold and one silver medal in the last six Paralympic Games.

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