



CANOE SPRINT

2020 TEAM SELECTION POLICY

2020 Team Selection Policy for Juniors, U23 and Seniors

Official

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1. Scope of the Policy

- 1.1 The 2020 Selection Policy for Canoe Sprint is set out below (hereinafter referred to as "the Selection Policy ") and provides selection eligibility guidelines and criteria by which athletes will be selected for the 2020 International Canoe Sprint and the Paracanoe Competition Season.
- 1.2 Previous selection policies or criteria can have no bearing on the Selection Policy.
- 1.3 No athlete can be considered for selection for the 2020 Competition Season by the Selection Panel if they do not meet the Athlete Eligibility Criteria set out in section 2 below. The Selection Panel can only consider an athlete who meets the Athlete Eligibility Criteria set out in section 2 and shall follow the Selection Criteria set out on section 3. The Selection Panel shall have the final determination, acting reasonably, as to whether an individual athlete meets the Athlete Eligibility Criteria.
- 1.4 The Selection Policy may be amended at any time by the Selection Panel where the Selection Panel forms the opinion that such an amendment is necessary for any reason determined to be in the best interests of Canoeing Ireland and to ensure that the selection of athlete(s) gives the athlete(s) the best opportunity to prepare and perform on the international stage. Neither the Selection Panel nor Canoeing Ireland will be responsible or liable in any way for any issues arising from any such amendment or amendments and such amendments shall be final and binding on all athletes.
- 1.5 The aim of the Selection Policy is to prepare and select athlete(s) best positioned to perform during the 2020 Competition Season and having due regard to potential performance at future international competitions.
- 1.6 All entries of the Irish canoe sprint athletes to the 2020 Competition Seasons' Canoe Sprint/Paracanoe Events must be made through Canoeing Ireland following the selection of canoe athlete(s) pursuant to this Selection Policy.
- 1.7 Athletes for all major international events must comply with International Canoe Federation ("ICF") Rules and European Canoe Association ("ECA") Rules. Entry to ICF and ECA events is restricted to members of the National Governing Bodies affiliated to the ICF and the ECA. In Ireland, the National Governing Body is Canoeing Ireland.
- 1.8 The selection of an athlete will always be conditional upon the athlete maintaining compliance with the Athlete Eligibility Criteria.
- 1.9 The Selection of an athlete for inclusion at the 2020 Competition Season shall be confirmed in writing by the Canoeing Ireland Performance Director within 7 days of the athlete achieving Selection.

- 1.10 Requests for exemption by an athlete from the competition and training camp programme for the 2020 Competition Season must be submitted by email to the National Coach of Canoe Sprint Ireland and the Canoeing Ireland Performance Director and will be accepted, or not, at the discretion of the Canoeing Ireland High Performance Unit.
- 1.11 Selection of an athlete for the 2020 Competition Season does not automatically mean selection for subsequent Teams or International Events.
- 1.12 Any changes to this 2020 Competition Season Selection Policy will be circulated by email to an affected person as soon as possible.
- 1.13 If an athlete's selection is made subject to that athlete meeting further conditions, such further conditions will be communicated as soon as possible to the athlete.
- 1.14 Notwithstanding the selection process by which an athlete is selected, and in exceptional circumstances the Canoeing Ireland High Performance Unit may, in consultation with the 2020 Selection Panel, make changes to the makeup of the team.

*Such exceptional circumstances may arise when an athlete who has achieved selection has become unfit to perform.

2. Roles & Responsibilities

The policy will be binding on all athletes seeking selection. The policy will be overseen by the HPD who reports the HPU and the CEO of Canoeing Ireland. The 2020 Selection Panel will implement the 2020 selection policy. The 2020 Selection Panel's roles and responsibilities are explained in the next chapter.

2.1 2020 Selection Panel Members

The 2020 Selection Panel will consist of five members. Three from the Canoeing Ireland High Performance Unit, the National Performance Coach and one person nominated by the Canoe Sprint Ireland Committee. The 2020 Selection Panel will be chaired by the Canoeing Ireland High Performance Director. The 2020 Selection Panel will be confirmed by the Canoeing Ireland Chief Executive Officer.

Ideally the 2020 Selection Panel will reach a unanimous selection decision through discussion. However, when there is discrepancy amongst the 2020 Selection Panel the HPD will call for a vote. Each 2020 Selection Panel member will have one vote.

In the event of a tie the HPD will have the casting vote to confirm the nomination/selection. An appeal in respect of selection must follow the Selection Appeals Procedures set out in section 10 of this document.

2.2 Conflict of Interest

To maintain transparency and integrity within the process, each member of the 2020 Selection Panel will be asked to state whether they have any conflict of interest relating to the selection process. In the event that any of the above designated Selection Panel members are unavailable or ruled out due to conflict of interest an alternative nominee may be sought from the Canoe Sprint Ireland Committee or another NGB that will be identified as having the knowledge, expertise, and capability to add value to the selection process. A conflict of interest might occur when, for example:

- When a Selection Panel member is a club coach to an athlete vying for selection.
- When a Selection Panel member is closely aligned or is a member of a club for which an athlete vying for selection is also a member of.
- When a Selection Panel member is a family member or close friend of an athlete vying for selection.
- Or any circumstance where a Selection Panel member has a personal relationship with an athlete(s) vying for selection which could influence their decision, or if they stand to gain in any way from the outcome of a selection decision.

3 Athlete Eligibility Criteria

The terms and conditions that will apply to athletes who achieve selection for inclusion in the 2020 Canoe Sprint/Paracanoe Competition Season are set out in the Athlete Agreement & Eligibility Form which must be agreed to and signed by the athlete prior to final selection - See Appendix A and B.

3.1 No athlete can be considered for selection by the Selection Panel if they do not meet the Athlete Eligibility Criteria set out below. The 2020 Selection Panel can only select an athlete who meets the Athlete Eligibility Criteria. The Selection Panel shall have the final determination, acting reasonably, as to whether an individual athlete meets the Athlete Eligibility Criteria.

In order to be eligible for athlete selection, an athlete must;

1. Show proof that they hold an Irish passport in their name or a UK passport that shows their place of birth as being in Northern Ireland.
2. Be a current registered member of Canoeing Ireland who is eligible to represent Ireland at ICF canoe sprint events in accordance with ICF rules and have no outstanding debt to Canoeing Ireland or any of its technical committees.
3. Not have competed in any international canoe sprint event for a country other than Ireland in the previous three years
4. Have acted in such a manner so as not to bring himself/herself, canoeing Ireland, the sport of canoe sprint, the ICF, OFI or Sport Ireland into disrepute.
5. Have not been convicted of, or charged with, a criminal offence punishable by a term of imprisonment
6. Not be the subject of a doping violation or suspension.
7. Be fit to perform to his or her fullest capability.
8. Have signed the Athlete Agreement at the end of this document and the Athlete Contract (a separate document that will be made available to all those who have achieved the criteria for team selection).

3.2 Eligibility to Compete at Junior and Under 23 level shall be governed by the rules of the ICF.

3.3 As a general guideline, for senior international level events, athletes must be ranked in the BCU system as "Men's A" or "Women's A".

4 Types of Selection

Athletes may be selected by the following methods:

1. Pre-selection
2. Performance Selection
3. Discretionary Selection

Regardless of how an athlete achieves selection, continued selection will always be conditional upon an athlete meeting and maintaining the Athlete Eligibility Criteria, outlined above, and by that athlete signing and complying with the terms and conditions contained in the Athlete Contract.

5 Pre-Selection

Before the selection events take place, athletes may be pre-selected, either for the season or for particular events on the basis of exceptional circumstances.

5.2 Application for Pre-Selection

If an athlete is unable to attend or unable to compete at the designated selection events due to exceptional circumstances or if one or more of the races that require selection are scheduled so close to the selection events that it would be impractical to wait until then in order to make adequate preparations to compete at the race/s in question, he or she may apply, in writing to the Canoeing Ireland Performance Director for Pre-Selection in advance of the selection events. The Canoeing Ireland HPU will adjudicate on the application and make a final decision on such an application. The result of the HPU decision will be communicated directly to the applicant.

5.2.1 Applications related to Exceptional Circumstances

Applications for Pre-Selection based on exceptional circumstances, must provide evidence that the athlete could not reasonably be expected to attend or compete at the selection events.

Applications for Pre-Selection including all supporting documentation, should be emailed to performance@canoe.ie

5.2.2 Applications related to the scheduling of a race

Applications for pre-selection, for an event that takes place before the selection events or so shortly afterwards that it would be impractical to wait for selection before entering or making travel arrangements, should be sent to the Performance Director. Pre-Selection for a specific event is for that event only. If an Athlete is pre-selected for an early race, they will still need to compete for Team Selection for that year.

5.2.3 Consideration of Pre-selection Applications

It is a condition of consideration for Pre-Selection that an athlete seeking Pre-Selection agrees to accept the decision of the HPU as final and binding.

5.2.4 Decisions in relation to Pre-Selection Applications

Following consideration of the application, the HPU may;

- Seek additional information or documentation before making a decision

- Treat late applications that are received too close to the selection events to allow a proper evaluation, as applications for discretionary selection that will be considered after the events are complete.
- Grant the request for Pre-Selection
- Refuse the request for Pre-Selection
- Order that a race off take place, at a time to be determined by the HPU.

The HPU's decision regarding Pre-Selection will be considered final.

Where an application is granted or a race off is ordered, the other candidates for selection in the relevant class will be advised as soon as is practical so that they will be aware of how many places on the team are available to be won at the selection events.

A pre-selected athlete will be ranked behind athletes who achieved performance selection. For example, if two or more athletes achieve the performance standard, the first two will be ranked as one and two while the pre-selected athlete will be ranked as number three.

6 Performance Selection

Summary

Athletes may achieve performance selection to the places available on the senior, Under 23, and junior teams, in ranking order and considering those places assigned by Pre-Selection.

6.1 Senior Nottingham Regatta March results

| Category | Performance Criteria Olympic events |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| K1 – Men's | Top 6 Finish Men's A* |
| K2 – Men's | Top 3 Finish Men's A* |
| K4 – Men's | Top 1 Finish Men's A* |
| C1 – Men's | Top 1 Finish Men's A* |
| K1 – Women's | Top 6 Finish Women's A* |
| K2 – Women's | Top 3 Finish Women's A* |
| Men's Para | Top 6 Finish Men's Para |

Notes:

- Athletes achieving the criteria above and being the highest ranked Irish athlete in their event will qualify for the Olympic/Paralympic Qualifier (see the separate Olympic and Paralympic Nomination Policies).
- Athletes achieving the criteria above and being the top two ranked Irish athletes in their event will qualify for WC1/WC2.
- Non-Olympic distances will not be funded.
- All athletes must pay their agreed contribution before travelling to events.
- Funding levels are provisional and dependent on High Performance Grant received.

6.2 Senior: World Cup 1 & 2 (to qualify for European Championships)

| Category | Performance Criteria Olympic events |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| K1 – Men’s | Top 12 Finish |
| K2 – Men’s | Top 12 Finish |
| K4 – Men’s | Top 9 Finish |
| C1 – Men’s | Top 12 Finish |
| K1 – Women’s | Top 12 Finish |
| K2 – Women’s | Top 12 Finish |
| Men’s Para | Top 12 Finish Paracanoe WC |

Notes:

- Athletes achieving the criteria above and being the highest ranked Irish athlete in their event will qualify for the European Championships.
- Athletes achieving performance selection in WC1/WC2 will provisionally contribute 10%. Athletes selected by discretionary selection based on results in WC1/WC2 will provisionally contribute 25% for European Championships.
- Non-Olympic distances will not be funded.
- All athletes must pay their agreed contribution before travelling to events.
- Funding levels are provisional and dependent on High Performance Grant received.

6.3 Junior and U23 Results: Nottingham Regatta April (to qualify for Junior and U23 European Championships and World Championships)

| Category | Performance Criteria Olympic events |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| K1 – Junior Men | Top 6 Finish Boys A* |
| K2 – Junior Men | Top 3 Finish Boys A* |
| K4 – Junior Men | Top 1 Finish Boys A* |
| C1 – Junior Men | Top 1 Finish Boys A* |
| K1 – Junior Women | Top 6 Finish Girls A* |
| K2 – Junior Women | Top 3 Finish Girls A* |
| K1 – U23 Men | Top 8 Finish Men’s A* |
| K2 – U23 Men | Top 4 Finish Men’s A* |
| K4 – U23 Men | Top 2 Finish Men’s A* |
| C1 – U23 Men | Top 2 Finish Men’s A* |
| K1 – U23 Women | Top 4 Finish Women’s A* |
| K2 – U23 Women | Top 3 Finish Women’s A* |

6.4 Boys & Girls Performance Guideline Times

| Category | Guideline Times 500 m | Guideline Times 1,000 m |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| K1 - Boys under 14 | 2.20 | 4.54 |
| K1 - Boys under 16 | 2.12 | 4.38 |
| K1 - Boys under 18 | 1.56 | 4.06 |
| K1 - Girls under 14 | 2.36 | 5.26 |
| K1 - Girls under 16 | 2.28 | 5.10 |
| K1 - Girls under 18 | 2.12 | 4.38 |

6.5 Canoe Sprint Ireland Domestic and International Provisional Calendar 2020

The selection will be based on the outcome of the identified selection race(s) at the 2020 Selection regatta on 28/29 March 2020 with contingency scheduled for the April regatta if required.

| Event ID | Date | Events | Location |
|----------|---|---|------------------------------|
| IRL1 | February 15 th 2020 | Junior 5K Series | Salmon Leap CC |
| IRL2 | February 22 nd 2020 | Junior 5K Series | Celbridge Paddlers CC |
| IRL3 | March 7 th 2020 | Junior 5K Series | Celbridge Paddlers CC |
| IRL4 | March 14 th 2020 | Junior 5K Series | Salmon Leap CC |
| UK1 | March 28 th -29 th 2020 | Sprint Regatta Nottingham 1 | Nottingham, UK |
| UK2 | April 25 th -26 th 2020 | Sprint Regatta Nottingham 2 | Nottingham, UK |
| IRL 5 | March 21 st 2020 | Prosperous Head to Head Sprint Regatta | Grand Canal, Prosperous |
| INT 1 | May 6 th - 7 th 2020 | European Continental Olympic Qualifier | Racice, CZE |
| INT 2 | May 8 th – 10 th 2020 | World Cup 1 | Racice, CZE |
| INT 3 | May 21 st – 24 th 2020 | Global Olympic Qualifier | Duisburg, Germany |
| INT 4 | May 21 st – 24 th 2020 | World Cup 2 | Duisburg, Germany |
| INT 5 | May 21 st – 24 th 2020 | Paracanoe World Championships | Duisburg, Germany |
| INT 6 | June 4 th – 7 th 2020 | Senior European Championships | Bascov, Romania |
| INT 7 | June 4 th – 7 th 2020 | Paracanoe European Championships | Bascov, Romania |
| INT 8 | July 2 nd – 5 th 2020 | Junior and U23 European Championships | Moscow, Russia |
| INT 9 | July 10 th – 12 th 2020 | Senior World Championships Non-Olympic Events | Szeged, Hungary |
| INT 10 | July 16 th -19 th 2020 | Junior and U23 World Championships | Brandenburg, Germany |
| INT 11 | August 3 rd -8 th 2020 August 25 th – 6 th September 2020 | Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games Paralympic Games | Tokyo, Japan Tokyo, Japan |
| IRL8 | September 19 th 2020 | Irish National Sprint Championships | Lough Rynn, Regatta Facility |

6.6 Assessment Events for U23 and Juniors Squad Selection

Results from the regattas below will be used for Selection purposes based on Continuous Assessment



6.7 Assessment Events for Senior Squad Selection

Results from the regattas below will be used for Selection purposes and will be based on continuous assessment.

| Date | Location |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 28 th – 29 th March 2020 | Nottingham, UK |
| 8 th – 10 th May 2020 | World Cup 1 Racice, Czech Republic |
| 21 st – 24 th May 2020 | World Cup 2 Duisburg, Germany |

Note: The 2020 ICF Canoe Sprint events in Racice and Duisburg are an Olympic qualifier in which quota places for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games can be achieved. Please refer to the Olympic and Paralympic Nomination Policies for all guidelines and criterium relating to this process.

7. Discretionary Selection

7.1 Discretionary Selection may be exercised at any time by the Selection Panel.

7.2 In exercising its discretion the Selection Panel may consider any factor, or combination of factors that in the opinion of the Selection Panel, is relevant for consideration when selecting athletes by Discretionary Selection.

7.3 The Selection Panel may make a Discretionary Selection of any athlete subject to that athlete meeting further conditions which in the opinion of the Selection Panel is considered reasonable in the circumstances of that athlete.

7.4 If an athlete's Discretionary Selection is made subject to that athlete meeting further conditions, such conditions will be communicated as soon as possible to the athlete.

7.5 The Selection Panel may, following the completion of the selection process, consider written submissions from athletes who were unable to complete the selection process as a result of exceptional circumstances.

8. Ongoing Assessment

It is important that athletes understand that, following final selection, continued inclusion on teams will be continually assessed and an athlete selected may be deselected if that athlete fails to maintain Eligibility Criteria, significantly underperforms, becomes ill, or is considered to be in breach of the Athlete's Contract, the Terms of Selection, or the Athlete's Code of Conduct.

9. Race Offs

In the event of athletes having similar results during assessment races for major competitions the HPU shall nominate an event for a final race- off. The venue and date of such a race off will be circulated as early as possible. The race off shall be a head to head and based on a single race.

10. Selection Appeal Procedures

10.1 An athlete who fails to be selected for the team set out in this Selection Policy may appeal against omission from that team in accordance with 10.2 of this procedure.

10.2 The sole grounds of any appeal by an athlete are that:

10.2.1 An athlete's omission from the team was as a result of a failure by the Selection Panel to properly or fairly apply the Selection Criteria set out in the Selection Policy or;

10.2.2 The Selection Panel demonstrated clear bias in favour of a selected athlete.

10.3 Any appeal will proceed in accordance with the procedures set out below

10.4 Any athlete wishing to appeal against his/her omission from the team (herein after referred to as the "Appellant") shall email the CI Performance Director outlining the reasons together with supporting evidence to substantiate the appeal (herein after referred to as the "Initial Appeal"). Such an email must be received within 48 hours of the athlete receiving the outcome of the Selection Panel decision. The CI Performance Director will consider the Appellant's appeal and shall email an answer to the Appellant within 48 hours of receiving the Appellant's email (herein after referred to as the "Appeal Response").

10.5 If the Appellant is not satisfied with this response received pursuant to clause 10.4 above, they may forward a further written Notice of Appeal to the Canoeing Ireland Chief Executive Officer at the Canoeing Ireland office, to be received within 48 hours of the date of the Appeal Response. The written Notice of Appeal should refer to any communications that the Appellant has had with the CI

Performance Director in relation to the decision pursuant to clause 10.4. Communications referred to in clause 10.4 are not binding but they may be referred to in any appeal.

10.6 The written Notice of Appeal itself shall contain the succinct grounds for appeal and ideally should not exceed 2 pages/1000 words in length. The time limits for lodging the Notice of Appeal and accompanying appeals document is mandatory. Failure to comply with these time limits will result in an appeal being dismissed without consideration.

10.7 The written Notice of Appeal must also be accompanied by a contribution to the costs of the appeal of €200 payable by the Appellant by electronic transfer to Canoeing Ireland. This €200 sum will be refunded to the Appellant by Canoeing Ireland in the event the appeal is upheld.

10.8 The Chief Executive Officer shall supply copies of the written Notice of Appeal to the Selection Panel who shall be entitled to respond in writing within 5 working days, or such other time as may be specified by the Chief Executive Officer (herein after referred to as the "Response").

10.9 The Chief Executive Officer shall without delay supply copies of the Response to the Appellant who may make further written representations in reply to the Response and/or request the Chief Executive Officer proceed with the Hearing of the Appeal (herein after referred to as "the Request for Hearing"). Any request to the CEO to proceed with the Request for Hearing must be made within 24 hours of receiving the copies of the Response to the Appellant.

10.10 The Chief Executive Officer shall, following receipt of the Request for Hearing, constitute as expeditiously as possible a panel to hear the appeal (herein after referred to as "the Appeal Panel"). The Appeal Panel will comprise three members, namely:

10.10.1 A member of the Canoeing Ireland Board nominated by the Chief Executive Officer.

10.10.2 An ex-International canoe sport athlete.

10.10.3 An informed independent person who could be a member of another National Governing Body or the Sport Dispute Resolution Ireland Arbitration Panel (formerly Just Sport Ireland).

10.11 The Panel shall appoint one of its members to chair the appeal (herein after referred to as "the Appeal Panel Chairperson").

10.12 When constituting the Appeal Panel, the Chief Executive Officer shall have regard to the principle that the Appeal Panel should be and should be seen to be impartial and open-minded.

11 Time and Place of Appeal

11.1 The Chief Executive Officer shall notify all the parties concerned as soon as possible of the place and time of the appeal together with the names of the members of the Appeal Panel.

11.2 The Chief Executive Officer will as early as possible prior to the date of the appeal circulate to the individual members of the Appeal Panel, the Appellant and the CI Performance Director copies of :-

- The Initial Appeal.
- The written Notice of Appeal and other relevant documentation on which the Appellant wishes to rely.
- The Response.
- The Request for Hearing.
- Any further written representations.

11.3 The Appeal Panel is empowered to call witnesses, to seek expert advice as necessary and to hear evidence from persons nominated by the parties concerned, where requested. Strict rules of evidence do not apply but all involved should be aware the “hearsay” evidence is unlikely to carry as much weight as evidence within the direct knowledge of the parties and any witnesses.

11.4 The Appellant may be accompanied or represented at the hearing by a maximum of 2 people.

11.5 The Appeal Panel will hear the evidence in private unless the parties agree otherwise.

11.6 If at any time during the hearing there is any unreasonable behaviour in the reasonable opinion of the Appeal Panel Chairperson then the Appeal Panel Chairperson may elect to bring the proceedings to a close and thereafter the Appeal Panel will determine the appeal on the basis of the written and verbal submissions prior to that time.

12. Appeal Hearing Procedure and Decision

12.1 The Appeal Panel shall hear the appeal in the following order:

12.1.2 The Appellant will present his/her case without interruption, except for the purpose of clarification, from the Appeal Panel.

12.1.3 The Appeal Panel will ask questions.

12.1.4 The CI Performance Director will present his/her case without interruption, except for the purpose of clarification, from the Appeal Panel.

12.1.5 Either party may raise questions through the Appeal Panel Chairperson.

12.1.6 Each Party shall make final submissions to the Appeal Panel with the Appellant having the right to be heard last following which the appeal shall be concluded.

12.1.7 The Appeal Panel will consider the evidence and having done so shall make a decision and shall notify the parties in writing of its decision as soon as possible and preferably within 24 hours of the appeal hearing.

12.1.8 The Appellant can withdraw an appeal at any time.

13 Panel's Recommendations

13.1 In the event of an appeal being upheld the Appeal Panel shall be entitled to make recommendations to the CI Performance Director having regard to:-

13.1.1 The timing of the selection cycle.

13.1.2 The proximity of any Championships.

13.2 The CI Performance Director will make every effort to have the Appeals Panel's recommendations implemented.

13.3 The CI Performance Director will provide a written report of any action taken or not taken to the Chief Executive Officer. If the Appeal Panel's recommendations are not implemented, the CI Performance Director shall state his/her reasons in his/her report. A copy of this report will be sent to the relevant parties.

13.4 A decision of the Appeal Panel may be appealed exclusively to Sport Dispute Solutions Ireland (Herein after referred to as the "SDSI"), for resolution in accordance with the SDSI Arbitration rules.

13.5 Any appeal to SDSI must be filed within 7days from receipt of the Canoeing Ireland Appeals Panel decision by the party filing the appeal. Thereafter, the procedural rules of SDSI apply.

Appendix A

Athlete's Agreement, I hereby acknowledge that:

1. I have read, understand and agree to abide by the terms of selection as detailed in the 2020 Selection Policy for Canoe Sprint.
2. I understand I will be responsible for some personal expenses as part of the Selection Process and I accept full responsibility for such expenses;
3. I will be specifically bound in the case of a dispute, complaint or appeal to abide by the Selection Appeals Procedures set out in the 2020 Selection Policy. In the event for any technical reason a dispute, complaint, or appeal cannot be dealt with by the Selection Appeals Procedures, I hereby also agree that any such dispute, complaint or appeal may be referred to Just Sport Ireland for final and binding mediation and/or arbitration.
4. In the event of me being selected to represent Ireland at the 2020 races stated herein I will abide by the above.

Signed (athlete) _____ Date _____

Digital Signatures are acceptable for the Athlete's Agreement.

Appendix B

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| Athlete Eligibility Form | |
| Name: | |
| Address: | |
| CI Membership No: | Expiry Date: |
| Date of Birth: | Home Telephone: |
| Mobile: | Work: |
| Email Address: | |
| Passport Number: | Expiry Date: |
| Emergency Contact: | Relationship: |
| Mobile: | Work: |



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