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Canada Games Selection and Training Details - UPDATE

The [Canada Games Selection Criteria](#) has been updated to adjust for the fact that our season was interrupted, and racing opportunities were lost. The selection criteria have been adjusted to include performances from Feb 21, 2022 to May 30, 2022. Please review the following details and training expectations as adjusted.

May 5-8 -Travel to Toronto - Dr. Ralph Hicken International – Team will be selected April 4th, 2022

This opportunity is for Canada Games Olympic Program eligible swimmer who have submitted a Canada Games Athlete Declaration to Compete form to Swimming NL (deadline was Nov. 1, 2021). The team will be selected on April 4th, considering both Short and Long Course events from this season, rankings, FINA points, and meet eligibility. A maximum of 32 swimmers will be selected.

Selected swimmers will be contacted by the Canada Games Head Coach, Duffy Earle, to confirm athlete commitment.

The Canada Games coaches will be appointed coaching staff. The Canada Games Team manager and one additional Chaperone will attend.

The cost of this trip is expected to be approximately \$1000.00. Travel details will be available at a later date.

May 30th - Canada Games Selection period ends.

Selection to be made from all LC competitions between Feb 1, 2022, and May 30, 2022 - not including time trials. These competitions do not need to be held within NL. Results will be taken from the SNC database.

June 27-29th Metro Area Camp

2.5 days of training for all Canada Games swimmers (including Olympic, Paralympic, and Special Olympics) in the Metro area following the Mount Pearl Marlins Invitational meet June 24-26, 2022. Swimmers are responsible for own transportation and accommodations, cost of camp expected to be \$150.00.

July- Aug Training with home club

It is essential that training is maintained with your home club throughout July and until we depart for Canada Games August 5th. All swimmers will be contacted to confirm training plans. Please reach out if you have any concerns about access to training during this time.

August 5th Expected Departure for Canada Games

More information will be distributed as it becomes available.

Outside of training times listed above, swimmers are expected to train full time at a minimum of the level they did prior to qualifying. Swimmers who are unable to access training between July 14th and August 5th should contact me.

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