




Event Information	
Event	Junior West Championship – Calgary, AB
Date	March 28-30, 2025
Competition Format	<p>Competition – Will begin on Saturday morning, March 29 with the championship games taking place on Sunday, March 30; followed by the team medal ceremony.</p> <p>Development Clinic – Open to all participants and coaches. U25 Head Coach, Marni Abbott-Peter and U23 Head Coach, Darrell Nordell, will be hosting a development clinic from 9 AM to 3 PM on Friday, March 28. Registration is required for the camp. The camp package can be added through RAMP during the tournament registration process.</p> <p>Wheelchair Basketball Canada will determine the format of the competition once team attendance is confirmed.</p> <p>Schedule to follow.</p>
Tournament Registration Fee	<p>Team registration fee - \$500</p> <p>Fee includes tournament fee, social event, athlete package and equipment transportation from the airport to the competition venue.</p> <p>Please make your cheque payable to Wheelchair Sports Alberta and submit your completed roster information (including Jersey #s) through RAMP Interactive by February 12, 2025.</p>
Location – Gym	Shane Homes YMCA at Rocky Ridge 11300 Rocky Ridge Rd NW Calgary, AB T3G 5H3
Location – Hotel	Four Points by Sheraton Hotel & Suites Calgary West 8220 Bowridge Cres NW, Calgary, Alberta T3B 2V1 Phone: 403.202.4411
Hotel Booking Information	<p>Hotel rooms must be directly booked by each team with the hotel.</p> <p>Reservations for the Event will be made by individual attendees directly with the front desk at Tel: 403-288-4441 or via email at info@fourpoints-calgary.ca or salesasst@fourpoints-calgary.ca</p> <p>Hotel rooms must be booked by February 12, 2025, to receive tournament rates and ensure availability.</p> <p>The following hotel rates will be applied:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traditional Queen (2 queen beds) - \$149 + tax



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Transportation	<p>Teams should plan to arrive on Thursday, March 27 and depart on Sunday, March 30 after 4:00p.m.</p> <p>Teams will be asked to provide their own transportation during the tournament.</p> <p>Wheelchair Sports Alberta will ensure the transportation of the sport wheelchairs to the tournament site.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div> <p>Save up to 25% off base rates with Avis®. Additional savings available with Pay Now option. https://www.avis.com/en/association/A198400</p> </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div> <p>Save up to 25% off base rates with Budget®. Additional savings available with Pay Now option. https://www.budget.com/en/association/B052500</p> </div> </div>
Banquet	A social activity will take place Saturday, March 29.

Registration			
<p>Please register your team for this event through RAMP Interactive using the link provided below. Once you create a team, you will be able to send each team member (or parent if U18) a unique link to register.</p> <p>A “how-to” tutorial and webinar for registration will be available in the new year. Any further questions about the registration process can be directed to konyon@wheelchairbasketball.ca.</p>			
Link to Register	Deadline	Registration Fee	Cheque Payable To
<u>Register Here</u>	February 12, 2025	\$500/team	Wheelchair Sports Alberta 11759 Groat Road Edmonton, Alberta T5M 3K6 Canada

Tournament Overview	
Virtual	Coach and Managers Meeting
Thursday	Team Arrivals
Friday	Development Camp
Saturday	Junior Championship 4v4 Competition Day 1 – Round Robin
	Social Event
Sunday	Junior Championship 4v4 Competition Day 2 – Playoffs
	Tournament Awards
	Team Departures



Tournament Links	
Wheelchair Basketball Canada	https://www.wheelchairbasketball.ca/
Wheelchair Sports Alberta	https://wheelchairsportsalberta.com/
International Wheelchair Basketball Federation	https://iwbf.org/

Tournament Documents	
Technical Packages	Competition specific rules and regulations
IWBF Rules	International rules and regulations
WBC Policies	Wheelchair Basketball Canada Policies and Procedures
Coach and Manager Documents	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 completed on RAMP
	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	<p>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:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Roster size • Match operations • Spectator participation • Check-In <p>Should any changes be implemented, all registered teams will be notified directly.</p>
Travel Planning considerations	<p>Whereas there will be many unknowns leading up to National Championships, teams are encouraged to book all travel via a certified 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 this event 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 this event be cancelled by WBC for a reason within our control, 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.
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