

## **East Coast Games Fencing 2019**

June 22-23, 2019

Harbour View High School
305 Douglas Ave., Saint John, NB
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## Individual Registration: register online here. Please bring a completed and signed waiver (below) when you check in at the tournament..

<u>Team Registration:</u> Teams should coordinate ahead of time & <u>one person should register the whole team here</u>; have your team members' names, CFF numbers (C##-###) and birth years ready when you register online. Please contact the coordinator if you need help forming a team.

Day	Event	Birth Year	Check-in Closes	Sanctioned
Saturday	U15 Foil	2004 or later	9:00 am	Yes
	U15 Epee	2004 or later	10:00 am	Yes
	U15 Sabre	2004 or later	11:00 am	Yes
	U11 Sabre	2008 or later	11:00 am	No
	U13 Foil	2006 or later	12:30 pm	No
	U17 Foil	2002 or later	1:30 pm	Yes
Sunday	Team U17 Foil	2002 or later	9:00 am	No
	Team U15 Epee	2004 or later	10:00 am	No
	Team U15 Sabre	2004 or later	11:00 am	No
	Team U13 Foil	2006 of later	12:30 pm	No

**Entry Fee:** Due upon check-in by cash or cheque (payable to Fencing-Escrime NB) \$30/event (individual); \$60/team

**Registration Deadline:** Monday, June 10th @ 10pm. Late registration will incur a \$10 fee and T-shirt availability may not be guaranteed.

**Merchandise:** All participants and volunteers in the East Coast Games receive <u>a free T-shirt.</u> T-shirts will also be for sale at the venue. Order more East Coast Games merchandise here: <a href="https://printworksnb.com/east-coast-games/">https://printworksnb.com/east-coast-games/</a> The deadline for merchandise orders is June 1st.

**Membership:** All participants must hold a valid CFF licence and provincial membership at the time of competition. Holders of a "Special Recreational Membership" (i.e., "School Program" participants) are eligible to complete.

**Format**: All events (team and individual) are mixed gender.

*Individual*: one round of pools (5 touch bouts or 3 minutes) followed by 100% advancement to direct elimination (DEs).

- In U15 and U17 events, DEs will be to 15 touches or a maximum of three periods of 3 minutes to final.
- U13 and U11 events, DEs will be to 10 touches or a maximum of two periods of 3 minutes to final.

**Team**: teams may consist of 3-4 fencers (a fourth team member must serve as an alternate).

- Teams will be seeded into a tableau based on individual results of corresponding age event from the previous day. Fencers who participated in a different age category in the individual (e.g., fencers on a U17 team who did U15 but not U17) will count as unranked, but will be sorted after the ranked fencers in that event.
- Teams will fence for each position (including 3rd place/bronze).
- All team matches will be a relay of 5-point bouts (or 3 minutes) to 45.

**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.

**Disclaimer**: The East Coast Games Tournament organizers reserve the right to modify the elimination round of an event or adjust the format at any time.

**CFF Ranking**: Only individual events with six or more participants will be submitted for CFF ranking.

**Required Equipment**: A fencing sous-plastron is required.

Masks must have a secure strap and be able to pass the 12 kg punch test.

Fencing breeches or pants made of durable material must be worn. They must cover below the knee and long socks must be worn with breeches.

Female participants must wear a breast protector.

Conductive bibs are required for all foil events.

**Accommodation:** Saint John Comfort Inn, 1155 Fairville Blvd.

FENB has set aside 10 rooms with two queen beds at a rate of \$99 + tax / night.

Please call to book a room: 506-674-1873 and ask for the "Fencing NB" rate.

Note: These rooms are held until June 10th; +\$10 if more than two adults stay in the room.

## Waiver: East Coast Games 2019

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 "East Coast Games" tournament. I agree to release Fencing-Escrime 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 Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Fencer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature:\_\_\_\_\_