



2016 UNB Shield Tournament March 12th – 13th, 2015

Location: Alberta Alumni Recreation Gym,
Richard J. Currie Center, UNB Fredericton

General Inquiries: fencing.unb@gmail.com
Registration: <https://sites.google.com/site/unbshield/>

Day	Event	Birth Year	Check-in Close	CFF Sanctioning
Saturday	Cadet Foil	1999 or Later	9:15 AM	Yes
	Cadet Épée	1999 or Later	9:30 AM	Yes
	University Foil	Any	9:45 AM	No
	Junior Sabre	1996 or Later	10:00 AM	Yes
	Open Épée	Any	1:00 PM	Yes
	U15 Foil	2001 or Later	1:00 PM	No
Sunday	Open Foil	Any	9:00 AM	Yes
	University Sabre	Any	9:00 AM	No
	University Épée	Any	9:45 AM	No
	U13 Foil	2003 or Later	12:15 PM	No
	Open Sabre	1999 or Later	12:30 PM	Yes

Overlapping Events: A fencer registered in overlapping events may be asked to withdraw from one event if the overlap causes a significant delay in either event. Events are expected to take roughly two and a half hours.

University: In order to participate in the University event the fencer must meet **at least one** of the following criteria:

- The fencer is a member of a university fencing club.
- The fencer is a current student at a post-secondary institution.

Entry Fees: 25\$ per event.

Payment can be made at check-in time by cash or cheque.

Cheques should be made payable to the **UNB Fencing Club**

Registration Deadline: March 9th, 2016

Registrations made after the registration deadline will be subject to a one-time 10\$ administration fee.

Registration: To register, simply fill out the online registration form at the tournament website (<https://sites.google.com/site/unbshield/>) or send an email to fencing.unb@gmail.com with the

following registration details: Fencer Name, CFF Number, Year of Birth, Club, and Events.
Please bring a completed copy of the tournament waiver to the event and submit it to the registrar at check-in.

Format: All events will be run with a single round of pools followed by a direct elimination round. All pool bouts will be to five touches or three minutes. Elimination bouts will be to fifteen touches over a maximum of three, three minute rounds.

Membership: All participants must hold a valid CFF license as of March 9th, 2016 and a valid provincial membership.

CFF Ranking: Only events with six or more competitors can be submitted for CFF Ranking. If there are six or more competitors of each gender, CFF Ranked events will be run separately for each gender. Other events will be run as mixed- gender events.

Equipment: This competition will be run in accordance with current FIE regulations.

- A fencing sous-plastron is required.
- Female competitors must wear a breast protector.
- Fencing breaches or pants must cover at least below the knees and be constructed of sturdy material. No “tear-aways” or oven pockets.
- A fencing jacket that overlaps the pants or breeches, as well as a glove with a gauntlet that covers the base of the jacket sleeve is required.
- Knee-high socks must be worn with fencing breeches.
- “Non-marking”, indoor sneakers are required.
- Electric weapons, bodycords, electric jackets, masks, and manchettes are required depending on the weapon category. The armourer of the competition reserves the right to check bodycords, masks, manchettes, and electric jackets for conductivity and bar the use of equipment that does not meet current CFF/FIE conductivity requirements.

Mask and bodycord checks must be completed prior to competing.

Canteen: Pizza, snacks, and beverages will be made available for purchase on site.

Accommodations: The UNB Fencing Club is pleased to announce that a reduced group rate **93\$/night** has been arranged for Shield Competitors at the **Fredericton Comfort Inn**. Please call the hotel to book under the group "**Fencing NB**".

The UNB Shield Trophy: The 2016 UNB Shield Tournament will award the UNB Shield Trophy to the top male and female athlete in each open event.