



2017 XCO Nationals & Nationals Recon Team Selection Criteria

Location: Canmore, AB

Dates: June 3rd-June 15th & July 20th -24th

Description: Event format will have racers competing in XCO, XCE and XCT (Co-Ed Team Relay for AB).

Team Composition: 5 males and 3 females¹

Project Details:

The project will run from July 20th – 24th, inclusive of travel days. The project fee will range from \$400-\$500 and will include ground transportation, grocery shopping trips, race support, cycling kit, and accommodation. The accommodation will be at the Bear Hostel in Canmore. Athletes are responsible for all meals and preferred race and recovery food.

Selection Date: Notification of selection to the team will be made early May.

Eligibility: To be eligible for selection to the team athletes must:

- Possess a current Cycling BC License
- Born between: 1995-2002

Selection Criteria:

Athletes will be selected objectively by points and subjectively by committee selection (3 males/2 female objectively 2 males/1 female subjectively). Selection will be made as follows:

Points will be earned in the following races:

1. *Canada Cup #1, Bear Mtn. - March 5th*
2. *Selection Camp, Squamish – April 15/16th*
 - a. *This camp is open to all athletes and will include mock races, mental training seminars, and much more. More information, including a link to register will be released mid March.*
3. *Chain Line Classic, Kelowna – April 30th*
4. *Sunshine Coaster, SSC – May 13th*

****For each race riders will be ranked 1-10 in the U17, U19 category & U23. Meaning there will be first place, second place, third place, etc. points awarded to each of the two categories.**

Points can only be obtained in Expert Men/Women and will be awarded as indicated in Table 1. Ties will be broken by the number of 1st place finishes, 2nd place finishes, 3rd place finishes, etc.

Place	Points
1	10
2	9
3	8
4	7
5	6
6	5
7	4
8	3
9	2

¹ Cycling BC reserves the right to increase, decrease or reconfigure team size or quotas based on funding limitations, expert opinion of the coach or High Performance Coordinator or other factors not under Cycling BC's control

Table 1.

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