

FENB in association with UNB Fencing Club presents the:



NB Open 2014 November 22-23, 2014

Location - UNB Fredericton Campus -
Richard J. Currie Center

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Registrations: via www.askfred.net search for "NB Open 2014"

Day	Event	Birth Year	Check-In Closes:	CFF Ranking	Overlapping Events
Saturday November 22	Epee - Open	Open	10:00 am	Yes	A fencer registered in more than one event may be asked to withdraw if overlap exists and will cause a significant delay
	Sabre - Open	Open	10:00 am	Yes	
	Foil - U11 (Y10)	2004 (or later)	10:00 am	No	
	Foil - Cadet	1998 (or later)	12:00 pm	Yes	
	Foil - U13 (Y12)	2002 (or later)	1:30 pm	No	
Sunday November 23	Foil - Open	Open	9:00 am	Yes	
	Epee - Cadet	1998 (or later)	9:45 am	Yes	
	Sabre - Junior	1995 (or later)	10:45 am	Yes	
	Foil - U15 (Y14)	2000 (or later)	12:30 pm	No	
	Epee - U15 (Y14)	2000 (or later)	12:30 pm	No	
Sabre - U15 (Y14)	2000 (or later)	12:30 pm	No		

Entry Fees: \$30 – first event, \$20 - each additional event.
Payment can be made at check in time by **cash** or **cheque**.
Make cheques payable to **Fencing-Esgrime NB**.
Late entry fee of **\$10** will be paid if not registered prior to **Thursday November 20, 2014 at midnight Atlantic time (Walk in registrations)**.

To register: Visit www.askfred.net and search for **NB Open 2014** in the **Canada** region
*An askfred profile is needed to register. These profiles can be created for free at www.askfred.net. **Pre-registration will close at midnight (ADT) on Thursday November 20, 2014. Registration can be done at the door on the day of competition (and will be subject to late fees)**. Registration forms can be handed in at time of check in. Registration is open to classified and unclassified fencers.

Format: One round of pools (five touch matches) followed by a direct elimination (15 touch matches) table to the final.
For U13/U11 events, direct elimination matches will be fenced to 10 touches or two 3 minute periods.
In the case when fewer than six fencers are present for one gender, the event shall be mixed. Youth events (U15, U13, U11) will run mixed.

Membership: All participants must have a **valid CFF license as of November 20, 2014 and a valid provincial membership.**

Equipment: This competition will be run in accordance with current FIE regulations. The Directoire Technique reserves the right to apply or modify these regulations as they see fit according to section t.15 of the FIE rules.
***Sous-plastrons are required. As well as fencing pants or breeches made of a sturdy material and socks to completely cover the legs. No track pants allowed. Conductive bibs are required for foil (except for U11 events).**

Directions to Venue:

The venue (Richard J. Currie Centre) is located at UNB Fredericton Campus. For directions, please see: www.maps.google.com

Accommodations:

To view a complete list of hotels/bed and breakfasts in the area, please use the internet. The venue is located close to downtown Fredericton, offering many options for accommodation as well as food.

A canteen will be run onsite to provide snacks and drinks.

NB Open 2014 Entry Form

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Club: _____ CFF #: _____

Birth year (only necessary for age specific events) _____

Events: Foil: ___ open ___ junior ___ under 15 ___ under 13
Epee: ___ open ___ junior ___ under 15
Sabre: ___ open ___ junior ___ under 15

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Participant Agreement: Please read carefully and sign below:

I understand that there is potential risk for injury inherent in fencing, as in all sports. These include but are not limited to:

- muscular injuries resulting from vigorous exertion and rapid changes of direction of movement.
- bruises resulting from hits received during fencing with an opponent.
- injuries resulting from my failure to properly use the fencing equipment.
- injuries resulting from the breakage of a fencing sword or failure of protective equipment,
- additional risks associated with my travel to and from the fencing event.

Personal protective equipment:

I understand that it is mandatory to wear a properly fitting fencing mask, underarm plastron on the sword arm, breast protector for females, fencing jacket, glove with gauntlet that covers the sword arm sleeve, and fencing breeches or long pants of robust material, all of which must be in good repair.

Safety rules in competition:

I understand that rules have been established for safe conduct at the competition site that I must follow and the organizers have tried to create a safe and controlled environment for participation.

Release:

I am participating voluntarily in this event and agree to accept the risks and be responsible for any injury, equipment damage or other loss that I might incur as a direct or indirect result of my participation in the NB Open 2014 tournament. I agree to release Fencing-Esgrime NB and their respective directors, officers, staff, coaches, tournament volunteers and officials of all responsibility for such injury, loss or damage.

Acknowledgement: I have read this agreement and understand its significance.

Fencer's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian: _____