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## Western Canadian Track Championships Selection Document

**Location:** Burnaby BC

**Dates:** February 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> 2017

### Team Size

The desired team size will be 6 female and 6 male athletes. The ABA reserves the right to vary the team size of the project based on interest level, athlete performance level and logistical considerations.

### Selection Date

Notification of selection to the team will be made the week of January 2nd.

### Eligibility

To be eligible for selection to the event athletes must:

- Possess a current ABA license.
- Be less than 19 years of age and at least 15 years of age as of December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.
- Expressed an interest in taking part in the project in writing by December 16<sup>th</sup>. Letters of interest should be sent to [phil.abbott@hotmail.ca](mailto:phil.abbott@hotmail.ca).
- Demonstrate commitment to Team Alberta and the Canadian Track Program.

### Selection Criteria

In selecting athlete to be invited to this event, the ABA and the Race committee shall take into account the following:

1. Athlete was selected to a National Track Team project in 2016
2. Athlete was selected to a Alberta Track Team project in 2016. Camps are not considered projects for the purposes of selection.
3. Has already met the minimum time standard to attend 2017 Track Nationals with Team Alberta. Time standards listed below.
4. Athlete Performance at 2016 Jr Track Nationals Championships
5. Athlete Performance at 2016 Jr Track Provincial Championships.



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6. Selection at the discretion of the Racing Committee

## National Championships Minimum Time Standard

Gender	Age	200m	500m	1000m	2000m	3000m
Female	U-17*	14.75	42.50		3:00.00	
Male	U-17*	12:50	40.00		2:45.00	
Female	U-19	14.00	41.00		2:55.00	
Male	U-19	12.00		1:12		3:50.00

\* U17 standard must be met without the use of aero wheels.

## Appeal Process

The ABA has a policy document in place that includes a specific procedure for handling an appeal from a Coach or Athlete. This document is available upon request