



TEAM BC MEDIA GUIDE

2011 CANADA WINTER GAMES



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Message From TEAM BC Chef De Mission

It's hard to believe it's been a year since BC hosted the world at the 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games. But like any business, we have to keep looking ahead, and that is an important mandate for Team BC at the 2011 Canada Winter Games in Halifax - to start preparing athletes and coaches for the 2014 Games in Sochi. I am pleased, and proud, to have a role in this process.



If we want to continue to strive to step on the top of the podium, we need a focused pathway for our athletes and coaches to follow. The behind the scenes work is tedious and time consuming but it is this dedication to detail which will allow our athletes to flourish on the regional, national and international stage. Getting to the top of the podium doesn't "just happen". It takes years of planning and preparation by Provincial Sport Organizations, National Sport Federations and the Canada Games program.

The Canada Winter Games provides an opportunity to showcase some of our province's best athletes, and an opportunity for them to be role models and mentors to the next generation of Team BC athletes as British Columbia will host the 2015 Canada Winter Games in the city of Prince George. We thank you, the media, for your interest and help in relaying their stories to your readers/listeners/viewers.

Team BC's participants have many interesting stories to tell. They include hockey's Danielle Matteucci, who has competed in a provincial tournament in four different sports, Abby Lloyd, who is a four- time BC Champion, Western Canadian Champion and Canadian Junior Champion in the sport of Judo, and Erik Vliegenthart who has won a Gold medal at the Canadian Wheelchair Basketball League Championships and is an MVP in the sport of wheelchair basketball. Team BC's Communications Team and our entire Mission Staff are available to help you find the compelling stories that will engage your readers, or listeners, or viewers.

Our future Olympians, Paralympians and Special Olympians need your support and we are grateful for your interest and your efforts.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ajay Patel', written in a cursive style.

Ajay Patel

Team BC Chef de Mission

About The 2011 Canada Winter Games



The 2011 Canada Winter Games will be held in Halifax, NS from February 11 - 27. The Games will bring together approximately 2,700 coaches, managers and officials with participation in 20 sports from every province and territory in Canada. The Canada Games is a national multi-sport Games competition that brings together the best athletes from each Canadian province and territory. The primary objective of the Games and the Games movement is national and provincial sport development of Canadian youth.

About TEAM BC



Every four years the Province of British Columbia assembles a team of elite athletes, coaches, managers and mission staff to represent the province at Canada's premiere multi-sport and cultural events: the Canada Winter Games, Canada Summer Games and the Western Canada Summer Games.

TEAM BC Historical Results at Canada Winter Games

(Final points placing in brackets)

Year	Points	Year	Points
1967	111 (2)	1991	213 (4)
1971	235 (2)	1995	262 (4)
1975	216 (2)	1999	280 (3)
1979	156 (3)	2003	217.5 (4)
1983	173.5 (3)	2007	262 (4)
1987	179 (3)		

TEAM BC Canada Winter Games Alumni

(More information at www.teambc.org)

Name	Sport	Year
Rob Boyd	Alpine Skiing	1983
Paul Kariya	Hockey	1991
Jaimie Borisoff	Wheelchair Basketball	1995
Allison Forsyth	Alpine Skiing	1995
Marni Abbott-Peter	Wheelchair Basketball	1999

TEAM BC By the Numbers

242	BC athletes going to the Games (113 male; 129 female)
132	Athletes that have competed at a BC Games
3	Team BC National Artist participants
74	Coaches and support staff
30	Male coaches
21	Female coaches
22	Team BC Mission staff
10	Age of youngest athlete (Shallon Olsen, Artistic Gymnastics)
40	Age of oldest athlete (Mary Benson, Para-Nordic)

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On-Line Information

Team BC Media Guide
PDF of Media Guide and complete information on all athletes
can be downloaded at: www.teambc.org

Team BC Photos
Photos may downloaded for media use in low or hi res from
website: www.teambc.org

2011 Halifax Media Guide
PDF on official website: www.canadagames2011.ca

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Archery

HARDY, BRYAN
PITNEY, ADAM
PRICE, BRENNAN
WATSON, SYDNEY
LEMKE, SUSAN (Coach)
PIERREROY, JASON (Team Manager)

Artistic Gymnastics

CLAY, ZACHARY
DYSON, DEVY
GEISLER, JULIAN
KUNO, TAMARA
MAH, AARON
MITCHELL, KERENSA
NABATA, SCOTT
NEMIER, KAL
OLSEN, SHALLON
RICCI, TAYLOR
SIBSON, EMMA
STUART, JOSHUA
TSANG, BRIANNAH
ZAMARDI, SHAE
LASHIN, VLADIMIR (Coach)
STAN, VALENTIN (Coach)
IKEDA, RICHARD (Team Manager)
STAN, DORINA (Team Manager)

Badminton

CHAN, PHYLLIS
CHEN, TINA
CHOI, NATHAN
HSU, ERIC
LIN, BENNY
LO, VANORA
TSAI, CHRISTIN
WONG, CLINTON
YAN, VIVIAN
YAO, DUNCAN
SHAIKH, ABDUL (Coach)
DAVISON, LISA (Team Manager)

Biathlon

BAKKER, KARINA
BEAUDRY, SARAH
DICKSON, ALEXANDRA
MACKENZIE, JASPER
MARTIN, ROBERT
NEUMANN, AARON
RANSOM, JULIA
ROOTS, ARTHUR
BAKKER, JANA (Coach)
SWAN, ROBERT (Coach)
BEAUDRY, PIERRE (Team Manager)
ERASMUS, HANS (Team Manager)

Boxing

ADAMS, COLIN
BROWN, JESSY
CLARK, MICHAEL
LAMBERT, DANIEL
MCINTOSH, SEAN
MCKINLEY, CONNOR

HABIB, DAVID (Coach)
WATSON, WILLIAM (Coach)
BAGHAIE, MEHRAN (Team Manager)

Curling - Men

HEELS, CALVIN
LANGLAIS, MAXIM
REID, NOLAN
WENZEK, DANIEL
TUCKER, CYNTHIA (Coach)

Curling - Women

BROWN, CORRYN
FISHER, SAMANTHA
FRASER, SYDNEY
PINCOTT, ERIN
BROWN, KENNETH (Coach)

Figure Skating

BRUSER, NOA
EDWARDS, MADELINE
GORDON, MITCHELL
HAMBLIN, JOHANNA
JIANG, JESSICA
JUROME, JAYDA
LAI, MATTHEW
LUM, TIMOTHY
MAEKAWA, LEONARDO
MILNE, KRISTA
PANG, ZHAOKAI
SALES, HALEY
TJEW, KARINA
TSANG, ALLAN
WAMSTEEKER, NIKOLAS

WONG, ADONIS
BURSEY, KEVIN (Coach)
LOWE, AARON (Coach)
WARNER, LANDIS (Coach)
WING, MEGAN (Coach)
WEBER, GAIL (Team Manager)

Hockey - Men

BERTOLUCCI, LUKE
BOWEN, DYLAN
BURROUGHS, KYLE
CLARK, BRENNAN
CONNOLLY, JOSHUA
COOPER, STEEN
ERKAMPS, MACOY
HARRIS, BRETT
HARRISON, LUKE
HOUCK, JACKSON
JARRY, TRISTAN
LAZAR, CURTIS
NEEDHAM, MATTHEW
NIKKEL, AYRTON
PETAN, NICOLAS
POTOMAK, BRANDON
REINHART, SAMSON
SANFORD, COLE
THEODORE, SHEA
WHISTLE, JACKSON
ARSENAULT, BRENT (Coach)
MACKAY, KEVIN (Coach)
WEBER, RUSSEL (Coach)
AMMANN, GRANT (Team Manager)
KERR, JEFF (Team Manager)

Hockey - Women

DIBELLA, AIMEE
FLINTON, JULIA
GEDIG, TAYLOR
GOWIE, ALEXANDRA
HENDRICKS, CASSIDY
HUBER, KAROLINE
HUBER, KRISTIN
JENKINS, JANESSA
KRAUSE, JORDAN
LANG, JACQUELINE
MATTEUCCI, DANIELLA
MCKINNON, JULIA
MILLER, HANNAH
NEWELL, KIMBERLY
ODDY, DALEY
PANAHI, NATASHA
SAXVIK, NICOLE
SCHAUPMEYER, STEPHANIE
SPRING, LAUREN
TOTH, KIRSTEN
CHRISTENSEN, NATALIE (Coach)
HERMISTON, GREG (Coach)
ROBINSON, BRENDA (Coach)
SHARUN, CHRISTINA (Coach)
THIBEAULT, PATRICK (Coach)
TUCK, BRUCE (Team Manager)

Judo

BRIGGS, ALICIA
DE SOUSA, GABRIELA
FELLOWES, HOLLY
HERIBAN, DARKO
HOCKING, COHEN
JENSEN, JOSHUA
JOB, BRANDON
LLOYD, ABBY

LUKAS, KRISTAL
ROOTS, KRISTI
YAMSHCHYKOV, DMYTRO
YODOGAWA, KIERAN
KAMSTRA, BRUCE (Coach)
STRASDIN, ALINE (Coach)
SUDA, TOKUE (Team Manager)

National Artist Program (NAP)

BUTTERFIELD, CLAIRE
COHEN, ANDREW
GOULD, DANIELLE
THUNANDER, INGMARIE (Team Manager)

Ringette

BANNON, KELLEY
BURGE, BRITTANY
CHO, MADELEINE
DAGG, ELIZABETH
EL GAZZAR, JASMINE
ENGLISH, RYLEE
FAWCETT, CHANTELE
GROPP, SAMANTHA
HANNESSON, KACY
LIPSETT, ERIKA
MAXWELL-SMITH, LEIGH
POMPONIO, TAYLOR
SISSON, MALLORY
TAJBAKSH, SAMIRA
WHITE, LYNITA
WOODLEY, MELISSA
LIPSETT, CATHERINE (Coach)
SADOWAY, PHYLLIS (Coach)
WHITE, RICHARD (Coach)

Skiing - Alpine

BEHNCKE, PETER
BERMEL, REBECCA
DARLINGTON, KAILEE
GRASIC, MARTIN
KING, EMMA
RAMSDEN, ROBERT
RAUHALA, SILKEN
SEGER, BRODIE
THOMPSON, BRODERICK
WELLS, ALIX
LORING, NIGEL (Coach)
CLARKE, LESLIE (Team Manager)
REID, SCOTT (Team Manager)

Skiing - Cross Country

BURTON, JOEY
FERRIE, COLIN
HEYES, KAJSA
LEE, ANDREA
MARSHALL, ALYSSON
MEHAIN, HEATHER
NEUMANN, MATTHEW
REID, REBECCA
RICHARDS, GEOFFREY
WYLIE, MATTHEW
BATTISON, DAVID (Coach)
FINCH, KERRY (Coach)
MANHARD, CHRISTOPHER (Coach)
MANHARD, NEIL (Team Manager)

Skiing - Freestyle

HALLIWELL, NICOLA
HEARD, MAX
MORRISON, NOAH
NAUDE, ANDI
SHARPE, CASSANDRA
SPENCE, CONNOR
TSUBOTA, YUKI
VISSER, HUNTER
CALLON, TANYA (Coach)
CLOUGH, ANDREW (Coach)
SHAW, MICHAEL (Coach)
GARROD, WADE (Team Manager)

Skiing - Para-Alpine

BROUSSEAU, CALEB
LUSCOMBE, BRAYDON
THOMPSON, JEFFREY
WHITWELL, BENN
CHEW, PHILIP (Coach)
FINK, JASON (Team Manager)

Skiing - Para-Nordic

BENSON, MARY
BUNDON, ANDREA
GIBSON, ASQUITH
KNIGHT, COURTNEY
CHIN, ANTHONY (Coach)
OXNER, KATHERINE (Team Manager)

Snowboarding

BURGOYNE, FARO
CRITCHLOW, JADE
ESPIRITU, RYAN
GOODWIN, SHAYNA
HOLLAND, TANNER
JASPER, KYLE
JONCAS, FREDERIQUE
PITMAN, THOMAS
THORP, ALEX
WOODRUFF, CHLOE
WOODRUFF, RUBY
DROUIN, CANDICE (Coach)
KAEICHELE, DANE (Coach)
GEORGE, ANDREW (Team Manager)
RAYMOND, DANIEL (Team Manager)

Speed Skating - Long Track

BANWELL, ALISON
CLOUTHIER, BRADEN
GIFFIN, AEDAN
INGLIS, JAMES
JANSSENS, ALEC
POUSETTE, SARAH
SPENCE, JOSIE
SPENCE, VICTORIA
GOPLIN, NANCY (Coach)
GORDON, KEITH (Team Manager)

Speed Skating - Short Track

HEMPSALL, TIMOTHY
KECA, JESSE
KEMPERS, ROBYN
KUPCHANKO, MITCHEL
MACDONALD, JAMIE
MACKAY, MICHELLE
MCLENNAN, THOMAS
MCLENNAN, WILLIAM
ROSBOROUGH, JORDAN
SHMYR, COURTNEY
ACTON, CHRISTINA (Coach)
FISHER, DEBRA (Coach)
THIBAUT, JACQUES (Team Manager)

Squash

BUNYAN, NICOLE
DANIELS, BRYNN
FOSTER, ABBIGAELE
FOSTER, MACKENZIE
LEMAN, ZACHARY
OLSON, TYLER
SEGINSON, LINDSAY
THOMPSON, MICHAEL
BOAG, JEFF (Coach)
VASSILAKAKIS, REBECCA (Team Manager)

Synchronized Swimming

BAXTER, VANESSA
DERKS, KESSIA
DOUGAN, MEGHAN
GUSTAFSSON, KELLI
MCCULLOCH, JANE
PATERSON, KIMBERLY
PATERSON, MADELYN

TEN VAANHOLT, DANIELLE
WILLIAMS, ERIN
ZAWADIUK, OLIVIA
KEMPER, SUSAN (Coach)
MATSON, TANYA (Coach)

Table Tennis

FU, SHIRLEY
LAU, JEREMY
LEE, ADRIAN
LIAW, MICHELLE
YUE, MIKE
ZHOU, TIANXIAO
MADHOSINGH, CHANDRA (Coach)
ZHANG, BING (Team Manager)

Target Shooting

AUTON, KATHLEEN
BECKETT, ERIN
BRADLEY, FRANCISCA
CHAN, DOMINIC
DEBERT, AIMEE
LAUR, BRANDON
MUENCH, COLTON
WEBBER, PATRICK
LANDALS, PATRICK (Coach)
SPICER, CHANTEL (Coach)

Wheelchair Basketball

BRAGG, NATHAN
DYCK, KELSEY
FICOCELLI, MATTHEW
GREEN, DEION
HARRIS, AVRIL
HIGGINS, ERIN
IMBEAU, NATALIE
KOSKI, COTI
KOSTERMAN, JOHN
LUNDIE, DEREK
PARK, STEPHANIE
VLIEGENTHART, ERIK
CORRIGAN, CHERYL (Coach)
MACDONALD, ROSS (Coach)
HARADA, MAKIKO (Team Manager)



ARCHERY



HARDY, BRYAN

Archery: Athlete

City/Town: Crescent Valley

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Cranbrook Archery Club

Interests/Hobbies: 3d and fita archery, hunting,

camping, quading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Elaine Johnson. A year ago she called my parents (we knew them for a long time) and asked if I wanted to compete for the Cranbrook team and go to the BC Winter Games. Ever since then she has been a great mentor and she believed in me. Thank- you Elaine

Goals in Sport/Art: I would like to continue to compete in archery, possibly the Olympics

Goals in these Games: To meet new people, to be a good and humble participant and to do my best to make my family proud



PITNEY, ADAM

Archery: Athlete

City/Town: Cranbrook

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Cranbrook Archery Club

Interests/Hobbies: Archery, hunting, fishing, camping, mountain biking, lacrosse, volleyball, basketball, snowboarding and spending time with my family and

friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Elaine Johnson is my coach. She is a very dedicated coach who has traveled with me to BC Winter Games and various shoots throughout BC and Alberta. Without her hard work and dedication I would not be where I am today with my archery. She is always there to teach, motivate and inspire me and many other youth archers.

Personal Best: Indoor 299 outer, Best inner score was 290.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to the Commonwealth Games; to get a scholarship for a university; to continue my education in sports medicine.

Goals in these Games: To have fun, meet new people and do my best.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent

information. Dad refereed for the WHL.



PRICE, BRENN

Archery: Athlete

City/Town: Mission

Age: 20

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Maple Ridge Archery Club

Personal Best: Indoor 18m, round 1: 276

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: Shoot close to my personal best,

place with a medal.



WATSON, SYDNEY

Archery: Athlete

City/Town: Quesnel

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Quesnel River Archers

Interests/Hobbies: Archery, snowboarding, volleyball, hunting, camping, listening to music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Grandpa, Dad, Dale, and Susan Lemke

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To shoot for Canada in a world championship and world cup event and do well.

Goals in these Games: To equal or better my personal best, focus, and be very consistent in the match play.



LEMKE, SUSAN

Archery: Coach

City/Town: Abbotsford

Age: 49

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: British Columbia Archery Association

Interests/Hobbies: Cross Stitch, my dogs, photography and bee keeping



PIERREROY, JASON

Archery: Team Manager

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City/Town: Delta

Age: 38

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Port Coquitlam District Hunting & Fishing Club

Interests/Hobbies: Archery, travel, shooting sports (rifle, pistol, black powder), golf and First Nations Wood Carving.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Susan Lemke

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS



CLAY, ZACHARY

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Chilliwack

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Twisters Gymnastic

Interests/Hobbies: Camping and fishing

Personal Best: Pomell Horse

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Olympics

Goals in these Games: To medal and place in the top three

What is your position on your team? Junior team member



DYSON, DEVY

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Delta Gymnastics Society

Interests/Hobbies: Hanging out with friends, playing sports

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) William

Personal Best: Doing well in school.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to the Olympics!

Goals in these Games: To get a medal with the team, to have a good experience

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Mom played field hockey at Canada Summer Games and took home the gold medal



GEISLER, JULIAN

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 14

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: 10

Interests/Hobbies: Music, video games, all sports

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mr. Gao, my current coach who

can still do a planche on the rings with 0 deduction with shoes on.

Personal Best: Top 3 in the country and a bronze medal on HB at an international event in Japan

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make Senior National Team and go to the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: Compete in the All Around Finals and at least one event final. To win a medal.



KUNO, TAMARA

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Flicka Gym Club

Interests/Hobbies: Travelling and reading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Dorina Stan - Flicka's head coach who always encourages me to do my best.

Personal Best: 3rd on floor at Canadian National Championships 2010 3rd at BC Championships 2010 5th on beam at Elite Canada 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To compete for Canada in International competitions including the Olympics and to earn a scholarship to a good university.

Goals in these Games: To stick every event with good form and nice presentation.



MAH, AARON

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 13

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Phoenix Gymnastics Club

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, gymnastics, piano

Personal Best: Second in Argo in Canadian Gymnastics Championship in 2009. First in Argo at BC Championship in 2009.

List the languages that you speak fluently: French, English



MITCHELL, KERENSA

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Nanaimo

Age: 16

Gender: F

Height: 160cm

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Flicka Gymnastics

Club, North Vancouver, BC

Interests/Hobbies: Water skiing, wakeboarding, reading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) David Kenwright

Personal Best: 2nd AA at Canadian Gymnastics Championships in 2009 with a Gold on Beam

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: NCAA scholarship

Goals in these Games: To do my personal best



NABATA, SCOTT

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: KATTS Gymnastics Club in Kamloops

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, skate boarding.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mr. Takahashi. He has been my coach since I went competitive.

Personal Best: Finishing 3rd at 2010 Canadian National Gymnastics; finishing 1st in BC Championships in 2007; National team member for gymnastics HP Tyro

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To do my best

Goals in these Games: Top 3 in Canada. 1st for Team BC.



NEMIER, KAL

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Flicka Gymnastics Club

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy video games, hanging out with friends, and driving around town since I just got my Driver's License.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My mentor has always been my coach Vali, and we've become good friends throughout the years.

Personal Best: My personal best results-wise was at 2009 nationals, where I placed first all around in the Youth category.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals, like every other gymnast, is to be a part of a future Canadian Olympic Team, and to hold a steady, influential role in the Senior National Team.

Goals in these Games: To place top three in the events; to podium in the all around standings.



OLSEN, SHALLON

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 10

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Omega Gymnastics Academy/Gymnast

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, Word Search, Dancing, Swimming, Bike Riding, Hiking, Cooking, Baking, Tennis

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Svetlana Lashina and Vladimir Lashin are my coaches. What I like about Svetlana is she teaches me hard skills. What I like about Vladimir is that he is very good at conducting control tests. He is also an excellent vault coach.

Personal Best: Gymnix 2009 - 3rd AA, 2nd on vault and beam All local meets held in B.C. for 2009 and 2010 - 1st AA Western Champions 2009 - 2nd AA, 1st on vault and bars, 2nd on beam and floor B.C. Championships 2009 - 1st AA, 1st on vault, bars and beam, 2nd on floor B.C. Championships 2010 - 1st AA, 1st on vault, beam and floor, 3rd on bars Spirit of the Flame Challenge 2010, San Jose, California - 1st AA, 1st on vault, 3rd on bars, 1st floor Elite Canada 2009 - 3rd on floor and 5th AA National Championships 2010 - 2nd AA , 1st on floor, 2nd on beam and 2nd on vault

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to the Olympics in 2016; to get a gymnastics scholarship

Goals in these Games: Hit all my routines with no falls



RICCI, TAYLOR

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Flicka Gymnastics Club

Interests/Hobbies: Gymnastics, swimming and reading.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Dorina Stan is my mentor because she is my coach and along with all my other coaches has brought me to where I am today.

Personal Best: Rushmoor Rosebowl International Competition in London England 2010, I came first all around and first on beam out of 80 participants.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to be on Team Canada for the 2012 Olympics and receive a full scholarship to a University in the United States.

Goals in these Games: My goals in these Games are to place top 3 in the team and all around competition and receive a medal/medals in the apparatus finals.



SIBSON, EMMA

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: West Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Omega Gymnastics, Vancouver, BC

Interests/Hobbies: I love to bake, listen to music, spend time with my friends and family and go shopping

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Evgueni Indukov was my coach for 7 years until I switched gyms to be able to compete in Canada. He taught me to be disciplined, work hard every day, to respect and love the sport. I would not be here today without his many years of coaching and hours of

patience.

Personal Best: Every day I try to do my personal best for that day whether it is on a test, at gym, or as a friend, sister, daughter or granddaughter.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My "DREAM" goal is to make the Canadian National Team and compete for Team Canada Internationally!

Goals in these Games: My goal for these Games is to do the best I can do for my team, to support my team and hopefully bring a team medal home to BC.



STUART, JOSHUA

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Richmond
Gymnastics Association

Interests/Hobbies: Wood carving, cooking, badminton, tennis

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ferenc Szabo - he is my coach. He has taught me to be self motivated, to understand the points system and be active in developing routines.

Personal Best: 1st all around at Elite Canada 2010

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To represent Canada in international competitions and place top 10

Goals in these Games: Win some medals



TSANG, BRIANNAH

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Omega Gymnastics
Academy

Interests/Hobbies: Reading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Vladimir and

Svetlana Lashin.

Personal Best: Elite Canada 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To get a scholarship to a university in the United States.

Goals in these Games: To win a medal in an event and the all around.



ZAMARDI, SHAE

Artistic Gymnastics: Athlete

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Omega Gymnastics

Interests/Hobbies: Swimming, hiking and music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Svetlana and Vladimir Lashin
Personal Best: Wild Rose International competition - won silver on bars and team silver. Elite Canada - won bronze on bars and was 4th AA, 2010 Canadians - won bronze on bars and 4th AA
List the languages that you speak fluently: English and Dutch
Goals in Sport/Art: I want to do really well this year and medal at Elite Canada and Canadians and then go to 2011 Worlds and to the 2012 Olympics
Goals in these Games: I hope to do really well and medal all around. I want to make BC proud and to have lots of fun



LASHIN, VLADIMIR
Artistic Gymnastics: Coach
City/Town: Coquitlam
Age: 54
Gender: M
Height: 174cm
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Omega Gymnastics

Academy

Interests/Hobbies: Reading
Personal Best: Training Gael Mackie in 2004 to the Olympics in Athens.
List the languages that you speak fluently: Russian, English
Goals in Sport/Art: To have all of my gymnasts reach their personal best and achieve their goals.
Goals in these Games: To win team gold as well as bring home individual medals.
Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? My wife Svetlana is a gymnastics coach and my daughter Ekaterina was an Australian and Canadian high performance gymnast.
What is your position on your team? Team BC coach



STAN, VALENTIN
Artistic Gymnastics: Coach
City/Town: North Vancouver
Age: 42
Gender: M
Height: 180cm
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: flicka gymnastics club

Interests/Hobbies: fishing
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events? Spouse, Dorina Stan
What is your position on your team? coach



IKEDA, RICHARD

Artistic Gymnastics: Team Manager

City/Town: Mission

Age: 36

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am a coach at the Twisters Gymnastics Club in Abbotsford, BC

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To have the Team win Gold.



STAN, DORINA

Artistic Gymnastics: Team Manager

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 41

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Flicka Gymnastics Club

Interests/Hobbies: Gymnastics, dance

Personal Best: I have many achievements but the highlight is my former Gymnast Maria Velicu being selected to the Romanian National Team.

List the languages that you speak fluently: Romanian, English, Hebrew

Goals in these Games: To win the team competition

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? My husband, Valentin Stan, is head coach at Flicka Gymnastics Club



BADMINTON



CHAN, PHYLLIS

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: ClearOne Badminton Center

Interests/Hobbies: I love to read and write. In my spare time, I read manga and watch anime. I listen to Korean fast songs when I work out at the gym. I am also a fan of hot yoga. I go once a week with my sister to Bikram Yoga.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sandiarto Liauw, Darryl Yung

Personal Best: 2010 Puerto Rico International Mixed Doubles, Finalist; 2010 Peru International Mixed Doubles, Finalist; 2010 Peru International Women's Singles, semifinalist

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Cantonese

Goals in Sport/Art: My ultimate goal in sport is to represent Canada in the 2012 Summer Olympics in London.

Goals in these Games: My goals for the 2011 Canada Winter Games are to lead my team to the highest medal achievement possible and to win Gold in my individual events.

What is your position on your team? I am one of the most senior players on the team. This is my second CWG and I play singles, doubles and mixed doubles.



CHEN, TINA

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 21

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Racquets Club

Interests/Hobbies: Biking, fencing, swimming, traveling.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Calvin Holoboff is my badminton coach. He has always pushed me to be a better athlete as well as a better person.

Personal Best: Sports Scholarship 2009 Bob Steele Memorial Scholarship, Vancouver, BC. Awarded for athletic achievement and scholastic standing. Exceeded 3.00 GPA with two year commitment on the Langara College

Badminton team.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in these Games: To play hard and have fun.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother participated in the 2007 fencing nationals.



CHOI, NATHAN

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: ClearOne Badminton

Interests/Hobbies: Watching sports, PS3, spending time with friends, The Buried Life, World of Jenks, Two and a Half Men

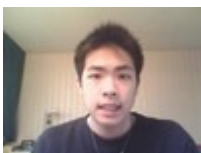
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ronne Maykel Runtulalo

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Cantonese

Goals in Sport/Art: - Doubles Quarter-Finalist at 2011 World Junior Championships in Chinese Taipei - Compete at the 2014 Commonwealth Games in Glasgow, Scotland - Compete at the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro

Goals in these Games: My goal in these Games is to achieve a medal finish in the Team Event, and a medal finish in the Doubles Category of the Individual Event.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My cousin, Alvin Lau was the flag bearer at 2007 Canada Winter Games in Whitehorse



HSU, ERIC

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Currently training at ClearOne Badminton Center

Interests/Hobbies: I love bubble tea and Starbucks Java Chip

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ronne Maykel Runtulalo

List the languages that you speak fluently: Mandarin

Goals in these Games: My goal is to play my best and win the team event for BC.



LIN, BENNY

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: ClearOne Badminton

Centre

Interests/Hobbies: Volleyball, Ultimate, Arts.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Achieve International Rankings

Goals in these Games: Compete with older players

What is your position on your team? Men's Single and Doubles Player



LO, VANORA

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I train at ClearTwo in Richmond

Interests/Hobbies: My interests are listening to my music, hanging with friends and playing sports.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sandiarto Liauw. He is one of the best coaches because of the effort he puts towards coaching me. With his efforts I improve my skills and my mental ability.

Personal Best: My personal best is at the Pan American Games. I have been to Puerto Rico in 2009 achieving one bronze medal for u15 Girls Doubles (individual event). In 2010 I went to the Dominican Republic for the team event (5 girls and 5 boys in u16 in all of Canada) and won the silver medal for our country. In the individual events, I achieved a bronze medal in u17 singles and u19 mixed and then winning the silver medal in u17 girls doubles.

List the languages that you speak fluently: Cantonese, English

Goals in Sport/Art: I really wish to participate in World Juniors next year in u19. My next goal is to participate in the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: To represent my province well and represent myself as an individual athlete by winning a Gold medal.



TSAI, CHRISTIN

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: ClearOne Badminton Centre

Interests/Hobbies: Sports, eating, listening to music, surfing the internet.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My current coaches are Sandiarto Liauw, Darryl Yung, and Ronne Runtulalo. They made me what I am today, and I am very thankful for all that they have done for me.

Personal Best: Probably winning the u16 girls singles national title two years ago when I was 13 as well as winning the u19 girls doubles national title in May when I was 14.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Mandarin

Goals in Sport/Art: My ultimate goal is to represent Canada at the 2016 Summer Olympics and play the best I can; also to stay fit for life and to continue to play badminton recreationally when I get older.

Goals in these Games: To bring home a medal for the individual and team event and to have lots of fun!



WONG, CLINTON

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 17

Gender: M

Interests/Hobbies: Basketball, video games, piano

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sandiarto, Julia Chen

Personal Best: XVIII Pan Am Junior U17 Boys Doubles Champion

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Cantonese, Mandarin

Goals in Sport/Art: Participating in the World Junior Championships

Goals in these Games: Win first place in singles.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes



YAN, VIVIAN

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Island Training Centre and Badminton Victoria

Interests/Hobbies: Badminton, running, shopping,

dancing, music, baking, cooking

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Keith Anton, been my coach since I was 12, amazing coach, taught me almost everything I know in badminton and in life.

Personal Best: Ranked #1 in U19 Provincial A circuit; played in Quarter finals in Junior elite series.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To represent Canada and participate in an International/ Pan-American tournament

Goals in these Games: To play the best I can, and make my province proud



YAO, DUNCAN

Badminton: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Racquets Club

Interests/Hobbies: Video games.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad because he is a badminton coach.

Personal Best: Pan American Junior 2009 Champion U15.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in Sport/Art: Top in Canada.

Goals in these Games: Win gold.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Yes, my dad.



SHAIKH, ABDUL

Badminton: Coach

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 77

Gender: M

Interests/Hobbies: Racquet sports, travelling.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.



DAVISON, LISA

Badminton: Team Manager

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 43

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: North Central Badminton Academy & Prince George Racquets Club

Interests/Hobbies: Badminton, downhill skiing, reading, crafts, website managing, board games,

landscaping in our yard

Personal Best: As an athlete it would be just recently at a Canadian Masters in 2010, and in the past it would be my graduating high school year 2nd place. As a coach it would be the 5 BC Winter Games teams that I have been to and the start up of the development teams in Prince George.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: As a coach, acquire the necessary coaching skills to coach the grassroots to elite players. Utilize these skills to train other coaches. As a player, compete in more Masters tournaments.

Goals in these Games: To use this opportunity as a training experience. I'm currently working on my Level 3 NCCP certification and this will be the first competition that I will be a part of at that level and size. Couldn't ask for a better Head Coach, Abdul Shaikh, to learn from. This is an invaluable adventure. I also think that the athletes will teach me a thing or two and as manager, I will support them in whatever they need physically, mentally & living on the road for 10 days.



BIATHLON



BAKKER, KARINA

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: West Coast Nordics

Interests/Hobbies: Studying Kinesiology at University of Calgary; rowing on University of Calgary Varsity team

Personal Best: Gold at BCWG 2006; Top 10 placing at Nationals 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



BEAUDRY, SARAH

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia Nordic Ski team

Interests/Hobbies: Sewing ski suits, hanging out with

friends,

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach: Rob Swan, Pierre Beaudry

Personal Best: Coming first at my first ever national championships in Valcartier, QC in the individual in 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: To improve so I can reach my full potential as a biathlete.

Goals in these Games: To experience the Games to the fullness and represent BC well.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My grandfather participated in the 1948 summer Olympics in rowing.



DICKSON, ALEXANDRA

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Burns Lake

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I currently train with the

Caledonia Nordics and the Omineca Ski Club.

Interests/Hobbies: Biking, reading, and volunteering are my biggest interests aside from biathlon.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad has been my coach from my very first year of biathlon. He learned along with me and helped me through the good and the bad.

Personal Best: Attended Canadian Nationals three times as a member of Team BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To push myself to new levels each time I race, and to have fun

Goals in these Games: To do my best and have fun competing.



MACKENZIE, JASPER

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Telemark Biathlon

Interests/Hobbies: Playing guitar, singing, cycling, skiing,

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Rob Swan of Critical Performance Okanagan, because he's been my coach ever since I started the sport.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be the best I can be and have fun doing it

Goals in these Games: A top ten result



MARTIN, ROBERT

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia Nordics Ski Club and Biathlon BC

Interests/Hobbies: soccer, hunting

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Pierre Beaudry is the main club coach for Biathlon and John Hagen for skiing.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the Games and Nationals

Goals in these Games: To show up and put my best effort into my sport.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes, my oldest cousin competed in 2007 for Judo.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My father helps out at shooting practice



NEUMANN, AARON

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia Nordics Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: other than Biathlon and skiing, Roller-skiing, x-country running, cycling, hiking, playing tennis, soccer, volleyball, golf, disc golf, poker.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) John Jaques for helping me grow and become stronger in the sport of biathlon.

Personal Best: My top result came at the roller-ski summer biathlon World Junior Championships in Oberhof, Germany last summer where I finished 37th place. At the Canadian national championships my best finish in a solo race is 3rd and I am coming off two Junior Gold medals in the relay format in 2008 and 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to one day compete on the World Cup circuit and represent Canada at the Olympics in 2018

Goals in these Games: Three top 10 finishes and a podium in the Sprint competition.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My older brother Matt Neumann competed at the last Winter Games.



RANSOM, JULIA

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Telemark Biathlon

Interests/Hobbies: Cross country skiing, cycling, running, drinking coffee, being with friends and family

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Rob Swan. I've been working with him since the beginning and he is the BEST!!

Personal Best: 2010 World Junior Championships in Torsby, Sweden. -11th place in the Individual -4th in the Relay

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: -Top 5 at World Juniors 2011 -Top 3 at Canada Winter Games -Top 3 at Nationals

Goals in these Games: To place top 3 in all events



ROOTS, ARTHUR

Biathlon: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia Nordic Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, cycling, and mountain biking.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Kaspar Godon

Personal Best: Top 10 finish in the pursuit race at biathlon National Championships 2010 in Canmore, AB

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To qualify for the 2011 Canada Winter Games in the sport of biathlon.

Goals in these Games: To compete in them



BAKKER, JANA

Biathlon: Coach

City/Town: Langley

Age: 49

Gender: F



SWAN, ROBERT

Biathlon: Coach

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 41

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Telemark Biathlon Team

Interests/Hobbies: Endurance Sports

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



BEAUDRY, PIERRE

Biathlon: Team Manager

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 53

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia

Nordics/Biathlon BC

Interests/Hobbies: Coaching and work and family

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Shayne Hoene and Peter Saar.

These are two good coach mentors

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Get 5 Caledonia Nordics athletes to Canada games

Goals in these Games: Team Goals are to get 10 medals

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? yes - daughter

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Wife - Cross country coach



ERASMUS, HANS

Biathlon: Team Manager

City/Town: North Saanich

Age: 27

Gender: F

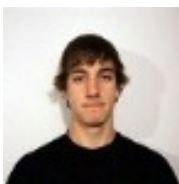
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Biathlon BC

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, biking, running, water sports, hunting, drumming, guitar

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



BOXING



ADAMS, COLIN

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Cranbrook

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Cranbrook Eagles Boxing Club.

Interests/Hobbies: Dirtbiking, snowboarding, boxing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Bill Watson and my Dad because they help me strive for my goals.

Personal Best: Bronze at Nationals.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To win the Canadian games, and head to the Olympics

Goals in these Games: To gain experience and bring home the GOLD.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My Dad participated in both Canada Games and Nationals.



BROWN, JESSY

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Deroche

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Mission City Boxing Club

Interests/Hobbies: boxing, working out

Personal Best: Canadian Champion

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be the best

Goals in these Games: win it all



CLARK, MICHAEL

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I currently train at Kelowna Boxing Club which has the most members in BC.

Interests/Hobbies: My biggest interest is boxing but I also enjoy training.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Dave Habib is my mentor because he has taught me how to have confidence and to never give up.

Personal Best: My biggest accomplishment was winning the BC Boxing Provincials in 2009

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to win a Gold for Team BC and become the Canada Games champion in boxing for my weight class.

Goals in these Games: To win a gold for Team BC.

What is your position on your team? My weight class is 75 kg which is 165 pounds and under.



LAMBERT, DANIEL

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna boxing club

Interests/Hobbies: Snow skiing and water sports.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Dave

Habib because of the huge amount of time he has spent trying to ensure we are learning, improving and enjoying the sport.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Continue to push boundaries and continue learning.

Goals in these Games: To take in the once in a life time experience the games have to offer along with bringing home a medal for BC

What is your position on your team? Boxing in the 69 kg position



MCINTOSH, SEAN

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Dewdney

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Mission City Boxing, Boxing BC team

Interests/Hobbies: Boxing, Soccer, Basketball,

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach Dale Gatin

Personal Best: Going to Worlds and doing well; should have won but judges saw different

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Win gold at the Canada Winter Games, plain and simple

Goals in these Games: To win Gold



MCKINLEY, CONNOR

Boxing: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Thistle Town Boxing Club

Interests/Hobbies: Boxing, Snowboarding, Music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?): Graham

McIntosh - good coach/knowledgeable

Personal Best: s.i.n 1st place

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: do my best

Goals in these Games: Do my best, represent BC, achieve 1st place.



HABIB, DAVID

Boxing: Coach

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 50

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Boxing Club

Interests/Hobbies: Boxing and watching my kids play their sports

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My father, for the way his life revolved around his children. My wife Becky, a competitive figure model and mother. WOW! she would inspire anyone the way she finds time for children, training, full time job and a home. Truly amazing!!

Personal Best: Gold Medal Winter Games. Father of 5 amazing children

Goals in Sport/Art: To help athletes achieve their dreams while building life skills.

Goals in these Games: To help athletes achieve a personal best.



WATSON, WILLIAM

Boxing: Coach

City/Town: Cranbrook

Age: 54

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Cranbrook Eagles Boxing Club

Interests/Hobbies: Weight training, hockey

Personal Best: Member of the 1980 Senior National Boxing Team

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To help my athletes achieve their goals

Goals in these Games: To help my athletes achieve their best performance

What is your position on your team? Assistant Coach



BAGHAIE, MEHRAN

Boxing: Team Manager

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 44

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Boxing BC

Interests/Hobbies: Family, Work, Boxing, Music, Fashion!

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Terry

Cooke. He has more than 60 years experience!

Personal Best: Always thrived to be the best but never been one!!

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Persian

Goals in Sport/Art: To showcase world class athletes

Goals in these Games: To come back to BC with lots of Golds!



CURLING - MEN



HEELS, CALVIN
Curling - Mens: Athlete
City/Town: Victoria
Age: 16
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria Curling Club
(Team Wenzek)
Interests/Hobbies: Soccer, river rafting, volleyball,

guitar

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cindy Tucker

Personal Best: Winning the provincial playoff to be named to Team BC in curling for these Winter Games

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To place in the top 3 in my sport

What is your position on your team? lead



LANGLAIS, MAXIM
Curling - Mens: Athlete
City/Town: North Vancouver
Age: 16
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria Curling
Club/North Shore Winter Club
Interests/Hobbies: Painting, film/music production,
cinema, technology of all kinds, retro video games

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Glen McEachran

Personal Best: Not missing a single shot during an entire 10-end game.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: To make it to the Brier before I'm 40

Goals in these Games: If I play as well as I possibly can, I will not have any complaints. If I play as well as I can, and so does my team, I'm confident that we will do very well in the competition, maybe even come first.

What is your position on your team? Second



REID, NOLAN
Curling - Mens: Athlete
City/Town: Duncan
Age: 17
Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria
Interests/Hobbies: baseball, curling, biking, soccer
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cindy Tucker curling coach
Personal Best: silver medal at BC Winter Games 2008
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: To place in the top 3 at the Games
Goals in these Games: place in top 3 at Canada Winter Games
Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My sister Megan Reid - Team Wark lead
What is your position on your team? Vice Skip



WENZEK, DANIEL
Curling - Mens: Athlete
City/Town: Victoria
Age: 16
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria
Interests/Hobbies: working out, curling, biking, travelling

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cindy Tucker. She helped me enter a new stage in my life and helped me reach my curling goals.
Personal Best: 5th at Junior Provincials (2010)
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: To medal at Canada Winter Games; Olympics
Goals in these Games: To get a medal
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes. Some family participated in previous events.
What is your position on your team? Skip

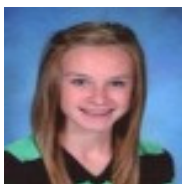


TUCKER, CYNTHIA
Curling - Mens: Coach
City/Town: Victoria
Age: 49
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria Curling Club
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Melissa Soligo and Elaine Jackson

Personal Best: player - 4th at '88 Scott Tournament of Hearts coach - 2nd at 2010 M/M's Cdn Jr Championship
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in these Games: win a medal
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Husband played in 1979 Winter Games for Alberta-Curling



CURLING - WOMEN



BROWN, CORRYN

Curling - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops Curling Club

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy curling, soccer, skiing and playing guitar.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad, Ken Brown, as he has coached me since I was 4

Personal Best: Winning the spot to play in the 2011 Canada Winter Games.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French

Goals in Sport/Art: To represent Canada at the Olympics in curling.

Goals in these Games: Be a medalist.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My dad, Ken Brown, has participated in the '96 and '97 Briers as well as the '99 Mixed Canadians.

What is your position on your team? Skip



FISHER, SAMANTHA

Curling - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am curling out of the Kamloops Curling Club.

Interests/Hobbies: I like to wakeboard and wake surf in the summer and I also like to play soccer.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ken Brown has been a great coach to me and my team. He is always there to help us when we need it the most.

Personal Best: My personal best came when we won our second BC Championship.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: We have a goal to go to the Junior Nationals for curling in the next 2 years. Our long term goal is to represent BC at the Scott Tournament of Hearts when we are old enough.

Goals in these Games: Our goal in these Games is to place in the top 3.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My Dad represented BC in

the Junior Nationals for curling in 1990.

What is your position on your team? I am the second.



FRASER, SYDNEY

Curling - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I curl at the Kamloops Curling Club.

Interests/Hobbies: I love reading, playing soccer, and curling.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ken Brown. He has been my coach since the start!

Personal Best: My personal best is winning Juveniles, winning gold in the BC Winter Games, and making it to the Canada Winter Games.

List the languages that you speak fluently: I speak French fluently.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to make it far in curling.

Goals in these Games: My goal for the Games is to do well and to have fun and meet new friends!

What is your position on your team? Lead



PINCOTT, ERIN

Curling - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 15

Gender: F

Height: 175cm

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Team Brown

Interests/Hobbies: Other than curling, I play soccer competitively on the city REP team. I enjoy running, and being with friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ken Brown. He has been coaching/mentoring my team for about 8 or 9 years.

Personal Best: Winning BC winter games. Winning High School provincials. Competing in Optimist International and finishing 5th.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Win the Canada Winter Games. Later on down the road to win the Scotties and also represent Canada in the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: Winning would be the ultimate goal but, I think at least a top 4 result would be satisfying.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My grandfather competed in Two Briers, once as a lead and another time as a fifth man/coach.

What is your position on your team? Third



BROWN, KENNETH

Curling - Womens: Coach

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 54

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Team Brown

Interests/Hobbies: Woodworking, golf

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ray

Quinn , Barry Lofgren. When I was young there were no

coaches around teaching kids. You would watch and learn by watching the best in the sport in our town and aspire to be just like them.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To watch This team reach their goals

Goals in these Games: Finish in the Metals

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Daughter



FIGURE SKATING



BRUSER, NOA

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 12

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Inlet Club BCYT Team

Interests/Hobbies: Dance, ballet, spending time with

friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Megan Wing and Aaron Lowe.

Personal Best: Free dance personal best is 63.94

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Become national champion in Novice Dance.

Goals in these Games: Achieve personal best score

What is your position on your team? Ice Dance Partner



EDWARDS, MADELINE

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Port Moody

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Inlet Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Dance, hanging out with friends, travelling, shopping, skiing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Megan and Aaron are my mentors because they have experienced competing internationally and at the Olympics, and are willing to pass on all of their knowledge to their students! They really care about us and always make sure we are getting everything we need as athletes and as people. They help us balance sport and academics as well as other aspects of our life.

Personal Best: 89.37 total score

Goals in Sport/Art: Long term goals are to someday compete internationally and at the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: My goal is for us to place top of the podium in our discipline. Also, to use the Games as a learning experience, to meet other athletes, and enjoy being part of the Games!

**GORDON, MITCHELL****Figure Skating: Athlete****City/Town:** Vancouver**Age:** 14**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Connaught Skating Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Reading and video games.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Keegan Murphy and Eileen Murphy**Personal Best:** 118 total points at BC Coast Regionals, Oct 2010.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Compete internationally on the Grand Prix circuit**Goals in these Games:** Land Triple Lutz**HAMBLIN, JOHANNA****Figure Skating: Athlete****City/Town:** Port Alberni**Age:** 22**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Special Olympics BC - Port Alberni**Interests/Hobbies:** Hiking, camping, swimming,

canoeing, exploring outdoors

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jean Leshures**Personal Best:** My personal best was winning gold at Regionals in 2010.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** My goal for figure skating is to make it to the Special Olympics World Winter Games. To keep getting better at my skating and every practice.**Goals in these Games:** To skate my best and enjoy the moment of being on the ice.**JIANG, JESSICA****Figure Skating: Athlete****City/Town:** Richmond**Age:** 13**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Inlet Skating Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Skating, Dancing, Reading**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Megan

Wing and Aaron Lowe

Personal Best: 1st in Canada**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English Mandarin**Goals in Sport/Art:** To win the Olympics**Goals in these Games:** To win 1st**What is your position on your team?** The girl in the pairing for Ice Dance



JUROME, JAYDA

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 13

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Figure Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Downhill Skiing, water skiing and spending time on Okanagan Lake.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jason and Karen Mongrain. They help me set realistic goals for myself. They also provide the pathway for me to achieve these goals. Most important is that they believe in me....

Personal Best: 30.36 Short Program 57.54 Long Program

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To one day skate for Canada in the Olympics. To attend international skating events.

Goals in these Games: To place in the top three.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. 3rd generation figure skater. Mom and grandmother were provincial champion skaters. Uncles were also WHL Hockey players. Grandfather played junior hockey as well.



LAI, MATTHEW

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Special Olympics BC - Richmond/Connaught Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Figure skating, bowling, track and field, playing Wii, watching Youtube on computer.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach - Paulina Lam

Personal Best: 1st place - 2007 SOBC Winter Games in figure skating 2nd place - 2008 SOC Winter Games in figure skating 1st place - 2009 SOBC Summer Games in track and field

List the languages that you speak fluently: English. Chinese

Goals in Sport/Art: Do my best and have fun

Goals in these Games: Do my best and have fun.



LUM, TIMOTHY

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Inlet Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy playing lacrosse and hanging out with friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My personal coach would be my brother and myself, because Andrew has an influence on my decisions I

make, and I'm the one who makes them.

Personal Best: My personal best is 63 points for the free dance.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals are to achieve greatness, and be happy in the end.

Goals in these Games: My goal is to come first in these games.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes my brother has competed nationally, and internationally.



MAEKAWA, LEONARDO

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Sooke

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Racquet Club of Victoria Figure Skating Club (RCV FSC)

Interests/Hobbies: Music, dancing, movie making,

reading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Deena Beacom because she has taught from a very young age.

Personal Best: 103.07

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Spanish

Goals in Sport/Art: To become an internationally acclaimed skater.

Goals in these Games: To achieve a personal best.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister (my ice dance partner).



MILNE, KRISTA

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 23

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Special Olympics BC - Surrey

Interests/Hobbies: I like to watch Oprah and Ellen on

TV; I like writing information from books and researching famous people on the internet, such as the Canucks and movie stars, to learn about their families.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Tannis Marshall

Personal Best: I always have a good attitude and skate my best so that I can win medals.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To work hard in jumping higher, the waltz jump, and focus on my timing in figure skating. To learn my new routines in rhythmic gymnastics.

Goals in these Games: To practice a lot and do my very best, and to try and earn a medal.



PANG, ZHAOKAI

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Inlet Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Guitar, piano, soccer.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Megan

Wing and Aaron Lowe

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Compete internationally.

Goals in these Games: Skate a personal best.



SALES, HALEY

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Haley's main passion is skating, but she also loves to sing and dance.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Personal coaches and Mentors - Jason and Karen Mongrain, on ice coaches.

Personal Best: My personal best is an 85+ Combined score.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to be an international competitor.

Goals in these Games: I am honoured to represent BC at the Canada Games and my ultimate goal is to WIN!

What is your position on your team? Pre-Novice Ladies Singles Event



TJEW, KARINA

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 13

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Connuaught Skating Club in Richmond, BC

Interests/Hobbies: Piano, reading, swimming and

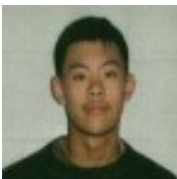
reading Japanese Manga.

Personal Best: Making it to the first 2011 Junior Nationals.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Always beat my personal best and give all that I have.

Goals in these Games: Beat my personal best and do my very best.



TSANG, ALLAN

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 17

Gender: M

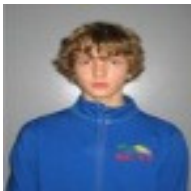
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Special Olympics BC - Vancouver

Interests/Hobbies: Video Games

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Landis Warner

Goals in Sport/Art: Achieve my personal best

Goals in these Games: Achieve my personal best



WAMSTEEKER, NIKOLAS

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 14

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Inlet Figure Skating Club and BC/YT Section.

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, jogging, video games,

shopping.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Megan Wing and Aaron Lowe.

Personal Best: Pre-Novice Dance Challenge Gold Medalist.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Compete internationally for my country.

Goals in these Games: Achieve a new personal best.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother and his partner are the alternates for Pre-Novice pairs team Ontario.

What is your position on your team? Male Dance Partner



WONG, ADONIS

Figure Skating: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 14

Gender: M



BURSEY, KEVIN

Figure Skating: Coach

City/Town: New Westminster

Age: 46

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC/YT Skate Canada

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To assist and promote success for the BC Figure Skating Team.



LOWE, AARON

Figure Skating: Coach

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 36

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Coach at BCCOE (BC Center of Excellence)

Interests/Hobbies: Tennis, golf, coaching.

Personal Best: Along with my partner Megan Wing,

we were 10th at Worlds and 11th at the 2006 Olympics in Torino, Italy. 10 time Canadian Medallist

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Become a coach of Olympic and World Champions

Goals in these Games: Have BC win the medal count



WARNER, LANDIS

Figure Skating: Coach - Special Olympics

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 33

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Sunset Figure Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Architecture, yoga, hiking, dirt

biking

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) If anyone this would be my yoga instructor. She is full of so much insight.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Seeing all-round growth with the athletes that I coach is top on the goals list. Helping them to try things, learn things and go places they never thought they would go. For myself, I hope to one day be a member of the Special Olympics National Team and experience a World Games.

Goals in these Games: My only goal is for the Special Olympics athletes on the team to have an exciting trip traveling with such fantastic mainstream skaters. This is a once in a lifetime experience for them, and I want them to learn as much as they can from the entire team.



WEBER, GAIL

Figure Skating: Team Manager

City/Town: Fort St John

Age: 67

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Team BC, Figure Skating

Interests/Hobbies: Sports, Volunteering

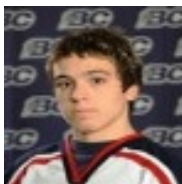
List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To help the BC figure skating athletes attain their personal bests.

What is your position on your team? Team Manager



HOCKEY - MEN



BERTOLUCCI, LUKE

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Montrose

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am playing B.C. Major Midget for the Kootenay Ice.

Interests/Hobbies: Golfing, fishing, all sports and video

games.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Uncle Pat. He played hockey at a high level and he coached junior hockey. He knows the game so well. He is positive and he challenges me.

Personal Best: Every year I aspire to do my absolute best in everything I do.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To become the best player I can and to go as far as I can in hockey.

Goals in these Games: To win the gold.

What is your position on your team? Forward



BOWEN, DYLAN

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Lumby

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, fly fishing and skiing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach:

Troy Mick is a very positive mentor and coach even when I am working through challenging times. He is also extremely knowledgeable as a hockey coach and is able to get the best from all his players.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play the highest level of hockey that I am capable of; to learn as much as I can from the sport and leaders around me.

Goals in these Games: To give 100% to help our team win. To play well consistently. To help as a leader.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? 23

**BURROUGHS, KYLE****Hockey - Mens: Athlete****City/Town:** Langley**Age:** 15**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Valley West Hawks**Interests/Hobbies:** Snowboarding, watching movies**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?):** Steve

Howerton. He's positive, critical at times and tells me what I need to hear.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English**Goals in Sport/Art:** To play in WHL and then NHL**Goals in these Games:** To win the gold medal and enjoy the whole Games experience**What is your position on your team?** defence**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #7**CLARK, BRENNAN****Hockey - Mens: Athlete****City/Town:** Kelowna**Age:** 15**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Pursuit Of Excellence**Midget Prep****Interests/Hobbies:** I play baseball, football and roller

hockey.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?): My mentor would have to be my Uncle Jimmy. We are very close and always talk when something's wrong.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** I am fluent in English and French.**Goals in Sport/Art:** My goal is to make it as far as I can in hockey, but also get an education through hockey.**Goals in these Games:** My goal in the Games is to do anything I can to help my team win gold, while having fun during this great experience. **What is your position on your team?** I am a Right Winger.**CONNOLLY, JOSHUA****Hockey - Mens: Athlete****City/Town:** Prince George**Age:** 15**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Cariboo Cougars**Interests/Hobbies:** Golfing, hiking, roller hockey**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Make it as far as I can in hockey.**Goals in these Games:** Win a medal.**What is your position on your team?** Defence**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #2



COOPER, STEEN

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Duncan

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: South Island Thunderbirds

Interests/Hobbies: Golfing, going to the gym.

Personal Best: Port Coquitlam tournament: two MVP's, 2 out of 3 events won at skills competition, named offensive player of the tournament

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the NHL

Goals in these Games: Play to the best of my ability; help my team win gold

What is your position on your team? centre

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #7



ERKAMPS, MACOY

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Greater Vancouver Canadians Major Midget hockey league

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, baseball

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Derek

Popke -(Vancouver Hockey School) Skating coach for the past 6 years. Also provided advice prior to my draft year Ian Gallagher (Conditioning coach Vancouver Giants)-Founder and director of player development of the South Delta Hockey academy. Ian has been a key motivator and inspiration around my passion for hockey.

Personal Best: Being drafted 27th overall to the Lethbridge Hurricanes.

Goals in Sport/Art: NHL

Goals in these Games: To be a leader on the team and win Gold for BC

What is your position on your team? Defence



HARRIS, BRETT

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: 108 Mile Ranch

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George Cariboo Cougars Major Midget.

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, golf, dirt biking, boating

and wakeboarding.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My father. He knows a lot about hockey and has passed his knowledge on to me. He has taught me how to be a good hockey player who plays with heart and character.

Personal Best: Achieving a silver medal in 2008-2009 Bantam Provincials.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in hockey is to make the NHL.

Goals in these Games: To play my very best and help the B.C. team bring

home a gold medal.

What is your position on your team? Center

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #11



HARRISON, LUKE

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: West Kelowna

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Okanagan Rockets

Major Midget League

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, Mountain Biking,

Golf

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Bantam Coach Larry

Keating, because he helped take my hockey career to the next level.

Personal Best: Signing a WHL contract with the Chilliwack Bruins.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Make Team BC, Play for Chilliwack Bruins as a 16 year old, Make Team Pacific, Get Drafted to the NHL, Play in the NHL as a 18 year old.

Goals in these Games: Win a Gold Medal, be undefeated, give 100% effort, play as a Team.

What is your position on your team? Center



HOUCK, JACKSON

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Major Midget

North West Giants

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad I guess. He's always been there for me.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make it as far as I can

Goals in these Games: To help my team win in any way possible, have fun and get good experience.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent

information. My dad played in the NHL

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #16



JARRY, TRISTAN

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Major Midget Greater Van Canadians

Interests/Hobbies: Riding my bike, listening to music, playing hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Don't really have a personal coach. Mentor is Angelo. He believes in me and teaches me everything I know

Personal Best: Personal Best is winning the Challenge Cup, going to Medicine Hat after qualifying at Chilliwack tourney

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Make it to the WHL play for the Oil Kings next year

Goals in these Games: Be successful as a team and win Gold

What is your position on your team? Goaltender

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #35



LAZAR, CURTIS

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Midget Prep AAAA
Okanagan Hockey Academy

Interests/Hobbies: Camping, fishing, other sports and going to the beach with friends

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Evan Marble. He has always supported me and encouraged a strong work ethic to make it to a high level.

Personal Best: Being drafted second overall to Edmonton Oil Kings bantam WHL draft 2010

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To achieve the highest level possible that I can play at. To be a leader on and off the ice.

Goals in these Games: To put my team in the best position to win gold while representing BC on and off of the ice. To have fun.

What is your position on your team? Center, Assistant captain, Goal scorer



NEEDHAM, MATTHEW

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Penticton

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Okanagan Hockey
Academy AAAA

Interests/Hobbies: Hunting, Fishing, Golf

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike Needham. Trains me in the summer.

Personal Best: Played my first WHL hockey game with the Kamloops Blazers.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Play NHL hockey

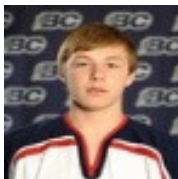
Goals in these Games: Win a Gold medal

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My father won a Gold medal for Team Canada in the World Juniors in 1989-90.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My dad, Mike Needham, NHL hockey player, Pittsburgh Penguins, Dallas Stars, Detroit Redwings, 1992 Stanley Cup Champion.

What is your position on your team? Center

If you have one, what is your jersey number? 14



NIKKEL, AYRTON

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence M-T1

Interests/Hobbies: Playing Hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Troy Mick, because he is a good old fashion hockey coach.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play hockey for a living.

Goals in these Games: Win

What is your position on your team? Defence



PETAN, NICOLAS

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Greater Vancouver Canadians. BC Major Midget

Interests/Hobbies: My interests are playing all different kinds of sports - basketball, soccer, golf, football. I also like to hang out with my friends, go to movies and play xbox.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jim Dinwoodie. He was my Bantam coach for 2 years. I learned a lot from him and he helped me along the way to the WHL draft. He kept my head on the right track throughout the whole year.

Personal Best: Winning Provincials 2 times with NSWC in 2007 and 2010. Getting into the 2010 Western Bantam Championships.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: My main goal in hockey is to get to the highest level I possibly can though out my career, the NHL.

Goals in these Games: - To help the team get to that final game. - Lead by example - Work as hard as I can every shift. - Contribute by scoring goals and making plays and also being a reliable defensive player.

What is your position on your team? Center

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #19



POTOMAK, BRANDON

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Aldergrove

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence
Hockey Academy Midget 1 Prep Team

Interests/Hobbies: Ice hockey, dirt biking, weight

lifting, roller hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Bud Pope. He has trained me on the ice for many years. Bud has taken the time to correct my weaknesses and he always made me feel good about myself.

Personal Best: Last year - leading scorer at Kibit Bantam Tournament

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Make U-16 Team B.C.

Goals in these Games: To bring a Championship home to B.C.

What is your position on your team? Center

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #21



REINHART, SAMSON

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: West Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: North West Giants -
MML

Interests/Hobbies: Tennis, golf and ping pong

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Father

Personal Best: Scored game winning goal in my first WHL game (Oct 2010)

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To continue developing into a WHL and potential NHL player

Goals in these Games: Establish myself as a top level player in my age group; Contribute to a successful Team BC tournament

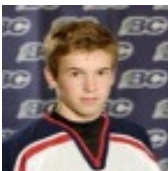
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past

Games or other national/international events ? Father played on numerous Canadian teams in Canada Cups and World Championships: Brother, Max, played in U17 World Challenge and Canadian U18 (Belarus)in 2010; Brother, Griffin, short listed for U17 World Championship (2010)

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Father (NHL) 1979-90; Brother Max drafted Calgary Flames 2010

What is your position on your team? Center/Wing

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #23



SANFORD, COLE

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: POE Midget AAA Tier 1.

Interests/Hobbies: Wakeskating, wakeboarding, surfing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Evan Marble my POE Bantam AAA Coach taught me to be humble with success and always lead by example on and off the ice.

Personal Best: Career Stats from 2009 GP G A PTS PIM 64 64 83 147 78

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in Sport/Art: To play professional hockey.

Goals in these Games: To win a Gold Metal.

What is your position on your team? Centre.

If you have one, what is your jersey number? 23.



THEODORE, SHEA

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Aldergrove

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Fraser Valley Bruins
Major Midget

Interests/Hobbies: Watching movies, golfing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Steve Potomak coached me through the Vancouver Selects hockey program for 6 years.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play the best I can

Goals in these Games: To win gold

What is your position on your team? Offensive Defenceman

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #37



WHISTLE, JACKSON

Hockey - Mens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am playing for the Pursuit of Excellence on the midget prep team.

Interests/Hobbies: My interests are ice hockey, golf, snowboarding

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) The person who has been the biggest mentor in my hockey career would probably have to be Larry Robinson. He has been my goalie coach for the past three/four years and he is a major influence on how I play hockey and perform out on the ice.

Personal Best: Recently I played very well against Michigan in the Chicago Fury Tournament. I stopped 30 out of 32 shots and we tied the game 2-2.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in ice hockey is to play to the best of my ability and to make the WHL and hopefully move on to the NHL.

Goals in these Games: My own goals for the Canada Winter Games are for

me to do my best and whatever it takes to help our team win the gold.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My uncle played for Team Canada in Russia and my dad participated in B Pool World Championships as a coach.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My dad was a professional ice hockey coach/player in Europe. Both my uncles played hockey and one of them played in the NHL.

What is your position on your team? Goalie

If you have one, what is your jersey number ? #1.



ARSENAULT, BRENT

Hockey - Mens: Coach

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 42

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George Cougars, WHL

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, golf, spending time with

my family.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Paul MacLean (Assistant Coach of Detroit Red Wings). I have known him for a long time and he has always been there for me when I have questions and I really enjoyed my time coaching with him.

Personal Best: Winning a Silver Medal with Team Pacific in 2001 at the World Under 17 at Selkirk/Stonewall, Manitoba.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To continue coaching at a high level in hockey.

Goals in these Games: Bring Gold back to British Columbia

What is your position on your team? Assistant Coach



MACKAY, KEVIN

Hockey - Mens: Coach

City/Town: Winfield

Age: 49

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Head Coach of Midget Varsity Team at Pursuit of Excellence in Kelowna, BC

Interests/Hobbies: Sports, movies

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Tom Renney - helped get me started in coaching, class individual

Personal Best: Won KIJHL league championship in 06-07, Video Coach of 2005 Silver Medal Women's National team, Assist DOP of 2003 CWG Gold Medal winning team

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To assist in developing young athletes to reach their goals in hockey

Goals in these Games: Be the best that we can be

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past

Games or other national/international events ? My niece was involved in CWG Summer Games in swimming. She is assistant coach at North Florida University.

What is your position on your team? Assistant coach



WEBER, RUSSEL

Hockey - Mens: Coach

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 57

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Seafair Bantam A

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, cooking, NASCAR

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike

Mondon, Bill Zarahia

Personal Best: Midget Provincial Championship CWG's (Whitehorse 2007)

4th U-17 World challenge (London 2008) 4th

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Be successful

Goals in these Games: Gold Medal

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



AMMANN, GRANT

Hockey - Mens: Team Manager

City/Town: Aldergrove

Age: 30

Gender: M

Interests/Hobbies: Hiking, working out

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To work into pro hockey as an

athletic therapist in the next few years after I graduate from Mount Royal University.

Goals in these Games: To bring a Gold medal home for Team BC Hockey.

What is your position on your team? I am the team equipment manager



KERR, JEFF

Hockey - Mens: Team Manager

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 41

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria Racquet Club

Minor Hockey Association - Director of Hockey

Operations and Head Coach.

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey and most other sports, spending time with my boys.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Brent Polischuk

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: Win a Gold at CWG

What is your position on your team? Director of Operations



HOCKEY - WOMEN



DIBELLA, AIMEE

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Nelson

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kootenay Wildcats

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

What is your position on your team? defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #7



FLINTON, JULIA

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Williams Lake

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Notre Dame Female AAA
Hounds

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, Soccer and Rugby 4H

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sheldon Nohr

because he can always motivate me to work harder.

Personal Best: Playing in the Gold medal game at the National finals;
making Team BC

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To continue to play hockey at the university/post
secondary level

Goals in these Games: "Find a way or make one"

**Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past
Games or other national/international events ?** Uncle (swimmer) Nationals
1987, Olympic trials 1988

**Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist,
or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent
information.** Uncle (hockey) American Hockey League & East Coast League

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #3



GEDIG, TAYLOR

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: West Kelowna

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Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Warner Hockey School

Interests/Hobbies: -Biking -Kayaking -Boating -Swimming

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mikko Makela because he has taught me a lot about who I am in the past 3 years he has coached me.

Personal Best: 2010 JWHL Champions 2 provincial Golds; 2 BC Cup gold

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Be successful in NCAA Division 1; make the Canadian National Team

Goals in these Games: Help my team to go as far as we can, and bring home the Gold.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My brother was drafted in 2009 to the New Jersey Devils and is now playing for Ohio State Buckeyes.

What is your position on your team? Defence



GOWIE, ALEXANDRA

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Okanagan Hockey Academy

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, snowboarding, shopping

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go as far as I can through this process, eventually to the national level.

Goals in these Games: To come out flying every game, overcoming adversity and pushing through when it gets tough, and working my absolute hardest as an individual and team to win the gold.

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #16



HENDRICKS, CASSIDY

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Fusion.

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, Drawing, Reading, Animals

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jen Price, my goalie coach. She helps me excel at my position by giving me feedback and encouraging me.

Personal Best: Making Team BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: I wish to play at the National level.

Goals in these Games: To play with confidence, support my teammates as

best as I can, and win Nationals.

What is your position on your team? Goaltender
If you have one, what is your jersey number? #30



HUBER, KAROLINE
Hockey - Womens: Athlete
City/Town: Kelowna
Age: 17
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence
Female Midget AAA
Interests/Hobbies: Field Hockey, soccer, tennis,

music, piano

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Mom and Dad. They have provided me the financial support to participate in hockey all these years, they have helped me find new opportunities to develop my skills, and they have known when I needed breaks from it. They always told me that the only way I could disappoint them on the hockey ice was if I didn't enjoy it.

Personal Best: 2010 BCAHA Female Midget Zone AAA Championship Game. I was 3rd in total scoring for the whole tournament, and I scored two goals and two assists in a very tough, physical game. Though it's not the first Provincial Championship game I have won, it is the Gold Medal I treasure the most.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: It is my goal to continue to play hockey at university. I have always dreamed of playing for an Ivy League team. Following university, I hope to start my business in the fitness industry.

Goals in these Games: I will strive to help Team BC play the best they have ever done in a national tournament.

What is your position on your team? Forward
If you have one, what is your jersey number? #14



HUBER, KRISTIN
Hockey - Womens: Athlete
City/Town: Kelowna
Age: 17
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence
Midget Female 1 team
Interests/Hobbies: Volleyball, soccer, snow Skiing,

boating, wakeboarding, snowboarding

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad. He's always supported me, encouraged and helped teach me the game.

Personal Best: At the US Canada Cup in October, our team played the Toronto Aeros in the bronze medal game. We had lost to them before 4-2 and 6-0. I scored the only 2 goals in regulation time, went to overtime with no goals scored. In the shootout I scored the winning goal.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Receive a Scholarship to play NCAA Div.1 hockey

Goals in these Games: To lead my team in scoring and to lead our team to

a medal!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. no

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #6



JENKINS, JANESEA

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Salmon Arm

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Thompson Okanagan AAA Rockets

Interests/Hobbies: I like to play hockey and soccer. I

like to wakeboard, golf, and play tennis.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I do not have a specific personal coach. My hockey team has J.C. Cullen as our team personal trainer.

Personal Best: Making Team BC last year and making it again this year for the second time.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in hockey is to go as far as I can because I have such a strong passion for it. My crazy dream which I am sure a lot of other girls have is to be on Team Canada and be in the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: My goal in these Games is to play my best and hopefully get noticed by university or college scouts, as I am hoping to play university hockey.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My mom was in the 2006 Torino Olympics for curling.

What is your position on your team? I am currently playing right wing or center on Team BC.

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #9



KRAUSE, JORDAN

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence Academy

Interests/Hobbies: I have a wide variety of interests and hobbies ranging from music to hiking. I play piano, trumpet, flute and have also participated in a musical and voice lessons. I also love to be active, so I enjoy swimming, hiking, and running.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) The role model, who has had the greatest impact on myself thus far, is my current coach David Roy. He has such passion for the game, an unbelievable drive to help me and all my

teammates to improve. His strong character inspires me every day to just keep going. As a result of his knowledge of the game and values as a person, I feel like I have one of the greatest opportunities in the world and am going to do my best to soak it all up.

Personal Best: My personal best is when I am in the zone, my passes are crisp and it seems as if the game is happening in slow motion. I know that I am having a great game when I am energetic on the bench, my gap control is tight and I am aggressive on the puck.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in hockey is to become the best player I can be. I hope to receive a scholarship to a top Division 1 school so I can further my hockey and education. My ultimate goal is to participate in the Canadian National program.

Goals in these Games: My goal for the Canada Winter Games 2011 is to assist Team BC in getting to the Gold medal game! I am striving to be at the top of my game for the week long competition so that I can perform to the best of my ability.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #6



LANG, JACQUELINE
Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit of Excellence Hockey Academy, Kelowna, BC

Interests/Hobbies: playing piano, playing drums,

writing music and lyrics

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) David Roy, because he has spent his lifetime helping young people improve both as players and as human beings

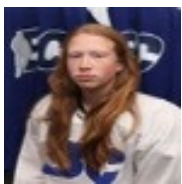
List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play at the highest level that I can achieve with my abilities

Goals in these Games: to help Team BC achieve its best record ever in a national competition

What is your position on your team? Forward, right wing

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #19



MATTEUCCI, DANIELLA
Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Fruitvale

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Notre Dame Hounds AAA, Wilcox SK

Interests/Hobbies: Baseball, softball, working

out(training)

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad has always coached

me. He always knew when to push me and when to lay off. He is always there if I need advice.

Personal Best: Have played in a provincial tournament in 4 different sports. Girls Softball 4 times, Boys Baseball twice, Boys Hockey Pee wee, Female Hockey 3 times and recently Saskatchewan 2A Soccer provincial finalist. Canadian Finalist Bantam Baseball Female 2007 2008 and 2009. U12 2004 Babe Ruth Softball World series

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play as long as possible and hopefully play in a NCAA or CIS university program.

Goals in these Games: To put Team BC female hockey back on the hockey map. I want to be a part of it.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Dad won an Allan cup...in 1993. Canadian Senior Hockey National Championship. Uncle won 2 NCAA Championships 94, 95 I think

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My uncle, Mike Matteucci, played 4 years at Lake Superior State in Michigan, winning 2 NCAA Championships. He went on to play pro for 11 years mostly in the American Hockey League; played a handful of games for the Minnesota Wild.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #4



MCKINNON, JULIA

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I started my hockey career in Saskatchewan playing for the Bisons in Regina. In 2001 she moved to British Columbia and played boys

hockey before switching to the female program at age 11.

Interests/Hobbies: Playing and watching hockey, playing soccer, enjoying the friendships made through these team sports

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sylvain Leone was my quad coach. He taught me discipline, skill development and he believed in me as a player.

Personal Best: Being a contributing member of 3 Provincial Gold medal hockey teams. Being a contributing member of a Gold medal soccer Provincial championship

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Be considered by the Team Canada Women's program and obtain a scholarship for the sport.

Goals in these Games: Play the best hockey I can play and contribute significantly to Team BC both on and off the ice

What is your position on your team? Right wing

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #10



MILLER, HANNAH

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: North Shore Avalanche Bantam A

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, mountain biking, skateboarding, surfing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jeff Eaton Hockey Skill Instructor.

Personal Best: Team provincial championship.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play university hockey

Goals in these Games: For my team to win a medal and for me to play my best.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? John Parry, cross country skiing.

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #11



NEWELL, KIMBERLY

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I play for the Burnaby Winter Club Midget A1 boys team Affiliated with the North West Giants Major Midget AAA boys team

Interests/Hobbies: Golf, rock climbing, reading and swimming

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Pasco Valana and Sean Murray are my personal coaches. They have trained me on the ice for many years, challenge me mentally and physically, and encourage me when I go through tough times.

Personal Best: Bronze in the Western Canadian Bantam AAA Championship (male)

List the languages that you speak fluently: English French

Goals in Sport/Art: To be part of the Canadian National Hockey program

Goals in these Games: To compete in the final championship game.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My uncle played professional cricket and currently manages Nottingham. My grandmother played on Germany's junior national field hockey team

What is your position on your team? Goalie

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #1



ODDY, DALEY

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Cranbrook

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kootenay Wildcats AAA
Female Major Midget

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, soccer, snowboarding, dirt

biking, hiking

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) None

Personal Best: Captain of Bronze medal winning hockey team at the BC Winter Games 2010 in Terrace, BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play university level hockey

Goals in these Games: to score

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #13



PANAHI, NATASHA

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Coquitlam

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Fusion
Female Major Midget

Interests/Hobbies: I have always had a love for all sports. Ever since I was little I played everything from soccer to tennis. Prior to hockey I was playing a high level of boys' baseball. I enjoy music, which offers two things for me; relaxation and motivation. My academic achievement is also very important to me.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jack Yip. He was initially my coach in boys' baseball and believed in me from day one. Though I was the only girl on the team he supported me and knew I had it in me to compete amongst the boys. He spent numerous hours after the games, practicing with me and helping me improve. To this day he still keeps in touch and is so happy for all my successes. He knows that my focus has now become hockey, with baseball as an off-season sport, and he still takes an interest in me.

Personal Best: My personal best performance would have to be the 2009-2010 Major Midget All-Star Game. I was chosen, along with 39 other girls, out of 120, to compete in this All-Star game that took place in Nanaimo, BC. I was named number 1 star of this game as well as winning the shoot-out competition by trying a deke that was out of the ordinary.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My first goal is to play a high level of hockey while attending a renowned University. (Be a student-athlete) My second goal is to play on the Canada Women's National Hockey Team

Goals in these Games: My goals in these Games is to perform to the level I know I can perform at. Let nothing get in my way of my success, and allow everyone to see how hard I've worked for this. Another goal for me is to help my team in the success of finishing with a medal this year.

What is your position on your team? Center, Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #12



SAXVIK, NICOLE

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Richmond Pacific Steelers

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy playing basketball, soccer, volleyball and snowboarding.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Through hockey I wish to achieve a scholarship to a post secondary school as well as to make the National Team.

Goals in these Games: I plan to work and play hard and to hopefully bring home a medal. I also hope to gain a great experience as this is a once in a life time opportunity.

What is your position on your team? Forward



SCHAUPMEYER, STEPHANIE

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Thompson-Okanagan Female Major Midget Rockets

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, Soccer, Wake Boarding, Snowboarding

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Sylvain Leone. He was the best coach I have ever had. I improved and learned most that season with Sylvain.

Personal Best: Making it to Westerns where we played to go to Nationals.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Get a scholarship and play University hockey.

Goals in these Games: Help team BC get a medal in female hockey; get seen by University scouts

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #15



SPRING, LAUREN

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Pursuit Of Excellence

Interests/Hobbies: Soccer, swimming, skiing, wakeboarding, reading, volleyball

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jeff Eaton made a difference to my game. He helped me become more mentally tough and has prepared me for the harsh reality that the world has in store for me. He was one of the best coaches I have ever had. He really forced me to

be on my A game all the time. If I messed up he would yell and scream at me and ask me why I did that. I honestly hated it at first but I learned to use it to push myself even when I wasn't feeling my best.

Personal Best: Making the U18 team as a 14 year old.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To get a Div. 1 NCAA scholarship and one day play for Team Canada.

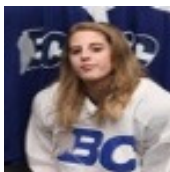
Goals in these Games: To be at my best both physically and mentally and help Team BC win the Gold medal

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Don Spring (father) - 1980 Olympics, NHL, and European

League as well as Hockey Coach for Minor Hockey - 12 yrs

What is your position on your team? Center or Wing

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #18



TOTH, KIRSTEN

Hockey - Womens: Athlete

City/Town: Aldergrove

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Aldergrove Minor Hockey Association Atom - Bantam AA boys. Vancouver Fusion midget AAA 2009-2010 Notre Dame midget AAA Hounds

2010-2011

Interests/Hobbies: Basketball, sitting in the sun, swimming, volleyball, music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mom & Dad, Mike and Dawn Toth. Always giving me the best advice, and the best support.

Personal Best: Team BC

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Play Division 1 NCAA hockey.

Goals in these Games: Play hard, meet new people, enjoy my experience, and win Gold!!!

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #5



CHRISTENSEN, NATALIE

Hockey - Womens: Coach

City/Town: Abbotsford

Age: 39

Gender: F

**HERMISTON, GREG****Hockey - Womens: Coach****City/Town:** Kamloops**Age:** 52**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** BC Hockey U18

Female team BC

Interests/Hobbies: Coaching, Coaching, Coaching,

Coaching & some Golf

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Doug Lidster and Terry Bangen are my coach mentors. Doug and Terry are from my home town of Kamloops and have much success in the world of hockey and most notably female hockey. Doug was assistant coach of 2010 Gold medal winning team in Vancouver and Terry coached the first ever Team BC female medal winning team at a CWG's. Both men coach and handle themselves with class all the while doing what is necessary to be successful.

Personal Best: 4th place 2005 Hockey Canada Senior Nationals 6th place 2007 Hockey Canada U18 Nationals 8th Place 2007 Canada Winter Games Gold medal 2002 BC Winter Games Gold medal 2003 BC Hockey U18 BC Cup Bronze medal 2004 BC Winter Games

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Represent Canada at an international event in the sport of Hockey.

Goals in these Games: Leave no stone unturned and be the best prepared hockey team in Halifax. Create an environment that produces the best possible performance from the 20 players and 5 staff making the trip. Make Team BC and the BC Hockey female community take notice of and be proud of a performance that is full of Effort and Class.

What is your position on your team? Head Coach**ROBINSON, BRENDA****Hockey - Womens: Coach****City/Town:** Victoria**Age:** 47**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Sidney Spitfires and

Team BC

Interests/Hobbies: Biking, hiking, gardening.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English

Goals in Sport/Art: Have fun in everything I do.

Goals in these Games: Have fun, meet new friends, and bring back a medal to B.C.

What is your position on your team? Equipment Manager**SHARUN, CHRISTINA****Hockey - Womens: Coach****City/Town:** Nanaimo**Age:** 25

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: North Island Extreme Female Midget A

Interests/Hobbies: Surfing, mountain biking, kayaking, adventure racing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Nancy Wilson- Head Coach, UBC Thunderbirds Women's Hockey Team. Nancy has provided incredible support to me since my first Canada Games experience in 2003. She has provided guidance, inspiration, leadership and has helped me to build confidence in my coaching abilities.

Goals in Sport/Art: Head Coach Team BC Coach at the National Level
Continue to be involved in some way throughout my life

Goals in these Games: Contribute to the new legacy that Team BC Women's Hockey will set at these Games. Share my knowledge and experience playing in the Games with our current athletes to help them to achieve their peak performance.

What is your position on your team? Apprentice Coach



THIBEAULT, PATRICK

Hockey - Womens: Coach

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 41

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am currently coaching the Vancouver Fusion which plays in the Female Major Midget League in BC.

Interests/Hobbies: Aside from hockey, my interests are mostly sports related. I love skiing in the winter which can be difficult with my hockey schedule. I also love traveling abroad.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) One of my role models in hockey has been Cam Kerr who has been a mentor for me. Cam has an extensive hockey background coaching both at the male and female levels. He also coached internationally in China and Japan. The reason he is a mentor is because he sees the best in people and extremely technically competent.

Personal Best: Aside from winning championships, I would have to say the greatest joy is to see former players reflect back with happiness on the years that I have coached them.

List the languages that you speak fluently: French, English

Goals in Sport/Art: Building athletic and personal skills in all the players I coach. Wins and losses come and go, but what you learn along the way always stays with you and hopefully makes you a better person.

Goals in these Games: Take the time to enjoy this phenomenal experience, and compete to the best of our abilities.

What is your position on your team? Assistant Coach



TUCK, BRUCE

Hockey - Womens: Team Manager

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 51

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Hockey Female
High Performance Coordinator. No club team.

Interests/Hobbies: Photography and photo processing,
birding, antique hockey equipment, hiking, cycling, travel.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Robb McInnis challenges me to improve and look at things from different angles.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Success

Goals in these Games: Be in the mix - compete for a championship

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Partner - Brenda Robinson
- Team BC Equipment Manager Female Hockey

What is your position on your team? Director of Operations



JUDO



BRIGGS, ALICIA

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Lac La Hache

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kokoro Judo Club

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, skiing & performing arts.

Personal Best: Nationals 2010, 2 Bronze medals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To compete to the best of my abilities.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother, Aven Briggs, has participated in 5 Junior National events for Judo.



DE SOUSA, GABRIELA

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Burnaby Judo Club

Interests/Hobbies: Volunteering, Baking, Painting, Drawing, Shopping

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Curtis Pentland

Personal Best: Participating in the International German Open (2007) in Berlin.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To have successful results on a national and international level.

Goals in these Games: To do my best and have a successful competition.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Brother, Miguel de Sousa: Wrestling: Western Canada Summer Games (2007); two Gold medals Judo: Canada Winter Games (2007); two Silver medals

**FELLOWES, HOLLY****Judo: Athlete****City/Town:** Richmond**Age:** 16**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Steveston Judo Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Soccer, Judo, Sailing, Softball, Ultimate Frisbee, Music, Scuba Diving

Personal Best: Silver medal, 2010 BC Games 2010; medals at other tournaments

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: To be the best I can be at any given time

Goals in these Games: To do the best possible and perhaps earn a medal

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Brother, BC Summer Games 2007 sailing; Cousin, International and National competitions for sailing

**HERIBAN, DARKO****Judo: Athlete****City/Town:** Port Coquitlam**Age:** 18**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Burnaby Judo Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Some of my other hobbies besides Judo include reading, rugby, basketball, video gaming,

and socializing with my peers.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My main personal coach/mentor is Blake Tsuyuki. He has just come back from Montreal and has helped me achieve my goal of qualifying for Canada Winter Games. He did this by working with me all summer. This includes numerous extra practices and weight training to make sure I was at my peak psychically and mentally.

Personal Best: My personal best was this fall at the BC championships where I felt better than I ever have and was able to fight and win my Canada Winter Games category to qualify.

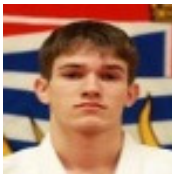
List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Serbian.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in Judo is to medal at either Canada Winter Games or Junior Nationals. My other main goal is just to stay fit and keep myself happy with what I'm doing.

Goals in these Games: To medal and to fight the very best I possibly can to do so.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister competed at the last Winter Games and placed 3rd for Judo women.

What is your position on your team? Judo is a solo sport, but I like to look at myself as a leader and help other people as well.

**HOCKING, COHEN****Judo: Athlete****City/Town:** Delta**Age:** 18**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Burnaby**Interests/Hobbies:** Music**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Blake

Tsuyuki. He has put in countless hours working with me, pushing me to achieve my goals.

Personal Best: Provincial Champion**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** National champion**Goals in these Games:** Get on the podium**JENSEN, JOSHUA****Judo: Athlete****City/Town:** Maple Ridge**Age:** 18**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Golden Ears Judo Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Working out, outdoor activities - fishing and hunting

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ron Wright - inspires me to do my best

Personal Best: 2nd place in Canadian Championships (2010) U20 -100 kg category

List the languages that you speak fluently: English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Canadian Champion, Olympic team**Goals in these Games:** First place

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? 2 uncles competed in Canada Games

What is your position on your team? -100 kg competitor

**JOBB, BRANDON****Judo: Athlete****City/Town:** Abbotsford**Age:** 17**Gender:** M



LLOYD, ABBY

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Powell River

Age: 14

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Powell River Judo Club
Powell River, BC

Interests/Hobbies: Judo, fitness training

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Neil

McKenzie (Sensei). He introduced me to the sport at age six and has continued to train me right up until today. Trebor Boreman and Dave Dyck also my Sensei's.

Personal Best: Winning the Canadian Junior Nationals in Lethbridge, Alberta in July 2010.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: 2016 Rio de Janeiro Summer Olympics

Goals in these Games: My goal is to try my hardest and compete the best that I can. Being only 14 years old, probably one of the youngest in the Judo division, will be a big challenge that I'm looking forward to.



LUKAS, KRISTAL

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Duncan

Age: 15

Gender: F

Interests/Hobbies: Judo, Soccer

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to the Olympics

Goals in these Games: To get the gold

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My 3 brothers and I went to Canadian Nationals in 2009 and 2010



ROOTS, KRISTI

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Coquitlam

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Port Coquitlam Judo

Interests/Hobbies: Scouting, Singing, Volunteering

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mr. Suda
because he believes in me

Personal Best: Winning Gold at 2010 Junior Nationals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To get my Black Belt To compete internationally

Goals in these Games: To win Gold

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother Matt - last Games and Nationals My brothers Greg, Drew and Kurt - Nationals



YAMSHCHYKOV, DMYTRO

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Burnaby Judo Club

Interests/Hobbies: Playing sports, video games, hanging out with friends, DOING JUDO

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Curtis

Pentland

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Become the best in the world

Goals in these Games: In it to win it



YODOGAWA, KIERAN

Judo: Athlete

City/Town: Abbotsford

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Member of Abbotsford Judo Club

Interests/Hobbies: I love playing drums, drawing, playing soccer and doing judo

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

What is your position on your team? Athlete



KAMSTRA, BRUCE

Judo: Coach

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 39

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Hart Judo Academy-Prince George Judo BC

Interests/Hobbies: Hiking, fishing, camping, and judo.



STRADDIN, ALINE

Judo: Coach

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 48

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George Judo Club

Interests/Hobbies: Judo, running, filling in forms.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Terry Fox - taught me determination and selflessness

Personal Best: Silver at Nationals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To see Team BC on the podium!

Goals in these Games: 12 medals

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? 2011 Halifax will be my 6th Canada Winter Games. 2015 is in Prince George, my hometown



SUDA, TOKUE
Judo: Team Manager
City/Town: Abbotsford
Age: 60
Gender: M



NATIONAL ARTIST PROGRAM (NAP)



BUTTERFIELD, CLAIRE

NAP: Musician

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 19

Gender: F

Interests/Hobbies: Playing, writing, recording, and listening to music, dancing, food, longboarding, visiting

new places, people, going fast, sitting still.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad, Christopher Butterfield, has been a major mentor for me in the arts. Throughout my life he has instilled his artistic values in me, and I have learned a lot from him about everything from Prince to Bach to Shoenberg.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To gain an understanding of all different kinds of music. I want to work up to being an orchestral and choral conductor.

Goals in these Games: To meet lots of new and interesting people, and create some art!!

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My mother Merrie-Ellen Wilcox was a gymnast, and competed in the 1975 Canada Games, winning a bronze medal for Ontario.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My Dad, Christopher Butterfield, is a contemporary composer,

and is a professor of composition at the University of Victoria. His brother, Benjamin Butterfield, is an opera singer and head of the voice department at the University of Victoria. Benjamin's wife, Anne Grimm, is a Dutch opera singer. My Dad's other brother, Peter Butterfield, is a choral director and singer. His wife, Sarah Fryer, is an English opera singer.



COHEN, ANDREW

NAP: Musical Theatre

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 21

Gender: M

Interests/Hobbies: Acting, singing, tap dancing, composing, swimming, volleyball, playing piano, searching for new business ventures, traveling

Personal Best: This seems almost impossible in the arts. To me, the arts is about exploration. Really good acting is when someone has done all their homework and can live in the moment onstage every night or for every take on set, and still keep it honest, new, and playful. Actors are called 'players' because they must play. You cannot 'play' the best. Best implies that there is no surpassing it. In other words, I don't feel that I have achieved my 'personal best' yet...I hope I never will, but that I continue to grow and improve.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French (it would be grammatically incorrect and perhaps a touch lay, but I do understand and speak the language)

Goals in Sport/Art: To continue to create work that is artistically challenging and fulfilling. To bow on a Broadway stage. To hear "that's a wrap" on the set of my film. To not live in a box (both figurative and literal)

Goals in these Games: To experience Halifax, collaborate with exemplary artists from across the country, (hopefully) make life-long friends and colleagues, learn a ton (both from peers and mentors), and create an enjoyable and stimulating experience for audiences and participants alike.



THUNANDER, INGMARIE

NAP: Team Manager

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 31

Gender: F

Interests/Hobbies: Crafts- paper crafts jewelry making (beads and silversmithing), pottery, photography, food and cultural celebrations



RINGETTE

**BANNON, KELLEY****Ringette: Athlete****City/Town: Surrey****Age: 19****Gender: F****Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** I play for SFU Open A Ringette

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy being outdoors and keeping active. Along with playing ringette, I also play fastpitch. I keep active in the summer by slalom skiing and other water sports. I enjoy hanging out with my friends and just having a fun time.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in the sport of ringette is to play at my highest level and be competitive with other high level players. I play the game because I love it and it is always fun. The Canada Winter Games has been my biggest goal to get to for the sport of ringette.

Goals in these Games: My goal in these games is to come out playing at my best. I want to challenge all the other provinces and have each game be a new challenge. My goal is to play hard and hopefully put a few rings in the net.

What is your position on your team? Forward**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #9**BURGE, BRITTANY****Ringette: Athlete****City/Town: Salmon Arm****Age: 16****Gender: F****Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Shuswap Ringette; Thompson Okanagan Ringette League

Interests/Hobbies: Cross-Country Running, Ringette

Personal Best: Played in Westerns twice, Nationals twice for Ringette. X-Country Provincials.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play at the highest level possible.

Goals in these Games: To play my ultimate best and play every game to the best of my ability.

What is your position on your team? Forward**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #23



CHO, MADELEINE

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I currently play for the Vancouver 19+ club team, but have played for Burnaby, New Westminster and North West Vancouver ringette in

the past.

Interests/Hobbies: I love playing and watching sports, mainly ringette, ice hockey and field hockey.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My former field hockey coach has had the greatest impact on my sports and on my life. She helped me get through my rehab this past summer and she's still helping me take control of my hectic schedule and is helping me achieve my goals. Without her I'm not sure if I would have gotten through my rehab last summer and returned in time for this season.

Personal Best: My best moment so far in ringette is when I won the 2010 Western Canadian Ringette Championships and was named to the tournament all-star team.

List the languages that you speak fluently: French; I've been in French immersion since kindergarten

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals are to continue playing ringette for as long as I can, but I'd take a break during university in the hopes of getting an athletic scholarship for field hockey. My biggest goal, though, is to represent Canada on the world stage.

Goals in these Games: My goals for the 2011 Games are to represent BC well, play my best, bring home a medal and have no regrets.

What is your position on your team? I'm one of the three goalies on our team.



DAGG, ELIZABETH

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I play for Fraser Valley Ringette Association.

Interests/Hobbies: I love going out with friends and doing adventurous crazy things! Must keep my hands

busy all the time.

Personal Best: My personal best was to be part of Team BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: ASL (American Sign Language) is my first language! (I am Deaf)

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal is to play for the Langley NRL team and Team Canada.

Goals in these Games: To have lots of fun, enjoy the experience but most importantly to bring home the GOLD!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My cousin, Johnny Mahovlich, played for BCHL JR. A. His older

sister, Jenny Mahovlich, played for Ice Breaker and UBC Women's Thunderbird Hockey Team.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #11



EL GAZZAR, JASMINE

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Salmon Arm

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Thompson Okanagan Ringette League

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, piano, sports

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Nabokov, because he's a great goalie

Personal Best: Awards in ringette, playing rep hockey and competing in provincials in cross-country

List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French

Goals in Sport/Art: To win Gold at Canada Winter Games

Goals in these Games: To have a personal best as a goalie at the Games and help my team win the Gold medal

What is your position on your team? Goalie

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #39



ENGLISH, RYLEE

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Terrace

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: TORL Belle AA

Interests/Hobbies: Ringette, volleyball, hanging out with friends, sleeping, soccer

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Terry Monture. I trained with him for a while during the summer and he was a really good athlete as a kid but made some bad decisions at that age so he didn't get as far as he could have. He always gave me good life lessons and helped me strive to be a better athlete

Personal Best: 2nd place in AA provincial play downs; Provincials - won twice

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to Nationals with my team; to play as hard as I can all the time

Goals in these Games: My goal in these games is to place in the medal ceremonies with my team play as hard as I can every game work as hard as I can to do the best for our team

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #88

**FAWCETT, CHANTELE****Ringette: Athlete****City/Town:** Langley**Age:** 16**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** LMRL U19AA**Interests/Hobbies:** RINGETTE!**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** I don't

have a personal coach, I am my own mentor, I am going to create my own path not follow in any one else's footsteps.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English**Goals in Sport/Art:** To compete at the highest level possible in my sport and contribute to the team's success!**Goals in these Games:** I aspire for our team to compete with the other provinces and come home with a positive experience from the Games!**What is your position on your team?** Forward**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #17**GROPP, SAMANTHA****Ringette: Athlete****City/Town:** Maple Ridge**Age:** 19**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Fraser Valley
Avalanche**Interests/Hobbies:** Softball**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Tracy Townsend**Personal Best:** Gold medal in BC Provincial A**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** To win**Goals in these Games:** To win**What is your position on your team?** Center**If you have one, what is your jersey number?** #8**HANNESSON, KACY****Ringette: Athlete****City/Town:** Langley**Age:** 18**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** LMRL AA Belles**Interests/Hobbies:** Ringette, baseball, running and
fitness .**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Jennifer Wakefield has been my coach for the last two years. She loves this game as much as I do. She has shown me what commitment to excellence really is.**Personal Best:** I have had an amazing ringette experience over the years, playing local, provincial, national and international, but my best is teaching young Ringette players the game that I love.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** My goal is to play for Team Canada in World's, but in

the mean time I plan to be a strong team player who leaves it all on the ice.

Goals in these Games: I want to give my best and encourage the rest of my team to do the same.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #10



LIPSETT, ERIKA

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Salmon Arm

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Fraser Valley

Avalanche

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy the sunshine, cookies, long walks on the beach, and ringette

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cathy, she gave birth to me

Personal Best: Working on that

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Go as far as I can.

Goals in these Games: Don't fall; Don't suck; Medal

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? In past games and nationals my sister, and my two cousins, all in ringette

What is your position on your team? good question... mostly defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #12 but #21 at heart



MAXWELL-SMITH, LEIGH

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Belle LMRL AA

Interests/Hobbies: Field Hockey, snowboarding, and playing the guitar.

Personal Best: U16 CRC's 4th place & 1st team all-star

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To represent BC to the best of my ability, and leave it all on the ice.

What is your position on your team? Forward

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #19



POMPONIO, TAYLOR

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: West Kelowna

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Ringette

Interests/Hobbies: Ringette, soccer, being with family and friends

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Dad would be a mentor as

he is always trying to encourage me to be the best I can be.

Personal Best: Making Team BC for CWG and going to the Western Canadian Ringette Championships and the Canadian Ringette Championships

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be someone's role model and make a difference in their life and being a mentor for younger players within my community. To make Team Canada.

Goals in these Games: To play to the best of my ability at all times, meet new people, have fun and bring home a medal.

What is your position on your team? Center

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #15



SISSON, MALLORY

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Ringette

Interests/Hobbies: Ringette; fitness; coaching ringette; reading.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) None

Personal Best: Achieving national status, making Team BC and being Captain for TORL.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make sports and fitness a regular routine in my life. Always.

Goals in these Games: To obtain a medal

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #82



TAJBAKSH, SAMIRA

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: LMRL (lower mainland) AA

Interests/Hobbies: Playing sports and hanging out with friends

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Push my limits to the best I can do.

Goals in these Games: To play every game to the best of my abilities and medal with my team

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #5



WHITE, LYNITA

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Kingston

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Last year, I played for Ottawa Ice AA. Previously played for Thompson Okanagan Ringette League (TORL) AA and Lower

Mainland Ringette League, at the AA level.

Interests/Hobbies: Training for ringette; currently participating in Vogue Charity Fashion Show, (a well-known Queens' year-long commitment) as a model; pursuing a psychology degree with a health minor

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) First and foremost, my dad (Richard White) has supported me in every aspect of the sport, and has taught me a lot about what it means to be a serious athlete. He was one of my first coaches and hasn't missed a game for years. He's always there for my first tryouts with incomparable support and constructive criticism, and he knows when to let me know and when to back down and let me deal on my own. I wouldn't be in the sport playing as well as I do without him.

Personal Best: I've never made an "all star" team, and never expect to, as I'm not a high scorer, and my plus-minus is always low because I am played more often in high-risk situations. Since I believe so strongly in constant improvement, I'd say I'm at my personal best right now. **List the languages that you speak fluently:** English

Goals in Sport/Art: I would one day like to compete at Worlds as a member of Team Canada. I also hope to become a coach in the sport, and when I am finished school, to become a sport psychologist and hopefully work with ringette players as well as a variety of other high-level athletes.

Goals in these Games: All of us have had the incredible opportunity to exceed everyone's expectations by winning games (beating Team Alberta) and performing well in the tournaments leading up to the Games. Our team has established a goal of earning a medal at the Games.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother, Jackson White, competed in the BC Summer Games for high jump. My dad, Richard White, was a Canadian National Champion for swimming, played in the Western Finals for the CFL, and played in international flag and tackle football events. My mom, Tomi Hamner, was ranked in the top 20 for high jump in the NAIA, and was an Olympic stream gymnast. My stepdad, Kostie Killas competed in Wimbledon and in two Olympic Games for track.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My father, head coach of my CWG 2011 ringette team, was a CFL player on the BC lions as well as the Saskatchewan Roughriders. Like me, he played defence (linebacker). He coached my flag and tackle football teams from grade school to high school.

What is your position on your team? I was voted captain of the team this year, which is a huge honour.

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #6



WOODLEY, MELISSA

Ringette: Athlete

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Ringette

Interests/Hobbies: Field hockey, hockey, art, photo, life guarding.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Parents, because they always encourage me.

Personal Best: Receiving all-star at Westerns 2008 and first string all-star at Nationals 2010.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French.

Goals in Sport/Art: To win Gold at nationals.

Goals in these Games: To grow as a team and win all our games.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My dad is a coach as well as a master facilitator.

What is your position on your team? Defence

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #7



LIPSETT, CATHERINE

Ringette: Coach

City/Town: Salmon Arm

Age: 53

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Shuswap Ringette

Association/Thompson Okanagan Ringette League

Interests/Hobbies: Ringette, Baseball, Hockey, Water

skiing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Kerri Lucas-West Kerri was always looking to better the sport. She looked out for all the athletes and not for personal gain.

Personal Best: Provincial Champions Playing for the Salmon Arm Jewels Basketball team; BCWG Gold medallist Ringette (Coaching); BC Provincial medallist quite a few times over the years(Coaching)

Goals in Sport/Art: To make each player feel that all their time and hard work was worth any sacrifices that they had to make.

Goals in these Games: For the players, to play with pride, integrity and guts each and every shift.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Daughter, 2010 and 2007; Daughter and Niece, 2003; Niece 1999



SADOWAY, PHYLLIS

Ringette: Coach

City/Town: Box 972, Smoky Lake

Age: 70

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Edmonton Ringette

Club

Interests/Hobbies: Ringette: playing, coaching and developing coaching courses and reference materials, promoting Ringette. Doing activities with my grandsons, family activities, camping, helping athletes meet their potential.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Richard Sadoway because he supports all I do. He asks great questions and makes me think.

Personal Best: Playing: In 1966, I played Field hockey as goalkeeper for Canada East in the Canada East-West game. In 1972, playing for Team Alberta, I played against Australian and Irish Touring teams. Assistant Coaching: Team Canada won Gold in the World Championships in 2002 and 1996.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To empower athletes to attain their potential, to love Ringette and play it to the best of their ability.

Goals in these Games: To medal.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? I was involved in the Alberta Summer Games. Kari, one of my daughters, has won Gold at the World Ringette Championships for Canada in 1996 and in 2010, she won Bronze playing for Team USA. Together we have coached the US team for the 2004 and 2007 WRC. I coached the US Team again this year.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Kari, my daughter, has played in the National Ringette League for the last five years. She also played in the Finnish Ringette League in 2001.

What is your position on your team? Assistant Coach



WHITE, RICHARD

Ringette: Coach

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 50

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: NWVRA North & West Vancouver Ringette Association

Interests/Hobbies: Football, Snowboarding, Coaching

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Kerri-Lucas

West. She was the calmest person under stress on the bench and knows how to be in touch with her athlete. I feel she was the first coach to move BC ringette ahead in the modern game.

Personal Best: Drafted 3rd round by Saskatchewan Roughriders in 1982 in the CFL

Goals in Sport/Art: To improve ringette in BC

Goals in these Games: To have our team get better, stronger and faster. For Team BC to win more games than we lose

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My daughter is a member of the team. She also participated at the World Ringette Championships 2 years ago in Ottawa for Team USA

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



SKIING - ALPINE



BEHNCKE, PETER

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Revelstoke

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Revelstoke Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, Soccer, Track and Field, Basketball...

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Katie Findlay, my coach, is the person who helps me improve as a ski racer and as an athlete.

Personal Best: 7th in SL and SC at K2 nationals last year.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To ski for a University ski team in the USA

Goals in these Games: Top 20.



BERMEL, REBECCA

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Cranbrook

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kimberley North Star Racers

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, choir, reading, friends.

Personal Best: Winning Provincials Slalom (2008); 13th Giant Slalom (2010)

Goals in Sport/Art: BC ski team



DARLINGTON, KAILEE

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Women's Ski Team; used to ski for Whistler Mountain Ski Club.

Interests/Hobbies: I love all kinds of sports, especially skiing, volleyball, basketball, and I love adventures!

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Lina Jakobs (my step mom).

This is because she is so motivating to me, and without her I wouldn't be where I am today. She is willing to lay everything on the line for me to succeed in every aspect of life.

Personal Best: Reaching podium in Whistler cup, twice. Coming 2nd overall in Miele Cup, First year FIS. Qualifying for BC Women's Ski Team.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: National Team is the first step, and then of course the Olympics in either 2014 or 2018.

Goals in these Games: To perform to the best of my abilities, and be victorious!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My cousin, Nikolai is a football player who plays for the team at SFU. My other cousin, Carly-Rae Jepsen, singer, came 3rd on Canadian Idol in season 5, in 2006.

What is your position on your team? I am one of 4 female athletes on the BC Womens Ski Team. I am the only J1 athlete.



GRASIC, MARTIN

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Invermere

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Windermere Valley Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, basketball, soccer, sports in general, as well as reading.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Glen Thompson

Personal Best: Third overall at K2 nationals last year.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English Slovenian

Goals in Sport/Art: To win the overall world cup title in alpine skiing.

Goals in these Games: Win

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My dad (Dusan Grasic) is the coach of the Canadian Alpine Tech Team

What is your position on your team? FIS Athlete



KING, EMMA

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Whistler Mountain Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Reading, hanging out with friends

Personal Best: Came 1st in Super G at Whistler Cup 2010.

Goals in Sport/Art: Ski my best, beat my bib number by at least 20.

Goals in these Games: Ski my best, maybe even place in the top 20



RAMSDEN, ROBERT

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: West Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am affiliated with the Whistler Mountain Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: I am interested in computer

design, architecture, and building mini bikes

Personal Best: My personal best results are definitely coming 6th and 10th at the Whistler Cup International Kinder Races last year. I would also say that winning a race at K2 Provincials at Panorama is also a big deal.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals are to ultimately go to the Olympics, whether it be in Alpine Skiing or my other primary sport, mountain biking. For now though, my goals are to qualify for the BC Ski Team.

Goals in these Games: My goals are to simply do my best. I am not sure of the competition coming into the race, so I figure I might as well just give it my all.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Both of my sisters have competed in Nor-Am ski events, and my middle sister, Jocelyn, is currently a member of the BC Ski Team.



RAUHALA, SILKEN

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: W. Kelowna

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Big White Racers

Interests/Hobbies: Photography, languages, outdoor activities, soccer, kayaking, hiking, biking and skiing big

pow at Mt. Baldy, B.C.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I loved all my coaches - they've been so good to me - Dereck, Ted, Chris, Jessie, Floyd. Each one has improved a part of my skiing.

Personal Best: 13th Place, Whistler Cup 2010, slalom, second run in 4th position in the world with a bib number 79.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French.

Goals in Sport/Art: Canadian National Team; Crystal Globe; at least one; Olympic Gold.

Goals in these Games: Podium

What is your position on your team? First year FIS.



SEGER, BRODIE

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Whistler Mountain Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, mountain biking,

longboarding.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ryan Jazic, Jordan Williams, Jonathan Hadley.

Personal Best: Winning the BC J1 category in GS at Lake Louise this year.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Qualify for BC Ski team.

Goals in these Games: Come top 10 in GS and SG.



THOMPSON, BRODERICK

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, Baseball, Water skiing

Personal Best: Whistler Cup Super G Champion and

3rd in slalom

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Have the perfect run on the Alpine Skiing World Cup.

Goals in these Games: Ski my best tactically; it will put me in a good spot if I do so.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Cam Brewington is my cousin and he won the Super G a couple years ago.

What is your position on your team? The young gun



WELLS, ALIX

Skiing - Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George & Windermere Valley Ski Clubs

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, soccer, reading, water

skiing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Helmut Spiegl and Glenn Thompson

Personal Best: 1st in GS at K2 Nationals 2010

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Make BC Team

Goals in these Games: Top 15 placing



LORING, NIGEL

Skiing - Alpine: Coach

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 41

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Whistler Mountain Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Windsurfing

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To contribute to the success of winning teams and athletes at all levels

Goals in these Games: For Team BC to win more medals than any other province

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



CLARKE, LESLIE

Skiing - Alpine: Team Manager

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 48

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Program Director, BC Alpine Ski Association

Interests/Hobbies: fun skiing, cycling, snowshoeing and

reading

Personal Best: Rode some stages in the 2009 Tour de France

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: Injury free racers and a few Gold medals

What is your position on your team? Manager



REID, SCOTT

Skiing - Alpine: Team Manager

City/Town: Kimberley

Age: 38

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kimberley North Star Racers

What is your position on your team? Ski Tech.



SKIING - CROSS COUNTRY



BURTON, JOEY
Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete
City/Town: Canmore
Age: 20
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Overlander Ski Club, Kamloops BC
Interests/Hobbies: Graphic Arts
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike

Cavaliere

Personal Best: 25th at World Juniors

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Represent my country at Olympic Games

Goals in these Games: Ski fast



FERRIE, COLIN
Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete
City/Town: Kimberley
Age: 17
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kimberley Nordic Club
Interests/Hobbies: Soccer, biology
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Paul Freeze - has been coaching me for five years, making up

training plans, keeping me motivated

Personal Best: Gold medal at 2010 National Championships in Whitehorse in the 10 km classic.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Having the best season possible.

Goals in these Games: Knowing I've skied as hard as I can.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My Mom coaches Jackrabbits (very young skiers).



HEYES, KAJSA
Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete
City/Town: Whistler
Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Hollyburn Racing Team

Interests/Hobbies: I love art and writing, as well as fashion design. One of my main interests (and hobbies, I suppose, but it's a bit of an expensive one) is traveling and learning about different people and cultures.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chris Manhard.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in cross-country skiing is to become an international-level athlete; to place at World Cups; to win Gold at the Olympics.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My mother, Jessica Heyes, was a triathlete, but now coaches the Hollyburn Racing Team.



LEE, ANDREA

Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete

City/Town: Black Creek

Age: 20

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Strathcona Nordics

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



MARSHALL, ALYSSON

Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete

City/Town: Enderby

Age: 22

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Larch Hills Nordic Society (Ski Club) Alberta World Cup Academy (Team)
Also a member of the BC Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: All outdoor activities: hiking, biking, climbing, kayaking etc. Also enjoy cooking, reading, watching movies and hanging out with my friends in my down time.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike Cavaliere: Coach for the last three years.

Personal Best: 12th at the 2009 World U23 Championships in France (Classic sprint)

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: This season: Top 10 at the World U23 Championships
Long-term: Go to the Olympics, achieve international success

Goals in these Games: To medal



MEHAIN, HEATHER

Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Sovereign Lake Nordic
Interests/Hobbies: Music; playing piano.
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Darren Derochie. His motto: work hard and HAVE FUN!
Personal Best: Silver at 2010 World Junior Trials
List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French.
Goals in Sport/Art: Olympics
Goals in these Games: Gold.
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister Sarah Mehain competed in the 2009 Canada Summer Games in Charlottetown, PEI for Swimming.
Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My mother has been a cross-country coach for 8 years.



NEUMANN, MATTHEW
Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete
City/Town: Prince George
Age: 21
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Caledonia Nordic Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Cycling
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) John Jacques
Personal Best: 6 time Canadian National Biathlon Champion
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: 2014 Olympic Winter Games (Biathlon)
Goals in these Games: Podium finish
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Brother Aaron Neumann (Biathlon)



REID, REBECCA
Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete
City/Town: Rossland
Age: 18
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am affiliated with the Black Jack Cross Country Ski Club in Rossland, BC, but I am currently training with the Alberta World

Cup Academy in Canmore, AB.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach: Mike Cavaliere. Because he's the best.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: I want to be able to compete amongst the Nordic power house countries. I believe Canada has a pace amongst the best in Cross Country Skiing. My long term goal is to qualify for the 2014 Olympic Winter Games.

Goals in these Games: I always go into a competition expecting to win, this one is no exception.



RICHARDS, GEOFFREY

Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Black Jack Ski Club,
Callaghan Valley National Training Center

Interests/Hobbies: Mountain Biking, Running, Reading,

Building stuff, Skiing

Personal Best: Aggregate first at Nationals 2008

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Compete for Canada in the Olympics

Goals in these Games: Ski a good race and place well.



WYLIE, MATTHEW

Skiing - Cross Country: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 21

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Banff Ski Runners

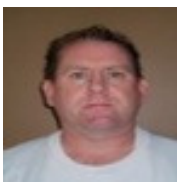
Interests/Hobbies: Being outdoors!

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Anders

Lenes

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To achieve the personal goals I have set.



BATTISON, DAVID

Skiing - Cross Country: Coach

City/Town: Campbell River

Age: 44

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Strathcona Nordic Ski
Team, BC Provincial Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Nordic skiing, mountain biking, wood

working and sailing

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Teaching continuous improvement of sport and life skills.

Goals in these Games: To achieve personal bests and continue along the path of athlete development.



FINCH, KERRY

Skiing - Cross Country: Coach

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 48

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Sovereign Lake Nordic Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, cycling, hiking, paddling

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Continue to improve as a coach and to compete in more sports (triathlon/marathon this summer).

Goals in these Games: Assist and support the athletes/team to achieve their best results.



MANHARD, CHRISTOPHER

Skiing - Cross Country: Coach

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 36

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Callaghan Valley National Development Centre

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other

national/international events ? My father

What is your position on your team? Head coach



MANHARD, NEIL

Skiing - Cross Country: Team Manager

City/Town: Forest Grove

Age: 65

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: 100 Mile House Cross Country Ski Club

Interests/Hobbies: Woodturning, coach, wax

technician

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Son, head coach Team BC 2011

What is your position on your team? Coach, wax technician



SKIING - FREESTYLE



HALLIWELL, NICOLA

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Freestyle Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Free skiing, water skiing, wakeboarding, trampoline, and reading.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andrew Clough because he is awesome.

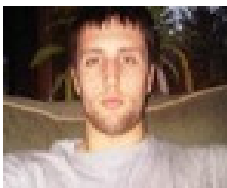
Personal Best: 1st at Junior Nationals in slopestyle and big air.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be in the middle of the pack in all competitions.

Goals in these Games: Top ten.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My Mother participated in the 1981 Canada Games in water polo.



HEARD, MAX

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Duncan

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Mt. Washington Freestyle Club

Interests/Hobbies: Eating, gaming, cliff jumping, diving boards, trampoline

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andrew Clough, because he's my favourite.

Personal Best: 3rd in slopestyle at Jr. Nationals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: X-Games / Olympics

Goals in these Games: To qualify



MORRISON, NOAH

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Silver Star Freestyle Club and BC TEAM

Interests/Hobbies: Trampoline, dirt biking, wake

surfing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike Shaw and Jeremy Cooper - they have helped me progress in my skiing throughout the years.

Personal Best: 1st BC Winter Games, Slopestyle; 3rd, Showdown Throwdown at Silverstar

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Go to X-Games

Goals in these Games: To podium in Big Air or Slopestyle



NAUDE, ANDI

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Okanagan Falls

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Mogul Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, Mountain Biking, Running, Water Skiing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andrew Clough and Elisa Kurylowicz.

Personal Best: 1st in Nationals

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the National Team.

Goals in these Games: To podium



SHARPE, CASSANDRA

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC pipe and park team

Interests/Hobbies: Freestyle Skiing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Me, because I'm my own boss.

Personal Best: National title.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: X Games or Olympics

Goals in these Games: Podium or do my best.



SPENCE, CONNOR

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Penticton

Age: 14

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am on the BC Freestyle team

Interests/Hobbies: I love to ski! I also mountain bike, water ski, wake board, and like to trampoline.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jeff Fairbairn has coached me for two years and I respect and like the way he coaches.

Personal Best: 2009 Australian Junior National champion for youth 2009 BC series mogul champ for youth

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in skiing is to reach my fullest potential.

Goals in these Games: My goal is to place top 10 in Canadian Selections.

What is your position on your team? Rookie



TSUBOTA, YUKI

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Pemberton

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Team

Goals in Sport/Art: To have fun and do my best.

Goals in these Games: Podium.



VISSER, HUNTER

Skiing - Freestyle: Athlete

City/Town: Penticton

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Halfpipe ski team

Interests/Hobbies: Girls, Jersey Shore, Physics

homework, The bowflex.

Personal Best: 1st place Canadian half pipe nationals Calgary 2009.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Compete in the Winter X-Games and have a full length segment in a ski video.

Goals in these Games: To place as best as I can and represent BC



CALLON, TANYA

Skiing - Freestyle: Coach

City/Town: Coldstream

Age: 32

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Silver Star Freestyle Ski Club and the BC Freestyle Ski Association.

Interests/Hobbies: Other than skiing... downhill mountain biking, surfing, swimming, golf, Frisbee, golf, longboarding, hiking, camping and reading.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



CLOUGH, ANDREW

Skiing - Freestyle: Coach

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 27

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Freestyle Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Surfing, snowmobiling, mountain biking, wakeboarding

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



SHAW, MICHAEL

Skiing - Freestyle: Coach

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 23

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Pipe and Park Team

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Josh

Dueck



GARROD, WADE

Skiing - Freestyle: Team Manager

City/Town: Vernon

Age: 37

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Freestyle Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, BMX, mountain bike, sledding and coaching.

Personal Best: Aerial 15th 1991 Nationals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Ski For Life

Goals in these Games: Top 2 both women's and men's teams



SKIING - PARA-ALPINE



BROUSSEAU, CALEB

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: whistler

Age: 22

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Para Alpine Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, Whitewater Kayaking

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Sochi 2014 Paralympics, World Cup.

Goals in these Games: To ski to the best of my ability.



LUSCOMBE, BRAYDON

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Duncan

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Para-Alpine Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, camping, fishing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?): Phil Chew- Coach

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the National Development team in the next few years and compete in the 2014 Paralympics.

Goals in these Games: I haven't competed in these Games so I am not knowing what to expect.



THOMPSON, JEFFREY

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 22

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: British Columbia Para-Alpine Ski Team (BCPAST)

Interests/Hobbies: Photography, Whitewater Kayaking, Rafting, Videography + Editing, Music, Blues, Laughing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?): A good mentor has always been my middle school friend, Shae De Jaray.

Personal Best: Bronze at Sun Peaks: BC-Western Canada Championships Slalom (March 2010)

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Short-term: have an injury free and successful race season, which includes gaining experience in the speed events and placing in at least 2 of the non-speed races. Long-term: Qualify and compete at the 2014 Sochi Paralympics

Goals in these Games: see the East, gain experience, meet other athletes, Place in top 5.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My brother, Ben Thompson, is also a member of the BC Para-Alpine Ski Team and competes as a sit-skier.



WHITWELL, BENN

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Athlete

City/Town: Manning Park

Age: 27

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Para Alpine Ski Team, DSABC

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing is a great passion. All winter it is my primary hobby and has grown into a career. I enjoy being outdoors and during the summer I work as a Park Facility Operator at Manning Park where I can canoe, bike, swim and so much more. I like to fish, sit around campfires at any time of year and end my nights reading.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Ferg Hawke, my second cousin, has participated in numerous national and international races representing himself and Canada as a triathlete and ultra long distance athlete.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Ferg Hawke is an accomplished ultra long distance runner and competes internationally. He was a member of the Canadian National Triathlon team and has had notable times at Badwater, Sables, and Ultraman World Championships. He is my second cousin on my mother's side.



CHEW, PHILIP

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Coach

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 58

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Disabled Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Cycling, skiing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Butch Boutry. He was my coach in Disabled National Ski Team from 1982 until 1992 and through three Paralympics.

Personal Best: Three Silver medals at the 1990 World Championships in

Winter Park Colorado

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To put as many young athletes on the Para Alpine National Ski Team as possible

Goals in these Games: To have athletes have a good showing

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



FINK, JASON

Skiing - Para-Alpine: Team Manager

City/Town: Whistler

Age: 44

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Coach - BC Para Alpine Ski Team

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, mountain biking, paddling,

music.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

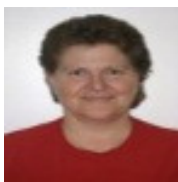
Goals in Sport/Art: Continue to improve skiing and coaching techniques.

Goals in these Games: Support & motivate our athletes to achieve their best. Meet other coaches & athletes in various sports.

What is your position on your team? Assistant coach



SKIING - PARA-NORDIC



BENSON, MARY

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Athlete

City/Town: South Surrey

Age: 50

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Nordic Racers,
Vancouver B.C

Interests/Hobbies: Gardening, cycling, camping,

travelling

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) George Tuira. He came out of retirement to coach me to the Paralympic Winter Games in 2010. He travelled with me, coached me and kept me on track because he cared. I believe coaches deserve to be paid but I could not afford to pay for coaching and he did it because of me and sport.

Personal Best: 2010 World Cup Race Germany 8th Sprint Cl.

Goals in Sport/Art: To encourage young athletes to compete. To lead by example

Goals in these Games: To ski personal best times

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Bother Dave, Mission Staff Manitoba; nephew Paul Benson, Manitoba, in these Games, Nordic Skier, past Games, Cycling/ Skiing; niece Emily Benson, Kayaking 2010 Summer

What is your position on your team? Senior Citizen Skier



BUNDON, ANDREA

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 28

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Nordic Racers
(Vancouver)

Interests/Hobbies: Rowing (this is my primary sport and I was recruited to guide Courtney when a coach saw me skiing as cross training). Promoting adaptive/Paralympic sport.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Tony Chin is our coach at the Nordic Racers and was the one who encouraged me to try guiding - and I am very grateful he did. Craig Pond is my rowing coach and he has really helped

me step my game up these last couple years and he's a pro at helping me balance training for two sports.

Personal Best: The highlight of my guiding career was when Courtney (and I!) placed 8th at the Paralympic Games in the classic sprint race. We made it to the semi-finals and had a great race. As an athlete the highlight of my career was an 8th place finish at the World University Rowing Championships in the lightweight single in 2010.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: Get faster...

Goals in these Games: My goal is always to support Courtney and help her have the best performance possible. We are both very excited that Para-Nordic skiing has been included in the Games and we want the event to be exciting and successful.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My parents (and I) were both heavily involved in hosting the 2005 Canada Summer Games in Regina. Both my parents are masters athletes and recently competed at the World Rowing Championships.

What is your position on your team? Guide to Courtney Knight (visually impaired para-nordic skier)



GIBSON, ASQUITH

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 46

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Nordic Racers

Interests/Hobbies: Skiing, fishing, cycling

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be the best

Goals in these Games: top finisher



KNIGHT, COURTNEY

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 35

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Nordic Racers

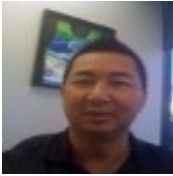
Interests/Hobbies: Reading, yoga and spending time with friends and family.

Personal Best: 8th at 2010 Vancouver Winter Paralympic Games

Goals in Sport/Art: To compete at the 2010 Paralympic Games - check!

Goals in these Games: To enjoy the experience!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My brother, Adam, just retired as a pro hockey player. He has played both in the USA and in Europe.



CHIN, ANTHONY

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Coach

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 46

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Nordic Racers Ski Club

List the languages that you speak fluently: English



OXNER, KATHERINE

Skiing - Para-Nordic: Team Manager

City/Town: South Surrey

Age: 55

Gender: F



SNOWBOARDING



BURGOYNE, FARO

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: Fairmont Hot Springs

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Calgary Snowboard Club

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, football, dirt bike, swimming, and competing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mark Ballard, to accelerate my athletic development and eventually become the best in the world

Goals in Sport/Art: To be the best in the world

Goals in these Games: To win Gold



CRITCHLOW, JADE

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Boardercross Team

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, Media Arts/Filming, Drawing.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My personal coach/mentor has been my father because he taught me how to race and be a great person.

Personal Best: 8th at Jr. Worlds

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My ultimate goal is to get to the Olympics!

Goals in these Games: My goal for these Games is to get on the podium.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister in an alternate for Boardercross.



ESPIRITU, RYAN

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Calgary Snowboard Club

Interests/Hobbies: Knit or quit.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: Get on the podium!



GOODWIN, SHAYNA

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am currently riding for the BC Snowboard Cross Team.

Interests/Hobbies: Some of my interests and hobbies

are snowboarding, soccer, lacrosse, rugby, volleyball, basketball and wake boarding

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chris Nakonechny is my coach and he has helped me get this far.

Personal Best: My personal best achievement is qualifying for Junior Worlds.

List the languages that you speak fluently: I can only speak English fluently

Goals in Sport/Art: To go as far in snowboarding as I can.

Goals in these Games: To come out of it with good results.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? I have had two cousins compete in BC Summer Games



HOLLAND, TANNER

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: B C Development Team

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, Skateboarding,

Wakeboarding, Biking (Park, Dirt Jump, Downhill MB)

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Matt Galina - he is relentless in his determination, way cool, fit, strong, athletic, and has a real job that lets him ride when he wants.

Personal Best: Finished 28th in qualifying for 2010 Canadian National Snowboard Championships SBX, was in one of 8 heats that included Olympic Silver medalist, was youngest competitor of 64 entrants.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Podium finishes in as many events as I enter, preferred

discipline is Slopestyle, looking forward to halfpipe, ready to fill in for SBX if needed. Would love to make snowboard part of my post secondary life of school and career at top levels, including international competitions.

Goals in these Games: Strive for best form and style in halfpipe, use my in air talent to get the best result for our team, podium for sure!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My Uncle Tony Ramsay has been a coach in wrestling and lacrosse for many years.

What is your position on your team? Halfpipe Competitor



JASPER, KYLE

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Freestyle team

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, Music, and Travel.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Adam

Higgins. Coach is there to help and answer any of the questions I may have.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go as far as I can go

Goals in these Games: To do my best



JONCAS, FREDERIQUE

Snowboarding: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 18

Gender: F

Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, surfing, biking, hiking, photography, history

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Fitness

Coach: Glenn Tagulao (Level 10 Fitness) Snowboard Coach: Simon Bonefanti (Canada-Snowboard) & David Huggil

Personal Best: 6th at Mt. Hood Meadows Nor-Am, Mt-Hood, OR, 2010 14th at 2010 Jr World Championships, Wanaka, New Zealand, 2010

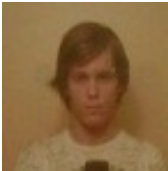
List the languages that you speak fluently: First Language: French (was born in Bromont, Quebec). Speak English fluently.

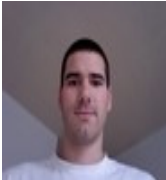
Goals in Sport/Art: Go to the Olympics (Sochi 2014?)

Goals in these Games: Top 4

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Father, Robert Joncas, Canada Snowboard Program Director

What is your position on your team? Snowboardcross, PGS Athlete

**PITMAN, THOMAS****Snowboarding: Athlete****City/Town:** Trail**Age:** 17**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** B.C. Provincial Team and Kootenay Riders**Interests/Hobbies:** Snowboarding, mountain biking, hunting, and fishing.**Personal Best:** Jr Nationals in Quebec - April 2010 - 2nd place (J2 - 17 and under) 1st place**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Attend Olympics in 2014 or 2018**Goals in these Games:** Podium finish**Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ?** My twin brother Mitch is the alternate for snowboard-cross**THORP, ALEX****Snowboarding: Athlete****City/Town:** Vancouver**Age:** 19**Gender:** M**Personal Best:** Canadian Junior Champion at Mt. Tremblant last year**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in these Games:** I have two goals for these Canadian Winter Games; first I feel I have to bring back a shiny piece of medal and secondly I hope to be shivering a little less than the last Canada Winter Games.**WOODRUFF, CHLOE****Snowboarding: Athlete****City/Town:** North Vancouver**Age:** 17**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** BC Provincial Snowboard team**Interests/Hobbies:** Snowboarding, wakeboarding, skimboarding, skateboarding, drawing, reading.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Adam Higgins- BC Provincial Snowboard Coach Andrew George-BC Provincial Snowboard Coach**Personal Best:** My personal best is making the BC provincial snowboard team and qualifying for Canada Games.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Compete and place at the 2011 Canada Winter Games. Compete in the 2014 Winter Olympics.**Goals in these Games:** Compete in the slopestyle and halfpipe.**Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ?** Yes

**WOODRUFF, RUBY****Snowboarding: Athlete****City/Town:** North Vancouver**Age:** 19**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** BC Snowboard Team**Interests/Hobbies:** Snowboarding, biking, wakeboarding, skateboarding, skimboarding, taking photos, editing movies, hiking/being outside, listening to music.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Adam Higgins, Andrew George and Dane Degruyter**Personal Best:** Whenever I'm having fun**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** Be able to snowboard as my career one day. Continue pushing women's snowboarding.**Goals in these Games:** Top 3 for halfpipe. Also to meet people from all across Canada who are competing in snowboarding and in other sports**Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ?** My sister Chloe Woodruff. We're both competing in Halfpipe.**DROUIN, CANDICE****Snowboarding: Coach****City/Town:** Whistler**Age:** 34**Gender:** F**KAECELE, DANE****Snowboarding: Coach****City/Town:** North Vancouver**Age:** 29**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** BC Halfpipe Team.**Interests/Hobbies:** Snowboarding, surfing, travelling, drinking coffee, fishing etc.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Dustin Heise. Because he told me what to do to reach these steps and I did it.**Personal Best:** Snowboarding for a living.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** To have fun and maintain a healthy level of competition.**Goals in these Games:** Support our athletes any way we can leading up to and during the Games. Prepare our athletes so they can showcase their talents at the Games.**Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information.** My Brother used to be a professional wrestler. He won the Provincials about a decade ago then moved to Tahiti and stopped wrestling.**What is your position on your team?** Coach for the BC Halfpipe team.



GEORGE, ANDREW
Snowboarding: Team Manager
City/Town: Vancouver
Age: 31
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Snowboard



RAYMOND, DANIEL
Snowboarding: Team Manager
City/Town: Whistler
Age: 35
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Team
Interests/Hobbies: Music
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andrew George
Personal Best: 4th in World Cup in Japan
List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French
Goals in Sport/Art: To Coach Olympians
Goals in these Games: Gain experience in a new role as equipment technician



SPEED SKATING - LONG TRACK



BANWELL, ALISON

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Field Hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Nancy Goplen

because she's always behind me pushing me to go forward.

Personal Best: 500m: 41,14 1000m: 1.22,16 1500m: 2.06,13 3000m: 4.38,31

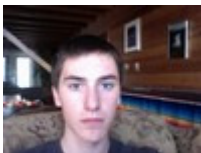
List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French.

Goals in Sport/Art: To never stop improving.

Goals in these Games: Personal bests, outdoor experience, medal.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My cousin Liam Fisher competed in the 2009 Summer Games for rowing.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My Uncle, Hugh Fisher, won a Gold medal and a Bronze medal at the 1984 LA Olympics in kayaking.



CLOUTHIER, BRADEN

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Dawson Creek

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Dawson Creek Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Skating, Running, Reading

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ron Cartier, club coach.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Achieve place in oval program.

Goals in these Games: Place high and break personal bests.



GIFFIN, AEDAN

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Grade 10 level Piano Theatre Disney Movies Animation Field Hockey

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ailsa Le May for always supporting me especially when I was very nervous about competing.

Personal Best: 500 - 40.30 1500 - 2,00;70 3000 - 4,11 5000 - 7,21

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: National Team, Junior World Championships, Junior Olympic Games

Goals in these Games: Win. Straight up.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My father competed at National Figure Skating Championships, earning a Bronze medal, and World Professional Championships, earning 10th place.



INGLIS, JAMES

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Chase

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops long blades. Currently training at Calgary Olympic Oval

Interests/Hobbies: Biking, hiking listening to music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I don't have a personal coach but I have Sandi, David and Abby. They have trained me in this sport.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To go to Olympics

Goals in these Games: To win a medal in one of my distances



JANSSENS, ALEC

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Calgary

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Sardis Fliers

Interests/Hobbies: Music, outdoors and having FUN!!

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

and French

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the National Team

Goals in these Games: Multiple medals

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My uncle Mark Janssens played in the NHL for 14 years



POUSETTE, SARAH

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George Blizzard Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Cross Country Skiing, Piano, Right to Play, Sewing, Coaching, and Development Work.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Arno Hoogveld

Personal Best: Personal Best Times 500m 42.18 seconds 1000m 1:22.08
1500m 2:06.49 3000m 4:26.83

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My long term goal is to represent Canada in Long Track Speed Skating at the 2018 Olympic Winter Games. My short term goals are: - to place top 5 overall this season for Canadian Junior Athletes - to qualify for the Canadian Development Team by 2012

Goals in these Games: My goals are to place in the top 3 in both the 1500m and the 3000m and win gold in the Team Pursuit.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My older sister competed in the 2003 Canada Winter Games.



SPENCE, JOSIE

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops River City Racers

Interests/Hobbies: Speed Skating, running, cycling and triathlons.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cathy Spence

Personal Best: Long Track 500- 42.85 1000-1.24.55 1500-2.09.58 3000-4.29.62 Short Track 500-48.60 1000-1.39.40 1500-2.28.40

Goals in Sport/Art: I want to go far in skating. It would be awesome to represent Canada one day in the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: Achieve great times as well as make new friends and have fun.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Sister, Victoria Spence



SPENCE, VICTORIA

Speed Skating - Long Track: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops River City Racers

Interests/Hobbies: I love to be outside. Hiking, camping and biking are 3 of my top favourite things to do besides Speed Skating. I love to play sports and keep active. I also play piano.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My personal mentor is my mom, Cathy Turnbull-Spence. Her strength motivates me to never give up and to put 100% effort into everything I do.

Personal Best: My personal best times for Long Track Speed Skating :
500m: 41,98 1,000m: 2.21,09 1,500m: 2.03,99 3,000m: 4.19,35

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals for this season are to improve my technique, and times. I also want to represent Canada at the Junior World Championships.

Goals in these Games: In these Games my goals are to win a gold medal in the 3,000m and team pursuit.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My two sisters, Josie and Sara Spence are participating in these Games.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My mom, Cathy Turnbull-Spence, was on the National Speed Skating team and my dad, Owen Spence, was the Junior Champion for cross country skiing.



GOPLEN, NANCY

Speed Skating - Long Track: Coach

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 49

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Speed Skating Club, Okanagan Regional Training Centre

Interests/Hobbies: soccer, skiing, reading, cycling

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Xulie Wang and Jacques Thibault have been great mentors.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To have the athletes perform to their potential with Pre-Games and Games strategies

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Husband, Gary won several medals in 1975; mother-in-law, Henrietta was a past coach; sister, Pat Durnin Leech won multiple medals in 1975 and 1980 Olympian; Brother in-law, Gord Goplen, won medals and is an 1988 Olympian

What is your position on your team? Head Long Track Coach



GORDON, KEITH

Speed Skating - Long Track: Team Manager

City/Town: Fort St. James

Age: 59

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Fort St. James Falcons
Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: Bird watching, running, cross-country skiing, cycling but mostly following and coaching

speed skating.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) None that I know of.

Personal Best: Ran a marathon in another era- 2:46.13.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal every time I coach is to maximize the athletes' effectiveness at their sport given all the attributes and commitment they have to it. In skating this means helping them go as fast as possible, whether they train once a week or 6 times a week.

Goals in these Games: I will support our team BC athletes and coaches as effectively as I can. I won't be coaching (I'm the manager) per se but BC skaters (LT and ST) will be getting more medals than at any Games since 1995

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My three daughters each competed in speed skating. Misha and Andrea skated in Grand Prairie in 1995 and Sarah and Andrea skated in Corner Brook in 1999.



SPEED SKATING - SHORT TRACK



HEMPSALL, TIMOTHY

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: My home club is the Prince George Blizzard Speed Skating Club.

Interests/Hobbies: My interests and hobbies

include soccer, mountain and road biking, reading, and gaming with friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) See answer above.

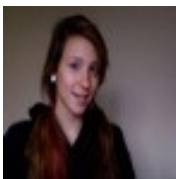
Personal Best: Eight time Provincial Champion in Short and Long Track Speed skating from 2004 to 2010. Thirteen Canadian Age Class Medals in Short Track and Long Track Speed Skating from 2004 - 2010 (two Gold, six Silver and five Bronze). Five BC Winter Games Short Track Speed Skating Medals in 2008 (four gold and one silver). Inducted into Prince George Sports Hall of Fame in April 2008 as Outstanding Youth Athlete based on past three years of achievement in both short track and long track speed skating. Silver and Bronze medalist at 2010 North American Long Track Speed Skating Championships in Salt Lake City, Utah. Qualified for Short Track Speed Skating National Team trials in 2009/2010 season. Third Place overall finish as an Intermediate Male (ages 17 and 18) at Canadian Age Class Championships in Campbellton, New Brunswick in March 2010

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals for the 2010/2011 season are to place in the top 10 at the Canadian Junior Short Track competition and to win a medal or medals at the Canada Winter Games in Halifax.

Goals in these Games: To perform the best of my ability and win a medal or two for Team BC!

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My grandfather, Les Hempsall, won the Bobby Gaul Trophy for Sports Excellence at UBC in 1950. He excelled in the sports of rugby and rowing.



KECA, JESSE

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Speed Skating Club (KSSC)

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, skiing, horseback riding, soccer, music, photography

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My dad - always pushing me to train and succeed; Nancy Goplen, club coach - always believes in me and gives great pep talks :)

Personal Best: 3rd at Nationals in 2007

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Compete for team Canada on the national short track team

Goals in these Games: To skate well and get some personal best times, give the other athletes good competition



KEMPERS, ROBYN

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Chilliwack

Age: 16

Gender: F

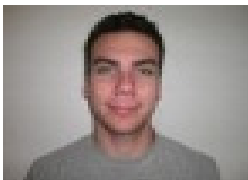
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: The club I skate for is Sardis Fliers.

Interests/Hobbies: Outside of speed skating, I am currently the captain of my high school senior basketball team. I also play softball in the spring after skating season.

Goals in Sport/Art: I hope to make it to the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: I hope to finish top 10 and win a medal in the relay.

What is your position on your team? I am a coach at my club.



KUPCHANKO, MITCHEL

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Fort St. John

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Fort St. John Elks

Interests/Hobbies: Automotive, Snowboarding, ATVing, Snowmobiling

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Richard Stickel

Personal Best: Nationals - Bronze medal - 2010

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Do well at CWG

Goals in these Games: Medal

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Michael Kupchanko -

archery



MACDONALD, JAMIE

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Fort St. James

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Fort St. James Falcons

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy horseback riding, reading and spending time with family and friends.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Keith Gordon. He has been coaching me for many years and I respect him greatly. He always has an organized practice, but it's always fun and challenging

Personal Best: I won the 2007 Short Track and Long Track age class championships, and I came 3rd at the Campbellton 2010 Canadian Age Class Championships for Short Track.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Olympics and Jr worlds.

Goals in these Games: To do my best and get into a primary final!



MACKAY, MICHELLE

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

City/Town: Pitt Meadows

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Ridge Meadows Speed Skating Club

Interests/Hobbies: When not training, I am involved with speed skating as a Junior Coach 4-5 times/week at two local speed skating clubs. I also help out as an official when I am able at local interclub competitions. I have also enjoyed being an Open Championship Irish Dancer, as well as my involvement in Track and Field. I also enjoy spending time with my friends and listening to music.

Personal Best: 500m: 46.14 1000m: 1:35.90 1500m: 2:29.07

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My short term goals in sport would include qualifying to attend the World Junior Championships in the next two years. My goals in the long term would include making the National Short Track Team and skating to represent Canada at both World Championships and Olympic Games.

Goals in these Games: To win the first individual medal for BC in Short Track Speed skating since 1999.



MCLENNAN, THOMAS

Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete

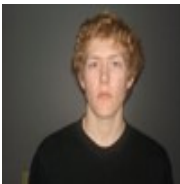
City/Town: Maple Ridge

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Ridge Meadows Racers

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

**MCLENNAN, WILLIAM****Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete****City/Town:** Maple Ridge**Age:** 17**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Ridge Meadows Racers**ROSBOROUGH, JORDAN****Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete****City/Town:** Winfield**Age:** 17**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Kelowna Speed Skating Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Road Biking, soccer

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My coach Nancy Goplen has the greatest impact and is my driving force.

Personal Best: BC Winter Games - WC Bennett Award of Athletic Excellence. 5 Gold Medallist for the BC Winter Games.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English French

Goals in Sport/Art: To continue to excel in my sport.

Goals in these Games: Would like to medal in Canada Winter Games

**SHMYR, COURTNEY****Speed Skating - Short Track: Athlete****City/Town:** Langley**Age:** 18**Gender:** F**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Langley Blades Speed Skating Club member, training out of the Calgary Oval short track Program.

Interests/Hobbies: Traveling, movies, meeting new people, reading, learning something new every day, Crankworks downhill Biking, going to Whistler with friend and family.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Eden - an Olympian and coach Mr. Lootz, - PE Teacher and T & F coach Al - Calgary Trainer- coach All gave me the confidence and strength to be a well-rounded person and athlete

Personal Best: 500 m Dec. 2010 45.3

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Represent Canada at the World Juniors

Goals in these Games: Stay focused, mentally, healthy environment, racing with confidence and dedication representing BC and the rest of Canada.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Tyler Shmyr - 9th overall 2007 Winter Games; Paul Shmyr - WHL and NHL; Elio Ius, Boxing Hall of Fame (nickname - The Eagle); Chris Ius, 1976 Olympics boxing

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist,

or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Mathew Ius - WHL Everett and Langley Chiefs - Hockey Scott (Shmyr) Renner - BCJHL Powell River Kings- Hockey
What is your position on your team? 500, 1000, 1500 and relay race



ACTON, CHRISTINA
Speed Skating - Short Track: Coach
City/Town: Kelowna
Age: 25
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kelowna Speed Skating Club Vernon Speed Skating Club
Interests/Hobbies: Speed skating, cycling, roller derby

List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: Continue to be involved in the sport and to give back through coaching and officiating.
Goals in these Games: Support the athletes to reach their goals, learn from fellow coaches.
What is your position on your team? Women in Coaching Apprentice Coach



FISHER, DEBRA
Speed Skating - Short Track: Coach
City/Town: Calgary
Age: 57
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am affiliated with the BC Speed Skating Association
Interests/Hobbies: All Sports -Presently training in Hap

Ki Do (form of Martial Arts) Scottish Pipe Band Music
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Dr. Meagher expected you to strive for excellence in whatever you do.
Personal Best: Bronze medal Canadian Long Track Championships 1974
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: Become a black belt in Hap Ki Do by 2012
Goals in these Games: Have the BC Short Track Team have the most successful Games ever!!!
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My Dad was the NB Team manager for speed skating in 1979. He was a starter in 1987. My husband Rod Fisher was a chief referee in 1987



THIBAUT, JACQUES
Speed Skating - Short Track: Team Manager
City/Town: Calgary
Age: 52
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Speed Skating Association
Interests/Hobbies: Sailing and Snowboarding

List the languages that you speak fluently: French/English



SQUASH



BUNYAN, NICOLE

Squash: Athlete

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria Squash Club

Interests/Hobbies: Other than squash... soccer, volleyball, piano, spinning, biking, hanging out with

friends, watching Big Bang Theory!!!

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Ken Moselle! He has taught me how to enjoy my fitness training- spinning. He also got me into cycling and he is the one that keeps me motivated while doing so.

Personal Best: 1st U19 BC Girls, 3rd or 4th Canada Girls U19

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French (needs to be practiced though!)

Goals in Sport/Art: To come in the top 3 at Junior Nationals this year; to play on a University team

Goals in these Games: To win the Gold medal!!!!!!



DANIELS, BRYNN

Squash: Athlete

City/Town: Saskatoon

Age: 16

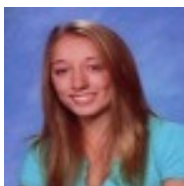
Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Squash

Interests/Hobbies: Squash, Volleyball, Golf, Swimming, Snowboarding, Pottery, Hanging out with my friends

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To win a medal



FOSTER, ABBIGAE

Squash: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Jericho Tennis Club

Interests/Hobbies: Squash

Personal Best: On the Junior Canadian Women's National Team, Top Junior Woman in BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: French, English

Goals in these Games: To win the Gold for the BC Squash Team

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes, my brother Mackenzie Foster is participating on the BC Boys Squash Team. He also participated in the past Canada Winter Games.



FOSTER, MACKENZIE

Squash: Athlete

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: University of Western Ontario

Interests/Hobbies: Music

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Jack Fairs - Coach at University of Western Ontario

Personal Best: 2nd in Under 15 - Canadian Nationals

List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French

Goals in Sport/Art: Continue to play squash while attending University of Western Ontario.

Goals in these Games: British Columbia Squash Team to win Gold medal.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Abbey Foster, my sister playing squash for British Columbia.



LEMAN, ZACHARY

Squash: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I play at the Jericho Tennis Club.

Interests/Hobbies: Playing golf, table tennis, trumpet

and reading.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Shauna Flath

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Represent Canada at World Junior Squash Championships. Use squash to get into an Ivy League school.

Goals in these Games: Win the Gold medal.

**OLSON, TYLER****Squash:** Athlete**City/Town:** Victoria**Age:** 17**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Victoria Squash Club**Interests/Hobbies:** Poker, cycling.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** Stuart

Dixon

Personal Best: 2nd place at Jr. Nationals U15 and U17.**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** To win Jr. Nationals U19.**Goals in these Games:** For BC to win the Gold medal.**SEGINSON, LINDSAY****Squash:** Athlete**City/Town:** Victoria**Age:** 17**Gender:** F**Interests/Hobbies:** Squash, Piano**Personal Best:** 6th at Nationals**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English,

French

Goals in Sport/Art: Make the Canada Winter Games Team. Play squash on a university team.**Goals in these Games:** Help my team win a Gold medal for BC**THOMPSON, MICHAEL****Squash:** Athlete**City/Town:** Vancouver**Age:** 15**Gender:** M**Club Team/Artistic Affiliation:** Jericho Tennis Club, Vancouver, BC**Interests/Hobbies:** I like playing soccer, tennis, golf, watching sports on TV. I also love to travel.**Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?)** My coach, Shauna Flath, is also my mentor and will always be one of my best friends. She is always there for me and never lets me down. We've been working together since I was 8 years old, so she's watching me grow up as well.**Personal Best:** 2010 Squash Canada Boys U15 National Champion 2010 Squash BC Boys U15 Provincial Champion 2010 Squash BC Boys U19 Junior Open Champion 2009 Scottish Junior Open - Bronze Medal Boys U15**List the languages that you speak fluently:** English**Goals in Sport/Art:** I'd like to play my way into a top university squash program and graduate with a science degree. From there, I'd like to pursue a professional squash career.**Goals in these Games:** To help my team bring back the Gold to BC!**Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ?** My sister, Daryl, was a

Gold & Silver medalist in the 2007 Western Canada Summer Games in tennis.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My uncle, John Picken, is the Head Tennis Coach at Jericho Tennis Club. He played the pro tennis circuit before he retired to coaching. He coached at the Canada Summer Games a long time ago - back in the 80's!

What is your position on your team? Position 3



BOAG, JEFF

Squash: Coach

City/Town: North Vancouver

Age: 34

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Hollyburn Country Club
Squash Professional Squash BC HP Coach and Junior Development Committee

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Stuart Dixon, Alan Fern and Rick Schmon were all influential coaches to me. Rick was my first coach with Alan and Stuart looking after me during my competitive years. Stuart and I now work together with Squash BC as HP coaches.

Personal Best: Gold medal for BC at the 1995 Canada Winter Games - Squash. Top 15 Canadian and Top 5 BC ranking. Canadian Men's Team Championships, Gold for BC.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To provide athletes with the direction and knowledge to be successful.

Goals in these Games: Bring home Gold medals for both the Boys and Girls Squash teams.



VASSILAKAKIS, REBECCA

Squash: Team Manager

City/Town: Castlegar

Age: 29

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: My current club is Swingers Racquet Club

Interests/Hobbies: Squash, Dragon Boating, Snowshoeing, Skiing and traveling

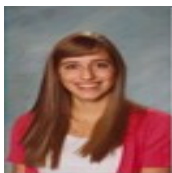
Personal Best: National Junior Champion 1993, 1995, 1997; Provincial Junior Champ 1995-1999

Goals in Sport/Art: To stay in the top 5 in the province

Goals in these Games: Men's and Women's Squash Team to come home with GOLD!



SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING



BAXTER, VANESSA
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete
City/Town: Surrey
Age: 17
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Aquasonics
Interests/Hobbies: Synchronized Swimming
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?): Susan

Kemper - current coach

Personal Best: 3rd at Westerns in 2008 for Figures

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the BC Team in synchronized swimming for Canada Winter Games

Goals in these Games: To medal in the Games

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes, a cousin in the 2007 Canada Winter Games playing for the Alberta Ringette team



DERKS, KESSIA
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete
City/Town: Victoria
Age: 16
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: PacificSport Synchro Victoria
Interests/Hobbies: Friends and athletics

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Olena Foschevska. She always pushes me to do my best even when I am having a bad day. She usually gets me motivated

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Qualify for Nationals with my solo.

Goals in these Games: To medal in Team competition



DOUGAN, MEGHAN
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete
City/Town: Nanaimo
Age: 19
Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Synchro BC
Interests/Hobbies: Travel, Music, Cooking
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Brenda Smythe because she has coached me for more than half my synchro career
Personal Best: Bronze medal in duet at Nationals in 2009
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: Become the best swimmer I can be
Goals in these Games: Go home with a medal



GUSTAFSSON, KELLI
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: I am part of the club Vancouver Pacific Wave

Interests/Hobbies: I enjoy volunteering at the SPCA

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Danielle Hahn, always been an inspiration and always challenges me to do my best

Personal Best: My personal best in swimming has been achieving a spot on the Canada Winter Games team.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goal in Synchro is to achieve my personal best, hopefully make a national team

Goals in these Games: I want to swim to my best in the team and to do my personal best in figures



MCCULLOCH, JANE
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Pacific Wave

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Kara

Kalin

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Make national team

Goals in these Games: Make podium in team event



PATERSON, KIMBERLY
Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 20

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Pacific Wave

Interests/Hobbies: UBC HKIN, volunteer personal training, coaching.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Danielle Hahn. (She is my current coach year round)

Personal Best: 1st place solo routine tier 6 - 16+

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Undecided

Goals in these Games: Podium!

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My little sister is on the team as well.

What is your position on your team? Team Captain



PATERSON, MADELYN

Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Pacific Wave

Interests/Hobbies: Synchronized Swimming, Volleyball, Water-skiing

Personal Best: 2009 Western Canadian Championships: 2nd in Solo routine and 2nd in 16 & over figures. 2009 Canadian Espoir Championships: 7th in solo.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: A podium finish in team routine

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister Kimberly Paterson is also participating in these Winter Games.



TEN VAANHOLT, DANIELLE

Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: West Vancouver

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Vancouver Pacific Wave

Interests/Hobbies: Improv team, school play

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Kara Kalin and Danielle Hahn

Personal Best: Third at nationals in 2007

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To be able to follow my passion into University

Goals in these Games: To achieve the best with my team



WILLIAMS, ERIN

Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Aquasonics

Interests/Hobbies: Playing Saxophone & Piano Art

Synchronized Swimming

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Susan Kemper & Tanya Matson

Personal Best: Making Team BC

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: National Team

Goals in these Games: Make the podium



ZAWADIUK, OLIVIA

Synchronized Swimming: Athlete

City/Town: Coquitlam

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: PacificSport Aquasonics

Interests/Hobbies: Music, (violin)

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Tanya Matson. She was a national athlete.

Personal Best: Made the Canadian 13-15 National Team

List the languages that you speak fluently: English and French

Goals in Sport/Art: Go to the Olympics

Goals in these Games: Be on the podium.



KEMPER, SUSAN

Synchronized Swimming: Coach

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 40

Gender: F



MATSON, TANYA

Synchronized Swimming: Coach

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 25

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: PacificSport Aquasonics
Synchronized Swim Club

Interests/Hobbies: Waterskiing, Reading, Rollerblading

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To have my athletes achieve the goals that they set for themselves and learn skills that they can use in other aspects of their lives.

Goals in these Games: Podium

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister competed as a synchronized swimmer at the 2003 Games.

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. My second cousin is Brent Hayden, Canadian swimmer and world champion.



TABLE TENNIS



FU, SHIRLEY

Table Tennis: Athlete

City/Town: Burnaby

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: CITTI (Canada International Table Tennis Institute)

Interests/Hobbies: Table Tennis and various other

kinds of sports, art, music

Personal Best: Medals at Canada National Games.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Mandarin

Goals in Sport/Art: To participate in the Olympics.

Goals in these Games: Do my best effort and contribute to my team.



LAU, JEREMY

Table Tennis: Athlete

City/Town: West Vancouver

Age: 14

Gender: M **Interests/Hobbies:** Play video games, watch TV, and play basketball.

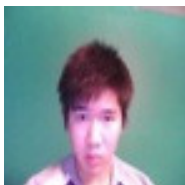
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Stephen Li

Personal Best: Table tennis, basketball

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Play my best

Goals in these Games: To beat someone who have higher rating than me



LEE, ADRIAN

Table Tennis: Athlete

City/Town: Coquitlam

Age: 15

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Canadian International Table Tennis Institute

Interests/Hobbies: Table Tennis, music and video

games.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Stephen Li because he is a very good and well known coach.

Personal Best: North American Championships (2010) u15 singles third; Canadian National Championships(2010) u15 team Gold and singles Silver Canadian National Championships(2006) u11 singles, team, doubles Gold
List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Cantonese
Goals in Sport/Art: To represent Canada in various international events.
Goals in these Games: Gold in singles and team events.
Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My sister has participated in Canada Winter Games in 2007, has been in the Commonwealth Games in 2010, World Team event in Moscow 2010.



LIAW, MICHELLE
Table Tennis: Athlete
City/Town: Vancouver
Age: 14
Gender: F
Interests/Hobbies: Table Tennis
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andy Zhong

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Mandarin
Goals in Sport/Art: To represent Canada at the Olympics.
Goals in these Games: To achieve my personal best.



YUE, MIKE
Table Tennis: Athlete
City/Town: Burnaby
Age: 13
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Table Tennis Junior Team
Interests/Hobbies: Video Games

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Andy Zhong
List the languages that you speak fluently: English, Chinese
What is your position on your team? 3rd place



ZHOU, TIANXIAO
Table Tennis: Athlete
City/Town: Vancouver
Age: 14
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Canada Table Tennis Association

Interests/Hobbies: Play Table Tennis.
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) YJ Liu
Personal Best: Sleep, eat foods and play computer games online. Usually stay at home, do nothing.
List the languages that you speak fluently: Chinese, English, Korean
Goals in Sport/Art: To be a table tennis champion
Goals in these Games: To play and try my best and win every match; to

play well for this Canada Winter Game
What is your position on your team? Second player



MADHOSINGH, CHANDRA

Table Tennis: Coach

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 74

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BCTTA, TTCAN, ITTF

Interests/Hobbies: Astrophysics, Table Tennis, Tennis, Cricket, Soccer

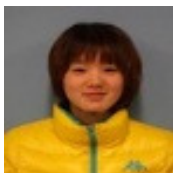
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) none

Personal Best: Coaching the Canadian Team at the International events and World Championships

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To win the Gold medals at C.W.G.

Goals in these Games: Top 3



ZHANG, BING

Table Tennis: Team Manager

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Bridgeport Sports Club

Interests/Hobbies: Movies, badminton, tennis.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chandra

Madhosingh

Personal Best: Table Tennis

List the languages that you speak fluently: Mandarin

Goals in these Games: To get Gold medals for the athletes



TARGET SHOOTING



AUTON, KATHLEEN

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 19

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Langley Rod and Gun Club

Interests/Hobbies: Theatre, writing, languages, and of

course...shooting!

Personal Best: 350/500

List the languages that you speak fluently: English, French

Goals in Sport/Art: To bring myself to my full potential in my sport

Goals in these Games: To place.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Little sister is alternate in ladies pistol team



BECKETT, ERIN

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Maple Ridge

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Maple Ridge Pentathlon Association

Interests/Hobbies: Painting and drawing, guitar, piano,

pentathlon

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chantel Spicer and Pat Landals, both awesome pistol coaches. Bob Noble, my pentathlon coach who is so great for encouraging me nonstop and Kim Eagles, because she started the same way I did, through pony club.

Personal Best: 171

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My biggest goal in sport is to compete for Canada in pentathlon at the Rio 2016 Olympics.

Goals in these Games: To experience a new level of competition, meet many new and possibly lifelong friends from across the country in all different sports, and then of course, win.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My younger sister Emily is

also competing in target shooting at these Games.



BRADLEY, FRANCISCA

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Nanoose Bay

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: The PQF&G Youth Shooters (Parksville Qualicum Fish and Game)

Interests/Hobbies: Shooting! Music - especially

playing piano, Reading, Studying History and Literature, Archeology, Paleontology, and spending time immersed in Nature.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I have many.... Pat Landals, Chantel Spicer, John Lublikhof, and Graham Alexander are just a few of the Coaches who have worked with me in the past and have had a profound impact on my shooting performance. I should also mention Jordan Fraser, a teammate for many years, who gave me extra knowledge and support during training and competition.

Personal Best: 385/400.... At the moment.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To beat my personal best, and gain great experiences and friends from all over Canada, and all over the world.

Goals in these Games: To be part of a great team, and to be outstanding in my sport.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Yes - My sister and I compete against each other on a very regular basis. She is also a target shooter.



CHAN, DOMINIC

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Vancouver

Age: 18

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Richmond Rod and Gun Club BC Target Sports Association

Interests/Hobbies: Shooting, XC biking, Road Cycling,

Skiing and Rowing

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chantel Spicer, Pat Landals, Paul Alexander

Personal Best: 521

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To increase my ability and score in shooting.

Goals in these Games: To be able to medal in shooting at the Canada Winter Games and also improve my skill shooting.

What is your position on your team? Air Pistol Shooter



DEBERT, AIMEE

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 18

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops Target Sports Association

Interests/Hobbies: Target Shooting Hunting Outdoor

Recreation

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Pat Landals, the coach at our local club.

Personal Best: 381

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: I will never stop until I reach the Olympics, but until then I'm just here to have fun and do my best.

Goals in these Games: Doing the best I can given the circumstances.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? Cousin went to Arctic Winter Games for Badminton

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Lisa Carlson, my grandmother's cousin, international equestrian rider.



LAUR, BRANDON

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Team BC

Interests/Hobbies: Shooting, computers, building miniatures

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chantel Spicer

Personal Best: 520

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Just do my best

Goals in these Games: Just do my best.



MUENCH, COLTON

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Fort Langley

Age: 17

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Langley Rod and Gun Club

Interests/Hobbies: Sprint kayaking

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Chantelle

Personal Best: 508

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To make the National team

Goals in these Games: Place top 10 if not better.



WEBBER, PATRICK

Target Shooting: Athlete

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 19

Gender: M

Interests/Hobbies: My interests and hobbies include: computers, computer programming, gaming, movies, and hanging out with friends. I'm a really big computer guy and I love computer programming because I love to solve

problems, and that's what programming is. I like to be able to make something useful out of literally nothing and make it all on my own.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My coach's name is Pat Landals.

Personal Best: My personal best to date is 566/600. I shot that over a year ago in November 2009. In my past five matches I've come very close to that score again (558, 560, 560, 562 and 563) so I am happy with where I am shooting right now.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English.

Goals in these Games: To shoot the best that I can. That's all I can ask for, right?



LANDALS, PATRICK

Target Shooting: Coach

City/Town: Kamloops

Age: 53

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Kamloops Target Sports Association

Interests/Hobbies: Shooting / Scuba Diving / Cadets

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) There are a number of coaches who have been and continue to be a source of inspiration for me.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in these Games: To give my team the very best experience they can have at this great event. To have them feel proud of their accomplishments.

What is your position on your team? Head Coach



SPICER, CHANTEL

Target Shooting: Coach

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 38

Gender: F

Height: 165cm

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: North Saanich Rod and Gun Club

Interests/Hobbies: Target Shooting, Gardening and spending quality time with my kids.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I have been blessed to have several role models and mentors over the years. These people have always given their all and had more passion for sport than leave on a tree.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Max out flag points for Team BC. Have each athlete proud of their performance regardless of the placement.

Goals in these Games: I would like to represent BC well at these Games by getting as many flag points as possible. I would like for the athletes to be able to experience a multisport Games, be on top of their game and enjoy the ride. I would like for them to make friends and have special memories.

What is your position on your team? Assistant team coach and manager



WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL



BRAGG, NATHAN

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Maple Ridge

Age: 16

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Junior Team

Interests/Hobbies: Wheelchair Rugby Wheelchair Basketball Video Games Movies

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Coach Joe Higgins. Taught me the importance of my role in the sport

Personal Best: My first basket in an actual game

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Win a medal. Play in division 1 of the CWBL.

Goals in these Games: Win a medal. Be a good teammate Have fun and enjoy the experience

What is your position on your team? Guard



DYCK, KELSEY

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Langley

Age: 22

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Breakers

Interests/Hobbies: Piano, traveling, pottery, biking, canoe trips, camping, cooking, ethnic food, other

cultures, reading

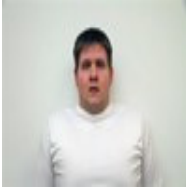
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Joe Higgins - he is always around and willing to give instruction and/or encouragement.

Personal Best: I don't have enough experience to have a personal best! Maybe making the Jr. Team in the first place?

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To work my hardest no matter what I am doing. Ask lots of questions.

Goals in these Games: To know that I invested as much as I possibly could into the Games. A medal would also be sweet!



FICOELLI, MATTHEW

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Kelowna

Age: 21

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Okanagan Thunder

Interests/Hobbies: Sports, puzzles, movies

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Dad,

because he always looks on the positive side.

Personal Best: I don't really have one that stands out in my mind.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Making the Men's Provincial Team and possibly the National Team.

Goals in these Games: To put my best foot forward, be a leader on and off the court and play my hardest no matter what

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Dino, my stepdad, helps coach the Kelowna team.

What is your position on your team? Leader on the court

If you have one, what is your jersey number? 12



GREEN, DEION

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Victoria

Age: 20

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Victoria

Interests/Hobbies: Basketball, movies, music

Personal Best: Canadian Junior Team

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: I would really like to make it onto the Men's National Team one day.

Goals in these Games: I want to play hard with my team, and hopefully win a medal.

What is your position on your team? Point Guard

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #13



HARRIS, AVRIL

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Prince George

Age: 19

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Prince George Titans

Wheelchair Basketball

Interests/Hobbies: Wheelchair Basketball, Quading,

Eating, Outdoors, airsoft

Personal Best: 21 sidelines 1 min 35 sec 20m sprint 4.5 sec. Since 2004 I have been on the Junior provincial team

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: My goals in wheelchair basketball are to make the

men's provincial team and coach or manage with the Canadian Olympic team.

Goals in these Games: Go for the Gold and meet new people.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My mother participated in the 1973 Canada Summer Games in swimming. My father was a medalist in the Pan Am Games in athletics.



HIGGINS, ERIN

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Delta

Age: 16

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Cable Cars

Interests/Hobbies: reading, writing, playing piano, playing wheelchair basketball, hanging out

with my friends and family

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Joe Higgins, my dad

Personal Best: 2nd at 2008 Western Juniors, Winnipeg

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To play on the women's provincial team

Goals in these Games: To play the best that I can and get as much playing time as I can.

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My parents

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Joe Higgins



IMBEAU, NATALIE

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Inglewood

Age: 15

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Team B.C.

Interests/Hobbies: Basketball, Piano

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To try my best and to get on the Canadian women's team at some point

Goals in these Games: Try hard, have fun, be positive, and learn.

What is your position on your team? Picker, screener

If you have one, what is your jersey number? #21



KOSKI, COTI

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Surrey

Age: 22

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: City League, Breakers Team, Team BC

Interests/Hobbies: Piano, wheelchair basketball, photography, cooking, socializing, and volunteering

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Cheryl Corrigan has been my coach off and on in the past few years. I have learned so much from her. She makes me push hard, and to do the best I can.

Personal Best: Winning Silver at Western Jr. Nationals in 2008.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: To become a better athlete, continue working hard on my skills, going to tournaments and practices, improving on my health and strength, to one day hoping to play in worlds and become a leader

Goals in these Games: Canada Games is going to be such a great experience. My goals are to work hard with my team, communicate with my teammates, take in and use all that I've learned on the court, and be in the final Gold medal game, and also enjoy my time in Halifax.



KOSTERMAN, JOHN

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Fort Langley

Age: 12

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Wheelchair Basketball

Interests/Hobbies: Wheelchair tennis, sledge hockey, rugby, street hockey, movies

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) My Dad, Mitch. He takes me everywhere and encourages me. Bo Hedges always gives me advice and opportunities.

Personal Best: Making the Canada Winter Games team even though I am so young; crossing the court in under 5 seconds

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: -To go to the 2016 Paralympic Games in Rio de Janeiro
-Become a member of the Canadian National Wheelchair Basketball team -
to be one of the best in the world

Goals in these Games: To get a fair amount of court time; to score in the double digits in one game; to be a positive influence on the team

Do you have any family members that are professional athletes, artist, or coach? Name, function, team or discipline or other pertinent information. Bret Anderson, CFL, BC Lions (retired); Al Anderson, CFL, Winnipeg Bluebombers (retired)



LUNDIE, DEREK

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: North Delta

Age: 20

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Douglas College

List the languages that you speak fluently:

English

Goals in Sport/Art: BC Men's Provincial Team



PARK, STEPHANIE

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Maple Ridge

Age: 17

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Wheelchair basketball (BCWBS)

Interests/Hobbies: My hobbies are my sport. I also spend a lot of time with my friends. Shopping, movies, texting and I'm also a Facebook addict :)

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Marni Abbott-Peter

Personal Best: I don't think in basketball you can have a personal best. It is a team sport. You win and lose as a team. I think if I had to choose the best moment in wheelchair basketball was when our senior women's team won nationals this year.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Paralympics

Goals in these Games: Our team can achieve anything they set their minds too. We sometimes set our goals to low and never aim for better. But I think we can come away and have done well

What is your position on your team? I am the one who gets in the way of the other team. I set picks to help my team get around and seals to help them score. I am a little person on the court so I am generally not a shooter.



VLIEGENTHART, ERIK

Wheelchair Basketball: Athlete

City/Town: Quesnel

Age: 20

Gender: M

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BCWBS

Interests/Hobbies: Basketball, soccer, video games.

Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I've had several coaches but the one that stands out for me would be Pat Harris. He was my first coach and helped me develop the foundation of my playing ability.

List the languages that you speak fluently: English

Goals in Sport/Art: Be a medal competitor at the Canada Winter Games.

Goals in these Games: To win Gold

Do you have any family members participating in these Games/in past Games or other national/international events ? My brother participated in these Games twice in the same sport.

What is your position on your team? Leader, slasher, shooter, ball handler.



CORRIGAN, CHERYL

Wheelchair Basketball: Coach

City/Town: Richmond

Age: 35

Gender: F

Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BCWBS Breakers
Interests/Hobbies: Mountain biking
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Michael Frogley
Personal Best: This is my first Canada Games...but I was with our women's national team at Worlds in 2006, where we earned a Gold medal.
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: To make every experience for my athletes the best it can possibly be.
Goals in these Games: A medal finish.
What is your position on your team? Head Coach.



MACDONALD, ROSS
Wheelchair Basketball: Coach
City/Town: Burnaby
Age: 33
Gender: M
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: Douglas College and Team BC

Interests/Hobbies: Movies, Video Games, Golf ,Home Improvement, Working out
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) I have had many team mates that have mentored me and helped me throughout my career.
List the languages that you speak fluently: English
Goals in Sport/Art: 2012 Paralympics
Goals in these Games: To coach, teach, add my knowledge and experiences with the junior athletes.
What is your position on your team? Assistant Coach



HARADA, MAKIKO
Wheelchair Basketball: Team Manager
City/Town: Vancouver
Age: 32
Gender: F
Club Team/Artistic Affiliation: BC Breakers, BC Douglas Royals

Interests/Hobbies: Wheelchair basketball, coaching, cooking
Personal Coach/Mentor Name (and why?) Mike Frogley, He always respects, leads, cares, and supports his athletes, friends and family and is always there for you whenever you need.
Personal Best: Women's club team Nationals Champion in 2010 as an athlete
List the languages that you speak fluently: Japanese, English
Goals in Sport/Art: To support Japan's women's national team. To develop young athletes in BC
Goals in these Games: Support BC athletes to achieve their best potential
What is your position on your team? Team manager



TEAM BC MISSION STAFF



ABBOTT, MARY JANE (MJ)

City/Town: Maple Ridge

Executive Director, Canoe Kayak BC

Interests/Hobbies: paddling, curling, skiing

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sports: Squash, Alpine Skiing



BOWLES, MARC

City/Town: Penticton

Canadian Sport Centre Pacific

Interests/Hobbies: Cycling for Parkinson's Research, coaching, volunteering, mountain biking with "Coors" my Australian Shepherd, eating lobster and seafood in the Maritimes, camping

Goals in these Games: To help support Team BC in the accomplishment of all the athletes' best performances and a Team BC best for Canada Winter Games

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport Performance Team - Performance Director



CHINN, BRENDA

City/Town: Vancouver

Manager, Operations - Canadian Sport Centre Pacific - Metro Vancouver Campus

Interests/Hobbies: Golf, Tennis, Skiing, Sleeping

Goals in these Games: Providing a smooth Games for athletes, coaches, and mission staff

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Operations



COLLENS, MICHELLE

City/Town: Port Coquitlam
Manager, Business Development, Sport Events - BC Pavilion Corporation

Goals in these Games: To have the best Team BC performance!

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Operations/Special Events;
Sports: Long Track Speed Skating, Archery



DUBINSKY, KEVEN

City/Town: Vancouver
Club Services/IT, BC Alpine Ski Association

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: IT Manager; **Sports:** Boxing, Wheelchair Basketball; **Art:** National Artist Program



FREEZE, DAVID

City/Town: Kamloops
Mental Performance, RippleRock Consulting
Interests/Hobbies: Snowboarding, wakeboarding and waterskiing take up most of my recreational time but I love building things out of wood. Big things.

Goals in these Games: Assist , inspire as many as I can

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport Performance Team - Mental Performance Consultant



GALAS, KATRINA

City/Town: Vancouver
Marketing and Special Events Contractor
Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, baseball, tennis, basketball, cycling, skiing, photography, travel

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: **Sports:** Ringette, Artistic Gymnastics, Figure Skating



GRAHAM, CHRIS

City/Town: Victoria

Sport Consultant, Sport Branch

Interests/Hobbies: Hockey, soccer, racquet sports, softball, field hockey, hiking, camping and outdoor activities.

Goals in these Games: To work with the management team to deliver a well organized, athlete centered Team BC program and to support the athletes, coaches and mission staff so they can perform at their best at the Games. To support the Target Sports and Snowboard teams towards optimizing athletes performances at the Games.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Team BC Manager; **Sports:** Target Shooting, Snowboarding



GUIGUET, COLIN

City/Town: Victoria

Coordinator, Programs - BC Hockey

Interests/Hobbies: Fishing, Golfing, Hockey, Camping, anything outdoors

Goals in these Games: To assist Team BC in Winning the Gold!

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: **Sports:** Men's and women's hockey



HARROTT, KRISTEN

City/Town: Prince George

General Manager, PacificSport Northern BC

Goals in these Games: To provide the best support possible to our Team BC athletes & coaches. To bring my skill sets to the successful Team BC with fun, positive and competitive environment

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: **Sports:** Curling (female), Cross Country Skiing, Synchronized Swimming



JOSEPH-BLACK, JUDY

City/Town: Gabriola Island

Sport Consultant, Sport Branch

Interests/Hobbies: Sports, gardening, walking with my dog, home renovations.

Goals in these Games: To make sure all sports/teams have the ultimate environment to compete at their best.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Assistant Chef de Mission



LEUNG, GAVIN

City/Town: Vancouver

Interests/Hobbies: Puppies, ultimate frisbee, cycling: road/mountain, running: trail/road.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Medical manager



MANSFIELD, JAN

City/Town: West Vancouver

Media & Communications Specialist, Janus Communications Inc.

Interests/Hobbies: Golf, fitness, cooking, mentoring, my kids.

Goals in these Games: To communicate the importance of sport in the lives of young people; to tell the athletes' stories in a compelling way so that they are recognized as role models by the media and the general public.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Communications Manager



MAY, GORDON

City/Town: Vancouver

Executive Director, Coaches Association of BC

Goals in these Games: Ensure that every coach and athlete is given the opportunity to perform at their highest potential

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sports: Curling (men's), Judo



MONTREUIL, ANDREE

City/Town: Vancouver

High Performance and Technical Director, Gymnastics BC

Sport BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport: Operations



NEWSON, DAVID

City/Town: Surrey

Executive Director, BC Athlete Voice

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport: Short Track Speed Skating



NICHOLAS, DOUG

City/Town: Kelowna

General Manager, PacificSport Okanagan

Interests/Hobbies: Sports - Basketball, Soccer, Triathlon

Sport BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport: Biathlon, Table Tennis



O'RAE, BECKI

City/Town: Victoria

Sport Consultant, Sport Branch

Interests/Hobbies: Running, boot camp fitness classes, spending time with family and friends.

Goals in these Games: To work with the teams, coaches, managers, athletes, volunteers and host society to ensure a successful games both on and off the field of play.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Operations Manager



PATEL, AJAY

City/Town: Vancouver

Chair, Department of Human Kinetics, Langara College

Interests/Hobbies: Sports - participating and watching.

Goals in these Games: To support my mission team so they can be a part of providing one of the most memorable Games experience for Team BC athletes, coaches, managers and mission staff. As well, make sure that each member of Team BC mission has the

opportunity to develop themselves through the Games experience. Finish in the top three in medals and flag points.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Chef de Mission



ROY, ROBERT

City/Town: Langley

Interests/Hobbies: Guitar, singing, classic rock, whitewater kayaking, snowboarding, classic / historical / fantasy fiction

Goals in these Games: To assist individual athletes and teams to perform at their best. To promote sport psychology, healthy living, and the value of sport in building character and good citizenship.

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sport Performance Team - Mental Performance Consultant



TRENHOLME, CHRISTOPHER

City/Town: Victoria

Event Manager, BC Games Society

Interests/Hobbies: Tennis, badminton, running, hockey, travelling, good food.

Goals in these Games: To provide the best possible support to our Team BC athletes and coaches to allow the greatest opportunity for competitive success

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Sports: Freestyle Skiing, Badminton



WILLIAMS, DANIELLE

City/Town: Burnaby

Executive Assistant, Skate Canada – BC/YT Section

Interests/Hobbies: Running, Pilates, Shopping and Traveling

Team BC Mission Staff Assignment: Communications Team



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