

2017 Alfred Knappe Team Tournament

January 14-15, 2017

Location - Richard J. Currie Center - UNB Fredericton Campus



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Registrations: <https://goo.gl/forms/jQHPEpzGFPvdNB42>

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Dedication: Alfred Knappe was a competitor in Germany before coming to Canada in 1955. He began coaching at the UNB fencing club in 1966, was founder of and served as first President of the New Brunswick Fencing Association from 1969 to 1972. Alfred was known to several generations of fencers as a dedicated, hard-working builder of the sport of fencing. He passed away in 2010.

The Alfred Knappe Team Trophy is awarded to the winning teams in the open category at 4:30pm on Saturday.

Pairs Single-Weapon format for Open & Cadet: Teams are comprised of two fencers of the same weapon with any combination of male and/or female competitors. Clubs are encouraged to submit representative teams. If a club cannot field a full team, fencers from another club may be added. Each bout is fenced to multiples of five hits or 3 minutes with the score accumulating to a maximum of 20 hits. Pools will be composed of four to six teams and will be followed by a full elimination table.

Single weapon format for Under 13 (Y12): Teams are comprised of three foilists with any combination of male and/or female competitors. Clubs are encouraged to submit representative teams. If a club cannot field a full team, fencers from another club may be added. Each bout is fenced to multiples of three hits or 2 minutes with the score accumulating to a maximum of 27 hits. If there are five teams or fewer, there will be one pool of teams. If there are more than five teams in an event, they will be divided into pools. The top four seeded teams will be placed into an elimination tableau to determine the top three teams.

Provincial Team Meeting: Following the Saturday events, there will be a meeting for successful Provincial Team Applicants and Provincial Development Squad Members at 7:00pm. There will be sufficient time between the end of the Saturday events and the beginning of the meeting for participants to have supper. Full information will be provided once the Provincial Team Application Form is circulated to the membership.

Events will start approximately 20 minutes after the close of registration.

Date	Event	Birth Year	Check-in
Saturday, January 14th	Open Epee	N/A	9:00 AM
	Open Sabre	N/A	11:30 AM
	Open Foil	N/A	12:30 PM
Sunday, January 15th	U13 Foil	2004 or Later	9:00 AM
	Cadet Foil	2000 or Later	9:30 AM
	Cadet Epee	2000 or Later	12:30 PM

Entry Fees: \$15 per fencer to be paid by cash or cheque at the event check in. Please make cheques payable to Fencing-Esprime NB.

To register: Complete the tournament registration form at <https://goo.gl/forms/jQHPFepzGFPvdNB42> to register. All fencers should register individually and teams should be discussed and formed beforehand when possible. Fencers without teams/incomplete teams will be handled at the event at check in. (Participants under 18 years old must have a parent/guardian sign the participant agreement form)

Membership: All participants must have a **valid CFF license as of January 11th, 2017 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. Masks and body cords will be checked prior to the start of the events.
***Sous-plastrons are required. As well as fencing breeches or pants made of a sturdy material and socks to completely cover the legs. Conductive bibs are required for foil. Manchettes (gauntlets) are required for sabre.**

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