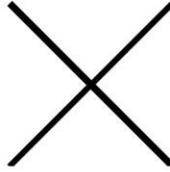
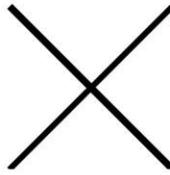


Event Information	
Event	Women's National Championship
Date	April 14-16, 2023
Competition Format	<p>At this event there will be two levels of competition as follows:</p> <p>National Championship – Open to club and provincial teams playing a 5v5 format. This competition will begin on Friday, April 14th with the championship games taking place on Sunday, April 16th; followed by the team medal ceremony.</p> <p>Recreational – Open to individuals* and teams playing a 3x3 format. This competition will begin on Saturday morning, April 15th with the championship games taking place on Sunday, April 16th; followed by the team medal ceremony.</p> <p><i>*Individual players may enter the recreational division and will be placed on a team prior to the first game on April 15. To enter as an individual, please contact the Provincial Sport Organization in your area.</i></p> <p>Development Clinic – Open to all female participants and coaches. Women's National Team Head Coach, Marc- Antoine Ducharme and Women's U25 Head Coach, Marni Abbott-Peter will be hosting a development clinic from 9 AM to 5 PM on Friday, April 14th. Click Here for more information and to register.</p> <p>Wheelchair Basketball Canada will determine the format of the competitions once team attendance is confirmed.</p> <p>Schedule to follow.</p>
Tournament Registration Fee	<p>Nationals Championship - \$900</p> <p>Recreational - \$300</p> <p>Individual - \$60</p> <p>Fee includes tournament fee, banquet ticket and equipment transportation from YUL to the Centre Pierre Charbonneau and an athlete package.</p> <p>Please make your cheque payable to Parasports Quebec and send with your team or individual registration/roster form by February 28, 2023.</p>



Location – Gym	Centre Pierre Charbonneau 3000 rue Viau, Montréal, Qc, H1V 3J3
Location – Hotel	Hôtel Universel Montréal 5000, Rue Sherbrooke Est, Montréal, Québec, Canada, H1V 1A1 Phone: 514-253-3365 1-800-567-0223 (free)
Hotel Booking Information	<p>Hotel Rooms must be directly booked by each team with the hotel. Mention booking group code: <u>WHEEL0423-Wheelchair Basketball</u></p> <p>Hotel rooms must be booked by March 20, 2023, to receive tournament rates and ensure availability.</p> <p>Please call rooming list directly to the hotel’s attention.</p> <p>The following hotel rates will be applied for a single to quad occupancy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard room with two double beds: \$137/night + tax • Parking free
Transportation	<p>5v5 teams should plan to arrive on Thursday, April 13th and depart on Sunday April 16th after 4:00p.m.</p> <p>3x3 teams should plan to arrive on Friday, April 14th and depart on Sunday April 16th after 4:00p.m.</p> <p>Development Clinic participants should plan to arrive on Thursday, April 13th.</p> <p>Teams will be asked to provide their own transportation during the tournament. (Distance of 850 metres from the hotel to the competition site or nearby Viau metro station for any other trip).</p> <p>Parasports Quebec will ensure the transportation of the sport wheelchairs to the tournament site.</p>
Banquet	Saturday, April 15 starting at 7 p.m. in the Piazzetta/Il Giardino room of the Hôtel Universel Montréal.

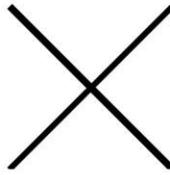


Registration Checklist			
To register for this event, please submit the following to Wheelchair Basketball Canada and/or the Host by the deadline specified.			
Documents	Registration Fee	Deadline	Submit Document To
<u>Register Here</u>	Nationals Championship - \$900	February 28, 2023	sliebich@wheelchairbasketball.ca 613-794-5980 27 Auriga Dr. Ottawa, ON K2E 0B1
	Recreational - \$300		imoatti@parasportsquebec.com (514) 252-3108 7665 Bd Lacordaire, Saint-Léonard, QC H1S 2A7
	Individual - \$60		

Tournament Overview	
Thursday	Team Arrivals
	Coach and Managers Meeting
Friday	National Championship 5v5 Competition Day 1 – Round Robin
	Development Camp
Saturday	National Championship 5v5 Competition Day 2 – Round Robin and Playoffs
	Recreational 3x3 Competition Day 1
	Social Event
Sunday	National Championship 5v5 Competition Day 3 – Medal Games
	Recreational 3x3 Competition Day 2
	Tournament Awards
	Team Departures

Tournament Links	
Wheelchair Basketball Canada	https://www.wheelchairbasketball.ca/
Parasports Québec	https://parasportsquebec.com/
International Wheelchair Basketball Federation	https://iwbf.org/

Tournament Documents	
<u>Technical Package – 5v5</u>	Competition specific rules and regulations
<u>Technical Package – 3x3</u>	
<u>IWBF Rules</u>	International rules and regulations
<u>2022-2023 Rules Updates</u>	2022-23 rules updates and clarifications from FIBA and IWBF
<u>WBC Policies</u>	Wheelchair Basketball Canada Policies and Procedures
<u>Coach and Manager Documents</u>	Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport notice of potential for doping control
	Standard Agenda for the Coach and Managers Meeting
	Classification Procedures for the tournament
	Form to request athlete reclassification at an event

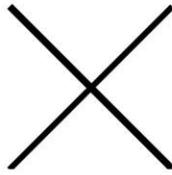


	WBC tournament game protest procedure
	WBC image release form for use of images after the event

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Safe Sport Considerations
Wheelchair Basketball Canada is committed to providing a safe and welcoming sport environment. By registering for this event, participants agree to abide by the policies, procedures and standards of behaviour outlined in the relevant policies at the national level (found here) and those of the club and/or province that the participant is representing.

Event Considerations	
The health and safety of Wheelchair Basketball Canada's (WBC) athletes, staff, and community is our priority.	
WBC will follow the guidance of local authorities as well as our partner facilities, which may be more stringent than regional guidelines. We understand that this may vary across the country, and we ask our participants to be respectful of mitigation strategies in their respective regions and facilities, and when travelling outside their local area.	
As has been the case during the pandemic, WBC will continue to evaluate its guidelines on a regular basis.	
How to keep informed	Official notices will be posted on our website and relayed via email. Team contacts, coaches, players, and parents are also encouraged to follow our social media platforms for related updates.
Competition Considerations	WBC may be required to alter the regulations throughout this process to meet the local/provincial/federal government health policies. Changes may include but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Roster size • Match operations • Spectator participation • Check-In Should any changes be implemented, all registered teams will be notified directly.
Travel Planning considerations	Whereas there will be many unknowns leading up to National Championships, teams are encouraged to book all travel via a certified



	<p>travel agent to ensure proper support may be provided in case of cancellations or changes to events. Please keep the following in mind when planning travel for National Championships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensure you fully understand the cancellation policy on all travel bookings• Book via our preferred partner, Marlin Travel<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ They have a strong understanding of plans for air carriers accessing various cities○ They have the ability to negotiate better cancellation policies should National Championships be cancelled○ They will contact air carriers directly regarding any major changes which in turn saves teams time and effort
Hotel planning considerations	Should National Championships be cancelled for any reason, teams will be subject to the hotel's cancellation policy and will be responsible for any hotel room costs they are not able to cancel or credit.
Refund Policy	Should National Championships be cancelled by WBC for reason, teams will receive a full refund of registration fees (less non-refundable host and costs). (Service charges may apply)
Event Protocols	Event protocols are in development for each National Championship. Protocols will be circulated prior to the events and tournament protocols will be reviewed at the Coach and Manager Meeting.